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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 2837A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 1693A.D.—The 30th June 1903.*—The order of the 28th April 1903 appointing Babu Jogendra Narayan Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, temporarily to have charge of the Contai subdivision of that district, is cancelled.

Midnapore.

No. 1759A.D.—The 2nd July 1903.—Babu Mohendro Chunder Mozoomdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district.

Chittagong.

No. 1785A.D.—The 3rd July 1903.—Mr. J. Lang, Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to act as Deputy Commissioner of Manbhum, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. Clark, or until further orders.

Manbhum.

Mr. Lang is also appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 1855A.D.—The 6th July 1903.*—Maulvi Sh[illegible]h Amir-ul-Hassan, Rural Sub-Registrar of Dinapore, in the district of Patna, acted as Special Sub-Registrar of Patna from the 15th A[illegible]ril to the 6th June 1903, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Syed Feda Ali.

Patna.

EDUCATION.—*No. 1753A.D.—The 2nd July 1903.*—Babu Beni M[illegible]hav Das, Assistant Head Master, Chittagong Training School (cl[illegible] IV of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act [illegible]s a Professor in the Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, during the abser[illegible], on leave, of Babu Harish Chandra Datta, or until further orders.

Chittagong. Cuttack.

No. 1860A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Dr. Prasanna Kumar Ray, [illegible]fficiating Principal of the Presidency College, is appointed to act as V[illegible]ice-President of the Board of Management of the Alipore Reforma[illegible]ory School, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. A. C. Edwards, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 1791A.D.—The 3rd July 1903.*—Mr. J. C. R. Jo[illegible]nston is appointed to be a member of the Committee of Managemen[illegible] of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 1807A.D.—The 6th July 1903.*—The following [illegible]promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service:—

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the first grade.*

Babu Nobin Chunder Sen.

Promoted substantively to the second grade.

Mr. J. T. Babonau, who will continue to be substantive *pro tempore* Magistrate and Collector and be seconded while on deputation.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the second grade.*

Maulvi Syud Faizuddin Hossain, *vice* Mr. J. T. Babonau, seconded.

Confirmed in the third grade.

Babu Dino Nath Dey.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the third grade.*

Babu Mokunda Deb Mookerjee.
„ Mahendra Nath Mukherji.

Confirmed in the fourth grade.

Babu Nityananda Bhar.

No. 1829A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—The following officers are appointed to act in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors until further orders:—

Mr. W. B. Thomson, with effect from the afternoon of the 29th April 1903, *vice* Mr. E. V. Levinge.
„ J. H. Kerr, on privilege leave, with effect from the 29th April 1903, *vice* Mr. S. L. Maddox.
„ J. T. Rankin, with effect from the 29th April 1903, *vice* Mr. J. H. Kerr.
„ B. Foley, on privilege leave, with effect from the 1st May 1903, *vice* Mr. J. H. E. Garrett.
„ Kiran Chandra De, with effect from the 1st May 1903, *vice* Mr. B. Foley.
„ H. T. S. Forrest, on privilege leave, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th May 1903, *vice* Mr. J. H. Lea.
„ Jnanendranath Gupta, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th May 1903, *vice* Mr. H. T. S. Forrest.
„ F. F. Lyall, with effect from the afternoon of the 11th May 1903, *vice* F. N. Fischer, on deputation.
„ Birendra Chandra Sen, with effect from the 18th May 1903, *vice* Mr. J. G. Cumming.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 1741A.D.—The 1st July 1903.*—Mr. T. Emerson, I.S., is allowed furlough for three months, under articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the privilege leave granted to him by the Assam Administration in notification No. 3885G., dated the 30th April 1903.

No. 1772A.D.—The 3rd July 1903.—Babu Koomud Nath Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Darbhanga.

No. 1838A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Munshi Nundjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, is allowed leave for seven days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted him under the order of the 31st March 1903.

Darbhanga.

No. 1851A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Mr. Surjya Kumar Agasti, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is allowed furlough for one month, under article 566 (4c) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 10th June 1903.

Bhagalpur.

No. 1872A.D.—The 7th July 1903.—Babu Lalit Kumar Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Chittagong.

No. 1874A.D.—The 7th July 1903.—Babu Jogendra Nath Bandopadhya, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed furlough for one year, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 15th May 1903.

EDUCATION.—*No. 1751A.D.—The 2nd July 1903.*—Babu Harish Chandra Datta, Professor, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, is allowed combined leave for one year and three months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st July 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 338 of the Regulations.

Cuttack.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 1748A.D.—The 2nd July 1903.*—Babu Jagat Chandra Bose, Deputy Collector, Satkhira, Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Khulna.

No. 1817A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Mr. W. R. Gourlay, Covenanted Deputy Collector, Bettiah, Champaran, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Champaran.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1859A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—The Report of the Central Examination Committee having been received, the result of the first half-yearly departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, held on the 4th May 1903 and the two following days, is published for general information:—

I.—SECOND OR HIGHER STANDARD.

(*i*) The following officer has passed completely:—

Babu Manmatha Nath Sen.

(*ii*) The following officers who passed partially at previous examinations have now passed in the remaining subject or subjects mentioned opposite their names:—

(*a*) *Civil Officers.*

1.	Mr. F. M. Luce	... ...	Bengali.
2.	„ L. S. S. O'Malley	... ...	Uriya.
3.	„ H. R. T. S. Perrott	... ...	Do.
4.	„ A. J. Ollenbach	... ...	Do.
5.	„ P. G. Rogers	... ...	Law, Bengali and Accounts.
6.	„ C. H. Reid	... ...	Hindustani.
7.	„ J. A. L. Swan	... ...	Bengali.
8.	„ W. D. R. Prentice	... ...	Ditto.
9.	„ S. E. Stinton	... ...	Accounts and Bengali.

(*b*) *Police Officers.*

10.	Mr. C. W. T. Feilmann	... ...	Bengali.
11.	„ R. Clarke	... ...	Ditto.

(*iii*) The following officers have passed partially, and are still liable to appear in the remaining subject or subjects mentioned opposite their names in column 4:—

No.	NAME.	Now passed in—	Still liable to examination in—
1	2	3	4
	Civil Officers.		
1	Maulvi Syed Mohamed Abul Hayat.	Accounts	Bengali at option.
2	Mr. J. A. Hubback ...	Ditto	Law, Bengali and Hindustani.
3	„ J. C. Leighton ...	Law and Bengali ...	Hindustani.

No.	NAME.	Now passed in—	Still liable to examination in—
1	2	3	4
	Civil Officers—concluded.		
4	Babu Surendra Nath Sen ...	Accounts ...	Law, and Hindustani at option.
5	„ Chuni Lal Ray ...	Law ...	Accounts, and Hindustani at option.
6	Mr. E. A. Oakley ...	Do. ...	Hindustani, and Bengali at option.
7	„ C. H. Moseley ...	Accounts ...	Law, Bengali and Hindustani.
8	Babu Jatindra Mohan Banerjee.	Law and Accounts ...	Hindustani at option.
9	Babu Bhujendra Nath Mukerjee.	Accounts ...	Law, and Hindustani at option.
10	Maulvi Anisuzzaman Khan	Law and Accounts ...	Bengali.
11	Babu Prafulla Chandra Ghose.	Law ...	Hindustani at option.
12	Babu Chandra Kumar Mathur.	Uriya ...	Law and Accounts, and Bengali at option.
13	Babu Chunder Sikhar Mukerjee.	Do. ...	Law by both standards, and Hindustani at option.
14	Babu Ananta Mohan Ray ...	Do. ...	
15	Mr. W. G. Shout ...	Accounts ...	Law by both standards, and Bengali at option.
16	Maulvi Syed Khalil Ahmad	Ditto ...	Law, and Bengali at option.
17	„ Shamsuddin Haidar	Ditto ...	Law, and Bengali at option.
18	Babu Durga Prasad ...	Ditto ...	Law, and Bengali at option.
19	Maulvi Anwar Karim ...	Ditto ...	Law, and Bengali at option.
20	Babu Jagadis Chandra Lahiri	Ditto and Hindustani ...	Law by both standards.
21	Mr. G. Milne ...	Law ...	Bengali.
22	„ F. A. Sachse ...	Accounts ...	Law, Bengali and Hindustani.
23	Babu Tarak Chandra Roy ...	Law and Accounts ...	Hindustani at option.

II.—FIRST OR LOWER STANDARD.

(*i*) The following officers have passed completely:—

(*a*) *Civil Officers.*

1. Mr. J. D. Sifton.
2. Babu Annada Charan Das.
3. Mr. C. H. Moseley.
4. Babu Surjya Kumar Guha.
5. Mr. G. B. Mumford.
6. Babu Subodh Chandra Mittra.
7. Babu Atul Gopal Ray.

(*b*) *Police Officers*

8. Mr. W. H. Reynolds.
9. Mr. G. C. Denham.
10. Mr. L. H. Burton.

(*ii*) The following officers who passed partially at previous examinations have now passed in the remaining subject mentioned opposite their names:—

1.	Babu Charu Chandra Chaudhuri	Accounts.
2.	Mr. F. W. Martin	Law.
3.	Maulvi Dalilur Rahman	Do.
4.	Babu Surendra Nath Sen	Do.
5.	„ Sarat Chandra Bose	Do.
6.	„ Chuni Lall Ray	Accounts.
7.	„ Bhujendra Nath Mukerjee	Law.
8.	Mr. P. G. Rogers	Accounts.

(*iii*) The following officers have passed partially, and are still liable to examination in the remaining subject or subjects mentioned opposite their names in column 4 :—

No.	NAME.	Now passed in—	Still liable to examination in—
1	2	3	4
	(*a*) *Civil Officers.*		
1	Mr. F. Hollow ...	Accounts	Law and Hindustani.
2	Babu Mahendra Nath Gupta	Law	Accounts.
3	Maulvi Ahmed Mahamed ..	Law and Accounts ...	Bengali.
4	Babu Ambu Nath Chatterjee	Law	Accounts.
5	Mr. J. A. Hubback ...	Accounts	Bengali.
6	Babu Manomohan Mukhopadhyaya.	Ditto	Law.
7	Babu Sakhi Chand ...	Ditto	Do.
8	„ Pulin Behari Bose ...	Hindustani and Accounts	Do.
9	Mr. C. Tindall ...	Accounts	Hindustani.
10	Babu Tarini Prasad Varma	Accounts	Law.
11	Mr. F. G. Williams ...	Ditto	Hindustani.
12	Babu Jyotish Chandra Roy	Law	Accounts.
13	Mr. F. A. Sachse ...	Accounts	Bengali.
14	Babu Aswini Kumar Dutta	Law	Accounts.
15	Maulvi Sadad Abul Musood	Do.	Bengali and Accounts.
	(*b*) *Police Officers.*		
16	Mr. A. C. Hay ...	Law	Hindustani.
17	„ T. J. A. Craig ...	Do.	Ditto
18	„ J. E. Bown ...	Do.	Ditto

III.—FOREST OFFICERS.

The following Forest Officers have passed in the subject or subjects mentioned against them :—

1. Mr. H. K. Robinson ... Forest Law, Land Revenue systems, and Hindustani by the Lower Standard.
2. Babu Lalit Mohan Sen ... Land Revenue systems.

IV.—MEDICAL OFFICERS

Major A. H. Nott, I.M.S., and Captain J. M. Woolley, I.M.S., have passed in Bengali by the colloquial test.

V.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OFFICERS.

The following Officers have passed in Law for the officers of the Public Works Department in the part or parts mentioned opposite their names :—

		Part (s).
(1)	Babu Nibaran Chandra Ganguly	A
(2)	„ Rames Chunder Dass	A
(3)	„ Rajendra Lal Sircar	"B" and "C."

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1356 T.R.—The 2nd July 1903.—Mr. R. W. Pyne, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Mainpuri, in the Benares Agency, is transferred to the Bihar Agency and is posted to Patna.

Mainpuri (Benares). Patna (Bihar).

Mr. G. C. R. Nicholson, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Patna, in the Bihar Agency, is transferred to the Benares Agency and is posted to Mainpuri.

Patna (Bihar). Mainpuri (Benares).

No. 1271T.R.—The 28th June 1903.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint Mr. P. L. Causley, Sub-Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey in the district of Purnea.

Purnea.

No. 1327T.R.—The 1st July 1903.—Babu Pitambar Bhattacharjee is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer in respect of Lat Kamal Chak, included in tauzi No. 1 of the Burdwan Collectorate, in the Serampore subdivision of the district of Hooghly, under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue officers. He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Government rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Hooghly.

No. 1328T.R.—The 1st July 1903.—Mr. A. W. Botham, I.C.S., is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer in respect of Lat Kamal Chak, included in tauzi No. 1 of the Burdwan Collectorate, in the Serampore subdivision of the district of Hooghly, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers. He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Government rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Hooghly.

No. 1348T.R.—The 2nd July 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietor of estate No. 52 in mauzas Burdiha khurd and Buzurg, pargana Shahjehanpur, in the district of Patna, for a survey and the preparation of a record of rights in respect of the estate:

Patna.

Under the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record of rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the boundaries of the aforesaid estate.

The particulars to be recorded in the said survey and the record of rights shall be the following, viz.—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.

(*e*) The money rent payable at the time the record of rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid; and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

(*j*) The name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

(*k*) The customs of the villages regulating the methods of irrigation, and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

No. 1349T.R., dated the 2nd July 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietor in respect of 13 annas 10 dams share of estate Burdiha khurd and Buzurg, tauzi No. 53, pargana Shahjehanpur, in the district of Patna, for a survey and the preparation of a record of rights in respect of the estate:

Patna.

Under the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record of rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the boundaries of the aforesaid estate.

The particulars to be recorded in the said survey and record of rights shall be the following, viz.—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.

(*e*) The money rent payable at the time the record of rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

(*j*) The name of each proprietor with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

(*k*) The customs of the villages regulating the methods of irrigation, and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

No. 1358 T.R.—The 2nd June 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by Babu Keshab Lal Chakraverty, proprietor of 14 annas 10 gandas 2 cowries and 2 kranties share of estate Jalali, tauzi No. 484, pargana Salbari, in the district of Dinajpur, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands situated in that estate, and whereas the applicant has agreed to pay the cost of the operations:

Dinajpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all land included within the boundaries of the aforesaid estate.

The particulars to be recorded in the said survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant and occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.

(*e*) The money rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or, if a produce rent, the fact that a produce rent is paid.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid; and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

(*j*) The name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1414 T.R.—The 28th June 1903.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all the lands included within the external boundaries of thanas Raniganj, Dhamdaha, and Gondwara, in the district of Purnea, and also of thana Purnea, in the same district, with the exception of those lands of which a survey has already been made in connection with the survey and record-of-rights of the Srinagar-Banaili Raj estates, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands to be surveyed.

Purnea.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION No. $\frac{2}{E19-184}$.

MR. C. S. KRAAL, Extra-Assistant Superintendent, 4th grade, Survey of India, is allowed privilege leave for two months, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from 15th June 1903.

OFFICE OF THE SUPDT. OF PROVINCIAL SURVEYS, BENGAL, *Dinapore, the 27th June 1903.*

R. CRICHTON, MAJOR, I A.,
Superintendent of Provincial Surveys, Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1273T.F.—The 27th June 1903.—Babu Sudarsan Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, Noakhali. Noakhali, is appointed to be in charge of the revaluation work under the Cess Act, IX (B.C.) of 1880, in that district.

L. P. SHIRRES.
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1481T.M.—The 2nd July 1903.—Military Assistant Surgeon R. Sharples, Officiating Apothecary, Medical College Hospital, is appointed, with effect from the 31st January 1903, to act as Assistant Apothecary of that institution, during the absence, on deputation, of Military Assistant Surgeon C. A. R. Haegart, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 1483T.M.—The 2nd July 1903.—Military Assistant Surgeon T. H. Bonnar, Officiating Assistant Apothecary, Medical College Hospital, is appointed, with effect from the 31st January 1903, to act as Apothecary of that institution, during the absence, on deputation, of Military Assistant Surgeon W. D. Neal, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 1541T.M.—The 4th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Amulya Churn Champati, of the Krishnagar dispensary, held medical charge of the civil station of Nadia from the forenoon of the 3rd to the afternoon of the 4th March 1903, in addition to his own duties.

Nadia.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2838A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1738A.D.—The 2nd July 1903.—Babu Kali Krishna Chaudhuri is, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Subordinate Judge, Pabna and Bogra, appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Saran, but to be on deputation to Tirhut, *vice* Babu Sarada Prosad Chatterjea, about to retire.

Pabna and Bogra.
Saran.
Tirhut.

No. 1842A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Babu Satish Chandra Basu, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Thakurgaon, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Upendra Nath Bhanja, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

No. 1844A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—The services of Babu Bhupal Chandra Ganguli, Munsif of Kushtia, in the district of Nadia, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

Nadia.

No. 1864J.D.—The 30th June 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera:—

Tippera.

Maulvi Musad Ali Mian. | Babu Bhavadeb Bhattacharjee.
Babu Nabin Chandra Ghose.

No. 1896J.D.—The 1st July 1903.—Maulvi Shafayet Hussain is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Gaya.

Gaya.

No. 1902J.D.—The 1st July 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Sadar Independent Bench at Burdwan :—

Burdwan.

Lala Jyoti Prokas Nanday.	Nemai Chandra Biswas.
Chaudhuri Ansar Bari.	Lala Abani Nath Mehera.

LEAVE.

No. 1778A.D.—The 3rd July 1903.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Basu, Subordinate Judge, Tirhut, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for fourteen days, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 28th May 1903, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Regulations.

Tirhut.

No. 1853A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Babu Karuna Das Bose, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Saran, under orders of transfer to Dacca, is allowed leave for three days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 29th May 1903.

Saran.
Dacca.

No. 2833A.—The 30th June 1903.—Babu Gyanendra Chandra Banerji, Munsif of Gobindpur, in Chota Nagpur, is allowed leave for one month, viz., three days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 9th June 1903.

Chota Nagpur.

No. 2834A.—The 2nd July 1903.—Mr. Mahomed Zahoor, Additional Munsif of Darbhanga, in the district of Tirhut, is allowed leave for five days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th July 1903.

Tirhut.

No. 2835A.—The 3rd July 1903.—Babu Nirmal Chandra Sinha, Munsif of Dacca, is allowed leave for twenty-two days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of that granted to him on the 1st June 1903.

Dacca.

The 3rd July 1903.—Mr. A. S. M. Ziaur Rahman, Munsif of Satkhira, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of that granted to him on the 10th June 1903.

Jessore.

No. 2836A.—The 4th July 1903.—Babu Satis Chandra Banerjee, Munsif of Kishoreganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of that granted to him on the 2nd June 1903.

Mymensingh.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 1845J.D —The 30th June 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Raja Shib Chandra Bannerji of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Bhagalpur.

Bhagalpur.

No. 1862J.D.—The 30th June 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Maulvi Abdul Azim of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Brahmanbaria Independent Bench, in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

POWERS.

No. 1782A.D.—The 3rd July 1903.—Maulvi Mahomed Habibar Rahman, Deputy Magistrate, Jalpaiguri, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 1794A.D.—The 3rd July 1903.—Babu Atul Chunder Kerr, Deputy Magistrate, Ranchi, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class. He is also vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Ranchi.

No. 1820A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—The Deputy Commissioner of Manbhum and the Senior Deputy Magistrate of that district are appointed, under section 5 of Act XIII of 1859, to exercise the powers vested in a Magistrate of Police by sections I, II and III of the said Act.

Manbhum.

No. 1824A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—The following officers are vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure:—

Jalpaiguri.

Maulvi Wajehuddin Ahmed ... Deputy Magistrate, Jalpaiguri.
„ Abu Nasr Muhammad Ali ... Ditto, ditto.

No. 1849A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Babu Abhoy Prasad Das, Deputy Magistrate, Puri, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Puri.

No. 1865J.D.—The 30th June 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen, who have been appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Tippera.

Maulvi Musad Ali Mian. | Babu Bhavadeb Bhattachargee.
Babu Nabin Chandra Ghose.

No. 1897J.D.—The 1st July 1903.—Maulvi Shafayet Hussain, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Gaya, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Gaya.

No. 1903J.D.—The 1st July 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen, who have been appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Sadar Independent Bench at Burdwan, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Burdwan.

Lala Jyoti Prokas Nanday. | Nemai Chandra Biswas.
Chaudhuri Ansar Bari. | Lala Abani Nath Mehera.

No. 1933J.D.—The 3rd July 1903.—Under section 8 of the Sonthal Parganas Justice Regulation, No. V of 1893, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby appoints Babu Chandra Narayan Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, temporarily in charge of the Pakaur subdivision of the Sonthal Parganas, to be a Subordinate Judge within the limits of that subdivision.

Sonthal Parganas.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1853J.D.—The 27th June 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of Bengal Act II of 1867 (an Act to provide for the punishment of public gambling and the keeping of common gaming-houses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend all the sections of that Act to the Nasirabad Municipality, with effect from the 1st August 1903.

Mymensingh.

No. 1931J.D.—The 2nd July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor, in pursuance of the power conferred on him by section 34 of Act V of 1861 (an Act for the Regulation of Police), authorises the extension of the said section to the Municipality at Ulubaria, in the district of Howrah.

Howrah.

No. 2001J.D.—The 4th July 1903.—The notification of this Government No. 92J.D. dated the 18th April 1903, published at page 496 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd April 1903, regarding the proposed acquisition of a plot of land in the village of Garkha, pargana Bal, zilla Saran, for a police outpost, is hereby cancelled.

Saran.

No. 2055J.D.—The 6th July 1903.—The following draft rule, which it is proposed to substitute for rule 17 (2) (*f*) of the rules for the manufacture, possession and sale of explosives in the Lower Provinces of Bengal, is published, as required by section 18 of the Indian Explosives Act (IV of 1884) and the Government of India, Home Department, Notification No. 1964, dated the 2nd September 1887, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Lieutenant-Governor after the 10th August 1903. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before that date will be considered by the Lieutenant-Governor:—

For clause (*f*) of rule 17 (*2*) substitute the following, namely:—

"(*f*) On the completion of the enquiry, the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police shall forward the application and draft license with his recommendation to the Chief Inspector of Explosives, who will forward to the applicant a statement in Form H, showing the distances which should, in his opinion, be kept clear round the magazine. The form shall then be returned, with the third column duly filled in, by the applicant to the Chief Inspector of Explosives, who shall submit it to the Local Government [*or* Chief Commissione *or* Resident] with his recommendations, and with the draft license and a schedule A showing the distances which, after considering any representation made by the applicant in returning Form H to him, he considers should be kept clear round the magazine. The Local Government [*or* Chief Commissioner *or* Resident] may thereupon grant the license as applied for, or with such modifications or restrictions as may be deemed proper, or may reject the application. The table of distances which will ordinarily be followed is attached to these rules."

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2002J.D.—The 4th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for a police building at Garkha, in the village of Saiki, pargana Goa, zilla Saran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha of 3,600 square yards, bounded on the—

Saran.

North—By the mango tope of Rambharosa Kalwar,
South—By the parti land of Sheogobind, Chhatar and Bhagwan Singh,
East—By public road,
West—By footpath,

is required within the aforesaid village of Saiki.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 1899J.D.—The 1st July 1903.—In the Notifications Nos. 1159J.D. and 1160J.D., dated the 1st June 1903, published at pages 775 and 776 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 10th idem, appointing Dubo Manki to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Regular Bench at Chaibassa, in the district of Singhbhum, and vesting him with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, *for* "Dubo Manki" *read* "Dulu Manki."

Singhbhum.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Fourth Publication.]

The 16th June 1903.

No. 35.—Notification.—It is hereby notified for general information [as required by section XII of Act V (B C) of 1864] that the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes, under the provisions of section XI of the same Act, to make the following rules in regard to the Madaripur bhil channel, as defined in this Department Notification No. 128, dated the 26th June 1900:—

1. Every vessel passing through the bhil channel shall stop at the prescribed toll station, as notified in the schedule of tolls for the purpose of determining the tolls payable

2. For the purposes of these rules, vessels other than rafts, timbers, bamboos or other floating material shall be divided into two classes as below:—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build.
„ *II.*—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and such other square built boats as should, in the opinion of the Collector of tolls, be included.

3. The net tonnage of every vessel of class I, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of these rules, be determined by the following measurements:—

A.—The product of half the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches; the measurement of the breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting portions of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which tollage shall be charged shall be a simple multiple of 12½ maunds, rejecting any remainder, by which the maundage, calculated as above, may exceed such simple multiple.

4. For vessels in class II the tonnage shall be determined as follows:—

The tonnage of steamers shall be the registered tonnage as given in the certificate of survey of the steamer.

Tolls shall be levied on the actual weight of cargo carried on steamers, flats, barges and other vessels included in this class, as declared in the manifests.

5. Every vessel shall be furnished at the toll station with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the nature and weight of the cargo it contains, and the amount of toll charged, shall be entered.

6. This ticket may be demanded and checked by any navigation officer while the vessel is within the limits of the bhil channel, and must be kept on board and at hand for that purpose.

7. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed. Provided that the Collector of Tolls appointed under section VIII of the Act may at his discretion permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognized standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

8. The term "Navigation Officer," as used in Rule 6, shall include the Collector of Tolls appointed under section VIII of the Act and the officer or subordinate of the Public Works Department in charge of the subdivision or section within which the channels is situated.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 3rd July 1903.

No. 117R.—The Government of Bengal is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Bengal Tramways Act, No. III of 1883, to make the following amendment in clause 19 of Railway Department Notification No. 100R., dated 25th June 1901, published at pages 801 to 810, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 26th idem :—

In line 7 of the above clause *for* "10 miles" *read* "12 miles."

The 7th July 1903.

No. 118R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Chitpore Upper Yard of the Chitpore Terminal Improvements, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Belgachia, pargana Dehi Punchanagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·0033 acres of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land of Olamayee's temple, and on the south, east and west by the land of the Eastern Bengal State Railway Chitpore Terminal Improvements, is required within the aforesaid village of Belgachia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

No. 119R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for approach road and pucca staff quarters at Rajbari station on the Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Sujjunkandee, pargana Dhuldi, zilla Faridpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two strips of land measuring, more or less, 11 cottahs 1⅞ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

One strip—On the north by the Rajbari bazar land, on the east by the Kalibari and Railway A class land, and on the west and south by the Eastern Bengal State Railway land,

Another strip—On the north by Faridpur road, on the east by the Railway B class land, and on the south and west by the Eastern Bengal State Railway land,

are required within the aforesaid village of Sujjunkandee.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land is available for inspection in the office of Executive Engineer, Rajbari district, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

No. 120R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for siding No. 2 for the Hurriladih Coal Company in the Jheria district of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway in the villages of Hurriladih and Jhorria khas, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 acres 1 rood 25 poles, being equivalent to 34 bighas 10 cottahs 1·25 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Hurriladih and Jherria khas.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the works for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Jherria district, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Mohda.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 1st July 1903.

No. 82 Marine.—In exercise of the powers vested in the Local Government under section 6, clause (*k*) of Act X of 1889 (The Indian Ports Act), the Lieutenant-Governor proposes to make the rule as notified below in supersession of rule 24 of the rules for the port of Chittagong, sanctioned under Notification No. 144 Marine, dated the 2nd June 1890. The rule will be taken into consideration on the expiry of one month after its first publication in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and the Local Government will receive and consider any suggestions or observations that may be made concerning it before the expiry of that period:—

"24. No catamaran, flat, passenger or other boat shall ply for hire, whether regularly or only occasionally, in, or partly within and partly without, the limits of the Port, unless licensed and registered by the Commissioners. No such vessel shall be allowed to ply as aforesaid except under the direction of a person licensed by the Commissioners. Provided that boats plying partly within and partly without Port limits only need not take out a further license from the Port Commissioners if licensed by the District Board."

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 3rd July 1903.

No. 83 Marine.—Mr. R. S. M. Curran, Junior Master Pilot, has been granted by the Secretary of State for India leave for six months in extension of the combined leave for one year granted to him under the Notification of this Government No. 126 Marine, dated the 16th September 1902.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 6th July 1903.

No. 84 Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 6 of Act X of 1889 (The Indian Ports Act), the Lieutenant-Governor proposes to make the following rules for the control of vessels entering the Port of Calcutta with petroleum in bulk.

The rules will be taken into consideration one month after the date of their publication in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and he will receive and consider any suggestions that may be made concerning them within that period:—

1. No fire or lights (except the galley and engine-room fires and the electric light) shall be allowed on board any bulk oil steamer within Port limits until the vessel has been cleansed inside from oil and vapour of oil.

This rule shall also apply to all vessels or boats lying alongside any vessel discharging oil.

2. When the hatches are open or oil is being discharged, no smoking shall be allowed on board.

3. When the oil has been discharged, the vessel shall be transported, immediately the tide permits, to a fixed mooring on the side of the river opposite to the oil depot for the purpose of cleansing.

This rule does not apply to vessels which do not proceed above Budge-Budge, but leave the Port in ballast without cleansing.

4. A bulk oil steamer shall not be taken amongst other shipping or into wet or dry docks unless the Conservator of the Port is satisfied that she is in a safe condition to be so placed.

5. No vessel having bulk oil on board shall proceed above Diamond Harbour until the pumping berth or other suitable double mooring at Budge-Budge is ready to receive her.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 2839A.

No. 1735A.D.—The 2nd July 1903.—Babu Jotindra Kumar Roy, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Patuakhali, Backergunge, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Backergunge.

No. 1776A.D.—The 3rd July 1903.—Roy Braja Nandan Prosad Sinha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Patna Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Muzaffarpur district.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 1796A.D.—The 4th July 1903.—Babu Satish Chandra Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his Settlement duties.

No. 1799A.D.—The 4th July 1903.—Babu Joges Chunder Dutt, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for two months and fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his Settlement duties.

No. 1802A.D.—The 4th July 1903.—Babu Mathura Nath Banerjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his Settlement duties.

No. 1822A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Babu Khudiram Podder, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bihar, Patna, is allowed combined leave for fifteen months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st August 1903, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

Patna.

No. 1834A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Babu Syama Charan Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district, with effect from the 6th March 1903.

Bhagalpur.

No. 1840A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2, of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Ambu Nath Chatterjee, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Howrah, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Howrah.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

No. 1826A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Mr. W. Blazey is appointed substantively to class II of the Subordinate Educational Service, and to be Foreman Instructor in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, *vice* Mr. B. Shaw, with effect from the 3rd May 1903.

Howrah.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

No. 1857A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Maulvi Syed Abul Kasim acted as Rural Sub-Registrar of Dinapore, in the district of Patna, from the 14th April to the 6th June 1903, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Shah Amir-ul-Hassan.

Patna.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 802P.D.—The 4th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the removal of the head-quarters of the office of the Sub-Registrar of Mitapukher, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Rangpur, from Mitapukher to Pirganj.

Rangpur.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6728, dated Calcutta, the 3rd July 1903.—Captain G. Y. C. Hunter, I.M.S., made over charge of the Ranchi Jail to Captain W. D. Hayward, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 15th June 1903.

No. 6729, dated Calcutta, the 3rd July 1903.—Captain V. E. H. Lindesay, I.M.S., made over charge of the Purulia Jail to Lieutenant W. V. Coppenger, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 12th June 1903.

M. S. EMERSON,
for Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.

No. 6774, dated Calcutta, the 7th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Gopal Chunder Mukerjee, B.A., M.B., made over charge of the Khulna Jail to Deputy Magistrate P. K. Karforma on the afternoon of the 28th June 1903.

No. 6775, dated Calcutta, the 7th July 1903.—Captain B. H. Deare, I.M.S., made over charge of the Rampur Boalia Central Jail to Captain E. A. R. Newman, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 29th June 1903.

R. J. MACNAMARA, MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 1888D., dated Darjeeling, the 30th June 1903.—The following list of fourth-year students who have passed the final examination for Hospital Assistants from the Temple Medical School, Patna, and are qualified in medico-legal work, is published for general information, in continuation of Civil Medical Department Notification No. 630D., dated the 7th May 1903:—

Passed in the Second Division.

1. Govind Rangopant Bhat.
2. Syed Abdul Aziz.
3. Purno Chandra Seal.
4. Syed Jamil Mehdi.
5. Sharafat Karim.

No. 1948D., dated Darjeeling, the 3rd July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Syed Hassan is appointed to do supernumerary duty at the Bankipore Hospital, Patna, until further orders.

No 1958D, dated Darjeeling, the 4th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Jogneswar Mukerjee, of the Giridih Subdivision and Rattray Charitable Dispensary, in the Hazaribagh district, is allowed privilege leave for 35 days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he was relieved of his duties.

No. 1961D, dated Darjeeling, the 4th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Sarat Chandra Sur is appointed to act at the Giridih Subdivision and Rattray Charitable Dispensary, in the Hazaribagh district, with effect from the 20th June 1903, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Jogneswar Mukerjee, or until further orders.

S. H. BROWNE, M.D., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU NANDJEE, Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Darbhanga Treasury, with effect from the 20th June 1903, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Addl. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 29th June 1903.*

BABU NITTYANANDA GHOSH, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Noakhali Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

RAJENDRA NATH GHOSH, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Commr. on tour.*

CHITTAGONG, *the 1st July 1903.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 23rd June 1903.—Babu Mohavishnu Jati, Head Clerk, office of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division (class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st June 1903, or such subsequent date as he availed himself of it.

Babu Kasi Bhushan Sen, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hazaribagh (class V), is allowed leave of absence for forty-five days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th June 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may availed himself of it.

Babu Sashi Bhushan Chakravarti, B.A., Sadar Sub-Inspector of Schools, Hazaribagh (class VII), is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hazaribagh, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kasi Bhushan Sen.

The 24th June 1903.—Babu Debendra Nath Chaudhuri acted as Assistant Head Master of the Jalpaiguri Zilla School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service on a salary of Rs. 25 a month, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hari Ballav Mandal.

Babu Hari Ballav Mandal, Assistant Head Master of the Jalpaiguri Zilla School (class VIII), having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 11th May 1903, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 24th April 1903 is cancelled.

Maulvi Alfazuddin Ahmed, M.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hooghly (class IV), is allowed leave of absence for fifteen days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd June 1903.

Babu Jogendra Nath Banerjea, Sadar Sub-Inspector of Schools, Hooghly (class VII), is placed, subject to the consent of the District Board of Hooghly, in charge of the office of the Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hooghly, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Alfazuddin Ahmed.

The leave of absence for three months granted to Babu Jadu Nath Chaudhuri, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Jalpaiguri (class IV), under Article 371 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 17th January 1903, is commuted to leave under Article 336 of the Regulations.

Babu Adhar Lal Datta is appointed, on probation for six months, to be Head Draftsman and Estimator in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, and substantively *pro tempore* to class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 12th June 1903, *vice* Munshi Golam Rahman, retired.

The 26th June 1903.—Babu Sasanka Sekhar Banerjea, M.A., is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the Uttarpara Government School, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on a salary of Rs. 50 a month, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Ram Das Bhattacherjea, or until further orders.

The 2nd July 1903.—Babu Mohendra Chandra Som, Assistant Head Master of the Noakhali Zilla School (class V), now under training at the Victoria Training College, Kurseong, is appointed to be Head Master of the same institution, *vice* Babu Isan Chandra Sen, transferred.

Babu Isan Chandra Sen, B.A., Head Master of the Noakhali Zilla School (class V), is appointed to be Head Master of the Malda Zilla School, *vice* Babu Hari Mohan Sen, transferred.

Babu Hari Mohan Sen, B.A., Head Master of the Malda Zilla School (class III), is appointed to be Assistant Head Master of the Dacca Collegiate School, *vice* Babu Raj Kumar Das, M.A., who has been recommended to Government for appointment as Head Master of the same institution.

Babu Durga Das Bhatta, M.A., Lecturer on Sanskrit in the Chittagong College (class VII), now under training at the Victoria Training College, Kurseong, is appointed to be Assistant Head Master of the Rangamati High School, *vice* Babu Hara Mohan De, transferred, and to be Head Master of that institution, on the retirement of Babu Ram Kamal Das, with effect from the 1st August 1903.

Babu Sarat Chandra Brahmachari, M.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Champaran (class IV), now under training at the Victoria Training College, Kurseong, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bankura, *vice* Babu Pramatha Nath Chatterjea, whose services have been placed temporarily for five months at the disposal of the Director General of Education in India.

This cancels the orders of the 17th June 1903, appointing Babu Sasadhar Sen, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Calcutta Training School, to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bankura, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Pramatha Nath Chatterjea.

A. C. EDWARDS,

Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

TRAINING SCHOOLS FOR BENGAL.

COURSE FOR THE SESSION 1903-1904.

THE following courses of studies are prescribed :—

FIRST-YEAR CLASS.

Subject.		Names of books.
I.—Bengali literature	Prose	... Charupatha, III, by Akshay Kumar Datta (first 150 pages).
	Poetry	... Raghuvansa, by Nabin Chandra Das (Cantos XIII, XIV, and XV).
History of Bengali literature		... By Dinesa Chandra Sen. Vaishnab literature (from page 101 to the end of page 386).
Grammar (Bengali)		... By Nakuleswar Vidyabhushan (the first half).
Letter-writing		
Essay-writing (on historical and scientific subjects treated of in the text-books).		
II.—Sanskrit	...	... Rijupatha, I (first half).
Grammar	...	... Upakramanika, by Vidyasagar.

III.—History of India, General Geography, with special reference to the Geography of Bengal, and Physical Geography—

History of India ... By Haraprasad Sastri, or by Hemlata Devi, or by Ishan Chandra Ghosh.

Geography—General Physical Geography—Bhuvidya, by Radhika Prasanna Mukerji (first half).

IV.—Arithmetic and Algebra—

Arithmetic (the whole).

Algebra, the first four Simple Rules, Factors, L. C. M., G. C. M., Simple Fractions, and Square Root.

V.—Geometry and Mensuration—

Euclid (Books I and II and first 19 propositions of the third book).

Mensuration of lines and surfaces. Pierpoint's Middle School Mensuration (Longmans'), or P. Ghose's Mensuration.

VI.—Elementary Science—

Physics, Properties of matter (solids, liquids and gases), molecular forces, universal attraction and gravity, pressure of fluids and gases, equilibrium of floating bodies, and heat as in Arts. 48—66 of Balfour Stewart's Physics Primer.

Hygiene (up to Standard IV).

Chemistry (up to Standard IV).

Botany (up to Standard IV).

Agriculture (up to Standard IV).

Natural History (up to Standard IV).

VII.—Drawing and Practical Geometry—

Practical Geometry (first 53 problems of Morris's Geometrical Drawing).

Drawing—

(*a*) Straight lines, simple and compound curves, to be drawn to the exact size of examples.

(*b*) Straight lines and curves to be enlarged or reduced on a given scale.

VIII.—Art of Teaching—Nimna Sikshak Sahachar by Dwijendra Nath Neogi.

Object lessons (up to Standard III).

Kindergarten (up to Infant stage).

IX.—Manual work (Optional)	...	Seed-placing, paper-plaiting, stick-laying, clay-modelling or rope-work.
Drill	...	... Sharp's book (first half).

SECOND-YEAR CLASS.

I.—Bengali—	...	... Nanaprabandha, by Raj Krishna Mukerjea (from page 55 to the end).
Prose		
Poetry	...	... Meghnadbadha (last three Cantos).
Grammar	...	... By Nakuleswar Vidyabhushan (the whole).
Letter-writing and essay.		
History of Bengali literature		... By Dinesa Chandra Sen (the whole, omitting first 100 pages).
II.—Sanskrit	...	.. Rijupatha, III, up to Jatugrihadaha.
Vyakaran-Sangraha		... By Heramba Tattwaratna (the whole).

III.—Translation of Lethbridge's History of the World.

Physical Geography ... Bhuvidya by Radhika Prasanna Mukerji (the whole).

IV.—(*a*) Algebra (to the end of Quadratic equations).
(*b*) Statics (Arts. 1 to 25, 28, 29, 36 to 38, 51 to 55, 96 to 103, 115, 116, 122 to 127, 133 to 136, 138, 159, 162 from Loney's Elements of Statics, 5th Edition).
Dynamics (Arts. 1 to 7, 9 to 12, 32, 34, 35, 40 to 44, from Loney's Elements of Dynamics, 5th Edition).

V.—Geometry and Surveying—
Euclid (Books I to IV).
Surveying—General elementary surveying, chain and compass surveying, plotting and field-book.

VI.—Elementary Science—
Physics (Revision of first-year Course including properties of matter, molecular forces, &c., and Arts. 67—90 of Balfour Stewart's Physics Primer).
Chemistry (up to Standard VI).
Hygiene (up to Standard VI).
Agriculture (up to Standard VI).
Botany (up to Standard VI).
Natural History (up to Standard VI).

VII.—Practical Geometry (first 120 problems—Morris's Geometrical Drawing).
Drawing—
(*a*) Free-hand Drawing.
(*b*) Model Drawing. Delineation in outline of simple solids, as cubes, cones, etc.

VIII.—Art of Teaching—Uchcha Sikshak Sahachar by Dwijendra Nath Neogi.
Object lessons (up to Standard IV).
Kindergarten (up to Infant stage).

IX.—Manual work (optional) and drill—
Mat-weaving and basket-making in addition to the first-year Course.
Drill ... ... Sharp's book (the whole).

DARJEELING,
The 27th June 1903.

A. C. EDWARDS,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION FOR ORISSA, 1903.

THE following candidates have passed:—

(In order of merit.)

SECOND-YEAR CLASS.

Medium.

No.	Name.	Age.	School.	Marks.
		Yrs. M.		
1.	Chandra Sekhar Misra*	... 17 11	Cuttack Training School	... 493
2.	Hari Charan Raut	... 18 3	„ „ „	... 469
3.	Fakir Charan Raut*	... 19 6	„ „ „	... 465
4.	Sahadev Das	... 17 10	„ „ „	... 452

Low.

1.	Ratnakar Ray	... 18 3	Cuttack Training School	... 424
2.	Baikantha Nath Misra	... 22 6	„ „ „	... 423½
3.	Binod Syam Mahanty	... 20 11	„ „ „	... 409
4.	Dwarika Nath Sinha	... 21 3	„ „ „	... 400½
5.	Raghu Nath Misra*	... 19 9	„ „ „	... 391

* Entitled to special certificate in Drawing.

FIRST-YEAR CLASS.

Medium.

1.	Kunja Behari Das	... 19 10	Cuttack Training School	... 391½

Low.

1.	Radhamohan Mahala	... 18 3	Cuttack Training School	... 370
2.	Lokenath Swain	... 17 3	„ „ „	... 366½

CALCUTTA,
The July 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,
Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

ADDENDUM.

Vernacular Mastership Examination of Bengal, 1903.

THE following additional candidate has passed the Vernacular Mastership Examination of 1903:—

FIRST GRADE.

Low.

Name.	Age.	School.	Total marks.
	YRS.		
Chinta Ram Das ...	18	Rangpur Training School ...	390

CALCUTTA,
The 7th July 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,
Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

HIGHER AGRICULTURAL CLASS.

SESSION 1903-1904.

RULES FOR ADMISSION.

FOR admission to the Higher Agricultural class, an applicant must have one of the following qualifications:—

(*i*) He must have passed the F.E. examination of the Calcutta University, and be under 23 years of age, but no student will be allowed to join the Agricultural class after the expiration of five years from admission into the Engineering College.

(*ii*) He must have passed the B.A. examination of the Calcutta University by the B course, or possess other sufficient educational qualifications, be under 23 years of age, and, in addition, have received a nomination from the Bengal Government.

(*iii*) He must have had a general education qualifying him to follow the instruction in the Higher Agricultural class, and must also receive a nomination from Government for admission as a special student. To be eligible for a nomination under this rule, a candidate must either have landed property of his own, or be recommended by some influential landholder who desires to train him to take part in the management of his estate, or he must otherwise satisfy Government that he intends to make practical use of his agricultural training. Students entering under this rule will be termed Special Agricultural Students. They will not be subject to any maximum limit of age, but will not be entitled to the privileges conferred on passed students under rules 12 and 13, even though they should obtain fully-signed diplomas in due course after passing the necessary examinations.

Every candidate for admission to this Department must apply in writing to the Principal not later than the 14th July. The form of application for a nomination, which must be addressed to the Principal, is given in Appendix B. In the event of the form not being properly filled up and accompanied by the necessary certificates, no notice will be taken of the application.

The number to be nominated each year will depend on the accommodation available.

Every applicant, not already a student of the College, must undergo a medical examination by the College Surgeon before admission to this Department. If this officer's report is unsatisfactory, the applicant will not be admitted.

The session begins on the first Monday in November. All students are required to join the College on that day. Any student prevented by sickness from attending on the opening day must produce a certificate to that effect from a Civil or Assistant Surgeon, failing which he will be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 10. No student will be admitted or re-admitted to the College after the month of November, except by special orders of the Director of Public Instruction. This permission will only be given under exceptional circumstances.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

The course of instruction in the Higher Agricultural Class will extend over two academic years.

SCHOLARSHIPS.

Senior scholarships awarded in the Engineer Department are tenable in the Agricultural Department.

One graduate scholarship of Rs. 30 a month, tenable for one year, will be awarded on the result of the examination held at the end of the first academic year.

APPOINTMENTS.

Two appointments annually are assigned to students holding a fully-signed diploma: one in the Provincial Executive Service and one in the Subordinate Executive Service. The right of selection for these appointments will rest with Government, and the students who gained the highest marks at the examination for diplomas will not necessarily be selected.

Other holders of fully-signed agricultural diplomas, who wish to compete at the examination for admission to the Provincial, Subordinate Executive, and Opium Services, may submit their names through the Principal to Government for nominations These applications for nominations will be considered, provided the applicants appear to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor to be otherwise suitable for admission to these services.

ENTRANCE AND TUITION FEES.

Each student in the Higher Agricultural Department will be required to pay an admission fee of Rs. 10.

F.E.'s who elect to join the Agricultural Department immediately after passing the F.E. examination are exempted from the payment of this fee, as their names are already borne on the College books.

For the present no tuition fees will be charged to students in the Agricultural Department, except in the case of those joining as special students under rule 3 (*iii*). The tuition fees for these students will be Rs. 8 a month.

Further particulars may be obtained free on application to the Principal.

SIBPUR, B. HEATON,
The 23rd June 1903. *Offg. Principal, Civil Engineering College.*

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

UNDER section 7 of Act IX of 1887, notice is hereby given that in September and October 1903, the Judge of Small Cause Courts, Hooghly, Serampore and Howrah, wills it—

At Hooghly	...	On 1st to 3rd September and 23rd October 1903.
At Serampore	...	On 4th, 5th, and 7th to 12th September, and 24th, 26th, and 27th October 1903.
At Howrah	...	On 14th to 19th September and 28th and 31st October 1903.

KARUNAMAY BANERJEE, *Judge of Small Cause Courts, Hooghly,*
CHINSURA, *the 6th July 1903.* *Serampore and Howrah.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 5629B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 3rd August 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Total	...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th August 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 8th August 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 18th August 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates

specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumtsances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Wednesday, 2nd September 1903...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 12th October ,, ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 2nd November ,, ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December ,, ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	8,000	8,000	16,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 29th June 1903.*

Statement showing the quantity of Salt (Private Property) in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the River Hooghly on the 30th day of June 1903, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 30th June 1903.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 30TH JUNE 1903, INCLUSIVE.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the Port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	.....	7,67,675	6,81,642	14,49,317	1,19,700	15,69,017	1,53,155	1,53,417	98,291	1,34,697
Other European countries—										
Hamburg salt	.....	1,14,365	9,690	1,24,055	48,505	1,72,560	37,250	56,764	48,900	5,300
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	.....	29,680	8,115	37,795	33,484	71,279	1,20,457	1,52,444	84,775	15,142
Salif salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	700	.....	.....	600
Salif rock salt	.....	18,179	.....	18,179	.....	18,179	200	.....	.....	400
Rawayah salt	.....	4,895	.....	4,895	.....	4,895	1,600	.....	.....	3,290
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	.....	603	.....	603	.....	603	6,270	.....	.....	15,563
Ditto ditto Rock salt.	.....	3,690	.....	3,690	.....	3,690	.....	.....	.....	.....
British India—										
Bombay salt	.....	27,731	.....	27,731	27,110	74,841	12,780*	63,510	2,850	7,135
Coromada salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,000	3,000	....
Total ...	.....	9,76,748	6,99,447	16,76,195	2,28,799	19,14,094	3,32,422	4,28,135	2,37,716	1,82,636

* This salt passed free of duty, duty having been paid at Bombay.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

L. F. MORSHEAD, *Offg. Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 7th July 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held on Monday, the 15th of June 1903, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, Babu Debendra Nath Sarkar was duly elected a Commissioner of the Burdwan Municipality, *vice* Lala Nirmal Prakash Nandey, deceased, one of the elected Commissioners of the Municipality.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 29th June 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, under rule 26 of the Election Rules, for general information, that at the general election held on the 25th May 1903, the gentlemen named below have, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, been elected Commissioners of the Noakhali Municipality in the district of Noakhali:—

Ward I.

Taltola ... 1. Khan Bahadur Maulvi Buzlur Rohim, B.L., Pleader, Judge's Court.
2. Babu Krishna Kumar Majumdar, Mukhtear, Criminal Court.

Ward II.

Fakirtola ... 1. Babu Srish Chandra Guha, B L., Pleader, Judge's Court.

Ward III.

Barabazar ... 1. Munshi Safar Ali, Mukhtear, Criminal Court.
2. Babu Bagala Prasanna Majumdar, retired Deputy Magistrate.

Ward IV.

Circuit-house ... 1. Maulvi Muzaffar Ahmed, Zamindar.

Ward V.

Kalitara ... 1. Babu Jagadish Prasad Ganguly, B.L., Pleader, Judge's Court.
2. „ Bidhu Bhusan Sen, Landholder.

RAJENDRA NATH GHOSE, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Commr. on tour.*

COMMR 'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 30th June 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the general election of the Municipal Commissioners held on the 16th March 1903, the following gentlemen have been duly elected as Commissioners of the Rangpur Municipality, in the district of Rangpur:—

Rangpur Ward.

1. Babu Umes Chandra Gupto, B.L.
2. „ Satis Chandra Ray, B L.
3. „ Satis Chandra Chakravarty, B L.
4. „ Bepin Chandra Ray Chaudhuri.
5. Munshi Mahamed Mozamal.
6. Babu Rasbehari Mukhopadhya, B L.
7. „ Aswini Kumar Bose.

Mahiganj Ward.

1. Babu Uma Sankar Chakravarti.
2. „ Kanai Prosad Bose.
3. „ Hari Har Bhattacharjee.
4. „ Jogesh Chandra Sen.
5. „ Gopal Chandra Chandhuri.

C. R. MARINDIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR 'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 23rd June 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Buxar, in the district of Shahabad :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer of Buxar.
2. The Civil Surgeon of Buxar.
3. The Executive Engineer (Buxar Division).
4. The Sub-Deputy Magistrate of Buxar.
5. The Assistant Surgeon.
6. Revd. George Tennigkeit.
7. Babu Hardhayan Sinha.
8. „ Chuni Lal Sinha.
9. „ Akhowri Ramudarj Sinha.
10. The Munsif of the 1st Court, Buxar.
11. Munshi Adit Sahai.

E. W. COLLIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 1st July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Maulvi Syed Ibu Murtaza and Maulvi Syed Aulad Hyder are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Koath Dispensary, in the district of Shahabad.

E. W. COLLIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 1st July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that the Barisal Municipality at a meeting appointed the following gentlemen to be members of the Barisal Charitable Dispensary Managing Committee :—

1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen.
2. „ Har Kishore Biswas.
3. Babu Tarini Kumar Gupta.
4. Maulvi Hemaituddin Ahmed.

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 1st July 1903.*

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1903.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 2nd July 1903.

No. 14.—Whereas the Calcutta Chamber of Commerce has, in accordance with the Regulations published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department No. 19, dated the 23rd June 1893, and amended by Notification No. 33, dated the 23rd December 1902, recommended Mr. E. Cable, President of the said Chamber, for nomination as an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor-General for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations:

In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), the Governor-General is pleased to nominate the said Mr. E. Cable to be an Additional Member of the said Council of the Governor-General.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 2nd July 1903.

No. 2528.—The Governor-General in Council, with the previous sanction of His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, is pleased to direct that in the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 1324, dated the 2nd May 1902, for the words "Order of Merit" the words "Indian Order of Merit," and for the rules published therewith the following rules shall be substituted:

Rules for admission to the Civil Division of the Indian Order of Merit.

1. The "Indian Order of Merit" (Civil Division) consists of three classes, and is conferred on Natives of India, whether servants of Government or not, as a reward for personal bravery shown in aid or support of the public authority or safety. The insignia

are, for the first class, gold; for the second, silver with a gold wreath; and for the third silver only; to be worn on the left breast, pendent from a dark-red ribbon with blue edges.

2. Admission to the third class is obtained by any conspicuous act of individual gallantry; admission to the second class can be obtained only by members of the third class, and for a similar act of gallantry; and, in like manner, the Order of the first class is conferred only on members of the second class. In recommending persons for admission to the Order, the act of gallantry must be particularly specified, and the statements of eye-witnesses to the deed must be attached. It is of the highest importance, in view to maintaining the value and prestige of the Order, that the greatest discretion shall be used in submitting recommendations; as it is very desirable that the distinction should only be granted for conduct which can clearly be defined as an act of conspicuous gallantry.

3. Admission to each class of the Order rests with the Government of India alone; and, when the act of gallantry has taken place in india, recommendations for the reward will be forwarded for submission to the Government of India, in the case of civilians through the District Officers to the Local Government, and in the case of native officers and soldiers through the usual military channels.

4. A record in each case of the particular act of gallantry for which the Order has been conferred is kept in the office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department; and a certificate signed by him, declaring the grant of the Order, will be given to each individual on his admission to, or advancement in, it.

5. District Officers are required to report immediately to the Local Government, for communication to the Government of India in the Home Department, any casualty by death amongst individuals admitted to the Order which may occur previous to the receipt of the decoration.

6. The following are the rules for the disposal of the insignia of the Civil Division of the "Indian Order of Merit" on the decease or promotion of members:

In cases of advancement to a superior class of the Civil Division of the "Indian Order of Merit," the inferior badge is to be forwarded, through the prescribed channel, to the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, Calcutta. The insignia of the Order are, however, allowed to remain in the possession of the family of a deceased member.

7. Whenever a servant of the Government, being a member of the Order, is dismissed the service, and whenever any member of the Order is convicted of any such offence, or subjected by a Criminal Court to any such order, as implies, in the opinion of the Local Government, a defect of character which unfits him to be a member of the Order, a full report of the circumstances shall be transmitted to the Government of India in the Home Department, together with an expression of the Local Government's opinion; and it shall, thereupon, be open to the Government of India to direct the dismissal of any such member from the Order and to require the surrender of his decoration.

8. As a rule, the conferment of the Indian Order of Merit in the Civil Division will not be accompanied by any grant of money; but the Government of India reserve the right of making such a grant, in addition to conferring the Order, in special cases.

The 3rd July 1903.

No. 2562.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that for the words "nothing in these rules shall apply to the packing or transport" in the third paragraph of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 5528, dated the 11th October 1901, as amended by the like Notification No. 2759, dated the 11th September 1902, the words "nothing in these rules shall apply to the packing, transport or importation" shall be substituted.

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

STATISTICS AND COMMERCE.
CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 3rd July 1903.

No. 3911-S.R.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exempt from customs duty, memorials of a public character intended to be put up in a public place, including the materials used or to be used in their construction, whether worked or not.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 3rd July 1903.

No. 4027P.—* * * * * * *

Mr. W. S. Adie, Deputy Accountant General, Madras, is appointed to act temporarily as Accountant-General, Madras, with effect from the 25th of June 1903.

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E. N. BAKER,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 3rd July 1903.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEONS.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 670.—The undermentioned third class Assistant Surgeons having completed seven years' service in that class and having passed the necessary departmental examination, are promoted to the second class, with effect from the 1st June 1903 :—

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Arthur Edwin Du Bois.

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E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No 1439T.M.—The 29th June 1903.—Whereas a notification, No. 1619M., dated the 31st March 1903, was published at page 66, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to the portions of the South Suburban Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, specified below, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said portions of the Municipality.

24 Parganas.

Under section 86 (*f*) of the Act the Lieutenant-Governor also sanctions the levy by the Municipal Commissioners of fees for the cleansing of private privies and cess-pools within the area to which Part IX is now extended:—

Behala Ward—1st portion.

North.—Guiragacha Road.
South.—Pattuckpara Road.
East.—Diamond Harbour Road.
West.—Koburdanga Road, Nuskerpore Road, Maya Dasi Lane, Brahmo Somaj Road, Brahmo Somaj Branch Road, Kagapapara Road, and Bariokpara Road.

Behala Ward—2nd portion.

North.—The road leading from Diamond Harbour Road to the house of Nava Krishna Biswas, which is called Fokeerpara and Porui-Joyrampur Roads.
South.—Gungarampur Road.
East.—Diamond Harbour Road.
West.—Porui-Joyrampur Road, leading from Gungarampur Road to the junction of Fokeerpara Road.

Behala Ward—3rd portion.

500 feet on both sides of the Porui Road.

Behala Ward—4th portion.

North.—Taratolla Road.
South.—Paddy-fields.
East.—Budge-Budge Road, including 500 feet on the east side of this road.
West.—Garden Reach Municipality.

Sodepur Ward.

500 feet on both sides of Pootiary Banerjeepara Lane.

Shahapur Ward.

North.—Mundulpara Road.
South.—Shiriti Main Road and the portion of the Municipality lying on the west of Mamoodpur Road which meets the Shiriti Branch Road.
East.—Italghatta Ward.
West.—Diamond Harbour Road.

Burisa Ward—1st portion.

North.—Shiriti Main Road.
South.—Podepara Road and the garden of Babu Upendra Nath Roy Chowdhry.
East.—Nabaliapara Road and Muradpur Road.
West.—Diamond Harbour Road

Burisa Ward—2nd portion.

North.—Bakrahat Road.
South.—Paddy-fields.
East.—Diamond Harbour Road.
West.—Bakrahat Road.

No. 1476 T.M.—The 2nd July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 6, clause (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to establish a new public ferry on the river Hooghly and Channel Creek between lot No. 8, in the district of the 24-Parganas, and Khedgiri, in the Midnapore district, to be named the "Dhobaghar Ferry."

24-Parganas. Midnapore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased, in the exercise of the power conferred on him by section 35 of the aforesaid Act, to direct that the above ferry shall be managed by the District Board of the 24-Parganas, and that all the proceeds of the said ferry, and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof, shall be paid into the District Fund of the 24-Parganas, with effect from the date of this notification. The net receipts from the said ferry shall be divided equally between the District Funds of the 24-Parganas and Midnapore.

No. 1507 T.M.—The 3rd July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 223 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Bally Municipality, in the district of Howrah, made at a meeting, to modify Government notification, dated 9th December 1889, published at page 271, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, extending the provisions of Part IX of the aforesaid Act to the Bally Municipality, so as to withdraw the areas specified below from the operation of the said provisions of the law, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality:—

Howrah.

List of Lanes proposed to be excluded from the provisions of Part IX.

IN WARD No. I.

No.		Remarks
1.	Panchanontola Lane	Portion on the west of Babu Sarat Kumar Ghosal's house.
2.	Padma Babu's Lane.	
3.	Gosswamypara Lane	West of its junction with Jora Assottola.

IN WARD No. II.

1.	Jora Assottola Lane.	
2.	Krishna Chatterjee's Lane.	
3.	Dewna Gozi Lane	West of the house of late Babu Sarat Ch Banerjee.
4.	Patakpara Lane.	
5.	Bagdipara Lane.	
6.	Hazrahpara Lane.	
7.	Chakravartypara Lane	West of Hari Chakravarty's tank.
8.	Acharjeepara Lane	South of Gabtola.
9.	Dharmotola Lane	West of Sanyal's garden and house.

IN WARD No. III.

1.	Ghose's Lane	Southern side.
2.	Palghat Lane	
3.	Kaorapara Lane.	
4.	Khamarparaghat Lane.	
5.	Pal Bagan Lane.	
6.	Khamarpara Lane.	
7.	Baniapukur Lane	
8.	Thakur Das Ghosh's Lane ...	Portion from Promatha Ghosh's houses to Jagabundhu Ghatty's house.
9.	Natunpukur Lane.	
10.	Kamikshianath Acharji's Lane.	
11.	Tara Chand Gangooly's Lane.	
12.	Srikrishna Gangooly's Lane.	
13.	Goor Mozumdar's Lane.	
14.	Ballore Road.	
15.	Gobordhone Molla's Lane.	
16.	Malipanchghora Lane.	
17.	Girish Ghosh's Lane.	
18.	Ramdhone Ghosh's Lane.	
19.	Chasadhopapara Lane.	
20.	Nichoo Shake's Lane.	
21.	Mussalmanpara 2nd Lane.	
22.	Kolupara Lane.	
23.	Mukherji's Lane.	
24.	Ram Khan's Lane.	
25.	Abhoy Babu's Bagan Lane.	
26.	Acharjeepara 2nd Lane.	
27.	Bagdipara 2nd Lane.	
28.	Bhojohari Chakravarty's Lane.	
29.	Dharmotola Lane	South side.
30.	Moti Doctor's Lane.	
31.	Rajkrishna Koomar's Lane.	

No. 1451T.M.—The 30th June 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the rules framed under section 138 (*a*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to fix the 17th, 18th, and 19th September 1903 as the dates for holding bye-elections, under section 19 of the Act, at Jhenidah, Kotchandpur, and Sailkopa thanas, respectively, in the district of Jessore, for the purpose of filling the vacancies in the representation of those thanas on the Jhenidah Local Board caused by the death of Babu Kali Prosonno Mukherjee and Babu Priya Nath Mazumdar and the resignation of Babu Purna Chandra Maulik.

Jessore.

No. 1509T M.—The 3rd July 1903 —It is hereby notified that, in exercise of the power conferred under section 13 of the Cantonments Act (Act XIII of 1889), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the provisions of the said section shall be in force throughout the entire area of the Darjeeling Municipality.

Darjeeling.

No. 1514T.M.—The 4th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the rules framed under section 138 (*a*) of the Bengal Local Self Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to fix Saturday, the 22nd August 1903, as the date for holding an election, under section 19 of the Act, in thana Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, for the purpose of filling the vacancy in the representation of that thana on the Local Board of Madaripur caused by the death of Babu Jagabandhu Das.

Faridpur.

No. 1523T.M.—The 4th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Chittagong Municipality, in the district of Chittagong:—

Chittagong.

The Civil Surgeon of Chittagong ... *Ex-officio.*

Mr. E. Good. | Mr. H. Calder.
Babu Nemai Charan Das. | ,, J. Miranda.
Babu Ramesh Chandra Sinha.

No. 1525T.M.—The 4th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Purnea Municipality, in the district of Purnea:—

Purnea.

The Civil Surgeon of Purnea ... *Ex-officio.*

Dr. D. Pisachy. | Babu Bhuvan Mohan Sanyal.
Babu Jogendra Nath Mukherjee. | Dr. Kamakhya Nath Ghose.
Munshi Mohammad Sarif.

No 1527T.M.—The 4th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Sheikh Abdul Kadir to be a Commissioner of the Lohardaga Municipality, in the district of Ranchi, *vice* Revd. H. Koppen, resigned.

Ranchi.

No. 1544T.M.—The 4th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Vishnupur Municipality, in the district of Bankura, of Babu Kedar Nath Banerjee to be their Chairman.

Bankura.

No. 1556T.M.—The 6th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality, in the district of Howrah:—

Howrah.

Mr. H. LeMesurier, I.C.S., C.I.E.
The Civil Surgeon of Howrah ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
The District Engineer, East Indian Railway (Howrah) ... }

Mr. R. B. Turner. | Mr. Ishan Chandra Bose.
,, J. Steen. | ,, Chandra Nath Banerjee.
,, J. Benson. | ,, B. Priestley.
Mr. C. H. Windle.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1429T.M.—The 30th June 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Muzaffarpur District Board for a public purpose, viz., for constructing the Desri Road, in the villages noted in the margin, pargana Bessara, chakla Garjoul, zilla Muzaffarpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 214 bighas 1 cottah and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, is required.

Muzaffarpur.

1. Shearpur.
2. Rahandpur.
3. Mahamadpur Garahi.
4. Mathurapur.
5. Kamalpur.
6. Garahi.
7. Chakbajo.
8. Uphroul.
9. Jafrabad.
10. Desri.
11. Kichni.
12. Madhopur.
13. Dharampur.
14. Jahangirpur.
15. Chandpur.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Board of Muzaffarpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1519T.M.—The 4th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Vishnupur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a municipal market in the village of Vishnupur, pargana Vishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 4 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the east by the Subdivisional Office road, on the west by patit land owned by Baikuntha Poddar, Makhan Poddar and Sridhar Poddar, on the north by the Howra road, and on the south by patit land owned by Sridhar Napit, Kali Rajak, Nitai Rajak and bastu land owned by Mohini Sarkar.

Bankura.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1546T.M.—The 4th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Howrah Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for constructing a feeder road from Dharmatola Lane to Hooghly Road in the village of Malipanchghora, pargana Boro, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas 16 cottahs 7 chitaks and 11 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Hooghly.

North—By the garden land of Sarat Chandra Banerjee, paddy lands of Badan Mollah, Hari Babu, Hokkani Mandal, Kalef Mandal, Hari Basak, Samiruddin Mullick, Ajgar Mullick, Ram Chandra Naskar, and Rama Nath Sett,

East—By the Hooghly Road with its drain,

South—By the paddy lands of Rama Nath Sett, Dandi Goswamy, Ajgar Mullick, Oomaraly, Sammiruddi Mullick, Hari Basak, Sarat Chandra Banerjee, Hokkani Mandal, Hari Babu, Badan Mollah, and the garden land of Sarat Chandra Banerjee,

West—By Dharmatola Lane,

is required within the aforesaid village of Malipanchghora.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Howrah.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notice of Sale for Arrears of Revenue.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868 and Act II (B.C.) of 1871, that the undermentioned noabad taluks within the Cox's Bazar khas mahal, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 11th July 1903 for arrears and cesses remaining unpaid on the 25th May 1903:—

No of tenure.	Name of mauza, thana, and mahal.	Name of talukdar.	Sadar Jama.		Amount of arrears for which the tenure is to be sold.		
			Rent.	Cesses.	Rent.	Cesses.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
71/99	Thana Ramoo, mauza Patali Machuakhali, taluk Hari Sikdar.	Azizulla Shadagar, son of Latif Ali of Mader Bari, thana Town.	979 14 0	104 8 6	244 15 6	34 13 6	279 13 0
72/101	Thana Ramoo, mauza Patali Machuakhali, taluk Shamad Ali.	Nur Muhammad, son of Harban Ali Chowdhury of Patali Machuakhali.	769 4 0	110 6 0	128 3 0	36 13 6	165 0 6
99/121	Thana Ramoo, mauza Khurulla, taluk Khairulla.	Kamala Kanta Sen, son of Giris Chandra Sen of Kuipara, thana Raozan.	676 6 0	69 12 0	253 10 3	23 4 0	276 14 3
126/165	Thana Ramoo, mauza North Mithachari, taluk Rustum Ali.	Azam Ullah, son of Jinnat Ali of Joaria Nalla.	1,071 4 0	122 1 0	401 12 0	40 11 0	442 7 0
166/218	Thana Ramoo, mauza Kochchapia, taluk Panskori.	Alimardan Chowdhury, son of Panskori Chowdhury, Maqbul Ali, Ekbal Ali, and Chunnu Meah, sons of Ali Mardan Chowdhury of Uttar Mithachari.	1,337 8 0	142 2 0	220 0 0	.....	220 0 0
192/250	Thana Ramoo, mauza Baarnakhali, taluk Mohamed Raja.	Maulvi Mohabbat Ali, Tamijuddin and Uzir Ali Chowdhry, sons of Anwar Ali Chowdhry, and Naderazzama, son of Saiyed Ali Chowdhry of Patali Machuakhali.	838 4 0	141 13 6	148 1 0	.....	148 1 0
286 282/295/380	Thana Chakaria, mauza Paharchanda, taluk Bibi Isprak.	Durga Kripa Sen and Kali Prasanna Sen of Guzara, thana Raozan, Beni Madhab Sen, son of Braja Mohon Sen, and Srimati Kashishvari, wife of Ishan Chandra Sen of Sharualali.	1,960 4 0	149 12 6	743 2 0	49 14 10	793 0 10
295/78/508 464/500	Thana Chakaria, mauza Toitong, taluk Haridas Bahaddar and Har Chandra, Nabin Chandra.	Nezamat Ali Chowdhry, son of Mohamed Rafi Chowdhry of Barokhain, thana Banskhali.	1,196 14 0	191 6 6	449 9 0	0 0 6	449 9 6
298/296 388/308	Thana Chakaria, mauza Koerbil, taluk Raja Khan.	Akbar Ali Khan, son of Rahat Khan of Sholakata.	1,044 10 0	109 9 6	178 5 3	.....	178 5 3
299 316/83/509/466/3499	Thana Chakaria, mauza Battali, taluk Haridas Bahaddar.	Nezamat Ali, son of Muhammad Rafi Chowdhry of Toilerdip.	503 4 0	44 4 0	188 11 0	14 12 0	203 7 0

Chittagong, the 6th June 1903.

E. Geake, Collector.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 13th July 1903 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
391/391/387	Thana Satkania, taraf mauza Amirabad Baboit, taraf Mangatram Hazari.	1,401 13 3	Only a share is to be sold.	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, only the residuary share No. 2 will be sold	Taran Singh Hazari and Srimati Janasi Kumari	908 15 10	...	170 4 10
1278/1282/1017	Thana Satkania, taraf mauza Garangia Baboit taraf Mangatram Hazari	2,015 5 9	Ditto	Only the residuary share No. 3 will be sold	Taran Singh Hazari, son of Indra Singh Hazari of Dehazari.	1,276 12 9	...	44 6 3
2093/2100/1512	Thanas Hathazari, Patia, Town, Ranzan and Satkania taraf Krishna Kishore Kanungoe	645 6 7	Ditto	Share No. 1 will be sold	Fazal Ahmed and Fazal Samod Choudhuri, son of Hedayat Ali Choudhuri of Shalkata, thana Banskhali.	524 13 6	...	656 0 10
17741/17977/20195	Thana Rambhu, mauza Mitachari, taluk Mahammad Kalu and Kamar Ali	518 5 6	Whole estate will be sold.	.....	Shaikh Habib Ahmed Choudhuri, on behalf of his father, Makbul Ali Choudhuri of Joldi.	...	0 0 2	..

The amounts shown in columns 8 and 9 represent the arrears due for the kist ending 25th May 1903.

Chittagong, the 6th June 1903

F. GEAKE, Collector

Notice of Sale for Arrears of Revenue

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B C) of 1868 and Act II (B.C.) of 1871, that the undermentioned Noabad taluks within the Sadar khas mahal, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 10th day of July 1903 for arrears of rent and cesses remaining unpaid on the 25th day of May 1903

Number of taluk.	Name of taluks with its situation	Name of proprietor.	Sadar jama.		Arrear	
			Rent.	Cess.	Rent	Cess.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
883/20134	Thana Town, mauza Bakalia, mahal Noabad, taluk Ahmad Ali	Babu Amar Nath Ghose and others	1,395 4 0	236 5 6	499 8 0	82 15 0
4757/23878	Thana Fatikchari, mauza Jugkhola, mahal Noabad, taluk Byar Ali Khan.	Ohedar Rahman Khan Chowdhury ..	2,558 4 0	166 12 0	958 8 0	86 7 0

E GEAKE, Collector

Notice of Sale for Arrears of Revenue.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, and Act II (B.C.) of 1871 that the undermentioned tenure in the Rauzan khas mahal, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 10th day of July 1903 for arrears of rent and cesses remaining unpaid on the 25th May 1903:—

Number of tenure.	Name of tenure with its situation	Name of proprietor	Annual jama		Amount of arrears for which the tenure is to be sold		
			Rent.	Cesses.	Rent.	Cesses.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3 2/24578	Thana Fatickchari, mauza Kanchannagar, mahal Noabad, taluk Ranudebya	Ramesh Chandra Roy, Kamal Kumar Nandy and others.	1,061 4 0	64 14 6	398 0 0	24 6 0	422 6 0

The 4th June 1903

E. GEAKE, Collector.

Notice of Sale for Arrears of Revenue.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section VI, Act XI of 1859, Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, and Act II (B.C.) of 1871, that the undermentioned tenures in the Satkania khas mahal, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of the district on the 11th day of July 1903 for arrears of rent and cesses remaining unpaid on the 25th May 1903:—

Number of tenure.	Name of tenure with its situation.	Name of proprietor.	Annual Jama.		Amount of arrear for which the tenure is to be sold.		
			Rent.	Cesses.	Rent.	Cesses.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
3 403	Thana Banskhali, mauza Pooichari, mahal Noabad, taluk Moberek Ali and Baksha Ali.	Keramat Ali Chowdhuri and the General Manager of Court of Wards, Chittagong, on behalf of estate Sher Ali Khan	Rs. A. P. 3,125 0 0	Rs. A. P. 245 5 6	Rs. A. P. 7,001 0 8	Rs. A. P. 744 9 5	Rs. A. P. 7,745 10 1
34 1822	Thana Banskhali, mauza Napora, mahal Noabad, hal taluk Raj Kumar Rai and Brojeswari Babal, taluk No. 541-468, Beuweswari.	Mohesh Chandra Bhattacharji ...	1,139 0 0	127 0 6	214 12 0	20 0 0	234 12 0
62 477	Thana Banskhali, mauza Chambol, mahal Noabad, taluk Abdul Mojid.	Nezamat Ali Chowdhuri, mortgagee Ershad Ali Chowdhuri.	531 6 0	65 9 0	199 4 0	24 9 0	223 13 0
3200 4066	Thana Satkania, mauza Churamoni, mahal Noabad, taluk Mohesh Chandra Chaitanya Charan.	Raj Chandra himself and on behalf of minor Rangshi Mohan and the General Manager of Court of Wards, Chittagong, on behalf of estate Surendra Bijoy.	511 14 0	7 7 0	73 13 0	0 11 3	73 8 3
5674 5069	Thana Satkania, mauza Paharchanda, mahal Noabad, taluk Nilmoni Kanungoe, Ishan Chandra and Sasti Charan.	Babu Kailas Chandra Das, General Manager, Court of Wards, Chittagong, on behalf of estate Abdul Fottah Khan, Upendra Chandra Bhattacharji and Jagat Chandra Bhattacharji.	631 10 0	80 9 0	162 14 4	7 7 11	170 6 3
5085 5859	Thana Satkania, mauza Patibila II, mahal Noabad Nilmoni Kanungoe Ishan Chandra and Nanda Oumar.	Nanda Kumar, Shasti Charan, Upendra Chandra, Jagat Chandra Bhattacharji and Babu Kailas Chandra Das, General Manager of Court of Wards, Chittagong, on behalf of estate Abdul Fottah Khan.	568 8 0	82 6 6	143 5 0	12 1 5	155 6 5

Chittagong, the 10th June 1903.

R. A. STEPHEN, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the right, title and interest of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Ranchi, will be put up to sale at the Ranchi Collectorate on Friday, the 17th July 1903, corresponding with 7th Sawan 1960 Sambat.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above an upset price of Rs. 464-11-5. The purchaser of this estate will be considered having acquired the right, title and interest of Government in the estate, and the entire right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the payment of neither revenue nor rent to Government (but the purchase will be liable to payment and cesses to the superior landlord).

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of cultivators who have accepted the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—One-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent at present payable by raiyats to Government.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs A. P.	
III—4	Baranda in pargana Baranda ...	445 83	50 11 3	

Deputy Commr.'s Office, Ranchi, the 2nd June 1903.

A. E. HARWARD, *for* Deputy Commr., Ranchi.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Cuttack, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 20th July 1903, corresponding to the 5th day of Sraban 1310 at the Court-house of the Collector of Cuttack.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of khasra.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Cuttack ..	Pargana Cuttack Haveli, mauza Chasapara.	67/55	West ...	..	·67	.....	.....	.....	Bounded on the north by mauza Indranipatna and cultivated lands of Sham Barik, Janaki Nath Panout and others; on the south by Mahanadi river; on the east by Jagannath road, and on the west by cultivated lands of Raghu Das, Nila Das, Jagu Das, etc., and Similia Bhanda Jose.
			68/60	Do. ...	.....	·13				
			858/980							
			69/53	Do. ...	.....	·13				
			70/54	Do. ...	.....	·15				
			71/30	Do. ...	.....	1·37				
			73/4	Do. ...	.....	·90				
			75/2	Do. ...	.....	·3				
			74/3	Do. ...	.....	·5				
			75/5	Do. ...	.....	6·0				
			76/6	Do. ...	.....	·21				
			78/13	Do. ...	.....	·3				
			79/13	Do. ...	.....	·61				
			83/16	Do. ...	.....	·13				
			84/10	Do. ...	.....	·80				
			86/8	Do. ...	.....	2·77				
			87/9	Do. ...	.....	·33				
			88/18	Do. ...	.....	2·34				
			89/10	Do. ...	.....	·45				
			90/349	Do. ...	.....	4·3				
			94/23	Do. ...	.....	·7				
			95/24	Do. ...	.....	·75				
			98/27	Do. ...	.....	·25				
			99/29	Do. ...	.....	·20				
			101/31	Do. ...	.....	·3				
			106/46	Do. ...	.....	·5				

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of khasra.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusions	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	
1	Cuttack	Pargana Cuttack Haveli, mauza Chasapara—*contd.*	120 / 85	West ...		·4				
			122 / 86	Do. ...	..	·4				
			124 / 88	Do. ..	.	·2				
			128 / 94	Do. ...		·58				
			131 / 82	Do. ...		·6				
			135 / 76	Do.	..	·11				
			136 / 75	Do. ...		·8				
			138 / 56	Do. ...	...	·7				
			150 / 96	Do. ...		·8				
			172 / 92	Do. ..		·070				
			173 / 111	Do.	....	·58				
			176 / 113	Do. ...		·92				
			178 / 114	Do. ...	....	·80				
			205 / 315	Do. ...		1·43				
			219 / 850 / 957	Do. ...		1·1				
			80 / 14	Do. ...	.....	·43				
			81 / 16	Do.	.	·38				
			83 / 17	Do. ..		·14				
			100 / 28	Do. .	.	·07				
			123 / 87	Do. ..	...	·40				
			125 / 89	Do. ...		·21				
			126 / 90	Do. ...		·11				
			155 / 131 / 918	Do. ...		·4				
			67 / 97	Do. ..	.....	·02				
			170 / 95	Do.	..	·31				
			180 / 311 / 927	Do. ...		·30				
			191 / 309 / 925	Do. ..	..	·32				
			213 / 326 / 923	Do. ...		·10				
			77 / 11	Do. .		·27				
			108 / 50	Do. ...		·54				
			111 / 43	Do. ...		·5				
			115 / 38	Do. .	. .	·51				
			116 / 54	Do. ...	... .	1·20				
			117 / 63	Do. ..	.	·8				

Consecutive lot No	Name of district	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of Khasra.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres..		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Cuttack ...	Parsana Cuttack Havali, mauza Chasapara—*contd.*	146 / 66 / 914	West ...	.....	·1				
			198 / 313	Do. ...		1·87				
				Total .		44·08				
2	Do. ...	Ditto ...	104 / 48	West ...	.....	2·74	.....	.....	...	Bounded on the north by mauza Indranipatna and cultivated lands of Sharu Barik, Janaki Nath Pandit and others; on the south by Mahanadi river; on the east by Jagannath road, and on the west by cultivated lands of Raghu Das, Nila Das, Jagu Das, etc., and Similia Bhanda Jose.
			109 / 47	Do. ...		·95				
			110 / 46	Do. ...	.....	·15				
			112 / 45	Do. ...	... ..	·13				
			113 / 40	Do. ...	.....	1·33				
			114 / 39	Do. ...	.. ...	1·41				
			118 / 33	Do. ...	... .	·64				
			119 / 51	Do. ..	.....	·55				
			55 / 7	Do. ...	..	·25				
			96 / 26	Do. ...	.....	·29				
			97 / 36	Do. ...		1·22				
			103 / 33	Do. ...	.....	1·44				
			102 / 41	Do. ...	.....	·25				
			105 / 44	Do. ...	.....	·7				
			107 / 49	Do. ...	.....	·31				
			121 / 34	Do. ...	.....	·25				
			127 / 91	Do. ...	.....	·47				
			129 / 80	Do. ...	.....	·4				
			130 / 81	Do. ...	.....	·26				
			132 / 85	Do. ...	.....	·62				
			133 / 78	Do. ...	.....	·20				
			134 / 79	Do. ...	.....	·21				
			137 / 77	Do. ...	.....	·26				
			139 / 55	Do. ..	.....	·47				
			140 / 57	Do. ...	.....	·53				
			141 / 37	Do. ...	.....	·13				
			142 / 36	Do. ...	.....	·30				
			143 / 56	Do. ...	...	1·05				
			144 / 59	Do. ...	.....	·11				
			145 / 60 / 915	Do.	.....	·35				
			147 / 73 / 917	Do. ...	.....	·17				
			148 / 72 / 916	Do. ...	.....	·1				
			149 / 74 / 915	Do. ...	.....	4·39				

N.B—Only proprietary right will be sold, as the occupancy right of the tenants has been restored to them under rule 10 (*a*), Chapter III of the Land Acquisition Manual, on their refunding the compensation etc, which had been originally paid to them.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated and number of Khasra	Situated on which side of the Railway	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES. B. K. C.	Acres.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Reasons for exclusion	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
2	Cuttack	Pargana Cuttack Haveli, mauza Chasapara—*contd.*	150 / 119 / 920	West	..	·16				
			187 / 132 / 919	Do.	..	·16				
			153 / 101	Do	..	·8				
			153 / 100	Do.	..	·16				
			154 / 90	Do.	.....	1·56				
			156 / 103 / 918	Do.	.	·14				
			157 / 101 / 921	Do.	.	..	·09			
			158 / 120 / 924	Do.	.	.....	·3			
			159 / 124 / 923	Do	...	....	·64			
			160 / 122	Do.	..		·25			
			161 / 121	Do	.	. ..	·24			
			162 / 104	Do.	..	... ..	·72			
			163 / 120	Do.	...	... ..	·41			
			164 / 105 / 166	Do		..	·23			
			166	Do.	.	.....	·45			
			166 / 107	Do.	.	...	·07			
			168 / 98	Do.	..	.....	·7			
			171 / 84	Do.	...	.....	1·13			
			174 / 110	Do.		...	·34			
			175 / 112	Do.	..	.	·34			
			177 / 115	Do.	..	...	·41			
			179 / 117	Do.	...	. ..²	1·50			
			180 / 116	Do.	...	..	·20			
			181 / 109	Do.			1·19			
			182 / 109	Do.		. .	·37			
			183 / 110	Do	...	.....	·69			
			184 / 118	Do.	..	... .	1·3			
			185 / 339	Do.	...	. . .	·36			
			186 / 123	Do.	...	.....	1·68			
			187 / 125 / 933	Do.	.	. .	·20			
			188 / 312 / 924	Do.	...	. .	·31			
			190 / 300 / 926	Do.	.	.....	·26			
			192 / 31 / 929	Do.	..	.....	1·71			
			193 / 939	Do.	...	.....	·30			

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1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
2	Cuttack	Pargana Cuttack Haveli, mauza Chaupara, *concld*	194 330	West		·18				
			195 314	Do.		·57				
			196 334	Do.		·24				
			197 335	Do.		·28				
			199 338	Do.		·24				
			200 340	Do.		·20				
			201 341	Do.		·20				
			202 337	Do.		·25				
			203 336	Do.		·45				
			204 342	Do.		·29				
			206 343	Do.		·60				
			207 344	Do.		·30				
			208 333	Do.		·63				
			209 332	Do.		1·4				
			210 331	Do.		·94				
			211 328	Do.		·51				
			212 327 943	Do.		1·8				
			214 325 981	Do.		·12				
				Total		53·70				
						A. R. P.				
1	Do. ..	Pargana Bakrabad, Mandeli. mauza	1m. and 90 81, 84, 83, 97, 98.	West ..		0 0 2½				Khasra numbers have been given.
			96	Do.		0 1 19				
			95	Do.		0 2 8				
			94	Do.		0 0 6½				
			92	Do.		0 0 12½				
			91	Do.		0 0 25½				
			90	Do.		0 0 11½				
			89	Do.		0 0 8				
			87	Do.		0 0 14½				
			82	Do.		0 0 16½				
			84	Do		0 1 30				
			83	Do.		0 0 17½				
			81	Do		0 0 17½				
			80	Do		0 2 24				
			79	Do.		0 0 4½				
			78	Do.		0 0 19½				
			77	Do		0 0 17½				
			76	Do.		0 0 16				
			73	Do.		0 0 14½				
			74	Do.		0 0 9½				
			52	Do.		0 0 11½				
			3 and 86	Do.		0 1 6½				
			66 and 71	Do.		0 0 16				
			57 and 55	Do		0 1 13				
			55 and 62	Do.		0 1 0				
			59 and 60, 61 and 63.	Do.		0 2 23½				
			64	Do.		0 3 11½				
			1m and 65	Do.		0 0 16				
			67	Do.		0 0 4½				
			56 and 68	Do.		0 0 20½				
			69	Do.		0 3 4½				
			70	Do		0 0 28½				
			72	Do.		0 0 8				
			50	Do.		0 0 17½				
			75	Do.		0 0 17½				
						0 0 12½				
				Total ..	...	8 0 25½				

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					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
2	Cuttack ...	Pargana Bakhrabad, mauza Telagar.	1 m., and 5	West ...	.....	0 0 1	.....	.....	.....	Khasra numbers have been given.
			1	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			2	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			203 and 204	Do. ...	.....	0 1 30½				
			6 and 7	Do. ...	.....	0 2 6½				
			8 and 9	Do. ...	.....	0 2 4½				
			10	Do. ...	.....	0 1 30½				
			11, 16, 18, and 20.	Do. ...	.....	3 1 16½				
			12 and 15	Do. ...	.....	1 0 32				
			13	Do. ...	.....	0 2 24				
			14	Do. ...	.....	0 2 26				
			15	Do. ...	.....	0 3 22½				
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			19 and 29	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			21	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			22	Do. ...	.....	0 2 4½				
			23 and 24	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			26	Do. ...	.....	0 3 36½				
			27	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			28	Do. ...	.....	0 1 3½				
			30	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			1	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			2	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			3 and 12	Do. ...	.....	0 1 31½				
			4, 13, 15½, 18, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 43.	Do. ...	.....	5 1 22				
			5	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			6	Do. ...	.....	0 2 32½				
			7	Do. ...	.....	0 0 36½				
			8	Do. ...	.....	0 2 16				
			9	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			10	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25				
			11, 14, 16, and 19.	Do. ...	.....	4 3 4½				
			15	Do. ...	.....	10 1 4½				
			17 and 33	Do. ...	.....	0 2 15½				
			20	Do. ...	.....	0 1 11½				
			21, 22, 37, and 38.	Do. ...	.....	1 2 37½				
			23	Do. ...	.....	2 3 4½				
			24 and 25	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25½				
			31, 35 and 36.	Do. ...	.....	1 0 39½				
			37, 40 and 42.	Do. ...	.....	1 2 27				
			30	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
			23	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			41	Do. ...	.....	0 2 17½				
			44	Do. ...	.....	0 2 1½				
			32	Do. ...	.....	0 1 23½				
			34	Do. ...	.....	0 1 24				
			2, 7, 8, 11, 15, 17, 20, 23, 33, 24, 25, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33.	Do. ...	.....	4 0 15				
			49	Do ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			48	Do. ...	.....	0 1 24				
			47	Do. ...	.....	0 0 12½				
			45 and 46	Do. ...	.....	0 1 28				
			25, 26, 36, and 44.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 9½				
			43	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1				
			42	Do. ...	.....	0 1 11				
			41	Do. ...	.....	0 0 8				
			40	Do. ...	.....	0 1 14½				
			39	Do. ...	.....	0 1 4½				
			34	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			12	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			9 and 10	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25½				
			13	Do. ...	.....	0 1 14½				
			1, 3, 4 and 5.	Do. ...	.....	1 0 32½				
			26	Do. ...	.....	0 3 25½				
			19, 21 and 31.	Do. ...	.....	1 0 4½				
			18	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0				
			16	Do. ...	.....	0 2 9½				
			14	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			6	Do. ...	.....	0 1 12½				
				Total ...	.....	87 0 34½				
3	Ditto	Pargana Bakhrabad, mauza Naraj and Naraj Marthapur.	1 m., 71	West ...	.....	0 0 8	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto.
			74	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			75	Do. ...	.....	0 0 8½				
			1 to 6, 8, 12 and 13.	Do. ...	.....	3 0 9½				
			7	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			47	Do. ...	.....	0 0 14½				
			48	Do. ...	.....	0 0 30½				
			49	Do. ...	.....	0 0 30½				
			50	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1				
			51	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			53, 57, 59, 62 and 64.	Do. ...	.....	1 1 17½				
			58, 60, 61, 63, 66, 67 and 68.	Do. ...	.....	1 3 36				

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of khasra.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
3	Cuttack ...	Pargana Bakhrabad, mauza Naraj and Naraj Marthapur—*concld.*	54	West ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			55	Do. ...	.....	0 1 23½				
			56 and 63	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			58	Do. ...	.....	0 1 33½				
				Total ...	.....	13 1 30				
4	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Arilo.	2 and 3 m., and 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 14, 18, 19, 23, and 26.	West ...	.....	11 0 16½	.....	.....	.....	Khasra numbers have been given.
			7	Do. ...	.....	0 0 22½				
			8 and 16	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			10	Do. ...	.....	0 1 33½				
			11	Do. ...	.....	0 2 6				
			12	Do. ...	.....	0 1 33				
			13	Do. ...	.....	0 2 9½				
			14	Do. ...	.....	0 1 1½				
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 2 1½				
			20, 21 and 25.	Do. ...	.....	0 2 13				
			23 and 24	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			14, 15, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 30, 33, 34, 36, 37, 38 and 40.	Do. ...	.....	15 0 27½				
			9	Do. ...	.....	0 0 23½				
			29	Do. ...	.....	0 0 33½				
			31	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			32	Do. ...	.....	0 1 11½				
			35	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			26 and 40	Do. ...	.....	1 3 25½				
				Total ...	.....	33 1 16·25				
5	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Bidyadharpur.	3, 4, and 5m., 2, 4, 6, 7, 16, 19, 20, 21 and 23.	West ...	.....	1 1 36½	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto
			1, 2, 49, 56 and 67.	Do. ...	.....	0 3 19				
			5	Do. ...	.....	1 1 3				
			8, 9, 55	Do. ...	.....	0 1 27				
			10	Do. ...	.....	0 0 20½				
			11, 13, 14 and 15.	Do. ...	.....	0 2 11				
			12	Do. ...	.....	0 0 20½				
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			18	Do. ...	.....	0 0 23½				
			21	Do. ...	.....	0 1 4½				
			24, 25, 27 and 28.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 35½				
			26	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			29	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			30, 32, 33 and 35.	Do. ...	.....	0 2 9½				
			31 and 34	Do. ...	.....	0 2 11½				
			36	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			37, 41, 43 and 45.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0				
			38, 40, 42 and 57.	Do. ...	.....	0 2 24½				
			39	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			45	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			46, 47, 50 and 61.	Do. ...	.....	1 1 11½				
			48 and 58	Do. ...	.....	0 1 9½				
			51	Do. ...	.....	0 0 3½				
			52 and 54	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			53	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			59	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			60	Do. ...	.....	0 1 11				
			62	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			63	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			64	Do. ...	.....	0 2 36½				
			65	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			66	Do. ...	.....	0 0 30½				
			5, 68, 32, 34, 43, 44, 74, 98, 8, 33 and 34.	Do. ...	.....	3 0 34½				
			7 and 28	Do. ...	.....	0 2 36½				
			3 and 4	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0				
			29, 31, 33, 6 and 23.	Do. ...	.....	1 1 0				
			30 and 35	Do. ...	.....	0 1 35½				
			45, 49, 56 and 67.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 17½				
			55	Do. ...	.....	0 1 33				
			54	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			75 and 99	Do. ...	.....	0 2 36½				
			38 and 69	Do. ...	.....	0 2 0				
			39	Do. ...	.....	0 0 23½				
			60 and 61	Do. ...	.....	0 1 27½				
			62	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25½				
			64	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25½				

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of khasra.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
5	Cuttack .	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Bidyadharpur—*concld.*	1 and 3	West .	.. .	0 1 19½				
			2, 4, 7, 8, 19 and 10.	Do. .	....	0 2 15½				
			5 and 6	Do. ...	..	0 0 32				
			11	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0				
				Total ...	.....	23 0 4				
6	Ditto ..	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Padmalaypur.	5m., 222	West ...	... ..	0 0 4½	... ..	..	..	Khasra numbers have been given
			16, 18 and 35.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 17½				
			17	Do. ..	.....	0 1 3½				
			19, 30, 40, 49 and 52.	Do. ...	.....	0 2 27½				
			23 and 28	Do. ...	.....	0 1 6½				
			31	Do. ...	. .	0 0 32				
			33	Do.	.....	0 0 19½				
			24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 32, 33, 33½ and 36.	Do. ...	... ..	0 3 34				
			12, 37, 34, 35, 100 and 100.	Do. ...	... ..	0 2 8½				
			50, 52, 57 and 55.	Do.	.....	0 1 33				
			42, 43 and 44.	Do. .	.....	0 1 25½				
			45 and 46	Do. ..	.. ..	0 1 12½				
			94	Do. ..	.. ...	0 0 8				
			50	Do. ...	.....	0 1 19½				
			51	Do. .	... ..	0 0 9½				
			51½	Do. ..	.....	0 0 19½				
				Total .	.....	5 1 5				
7	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Patpur	5 and 6m. and 23.	West ...	.....	0 0 0½	...	...	.....	Ditto ditto.
			1	Do. ..	.....	0 0 22½				
			2, 9 and 13.	Do. ..	... ..	0 3 30½				
			3	Do.	.....	0 2 17½				
			4	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			5 and 17	Do. ...	.....	0 1 16½				
			6 and 14	Do. ...	.....	0 0 31½				
			7	Do. ..	.....	0 0 23½				
			10	Do. ...	.. ..	0 0 25½				
			11	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
			12	Do. ..	.... .	0 1 3½				
			15	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			16	Do. ..	.. .	0 0 4½				
			18 and 20	Do. ..	. ..	0 0 35½				
			19	Do. ...		0 1 34				
			21	Do. ...	.....	0 1 4½				
			22, 25 and 27.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 19½				
			24 and 29	Do. ..	.....	0 3 22½				
			26	Do. ..	.....	0 1 4½				
			28	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			30	Do. ...	... .	0 0 11½				
			31	Do. ...	.. ..	0 1 27				
			32 and 33	Do. ...	.....	0 0 33½				
			34	Do. ...	.....	0 1 12½				
			35 and 36	Do. ...	... .	0 1 22½				
			37	Do. ...	..	0 1 21				
			54	Do. ...		0 0 3½				
			55 and 65	Do. ...	. ....	0 0 26½				
			18, 7 and 8.	Do. ...	.....	0 3 24				
			21	Do. ..	.....	0 0 6				
			19	Do. ...		0 0 6½				
			19 and 9	Do. ...	.....	0 1 24				
			14	Do. ..	.....	0 0 12½				
			11	Do. ..	.	0 0 3½				
			154	Do.	... ..	0 0 28½				
				Total ..	.....	9 1 20½				
	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Fakirpada.	3m., 38, 41, 45 and 46.	West ...	... ..	0 1 11½		.....		Ditto ditto.
			39 and 43	Do. ...	. ..	0 1 19½				
			40 and 49	Do. ...	.....	0 2 25½				
			42 and 47	Do ...	. ..	0 0 33½				
			44	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			48	Do. ...	.....	0 1 32				
				Total ...	.. .	3 0 13½				
9	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Kunupada.	6m., 50 and 53.	West ...	.....	0 0 9½	...	... .		Ditto ditto.
			51 and 52	Do. ...		0 0 19½				
			54	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			55	Do. ...	..	0 0 9½				
				Total ...	. . .	0 1 22½				

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Parwana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of khasra.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
10	Cuttack	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Koomiapara.	7m, 1 and 11.	West ...	...	0 1 8	...	....		Khasra numbers have been given.
			2	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			3	Do.	.	0 0 25½				
			4 and 10	Do. ..	.	0 0 14½				
			5	Do.	.....	0 0 24				
			6	Do.	.. ..	0 0 26½				
			7	Do.	. .	0 0 9½				
			8	Do.	.	0 0 14½				
			9	Do. ..	.....	0 0 1½				
			12	Do. ...		0 0 16				
			13	Do. ..	.....	0 0 17½				
			14 and 16	Do.		0 0 27½				
			15	Do. ..	... ..	0 0 8				
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
			18	Do. ..	.....	0 0 24				
			19 and 25	Do. .	.....	0 0 32				
			20	Do.	.....	0 0 4½				
			21	Do. ...	...	0 0 11½				
			22	Do.	.....	0 0 35½				
			23	Do. ..	.....	0 0 32				
			24	Do. ..	...	0 1 30				
			26	Do. ...	...	0 1 11½				
			36	Do.	. .	0 1 1½				
				Total .		3 3 20½				
11	Ditto ..	Pargana Balurupa, mauza Kusinda.	7m and 8, 37.	West ...	.....	0 0 27½	.. ..	.....		Ditto ditto.
			38 and 42	Do .	... .	0 1 4½				
			39 and 45	Do. ..	... ..	0 1 6½				
			40	Do. ...	... ..	0 0 4½				
			41	Do. .		0 0 25½				
			43	Do. .	... ..	0 0 11½				
			44 and 58	Do. ...	... .	0 0 17½				
			46	Do ...		0 0 25½				
			47 and 49	Do. .		0 0 17½				
			48 and 50	Do. ...	...	0 0 9½				
			51 and 57	Do. ..	.....	0 0 35½				
			52 and 55	Do ...	.. ..	0 0 30½				
			54	Do. .	...	0 0 12½				
			55	Do. ...		0 0 0½				
			59	Do. ..	.....	0 0 38½				
			60 and 62	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			61 and 63	Do. ...	.. ..	0 0 27½				
			64	Do. ...	. ...	0 0 25½				
			65 and 74	Do. ...	... .	0 0 16				
			66	Do. ...	... ..	0 0 9½				
			67	Do ..	.....	0 0 25½				
			68	Do. ...	.	0 1 17½				
			69	Do ...	.....	0 1 9½				
			70, 72 and 73.	Do. .	. .	0 1 26				
			71 and 76	Do. ...	..	0 0 25½				
			75	Do. ...	.	0 0 24				
			83	Do. ...	. .	0 0 14½				
			84 and 86	Do. ...	. . ..	0 0 12½				
			85 and 87	Do. ...	... ..	0 0 9½				
			88	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			89	Do. ...	... .	0 0 17½				
			90	Do. .	.. ..	0 0 4½				
			91	Do. ...	... ..	0 0 24				
			93	Do. ...	.....	0 0 32				
			92, 95 and 96.	Do. ...	.. .	0 3 24				
			94	Do.	... ..	0 0 12½				
			97	Do. ...	... ..	0 1 9½				
			98	Do ...	...	0 0 1½				
			130	Do. ...	.. .	0 0 0½				
			128	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			127	Do. ...	....	0 0 4½				
			97	Do. ...	.....	0 0 22½				
			96	Do.		0 0 11½				
			95	Do. ...	..	0 0 4½				
			51, 53 and 54.	Do. ...	.....	0 0 30½				
			53	Do. ...	... ..	0 0 2½				
			53	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			56	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			1, 2 and 3	Do. ...	.. ..	0 2 22½				
			4	Do. ...	... ..	0 1 25½				
			5	Do. ..	...	0 1 22½				
			6	Do. ...	.. ..	0 1 0½				
				Total ...	.....	9 0 12½				
12	Ditto .	Pargana Bakhrahal mauza Belguchia and Gathapur	8m, 40	West ...	.....	0 0 20½	.. ..	.....	.....	Ditto ditto.
			33	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			41, 56, 112, 138 and 140.	Do. ...	....	0 1 30½				
			47	Do. .	.....	0 0 14½				
			49	Do. ..	. ..	0 0 4½				
			50	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			51	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			52	Do. ...	... ..	0 0 4½				
			2	Do. ...	...	0 0 20½				
			40 and 45	Do.	... ..	0 1 24				
			33	Do.	... ..	0 0 11½				
			41, 56, 112 138, 140 and 205.	Do. ...	.....	1 3 30½				
			46	Do. ..	...	0 0 12½				
			47	Do. .	.....	0 0 20½				
			49	Do. ..	.....	0 0 17½				
			50	Do. ..	.....	0 0 19½				
			15	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of khasra.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
12	Cuttack ...	Pargana Bakhrabad mauza Belguchia and Gathapur.	16	West ...	.....	0 0 17½	.....	.....	.....	
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 1 3½				
			23	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			23 and 26	Do. ..	.. ...	0 0 11½				
			25	Do. ...	.. .	0 0 17½				
			27	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			28	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			29	Do. ...	. .	0 0 1½				
			30 and 30	Do. ...	... ..	0 0 37				
			31 and 32	Do. ...	..	0 2 30½				
			33	Do. ...	.....	0 0 14½				
			34	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			35	Do. ...	... ..	0 0 19½				
			37	Do. ...	.....	0 0 23				
			38	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			40	Do. ..	... ..	0 1 1½				
			43 and 45	Do. ..	.....	0 1 0				
			47	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			39, 41, 42, 44 and 46	Do. .	.....	0 3 9½				
			48	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			49	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			50	Do. ...	... ..	0 0 17½				
				Total ...	.....	7 2 6½				

Cuttack Collectorate, the 18th May 1903. L. BIRLEY, Offg. Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 18, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Cuttack will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 20th July 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2503	Ph. Bakhrabad, ta. Phagu.	1,187 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Tagu Khuntia and others ...	.....	3 1 3	.....

Cuttack Collectorate, the 11th June 1903. L. BIRLEY, Collector.

Notice of Sale of Arrears of Revenue.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868 and Act II (B.C.) of 1871, that the undermentioned Noabad taluk, within the Patiya khas mahal, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 10th July 1903 for arrears and cesses remaining unpaid on the 25th day of May 1903.

Number of tenure.	Name of mauza, thana, and mahal.	Name of talukdar.	Sadar jama. Rent.	Cesses.	Amount of arrears for which the tenure is to be sold. Rent.	Cesses.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
14141 19387 416	Thana Patiya, mauza Isanagar, mahal Noabad, taluk Othman Sadagar and Bakup.	Raj Chandra Sen and Sharifatullah Sadagar.	890 0 0	14 13 0	196 14 0	5 9 0	201 7 0

E. GRAKE, Collector.

APPENDIX XXX.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Tippera, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on the 25th day of July 1903, corresponding with the 10th Sraban 1910 Fusli, at the Collector's office, Comilla.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Tippera ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Ratanpur.	10	West ...	3 1 2	1 0 1	.....	.....	. .	*North*—Barapara. *South*— *East*— Railway land. *West*—Nababall and others.
2	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	10	East ...	3 6 8	1 0 17	.....	.....	.. .	*North*—Barapara. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Shaha Gazi and others. *West*—Railway land.
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Barapara.	10	West ...	12 10 10	4 0 23	.....	.....	... ..	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Ratanpur. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Baktar Gazi.
4	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10	East ...	26 0 13	8 3 1	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Ratanpur. *East*—Ali Mahmed and others. *West*—Railway land.
5	Ditto ..	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Durgapur.	10	West ...	2 13 12	0 3 22	.	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*— *East*— Railway land. *West*—Khal and Ramsundar Pal.
6	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10	East ...	4 4 3	1 1 23	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— Railway land. *East*—Afjal Dai, Amjad Dai. *West*—Railway land.
7	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	West ...	5 11 0	1 3 13	.....	....	.....	*North*—Ram Sundar Pal. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Khal and Ram Sundar Pal.
8	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	11 10 4	3 3 9	. ...	.....	.. ...	*North*—Kamal Pal. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Ainddi and others. *West*—Railway land.
9	Ditto ...	Ditto ..	11	West ...	5 8 0	1 3 6	.....	..	... .	*North*— *South*— Kamal Pal. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Kamal Pal.
10	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	0 10 7	0 0 28	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— Tank. *East*—Akbarali. *West*—Railway land.
11	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	West ...	4 16 1	1 2 4	.....	.....	... .	*North*—Khal. *South*—Tank. *East*—Kamal Pal. *West*—Railway land.
12	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	2 18 4	0 3 21	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Tank. *East*—Kamal Pal and Akbar ali. *West*—Railway land.
13	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Sreenibash.	11	West ...	7 18 11	2 2 19	District Board road.	0 0 6	... ..	*North*—Kasinagar. *South*—Khal. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Nagar Chand and others.
14	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	10 1 9	3 1 13	District Board.	0 0 6	.....	*North*—Kasinagar. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Kamal Pal and others *West*—Railway land.

Consecutive No. of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
15	Tippera ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasinagar.	11	West ...	1 5 15	0 1 29	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Road. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ganga Das and Nagar Das Nath.
16	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	1 3 10	0 1 23	..	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Road *East*—Basarat Ali. *West*—Railway land.
17	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasinagar *alias* Karachar.	12	West ...	2 15 0	0 3 25	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Kasipur. *South*— *East*— } Railway land. *West*—Ratan Gazi and others.
18	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12	East ...	1 16 5	0 2 16	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Kasipur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Basarat Ali. *West*—Railway land.
19	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasipur.	12	West ...	11 7 14	3 3 3	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Durgapur. *South*—Kasinagar *East*—Railway land. *West*—Jdhor Gazi.
20	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12	East ...	11 9 6	3 3 6	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Durgapur. *South*—Kasinagar. *East*—Goura Gazi. *West*—Railway land.
21	Ditto ..	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Durgapur.	12	West ...	3 19 2	1 1 9	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Kasipur. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ram Gopal Gope and Dulal Mahamed.
22	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12	East ...	4 1	1 1 16	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Kasipur. *East*—Ram Gopal Gope and Amir Mahmed. *West*—Railway land.
23	Ditto ...	Ditto	12	West ..	3 2 13	1 0 6	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— } Railway land. *East*—
24	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	12	East ...	3 6 5	1 0 15	.....	.....	.....	*North*— } Railway land. *South*— } *East*—Alabaddi and Dulal Gazi. *West*—Railway land.

The 27th May 1903.

R. C. DAS, *for* Collector.

Notification of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, that the under mentioned tenures or shares of tenures in estate Kothdes, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th July 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and all other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

No. of tenure.	Name of tenure, mahal, and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole tenure. Rent.	Sadar jama of whole tenure. Cess.	Whether the whole tenure is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share. Rent.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share. Cess.	If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrears due from it. Rent.	If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrears due from it. Cess.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it. Rent.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it. Cess.	Remarks.
1	2	3		4	5	6	7		8		9		10
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
65 66	Mauza Bhagabatipur Makadami, pargana Kothdes.	907	48 3 6	Whole ...		Mahant Raghunundan Ramaney Das and others.	.....	.....	6 1 4	23 1 9	....	.....	April 1903.
90 91	Mauza Biswanathpur Makadami, pargana Kothdes.	1,299	85 0 0	.....	Kt. 6p. 7g. 1k. 2kr.	Gadadhar Pa.ne and others.	517 3 8	27 11 0	... .	.....	160 2 0	7 5 1	Ditto.
266 274	Mauza Pampalo Makadami, pargana Kothdes.	1,036	66 0 0	.....	Kt. 12p. 2k. 1kr. 12b.	Chaudhury Chandrasikhar Das and others.	778 1 5	41 3 6	..	.....	317 1 8	28 8 3	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 20th June 1903.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, Collector.

APPENDIX XXX.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Tippera, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on the 25th day of July 1903, corresponding with the 10th Sraban 1310 Fusli, at the Collector's Office, Comilla.

The purchasers of the several plots of lands will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the Railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Tippera ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasi-nagar.	13	West ...	11 12 0	3 2 25	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Sriballavpur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Rajjabali and others.
2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	13	East ...	11 7 8	3 3 1	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Sriballavpur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Rajjabali and others. *West*—Railway land.
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Sriballav-pur.	13	West ...	8 6 3	2 2 20	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Lakhipur. *South*—Kashinagar. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ram Kumar Gope and others.
4	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	13	East ...	12 19 3	4 1 5	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Lakhipur. *South*—Kashinagar. *East*—Ram Kumar Gope and others. *West*—Railway land.
5	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Lakhipur.	13	West ...	0 13 5	0 0 33	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Sriballavpur. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Samiuddi and Rajaddi.
6	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	13	East ...	8 13 11	0 0 36	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Sriballavpur. *East*—Isopali. *West*—Railway land.
7	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Daiara.	14	West ...	1 11 5	0 2 3	.....	... ..	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Baharuddi.
8	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ...	5 2 14	1 2 32	District Board road.	0 1 12	...	*North*—Lot No. 10 and Alimia. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Alimia and others. *West*—Railway land.
9	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	West ...	0 19 11	0 1 12	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Baharuddi.
10	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ...	9 12 12	3 0 20	.....	.....	.. ...	*North*—Jangalia Sacratoli. *South*—Lot No. 8 and Alimia. *East*—Jamiruddi. *West*—Railway land.
11	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	West ...	5 2 14	1 2 32	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Jangalia Sacratoli. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Chand Gazi and others.
12	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Jangalia Sacratoli.	14	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*—Jangalia Sacratoli. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Hachan Ali.
13	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	Do. ...	2 10 15	0 3 15	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Umedali and others.
14	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ...	12 2 12	4 0 2	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Daiara. *East*—Abdul and others. *West*—Railway land.
15	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	West ...	0 12 12	0 0 34	.....	.....	.. ...	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Chand Gazi.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. G.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
16	Tippera	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Jangalia Saoratoli.	14	West	2 2 8	0 2 32	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Shaktola *South*— *East*— *West*—Maidhor Gazi and Umed Ali.
17	Ditto ...	Ditto ..	14	East ...	1 14 7	0 3 11	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Shaktola. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Abdul and Mahamud Raja. *West*—Railway land.
18	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Shaktola.	14	West ...	1 6 4	0 1 29	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Jangalia Saoratoli. *East*—Railway land *West*—Akramali.
19	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ..	0 17 5	0 1 6	.....	.....	..	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Jangalia Saoratoli. *East*—Charu. *West*—Railway land.
20	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	West ...	14 1 13	4 3 25	.....	.	.	*North*—Tank. *South*— *East*— *West*—Abjal and others.
21	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	East ...	18 3 9	6 0 2		.. .		*North*—Govindpur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Afzal and others. *West*—Railway land
22	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	West ...	0 16 7	0 1 3	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Amudali and others.
23	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	15	Do.	4 3 9	1 1 21		.....	....	*North*—Daulatpur. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land *West*—Abbachali and others
24	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Gobindpur.	15	East ...	1 19 9	0 2 25	District Board road.	0 0 31	.. ..	*North*—Daulatpur. *South*—Shaktola *East*—Abbachali *West*—Railway land.
25	Ditto	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kandrpur *alias* Doulatpur.	15	Do. ...	0 6 10	2 3 1	.....		.....	*North*—Umedali Bhuian and Lot No. 23 *South*—Govindpur. *East*—Charu *West*—Railway land.
26	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Doulatpur	15	West ...	2 9 14	0 3 12	District Board road.	0 0 26	....	*North*—Umedali Bhuian. *South*—Shaktola. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Umedali Bhuian.
27	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	Do. ...	7 5 7	2 1 25	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Ram Dulal Dupi. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ram Dulal Dupi and Umed Ali.
28	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	Do ...	4 6 6	1 1 22	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Lot No. 26 and Umed Ali Bhuian. *East*—Umed Ali and others. *West*—Railway land.

The 27th May 1903.

R. C. DAS, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the district of Palamau, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon on the 31st of July 1903, corresponding to the 25th Sawan 1310 Fasli at Daltonganj.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavation on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway fencing or plough the land closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

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4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the order of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of land in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from the sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reason for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Palamau	Palamau, Kerma, tappa Kote.	78	East side of the railway line.	2 9 8	1·34	.....		As per column 9.	*North* } Kerma and. *South* } *East* } *West*—Railway compound.

Daltonganj, the 25th May 1903. SARAT CH. SEN GUPTA, Depy. Collr. in charge, *for* Depy. Commr. of Palamau.

Darjeeling Government Cemetery.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of Rule XX of the Government of India, Home Department, Notification No. 178, dated Simla, the 21st May 1897, that the following unendowed monuments in the above cemetery have fallen into a ruinous condition, and should no person or persons be found who will undertake to repair or restore them or any of them, they will severally be dealt with at the next annual repairs of the cemetery in such manner as the Officer in charge of the cemetery may decide to be necessary for the maintenance of the cemetery in decent order : –

No. of grave.	Name of deceased.	Date of death.	Name and address of relatives.
8	Jennie, daughter of John and Hebe Page ...	20th April 1869 ...	Unknown.
9	T. H. Hodgetts, Esq.	5th July 1860 ...	
16	Alexander Mackenzie	31st March 1875 ...	
14	Mrs. Erasa Parsons, wife of Conductor Parsons, Commissariat Department.	30th April 1862 ...	
17	Samuel Smith and Elizabeth Francis, his wife ...	6th „ 1861 ... 14th September 1861 ...	
18	Lieutenant F. A. Jeune, 25th Bengal Infantry ...	31st March 1856 ...	
34	A pucca grave	No information on record	
42	Ditto		
44	R. S. Bird, Esq., late Assistant Surgeon, 20th N. I.	19th April 1847 ...	
45	Susan, wife of Captain S Murphy, 52nd L. I ..	6th July 1863 ...	
52	Christina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs J Cormack .	22nd June 1864 ...	
53	Sarah wife of Sergeant C. N. Cutchen, Sappers and Miners, also Hannah, second wife of above.	25th April 1844 ..	
	Also two children of above	14th November 1848 ...	
55	W. A. Hay, Esq., B.S C	31st October 1843 ...	
56	Thomas John Saunders	17th March 1846 ..	
57, 58, 64	No information on record	.....	
68	Mrs Westcombe, wife of Captain W. Bruce, Indian Navy.	17th September 1842 ...	
69	Captain R. Taylor, 65th Regiment, N. I. ...	21st June 1844 ...	
70	Alexander Ross Morton, Esq., Bengal Medical Service.	6th July 1841 ...	
72	No information on record	.....	
73	Major-General E. H. Simpson ...	30th September 1845 ...	
96	Frederick, son of Major G. R. Roberts ...	25th „ 1866 ...	
118	Wife of Private W. Davis, Grenadier Company, 80th Regiment.	Unknown ...	
82	Jane Ellen, wife of Major C. H. Burt, 64th Regiment, N I.	28th November 1853 ...	

T. E F. COLE, Chaplain of Darjeeling, Officer in charge of Darjeeling Government Cemetery.

Darjeeling, the 18th June 1903.

List of documents lying unclaimed in the Calcutta Registry Office and in the Calcutta Joint Sub-Registry Office which will be destroyed under section 85 of Act III of 1877, if not taken delivery of within one month from date.

Serial No.	Names of Parties.		Nature of document.	Number of document in register.	Book.	Volume.	Page.	Date of	
	Claimant.	Executant.						Completion of registration.	Refusal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
								1900.	
1	Regina Gasper	W. A. Bonnand and others ...	Lease ...	59	I	39	1	18th January	
2	Sewdut Ray	W. Ferries and another ...	Surrender of lease.	136	I	25	10	7th February	
3	T. D. Raili	T. J. Waite and another ...	Lease ...	641	I	26	121	2nd June	
4	Priya Nath Mukherji	Buchi Bariwali	Mortgage ...	684	I	15	77	8th ,,	
5	John Day	J. W. Mathews and another ...	Lease ...	787	I	16	111	8th July	
6	Umasundari Bewa	Paran Chandra Biswas and others.	Sale . .	1020	I	42	102	14th August	
7	Baisnab Charan Gunin	Lashminani Dasi ..	Mortgage ...	1100	I	31	121	3rd September	
8	Ramnarayan Gorye and others.	Ramnarayan Gorye and others	Partition ...	1191	I	19	118	20th December	
9	Sarat Chandra Datta ..	Banku Behari Chatterji ...	Release .	1240	I	27	168	12th October	
10	Kumar Narendra Nath Mitra	Kumar Manmatha Nath Mitra	Sale ...	1257	I	37	249	13th ,,	
11	Dr. Lawrence Fernandez ...	F. C. Hoff and others	Lease ...	1312	I	53	156	27th ,,	
12	Mrs. C. G. Bullock	O. Burne and another	Do. ...	1314	I	57	167	27th ,,	
13	V. Harvey	G. E. Marklew and another ...	Do. ...	1379	I	27	181	14th November	
14	E. A. Arakie	A. Grossman and others ...	Do. ...	1380	I	28	195	14th ,,	
15	Syedah Majidah Begum	Syed Abdul Hossain, M.D. ...	Do. ...	1494	I	49	198	8th December	
16	Mrs. R. Banerji and others ..	Saikh Sultan	Do. ..	1515	I	16	183	15th ,,	
17	Adolf Rosdol	Adelle Most	Power of attorney.	116	IV	1	48	25th April	
18	Charu Chandra Mitra ...	Mrs Kate Peters	Bond ...	120	IV	5	46	19th ,,	
19	Ditto ...	Mrs. Kate Peters and another	Do. .	121	IV	6	53	19th ,,	
20	S. M. Fakhiruddin Saheb ...	Abdul Khaliq and others ...	Sale .	107	IV	2	55	6th June.	1900.
21	Maulvi Abdul Ahed	Munshi Golam Hassain ...	Do. ...	P. 56 for 1900	..	...	...	.....	24th March.
22	Hira Lal Johury	B. G. Jones and another ...	Lease	P. 236 for 1899	...	...	...	..	23rd August.
23	Jugal Kissore Agarwalla and others.	Golabary Company, Limited, and others.	Do. ...	P. 205 for 1899	...	..	..	.. ..	25th April.
24	Anukul Chandra Mukherji ...	Hamidan-nesa Bewa	Mortgage ...	P. 105 for 1900	...	...	...	.....	20th September.
25	Annapurna Devi ...	Kinnison Jute Mills Company, Limited.	Lease	P. 22 for 1900	.	...	...	.	6th June.

Registered at the Calcutta Joint Sub-Registry Office.

								1900.	
1	Hiseesur Nath	Teloo Gopaljee	Lease ...	88	I	4	91	20th February.	
2	A. S. Abraham	A. J. S. Joseph	Do. ...	234	I	1	231	17th March.	
3	Purusottam Sivji ...	Gobind Nath Misser	Do. ...	255	I	6	92	21st ,,	
4	Sasimukhi Devi	Kali Nath Chakrabarti ..	Release ...	682	I	15	43	18th May.	
5	Saikh Aminuddin ..	Sarifuddin Khan	Mortgage .	823	I	13	249	18th June.	
6	Muzaher Hosen	Saikh Sukurunnah	Sale ..	931	I	18	75	29th ,,	
7	Rahman Khan	Ratnlan Bibi . . .	Do. ..	1279	I	23	62	23rd August.	
8	Mollajan Bibi	Abdul Razak ...	Do. ...	1340	I	24	59	3rd September.	
9	Ramchandra Sing	Rahamat Khan	Lease ...	1443	I	23	261	25th ,,	
10	Dayanayi Bewa	Uma Charan De	Do. ...	1842	I	32	179	21st December.	
11	Ram Nath Marwari ...	Abdul Ajij and others . ..	Do. ..	1864	I	25	90	22nd ,,	
12	Mani Law Shaw	Satya Ch. Mandal ..	Receipt ...	1703	I	27	282	18th January.	
13	Jayagopal Dutt	Beni Madhab Pal Chaudhuri...	Bond .	5	IV	1	101	7th February.	
14	Raghunath Shaw .	Shaik Chandmiah	Do.	40	IV	3	62	17th March.	
15	Gopal Chandra Pal	Rajani Kanta Banerji ...	Sale .	46	IV	2	63	20th ,,	
16	Munsi Hedait Ali	Syed Talai Hosein Khan, *alias* Jani Saheb.	Agreement ...	128	IV	2	183	5th May.	
17	Dr. Golam Safdar	Khatun Kobra, *alias* Fatima Bibi.	Release	182	IV	1	208	9th July.	
18	Shaik Habib Miah .	Shaik Insof	Bond and agreement.	234	IV	3	186	20th August.	
19	Amrita Lal Mukherji ...	Asvini Kumar Chattopadhya ...	Indemnity bond.	326	IV	4	184	14th December.	
20	Bihari Lal Bose	Mati Lal Patra	Mortgage ...	.....	...	...	..	.....	4th October.
21	Sarat Ch. Ray ...	Jadu Nath Ray	Ditto ...	..	..	...	...	....	1st February.
22	Amarendra Nath Chatterji and others.	Phulchand Agarwala	Lease	.	...	...	.. .		19th June.
23	Kisori Mohan Ray	Jogendra Nandini Dasi and others.	Agreement and further charge.		...	...	...	.....	1st February.
24	Shaik Maqbul . ..	Rangini Bibi and another	Sale ...	.. .	...	...	...	.....	1st August.
25	Johora Begam .. .	Mani Lal Saha	Lease .	.. ..	...	...	...	.....	21st ,,
26	Braja Lal Ray	Bhikari Dasi	Deposit of title deeds.	..	...	...	...	.....	17th October.
27	Guru Das Bose	Naba Kumari Debi .	Release ..	.....	.	...	..	.....	24th November.
28	Broja Lal Ray Chaudhuri ...	Ram Prasad Nayek ...	Lease ...	.....	...	...	...	.....	4th July.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st July 1903.

B. L. CHANDRA,
Registrar of Calcutta.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th June 1903.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—				GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1893-94.	Of 1900-1901.	Total.	Of 1838-39.	Of 1839-40.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1879.		Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 15th June 1903	1,27,37,000	1,71,94,500	11,43,50,300	2,61,25,600	1,27,64,400	100	20,99,600	17,25,24,500	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,500	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,53,69,934
ADD—																				
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 24th June 1903 ...	10,000	.....	4,000	... ..	.....	.....	.....	4,000	... ..	. .	.....	.....	..	...	.....	..	...	. ..	.....	14,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 25th June 1903	.....	.....		2,000		..	.....	2,000	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	2,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th June 1903	.....	45,500	.....	15,000		.....	.. .	60,500	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.. ..	.....	...	.... .	.....	60,500
	1,27,47,000	1,72,90,000	11,43,54,300	2,61,42,600	1,27,64,400	100	20,99,600	17,25,91,000	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,500	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,54,46,434
DEDUCT—																				
Amount written off in the London registers ...		24,900	5,63,400	41,300	3,300	.....	.....	6,32,900	.....	.....	.....	... ..	... ..	.....	... .	... ..	...	.....	.....	6,32,900
Balance on 30th June 1903	1,27,47,000	1,72,65,100	11,37,90,900	2,61,01,300	1,27,61,100	100	20,99,600	17,19,58,100	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,500	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,48,13,534

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 30th April 1903—Enfaced from India 11,186 lakhs ; retransferred from London 10,681 lakhs.
" 1st May 1903 " 15th May " " " " 1 lakh " " " 7 "
" 16th " " " 31st " " " " 1 " " " " 1 lakh.
" 1st June " " " 15th June " " " " 1 " " " " 3 lakhs
" 16th " " " 30th " " " " 1 " " " " 6 "

11,192 lakhs 10,698 "
Balance against India 494 "

E HILGRETH,
Superintendent

A. M. LINDSAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

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PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 2nd July 1903.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 30th June 1903.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,17,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 85,04,222 6 5			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 92,47,343 2 3	1,77,51,565	8	8
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	8,08,81,035	0	11
Bank Post Bills, &c.	3,80,292	13	0
Sundries	30,69,508	13	2
Rupees	13,37,82,402	3	9

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,63,15,554	0	0
Other authorised investments	51,88,014	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	3,20,77,773	1	5
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto	1,81,89,878	12	4
Bills discounted and purchased	2,01,39,861	13	7
Balances with other Banks	7,99,053	13	7
Bullion	1,248	8	3
Dead Stock	18,12,326	9	4
Stamps	12,490	0	9
Sundries	14,50,964	11	2
	9,59,87,165	6	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 2,06,85,451 14 10			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† „ 1,71,09,784 14 6	3,77,95,236	13	4
Rupees	13,37,82,402	3	9

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,15,485 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 1,02,525 0 0
Rs. 2,18,010 0 0

H. F. FRESHWATER,
Offg. Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
A. M. LINDSAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 37·04.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 2nd July 1903.

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APPENDIX B.

Abstract of the Partition Fund of District Darbhanga for the year 1902-1903, prepared as required by Act V (B.C.) of 1897, section 42.

RECEIPTS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance in hand on 1st April 1902	22 976	10	2
Received on account of estate	23,346	10	10
Total	46,323	5	0

DISBURSEMENTS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Contribution towards establishments employed in the Commissioner's office under section 36 of the Act	595	0	0
Salary of Deputy Collector employed under section 41 of the Act	2,022	12	8
His pension contribution	405	5	4
His travelling allowance	148	13	0
Salary of district establishment employed under section 39 of the Act	2,069	0	2
Pension contribution of ditto	5	4	0
Travelling allowance of ditto	106	9	0
Cost of establishments employed under section 36 of the Act	3,466	11	5
Refund of partition cost	83	11	9
Contingent expenditure	6,195	9	7
Purchase of court-fee stamp on account of talbana	449	4	0
Cost of stamps	4,135	0	0
Cost of boundary pillars	975	12	0
Balance in hand on 31st March 1903	25,664	8	1
Total	46,323	5	0

Lahcriasarai, the 30th June 1903.

(699—1)

W. B. HEYCOCK, Collector.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE following proposed amended hackney carriage bye-laws are published under section 53 (4) of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act of 1891 for general information:—

(*a*) FIRST CLASS.

1. First class hackney carriage licenses shall only be granted for comfortable, roomy, clean, easy-running vehicles of a description superior in all respects to second class carriages. They may be of any approved pattern, such as broughams, landaus, phaetons, office jaunts, etc., etc. Each carriage must have a thoroughly good pair of lamps.

2. No carriage, drawn by a pair of horses, shall be licensed in the first class unless both animals are fit for their work and at least 14-2 hands high, and none drawn by a single horse unless the animal is fit for its work and at least 15 hands high.

(*b*) SECOND CLASS.

1. No carriage shall receive a second class license unless it be in a thoroughly fit and proper condition.

2. If it be of the kind known as "palki gharry" or "brownberry," it shall conform to the following dimensions:—

	Inches.
Breadth of carriage inside	36
Depth of seat	18
Width of well of carriage between cushions ...	24
Height of roof	40

3. The springs and the axles must be of thoroughly sound manufacture, all the iron-work strongly put together, and the carriage must have a good pair of lamps.

4. No carriage drawn by a pair of horses shall be licensed in the second class unless both animals are fit for their work and at least 13 hands high, and none drawn by a single horse unless the animal is fit for its work and at least 14 hands high.

(*c*) THIRD CLASS.

1. No carriage shall receive a third class license unless it be in a clean and safe condition, have sufficient room inside to seat four persons, and have stout axles, springs and wheels, and a good pair of lamps.

2. When drawn by a pair of ponies, each pony must be in a fit condition and at least 12 hands high. When drawn by a single pony, the animal must be fit and at least 13-2 hands high.

(*d*) GENERAL.

1. No animal shall be deemed fit for its work unless it is so in respect of height, bone, muscle and condition, and equal to the work of drawing the carriage.

2. Harness must be of good description and strong. No chain or rope traces, unless they be covered with leather, and no string fastenings will be allowed.

3. Every carriage of all three classes shall have a plate affixed in some conspicuous part of the outside of the carriage specifying the class, the number of each class in the register and the number of persons it is licensed to carry. A second class carriage shall also bear the owner's name printed on some conspicuous part of the outside of the carriage. Each class of conveyance shall be painted a distinctive colour, namely, first class yellow, second class blue, third class chocolate, and the wheels and the body of the carriage shall be of the same colour. Every carriage shall be distinctly marked on its panels with the number of the class to which it belongs, the figures to be not less than 6 inches in length resembling the marking of Railway carriages. This bye-law shall not apply to carriages already on the register until after the expiration of one year from the 1st of October 1902. The lamps of every carriage shall have the register number of the carriage painted on them.

4. It shall be the duty of the Registering Officer upon receiving proper information or complaint in writing that any horse or vehicle licensed under the Hackney Carriage Act is unfit for use, to send for the same, and if after due enquiry he be satisfied of such unfitness, he shall, by written order, suspend the working of such horse and vehicle for a period not exceeding one month, after which period he shall again examine the horse or vehicle

It shall be obligatory on the owner to produce within 24 hours any horse or vehicle so sent for.

5. Every person applying for a driver's license must be acquainted with the principal places and streets in and around Calcutta, and have a thorough knowledge of the rates and fares in the Schedule.

6. No new driver shall be licensed unless he be in all respects a fit person for such employment.

7. A book of fares shall be prepared and printed under the authority of the Commissioners, shewing distances and fares from various centres. A copy of this book of fares shall be given to the owner of a hackney carriage at the time of the delivery of the license, and on demand shall be shown by the driver to any fare asking for it. An abstract of the distances and fares printed on enamelled plates shall be affixed under the orders of the Registering Officer in a conspicuous place in each hackney carriage after such carriage has been licensed.

8. Each driver and syce must be properly dressed in clean uniform, the head-dress being of the same colour as the class of of carriage.

9. The owner shall be responsible that every first, second class and third class carriage when plying, or when on hire, shall have a licensed driver as coachman.

10. Every driver, when giving up service or leaving Calcutta, shall deposit his license and ticket at the Registry Office, to be returned to him on application before resuming work.

11. Every place, where any hackney carriage or horse is kept, shall be open to the inspection of the officers of the Department at any hour of the day or night.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 4th July 1903.

W. W. CUNNINGHAM,
Offg. Secretary to the Corporation.

(708—1)

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported, and when.	Remarks.
Mrs. E. M. Cant, late of Chunar.	Chunar	10th June 1903 ...	District Judge of Mirzapore, 18th June 1903.	Will left. No application.
Mrs. R. Hancock, late of Dinapore.	Dinapore	4th May ,, ...	District Judge of Patna, 24th June 1903.	No Will. The property left by the deceased, valued at Rs. 21, has been made over to her daughter.
Mr. E. Roe, late Station Master, Bankipore.	Bankipore	27th April ,, ...	Ditto ...	Will left. Probate granted to Mr. Thomas James Roach.
Mr. F. C. R. Gray, late a Cov. Fireman, East Indian Railway, Asansole.	Howrah Hospital	21st ,, ,, ...	District Judge of Burdwan, 30th June 1903.	No Will. No application.

Calcutta, the 7th July 1903. C. E. GREY, Offg. Administrator-General of Bengal.

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a decree and an order of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, made in suit No. 693 of 1901 (Charoo Chunder Mullick *versus* Nrityabala Debi and others), and dated, respectively, the 6th January 1902 and 26th November 1902, by the Registrar of the said Court at his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 1st day of August next, at 12 o'clock noon, the following properties, namely:—

Lot 1.—No. 82 Raja Rajballub's Street, being an upper-roomed, brick-built dwelling-house, with the piece of land thereto belonging, containing by estimation about 5½ cottahs, more or less, in Scotanooty, in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north partly by the house of Haran Chander Ganguly and partly by No. 83 Raja Rajballub's Street, on the east by No. 81 Raja Rajballub's Street, on the south by Raja Rajballub's Street, and on the west by No. 83 Raja Rajballub's Street

Lot 2.—Divided portion of the land containing by estimation 7½ cottahs (out of 11 cottahs), more or less, in No. 63 Mallanga Lane, being holding No. 264, block No. XIII of South Division of the town of Calcutta, such divided portion being coloured blue and marked A, B, C, D, E, F on the plan marked X and annexed to the decree made in suit No. 115 of 1892 (Priyanath Mookerjee *versus* Kally Das Mookerjee and others) of the 2nd Court of the Subordinate Judge of 24 Parganas, and bounded on the north by Madan Bural's Lane (otherwise called Mallanga Lane), on the east by a filled-up municipal drain, on the south partly by filled-up municipal drain and partly by the house of Bhagabutty Charan Ghose, and on the west partly by the other portion of the said premises allotted to Kally Das Mookerjee and Brothers and partly by the tenanted house of Sreenath Das and partly by the dwelling-house of Priyanath Kar.

Lot 3.—Garden land containing by estimation 5 bighas, more or less, with the house standing thereon, situate in mauza Purandaha, in the sub-registration district and thana Deoghar in taluk Koochiagara, in the district of Sonthal Parganas, bounded on the north by the common passage leading to a new road joining the Rohini road, on the east and south by the land belonging to Goaree Mohata, on the west by the new road leading to the Rohini road, which garden land is comprised of two plots of land, namely, one plot comprised in the kheyemi pottah of the 17th May 1889, and therein described as measuring 7 cottahs and in respect of which an annual jama of 1 anna and 2½ gandas is payable to Anando Kahar, and another plot comprised in the mokurary mourasi pottah of 19th November 1890, and therein described as measuring 1 bigha and 13 cottahs and in respect of which an annual jama of Rs. 8-4 is payable to Ganga Panday and others, making together 2 bighas of the standard of measurement of that place, which will come to about 6 bighas of this place.

Lot 4.—The premises known as the Raja Bagan Roller Mill and the leasehold land containing by estimation 1 bigha 13 cottahs 1 chitak and 32 square feet, more or less, whereon the same stands, situate at and being No. 153 11-38 Upper Circular Road, in Calcutta, and bounded on the north by the road given by Raja Benoy Krishna Deb Bahadur to the Municipality, on the east by the castor-oil godowns belonging to Ambica Charan Kumar, on the south by the waste land and jhil standing in the name of the said Raja, and on the west by the huts occupied by Saroda Mathrani and Ujjala Bewa, tenants of the said Raja, the said land being comprised in a lease, dated 31st Baisakh 1299, granted by the said Raja to Priya Nath Mookerjee for 10 years commencing from 20th Assin 1299.

MACHINERY OF THE SAID ROLLER MILL.

List of Machinery.

1. One Lancashire boiler made by Messrs. Marshall, Sons & Co.
2. One compound engine ditto ditto.
3. Two Worthington's special pumps.
4. Four pairs rule 40"×10" made by Messrs. Marshall, Sons & Co.
5. Two pairs rule 32"×1 " made by the same maker.
6. ,, pairs rule 25"×10" ditto ditto.
7. ,, pairs rule 20"×9" ditto ditto.
8. One rotary dressing machine ditto ditto.
9. One double atlas purifier ditto ditto.
10. One Grader purifier ditto ditto.
11. ,, bran duster ditto ditto.
12. Seven centrifugal dressing machines made by the same maker.
13. Two scalpers ditto ditto.
14. One brusher ditto ditto.
15. One English Aspirator ditto ditto.
16. Two country Aspirator ditto ditto.
17. One rope pulley of 12" diameter.
18. One ditto 8" ditto.
19. One ditto 5" ditto.
20. One ditto 4" ditto.
21. Two rope pulleys 3' 6" ditto
22. Four ditto 3" ditto.
23. Two ditto 2' 6" ditto.
24. Two ditto 2" ditto.
25. Ten pulleys for driving ten pairs roll.
26. Seven pulleys for driving seven centrifugal.
27. Thirty-two blocks with bushes.
28. One country-made wheat damper.
29. Twenty-one elevators.
30. Spanters.
31. Two fans.

Lot 4 will be sold as a going concern.

The abstracts of title and conditions of sale can be seen at the office of the Registrar in the Court-house and also at No. 2 Old Post Office Street, the office of Messrs G. C. Chunder & Co., Attorneys, for the plaintiff, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

G. C. Chunder & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Calcutta High Court, Original Side, the 19th June 1903.

(692—1—590)

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION.

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1	Pound tin	Rs. 16,	or, post free,	Rs. 16 8				
½	„	„	„	8	„	„	„	„ 8-6.
¼	„	„	„	4	„	„	„	„ 4-6.

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans. 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

WANTED an Assistant Sub-Inspector of Schools for the Rajshahi District Board on a salary of Rs 30 a month with travelling allowance at the rate of Rs. 30 a month during the rainy season and at the rate of Rs. 15 a month during the remaining months of the year. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules laid down in the Government Notification No. 486T.G., dated the 2nd September 1893.

Preference will be given to qualified Muhammadan candidates.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th July 1903.

KISORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Rajshahi.

Boalia, the 23rd June 1903. (684—2)

WANTED by the District Board of Midnapore a Sub-Inspector of Schools on Rs. 50 besides travelling allowance under the Civil Service Regulations.

Preference will be given to graduates with experience in teaching.

None need apply who do not possess the qualifications required by Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 486T.G. and 658, dated 2nd September 1893 and 8th February 1901, respectively.

Candidates must file certificates of health, age, moral character and success as teachers.

The successful candidate must give an undertaking in writing to remain in his post for at least three years, and he will be required to join his post by the 1st September next.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th July 1903.

R. N. DAS,
Vice-Chairman, Midnapore District Board.

The 29th June 1903. (696—2)

WANTED two Apprentices for the Office of the Magistrate-Collector of Bogra. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination and cannot write a good hand. Copies of certificates of age and of moral character from the institution to which the candidates were last educated or from some responsible officer of Government should be furnished. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 26th July 1903.

RAMENDRA KRISHNA DEV, Collector.

Bogra Collectorate, the 3rd July 1903.

Wanted

BY the District Board of Shahabad one Overseer on Rs. 80 per mensem, rising on approved service to Rs. 100 by annual increments of Rs. 5, plus Rs. 30 per mensem for conveyance allowance, and one Sub-Overseer on Rs. 25 per mensem, *plus* Rs. 15, conveyance allowance.

None need apply who are not qualified according to Government of Bengal Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, paragraphs 7 (1) (*a*) and 7 (4) (*a*) (*b*), respectively.

Applications with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned, will be received by the District Engineer, Shahabad, Arrah, up to 20th July.

The successful candidates will be required to serve for one year on probation.

H. EDWARDS, District Engineer, Shahabad.

District Engineer's Office, Arrah, the 3rd July 1903.

(701—2)

Notice.

WANTED a graduate strong in English to fill the post of a clerk on Rs. 30 a month in the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal. Applications with copies of testimonials should be addressed to the Personal Assistant to the Director of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, so as to reach him by the 25th July 1903 without fail.

S. L. MADDOX,
Offg Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.

Calcutta, the 30th June 1903.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate W. LeBas Tahourdin, I.C.S., deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 30th September 1903, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

C. A. RADICE,
Administrator to the Estate of W. LeBas Tahourdin, deceased.

Krishnagar, the 27th June 1903. (690—3)

Notice.

CANDIDATES are invited for the post of the Accountant, Rangpur Treasury, on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 per month by annual increments of Rs. 2. The post has now fallen vacant for six months with every prospect of its being permanently vacant after that period. None need apply who has had no experience in the Treasury Accounts. Copies of testimonials are to be submitted with the application. Applications will be received up to the 31st July 1903.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Rangpur, the 3rd July 1903.

SIBNARAYAN BANERJEA, B.L., intends to apply to be enrolled as Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(673—4—581)

Notification

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar, High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 1st day of August 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon pursuant to a decree and an order of the said Court made in suit No. 154 of 1902 (wherein Ram Lal Chatterjee is plaintiff and Peary Mohun Mitter is defendant), and dated, respectively, the 5th day of May 1902 and the 20th day of February 1903 the undivided moity or half share of the defendant in the undermentioned property:—

Lot No. I.—No 78 Hurry Ghose's Street in the town of Calcutta, being a one storied, brick-built dwelling-house, with the land on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 9 cottahs, more or less, being holding No. 52, block No. XXV in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by the dwelling-house and tenanted land of Bhola Nath Ghose, on the east by Hurry Ghose's Street, on the south formerly by Hurrypado Chatterjee's house and now belonging to Jadoo Nath Dutt, and on the west by a lane formed by filled up municipal drain.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's Office in the High Court and also at the office of Baboo Nibaran Chunder Dutt, Solicitor, at No. 9 Old Post Office Street on any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Nibaran Chunder Dutt, Plaintiff's Attorney.
Calcutta High Court Original Jurisdiction, the 15th day of June 1903. (705—1—595)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 1st day of August, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and an order of the said Court made in suit No. 155 of 1902 (wherein Ram Lal Chatterjee is plaintiff and Haran Chunder Mitter is defendant), and dated the 5th day of May 1902 and 20th day of February 1903, respectively, the undivided moiety or half share of the defendant in the undermentioned property:—

Lot No 1.—No. 78 Hurry Ghosh's Street in the town of Calcutta, being an one-storied dwelling-house, together with the land thereunto belonging, and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 9 cottahs of land, be the same a little more or less, being holding No. 52, block No XXV, in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by Bholanath Ghose's dwelling-house and tenanted land, on the east by Hurry Ghose's street, on the south formerly by Hurry Podo Chatterjee's house, but now belonging to Jadoo Nath Dutt, and on the west by a lane formed by filled up municipal drain

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's office in the High Court and also at the office of Babu Nibaran Chunder Dutt, Solicitor, at No. 9 Old Post Office Street, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

N. C. Dutt, Plaintiff's Attorney
Calcutta High Court, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, the 15th day of June 1903.
(706—1—594)

Notification of Sale.

TO be sold by the Official Receiver of the High Court at his office on the third floor in the High Court on Wednesday, the 8th day of July 1903, at the hour of 1 o'clock pursuant to a decree of the High Court in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in suit No. 190 of 1900 (James Duffus and another *versus* Jamini Bhusan Banerjee) and dated the 20th day of April 1903, the following properties:—

Lot No. I.—All that brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house and the land appertaining thereto, containing by estimation 5 cottahs and 9 chitaks, a little more or less, and being No 84 Hurro Lal Mitter's Street, Bag Bazar, in taluq Sootanooty, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded as per last conveyance, dated 24th March 1893, from Preo Nath Shustir to Baney Madhub Bannerjee, since deceased, father of the defendant abovenamed, on the north by the property of Benode Behari Sen, on the south partly by the dwelling-house of Girendra Nath Chatterjee and partly by a common passage, on the west by the land and dwelling-house of Sarat Chunder Roy, Girendra Nath and Bhut Nath Chatterjee and partly by a common passage, and on the east by Nos. 32 and 33 Hurre Lal Mitter's Street, the dwelling house of Bonomally Shaw and Okhoy Coomar Shaw.

Lot No. II.—The estate, right, title and interest of the said defendant Jamini Bhusan Bannerjee as only son, heir and legal representative of his father the said Baney Madhub Banerjee, deceased, of and in all that mourasi land comprising an area of 4 cottahs 5 chitaks or thereabout, situate at Doomjur, in the district of Hooghly, in registration district of Howrah, and bounded as follows: On the north by the dwelling-house of Shama Pado Banerjea, on the east by the dwelling-house of Becharam Ash and others and by common passage, on the south by public road, and on the west by the dwelling-house of Shama Pado Banerjea.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Official Receiver or at the office of his Attorneys, Messrs. Dignam and Company, of No. 6 Strand, on any day before the sale and the same will also be produced at the sale.

K. SHELLEY BONNERJEE,
Official Receiver, High Court.
Calcutta, the 23rd May 1903. (707—1—591)

NOTICE is hereby given in the name of and as against Mr. C D. Petersen that his interest in the firm of Messrs. Pigott, Chapmann & Co. has ceased, and that the partnership heretofore existing between him and the other members of the said firm has, so far as the said Mr. C. D. Petersen is concerned, been dissolved.

ORR, ROBERTSON & BURTON, Solicitors,
For and on behalf of
F. N. SCHILLER.
E. H. ELLES.
G. L. SMALLWOOD.
Calcutta, the 7th July 1903. (709—1—593)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Acts, 1882-1895
and
In the matter of the Serampore Cotton Mills, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sale has fixed the 18th day of July 1903 at the Court-house at 11 o'clock as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Serampore Cotton Mills, Limited.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.
The 6th July 1903 (710—1—592)

Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 014743 of the 3½ per cent. of 1-93-1894 for Rs. 100, originally standing in the name of Shamsagor Mookerjee, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

SHAMSAGOR MOOKERJEE, Utarparah, district Hooghly.
Utarparah, the 18th June 1903. (662-3—589)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bhagalpur.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 7 OF THE INTESTATE LAW (REGULATION V OF 1799).

In the matter of the Estate of Mr. D. Browne, deceased.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims to the property of Mr. David Browne, who died intestate at mauza Dinapatte, police-station Supole, district Bhagalpur within the jurisdiction of this Court, are requested to communicate with the undersigned.

W. H. H. VINCENT, District Judge.
Bhagalpur, the 2nd July 1903. (703—1)

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

Proposed Bye-laws pursuant to section 559 (18) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, prohibiting or regulating the placing of obstructions, projections, or encroachments or the depositing of materials or goods in a public street, or in or over any drain or aqueduct in a public street or on any land vested in the Corporation, are published under section 565 of Bengal Act III of 1899 for general information.

WHEN any person has, whether before or after the passing of these Bye laws, placed or allowed to be placed any wall, fence, rail, post, platform, plank, culvert or other masonry or brickwork erection (not being a fixture attached to a building within the meaning of section 341 of the Act) or any structure, in such a position as to cause a projection, encroachment, or obstruction over or on any public street or over or in any drain or aqueduct in a public street or over or on any land vested in the Corporation, the Chairman may, by written notice, require the owner of, or the person who has erected, such wall, fence, rail, post, platform, plank, culvert, erection or structure to remove the same, and any person who fails to comply with the terms of such notice shall be liable to a daily fine which may extend to Rs. 10 per diem for every day after the date of service during which he shall continue to fail to comply with the same.

2. No person shall place or leave any earth, rubbish, furniture, wares, merchandise, bale, bag, lamp, cask, tub, basket, pail, bucket, grain, timber (in the form of logs or scantling), scrap metal, goods or building materials, or place or use any standing place, stool, bench, stall, or show-board in any public street or in any drain or aqueduct in a public street or on any land vested in the Corporation or shall place any blind, shade, covering, awning or other projection over or along any such public street drain, aqueduct, or land vested in the Corporation without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Chairman in this behalf.

3. No person shall place, hang up, or otherwise expose for sale any goods, wares, merchandise, fruit, vegetables, matter, or other article whatsoever, so as to cause a projection into or over any public street, drain or aqueduct in a public street or land vested in the Corporation, or so as to obstruct or incommode the passage of any person over or along at public street without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Chairman in this behalf.

4. No person shall place any line, cord, wire, pole or plank across any public street, or hang or place anything thereon, or erect any archway or gate over or upon any public street, drain or aqueduct in a public street or land vested in the Corporation without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Chairman in this behalf.

5. Any person who causes any obstruction, projection or encroachment on a public stree in the manner indicated in Bye-laws 2, 3 and 4 hereof shall cause the same to be lighted during the night to the satisfaction of the District Engineer, and shall take such precautions as the District Engineer shall deem fit for guarding against accidents.

The Chairman may, by written notice, require any such person to provide such lights and to take such precautions as may be specified in the notice, and every person who fails to comply with such notice shall be liable to a daily fine which may extend to Rs. 10 per diem for every day after the date of the service of the notice during which he shall continue to fail to comply with the same.

6. No barber shall ply his trade in or upon any "public street" in such a manner as to obstruct or incommode the passage of any person over or along the same.

7. No person shall shoe or allow to be shod any horse, pony, donkey, mule, bullock buffalo or other four-footed animal in or upon any "public street."

8. No person shall wash any carriage, cart, utensils, clothes or animal in or upon any public street.

9. No person shall tether or allow to be tethered or allow to stray any horse, pony, donkey, mule, bullock, bull, cow, calf, goat, sheep, buffalo or other similar animal in or upon any public street.

10. No person shall leave a carriage or cart standing in a public street unattended.

11. No person shall bathe or wash himself in a public street.

12. Any person who shall commit a breach of Bye-laws 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11, hereof shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of continuing b each, to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

SCHEDULE A.

The following fees shall be payable for licenses issued under Bye-laws 2, 3, and 4 hereof, and shall be payable in advance:—

1. Earth, rubbish, furniture, goods, wares, merchandise, bales, grain, timber, scrap iron, fruit, vegetables, building materials, standing place, stall, show-board, or any similar thing.	One anna a month per superficial foot of the area occupied In cases where the area occupied is greater than the area provided for in the license, the excess area shall be paid for at the rate of 10 annas a month per superficial foot. A fraction of a month shall be treated as an entire month.

2. Blind, shade, covering, awning, or similar contrivance.	Two annas a month for every square foot. A fraction of a month shall be treated as an entire month. In cases where the contrivance used is larger than that provided for in the license, the excess portion shall be paid for at the rate of 10 annas a month for every square foot.
3. Bale, bag, lamp, cask, tub, basket, pail, bucket, stool or bench or similar article.	Two annas a month for each separate article. A fraction of a month shall be treated as an entire month.
4. Line, cord, wire, pole or plank or similar article.	Two annas a month for each separate article. A fraction of a month shall be treated as an entire month.
5. Archway, gate, or similar contrivance.	Rupees 5 per diem for every archway, gate, or similar contrivance.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 6th July 1903.

W. W. CUNNINGHAM,
Offg. Secretary to the Corporation.

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CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	9th July	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	8th ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	13th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	10th ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *Namsang*.
Burma	9th ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	11th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	11th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	13th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
South Africa (letters) ...	12th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Umfuli* from Colombo.
Ditto (parcels) ...	11th ,,	,, 5	
Port Blair	18th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Madras.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.

For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M. } and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and the Madras Presidency, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8-45 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails, *vid* Bombay, the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by sea. Foreign Mails for despatch *vid* Madras or Tuticorin are received up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee up to 8-45 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 7th July 1903.* } JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 3rd July 1903.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings.	Remarks.
		Ft. in.	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	8 0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	8 0	Lalkhandar.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	5 3	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	5 0	Kutirampur.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa ..	5 0	Mirzapur.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	5 0	Jandanga.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	7 6	
	Thence to Akriganj ..	5 6	Khamardier.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	4 9	Debalpur.
	Thence to Patkabari	6 6	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nania	6 0	Kalinagar.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	3 9	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	4 3	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	3 0	Jhanjala.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	3 9	Kadipur.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ..	5 3	Moheshpur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengunj and Hanskhali ...	4 9	Ganja.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	Remarks.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Mahebganj	4-7-1903	6	9·58	77·68	Rising.
	Rampur Boalia..	4-7-1903	12	6·79	48·90	,,
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah ..	5-7-1903	7	...	58·30	,,
	Entrance of Bhairab, Jalangi, Akhriganj ...	5-7-1903	7	...	45·20	,,
	Entrance of Mathabhanga	4-7-1903	...	7 16	...	,,
	Jangipur ...	5-7-1903	...	...	53·88	,,
Bhagirathi.	Berhampore ...	6-7-1903	10	8·16	41·01	,,
	Katwa .	3-7-1903	6	10·00	25·16	,
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	3-7-1903	...	4·58	...	
	Sarupganj ...	4-7-1903	12	...	7·40	Falling.
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ..	3-7-1903	...	5·85	...	Rising.

S. S. PAUL,
Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 6th July 1903.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 236.

[First Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—CANARA, SOUTH.

Malpe and Coondapoor—Lights extinguished.

THE Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given notice (No. 30 of 1903) that the lights at Malpe and Coondapoor were, as usual, extinguished on 1st June 1903 for monsoon months.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—India, West Coast, Vizadrug to Cochin, with the Laccadive Archipelago, No. 2737. India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827.

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CALCUTTA, *the 30th June 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 237.

[First Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Calicut light—Date of exhibition.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 196, dated the 8th June 1903, issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 33 of 1903) that the alteration to the light at Calicut as described therein was carried out on the 1st June 1903.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 238.

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AFRICA, EAST COAST—KISIMAYU HARBOUR.

Non-existence of Racoon shoal.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 454 of 1903) that the 2½ fathoms patch reported to exist in 1893 by H.M.S. *Racoon* in the entrance to Kisimayu harbour, about 4½ cables, N. 48° W. from Fawatu island white pillar, has been unsuccessfully searched for, the least depth obtained in the position being 4 fathoms.

This shoal was originally placed on the chart from a single cast of the lead got in H.M.S. *Racoon* when proceeding out of harbour. It has also been searched for by an Italian man-of-war without success, and it has now therefore been expunged from the Admiralty publications.

Approximate position, lat. 0° 23½′ S., long. 42° 32½′ E.

(*Variation 5° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kisimayu bay, No. 860: Also Africa Pilot, Part III, 1897, page 533.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 239.

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INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Alleppi road—Positions of light, &c.—Buoys.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 457 of 1903) that the undermentioned alterations have been made in the marks and buoys in Alleppi road:—

(*a*) The light (*revolving*) has been established in a light-house erected at a distance of about two-thirds of a cable N. 35° W. from the position formerly occupied by the flagstaff, which has been removed to the coast close to the pier.
Approximate position, lat. 9° 30′ N., long. 76° 18½′ E.

(*b*) The northern port pillar (25 feet) has been moved 1½ cables N. 64° W. from its former position.

(*c*) The southern port pillar (25 feet) has been replaced by a white triangular beacon, erected at a distance of two-thirds of a cable N. 5° W. from the former position of the port pillar.

The red conical buoy is situated about 2½ cables N 45° E., and the black conical buoy about 1½ cables S. 6° E., from their respective positions as shown on the chart.

(*Variation nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Alleppi road on Chart No. 750: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 276; and West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 126.

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CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Wusung bar—Fort buoy replaced by light-buoy.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 166, dated 18th May 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 459 of 1903) that Fort buoy, situated 5$\frac{8}{10}$ cables N. 80° E. from Wusung light-house, has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*: thus, light, *four seconds*; eclipse, *two seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 31° 23½′ N., long. 121° 30¾′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Wusung river, No. 1601: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 429.

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CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG APPROACH.

North channel—Drinkwater Point buoy replaced by light and bell buoy.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners issued by this office, No. 345, dated 18th November 1901, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 460 of 1903) that Drinkwater Point buoy (red conical, surmounted by staff and ball), situated 10¼ miles S. 68° E. from Drinkwater Point light-house, North channel, Yang tse approach, has been replaced by a light and bell buoy, painted in black and red horizontal bands, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*: thus, light, *four seconds*; eclipse, *two seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 31° 24′ N., long. 122° 0′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kue Shan islands to the Yang tse, No. 1199; Yang tse Kiang approach, No. 1602: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 416; and Supplement, 1898, page 24.

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CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Wusung bar—Alteration in lights and buoys.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 240, dated 3rd July 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 470 of 1903) that the undermentioned alterations have been made in the lights and buoys at the Wusung bar:—

(1) Wusung bar light (*fixed*) has been altered to show *white* from the coast to the northward to the bearing of S. 22° W., *green* from S. 22° W. to S. 65° W., *red* from S. 65° W. to the river bank southward of the light-house.

(2) A *red fixed* light has been established on a white pole surmounted by a disc, erected on the extremity of Prince's wharf eight-tenths of a cable N. 76° E. from Wusung bar light-house.

This *red* light in line S. 76° W. with the Wusung bar light leads over the deepest water on the outer bar, and the signals now given indicate the depth on this line.

(3) A black conical buoy, painted in red and black vertical stripes, and surmounted by a black ball, has been moored in a depth of 18 feet on the north-eastern edge of Wusung spit; from the buoy Wusung light-house bears S. 62° W., distant $10\frac{1}{10}$ cables.

(4) Fort light-buoy, exhibiting a *white occulting* light, has been moved about one cable S. 48° W. from its former position, and is now moored with Wusung light-house bearing S. 87° W., distant $4\frac{9}{10}$ cables.

Vessels anchoring outside should take up a berth well clear of the leading marks over the bar.

Approximate position, Wusung light-house, lat. 31° 23½′ N., long. 121° 30′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Wusung river, No. 1601: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 746, page 138; and China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 429.

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INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Rajpuri Point—Red buoy, north side of "Whale Reef," removed.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 59 of 1903) that the red buoy on the north side of the "Whale Reef" off Rajpuri Point was removed for the south-west monsoon on the 1st June.

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BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Rangoon river—Upper Western buoy shifted.

THE following Notice to Mariners (No. 61 of 1903), issued by the Bombay Government, is republished:—

Information dated 9th June 1903 has been received from the Commissioner of the Port of Rangoon that the Upper Western Buoy in the entrance to Rangoon River has been shifted W. by N. 2,800 feet and is now in 21 feet reduced.

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INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Mangalore—Derelict removed.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 219, dated 20th June 1903, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 56 of 1903) that the derelict has been removed and towed into Mangalore.

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INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Buoys between Alibag and Bhatkal removed for the south-west monsoon.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 199, dated 8th June 1903, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (57 of 1903) that the undermentioned buoys were removed from their positions on the dates noted against each:—

Alibag buoy	...	...	...	16th May 1903.
Bankot buoy	...	...	...	21st "
Ambulgud Reef	...	...	...	20th "
Chaldea Rock buoy	...	...	...	16th "
Malvan outer buoy	...	...	...	18th "
Johnstone Castle buoy		...	...	20th "
Vengurla Harbour buoys		...	...	21st "
Malvan Harbour buoys		...	...	17th "

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 227.

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PACIFIC OCEAN—HAWAIIAN OR SANDWICH ISLANDS.

Uniform system of buoyage adopted—Honolulu harbour—Buoyage altered.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 439 of 1903) that the uniform system of buoyage of the coasts of the United States has been extended to the Sandwich islands, and consequent thereon the buoyage of Honolulu harbour has been altered as follows:—

Eastern side of the channel.—No. 5 red conical buoy is now numbered No. 2, No. 3 red conical buoy No. 6, and No. 2 red conical buoy No. 8.

Western side of the channel.—No. 6 black pile buoy is now numbered No. 3, No. 7 black pile buoy has been established at a distance of 2¼ cables S. 19° W. from the Harbour light (*red fixed*), No. 4 black pile buoy is now numbered No. 9, No. 3 black pile buoy No 11, No. 2 black pile buoy No. 13, No. 1 black pile buoy No. 15, and No 17 black pile buoy has been established at a distance of one-tenth of a cable S 42° E. from the Harbour light.

The note on the Chart has also been amended.

Approximate position, Harbour light, lat. 21° 18′ N., long. 157° 52′ W.

The United States Uniform System is—Approaching a channel from seaward all buoys on the starboard side of the channel are red and have even numbers, on the port side of the channel all buoys are black and have odd numbers.

Buoys with red and black horizontal stripes mark obstructions with channels on each side of them.

Buoys with black and white vertical stripes are fareway buoys, and should be passed closely to avoid danger.

(*Variation 10° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Honolulu harbour, No. 1378 : Also, Pacific island, vol. III, 1900, page 230.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 228.

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AUSTRALIA, WEST—FREMANTLE APPROACH.

Buoys to be established—Information respecting Pilots, etc.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 190, dated 6th June 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 440 of 1903) that, on 1st August 1903, the undermentioned buoys will be established in the approach to Fremantle :—

(*a*) A red conical buoy will be moored about one cable to the northward of Roe reef off the north coast of Rottnest island, with Bathurst point lighthouse bearing S. 6° E., distant 11 cables, and the western extremity of North point S. 60° W. Approximate position, lat. 31° 58′ S., long. 115° 33′ E.

(*b*) A red conical buoy will be moored on the northern edge of Beagle rocks to the southward of the entrance to Swan river, with the lighthouse on the end of the south breakwater bearing N. 55° E., distant $2\frac{6}{10}$ cables, and the extremity of the North breakwater N. 27° W.

Also, that on the same date the following alterations will be made in the Pilot Service :—

The Pilot station on Bathurst point will be removed to the Telegraph and Signal station near Arthur's head.

The Pilot Signal station at Bathurst point lighthouse and the station at Thompson's bay and also the Pilot look-out station at the main lighthouse on Rottnest island have been discontinued. Vessels therefore requiring a pilot should make the signal for one to the signal station at the main lighthouse on Rottnest island, not to Bathurst point, as stated in the above-mentioned Notice, and proceed to the Pilot Boarding ground, which is about five miles to the eastward of Bathurst point, and there await the pilot sent from Fremantle.

In proceeding to the Pilots' Boarding ground vessels should not attempt to use the South passage, between Middle bank and Champion rock.

(*Variation 3° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Champion bay to Cape Naturaliste, No. 1033 ; Rottnest island to Warnloro' sound, No. 1058 ; Fremantle harbour, No. 1700 : Also, Australia Directory, vol. III, 1895, pages 356, 362, 355, 356, 365 ; and Revised Supplement, 1902, page 43.

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AFRICA, SOUTH—TABLE BAY.

Whale rock—Bell buoy established.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 441 of 1903) that a bell buoy has been moored in a depth of 13 fathoms half a mile N.W. by W. ½ W. from Whale rock with Robben island lighthouse bearing N. 37° E., distant 1¼ miles.

Approximate position, lat. 33° 50′ S., long. 18° 22½′ E.

Variation 29° Westerly in 1903.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Table bay to Cape Agulhas, No. 2082; Table bay to Donkin bay, No. 2091; Cape of Good Hope and False bay, No. 636; Table bay, No. 1920: Also, Africa Pilot, part II, 1901, page 324; part III, 1897, page 55

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NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Queen Charlotte sound—Light established on Jackson head.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 443 of 1903) that on 21st April 1903, a *white fixed* light, unwatched, elevated 37 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 5 miles except between the bearing of N. 35° E., through north, and N. 5° W., where it is obscured by the land, would be established on the beacon on Jackson head at the entrance to Queen Charlotte sound.

Approximate position, lat. 40° 59½′ S., long. 174° 20½′ E.

(*Variation 15° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cook strait to cape Egmont, No. 2054; Cook strait, Nos. 695, 2684, 2685: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, page 280; and New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 204.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 231.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA SEA—PALAWAN ISLAND, SOUTH-EAST ISLAND.

Dumaran island—Reef to the south-westward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 445 of 1903) of the existence of a coal reef, with apparently a depth of 3 or 4 fathoms over it, off the south-east coast of Palawan island, in a position from which High point bears N. 34° W., distant 8½ miles, and the south-eastern extremity of Dumaran island N. 49° E.

Approximate position, lat. 10° 16½′ N., long. 119° 38½′ E.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—China Sea, No. 2660b, Palawan island, No. 967: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, page 277.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 232.

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NEW ZEALAND—AUCKLAND.

Time signal reported unreliable.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 321, dated 7th November 1902, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 446 of 1903) that the time ball stated to be dropped from the yard arm of the Port Office flagstaff at Auckland, at noon, New Zealand Standard mean time, has been tested on several occasions and found to be unreliable, the errors ranging from 5 to 9 seconds. These errors were not published in the local newspapers. "Reported unreliable" has, therefore, been noted against this time signal.

Approximate position, lat. 36° 50½′ S., long. 174° 46′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Auckland harbour, No. 1970; Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 55; and List of Time Signals, 1901, page 30.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 233.

[Second Publication.]

PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINES.

Mindoro island, north coast—Light established at Escarceo point.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 448 of 1903) that a *white fixed* light, visible in clear weather from a distance of 8 miles, has been established on Escarceo point, in the approach to port Galera.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 31½′ N., long. 120° 59½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2577; Port Galera, on Chart No. 949: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, page 112; and Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 229.

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[Second Publication.]

PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Simara island—Reef reported to the eastward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 449 of 1903) of the existence of a reef to the eastward of Simara island, in a position from which the north-eastern extremity of Simara (in line with Bantoncillo) bears N. 60° W., distant 2 miles, and southern extremity of the same island S. 62° W.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 4[illegible]N., long. 122° 8′ E.

A sounding of 9 fathoms was obtained on this reef, but apparently the depth over it is not more than 4 fathoms.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 943; St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, &c., No. 2577; Also, Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 236.

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NEW ZEALAND—South Island.

Foveaux strait—Rocks reported.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 450 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned rocks in Foveaux strait:—

a. A rock awash at low-water ordinary springs, between Half passage rock and Hazelburgh group, in a position from which the southern extremity of Half passage rock bears S. 70° E., distant 11½ cables, and the eastern extremity of Bird island N. 22° W.

b. A rock on which the sea frequently breaks, situated about 1½ miles S. 85° W. from Fife rock. The exact position of this rock has not yet been ascertained.

c. A patch locally known as South-east bank, with a depth of 12 fathoms over it at low-water springs, situated with Zero rock, North islands, bearing N. 87° W., distant 5 miles, and the north-western extremity of the Fancy group in line with mount Rakeahua S. 56° W.

Approximate position, lat. 45° 51′ S., long. 168° 22¾′ E.

(*Variation 17° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Foveaux strait, &c., No. 2553; Ruapuke island on Chart No. 2533: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 308, 307.

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INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Mangalore—Derelict.

The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 55 of 1903) of a derelict being in 15 fathoms, Mangalore flagstaff bearing east by south on 5th June 1903, constituting a danger to navigation.

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[Third Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Cochin light—Character altered.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 170 of 1901, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given notice (No. 425 of 1903) that, on the 1st January 1902, the white fixed light at Cochin was replaced by a *white group occulting* light, showing groups of *four occultations every minute*, thus:—light, *twenty-two and-a-half seconds*; eclipse, *four and-a-half seconds*; light, *six and-a-half seconds*; eclipse, *four and-a-half seconds*; light, *six and-a-half seconds*; eclipse, *four and-a-half seconds*; light, *six and-a-half seconds*; eclipse, *four and-a-half seconds.*

It is elevated 37 feet above high water, visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles from the bearing of N. 20° W., through north and east, to S. 11° E., and shown from a column 34 feet high. The light is dioptric with a light power of 1,250 candles.

Approximate position, lat. 9° 57¾′ N., long. 76° 14′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Bay of Bengal, No. 70 ; Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827 ; Vizadrug to Cochin, No. 2737 ; Cochin to Cape Comorin, No. 2738 ; Malabar coast, No. 749 ; Cochin river, No. 65 : Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1903, No. 275 ; and West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 127.

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EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—WETTA PASSAGE.

Babi or Liban—Light established.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 371, dated 20th December 1902, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 428 of 1903) that a *white flashing* light, *every five seconds*, elevated 220 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 20 miles, has been established in an iron framework tower, painted white, having a white dwelling with red roof at its base, erected on the southern point of Babi or Liban (Liran) island. The flash is of very short duration.

Approximate position on chart No. 942*a*, lat. 8° 3′ S., long. 125° 45′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Eastern Archipelago. No. 942a : Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1903, No. 515 ; Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1893, page 284, and Supplement, 1899, page 31.

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AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

Newcastle harbour entrance—Shoal off Big Ben rock.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 431 of 1903) of the existence of soundings of 20 feet rock about six-tenths of a cable eastward from Big Ben rock, Newcastle harbour approach, situated with the red light on the breakwater bearing N. 60° W., distant 2$_{10}^{7}$ cables, and Signal hill flagstaff S. 51° W.

Approximate position, lat. 32° 55½′ S., long. 151° 48¾′ E.

(*Variation* 10° *Easterly in 1903.*)

Immediately outside this rock, which is believed to be connected with Big Ben, there are depths of from 23 to 25 feet.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Newcastle harbour, No. 2119 : Also Australia Directory, vol. II, 1898, page 82.

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[Third Publication.]

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip entrance—Shoal in south channel.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 53, dated 4th March 1901, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 432 of 1903) of the existence of a shoal with a depth over it of 24 feet about eight-tenths of a cable to the southward of the line of the leading lights through the South channel to port Phillip. From it the red light on Portsea jetty bears S. 9° W., distant 11¾ cables, and Observatory Point flagstaff S. 71° W.

Approximate position, lat. 38° 18¼′ S., long. 144° 43¼′ E.

CAUTION.—Vessels of large draught are therefore advised to keep the leading lights slightly open to the northward when between No. 1 and No. 3 buoys.

(*Variation 8° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Phillip entrance, 2747: Also Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, pages 444, 485; and Supplement, 1900, page 17.

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PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—PHŒNIX ISLANDS.

Position of reef to the southward.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 102, dated 19th May 1899, issued by this office, in which the Master of the *Carondelet* reported the existence of a dangerous reef about 60 miles to the southward of the Phœnix islands, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 434 of 1903) that the Captain of the R.M.S. *Aorangi* passed within four miles of this reef, which was marked by breakers, in the shape of a horse shoe, extending about three-quarters of a mile in a N.N.E. and S.S.W. direction. Excellent observations were obtained, which placed the reef in lat. 5° 33′ 15″ S, long. 173° 49′ 45″ W., or about ten miles to the eastward of the position shown on the chart. This position has been adopted for the Admiralty charts and the name Carondelet reef affixed to the reef in place of E.D.

(*Variation 8° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Atlantic and Indian oceans, No. 2483; Pacific ocean, Nos. 2683 and 780; Ellice to Phœnix islands, No. 1830: Also Pacific islands, vol. II, 1900, page 245.

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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT ON COLONIAL EMIGRATION FOR THE YEAR 1902.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—EMIGRATION.

Darjeeling, the 30th June 1903.

RESOLUTION—No. 1631.

READ—

The Annual Report on Emigration from the Port of Calcutta to British and Foreign Colonies for the year 1902.

1. *Administrative measures.*—The following important administrative measures were sanctioned during the year under report:—

(1) A proposal made by the officer administering the Government of Fiji that an Emigration Agency for that Colony should be established in the Madras Presidency was approved by the Government of India subject to certain conditions.

(2) It was decided to allow female emigrants to Mauritius to be engaged on indenture, on certain terms, for service in that Colony.

(3) The recruitment of Indian labourers for the Natal mines was permitted subject to specified conditions.

2. *Requisition and despatch of labour.*—The number of Agencies recruiting emigrants was one more than last year, recruiting for Jamaica, which was suspended in 1901, having been resumed during the year under report. Natal requisitioned and received the largest number of labourers, the number of emigrants requisitioned having risen from 770 in 1901 to 2,770 in the year under report. This is particularly noticeable, because there was a general decrease, in the year under review, both in the total demand and supply of labour for the Colonies, the demand for Demerara, in particular, having decreased from 4,000 to 2,000 labourers. The greater number of emigrants (nearly 63 per cent. of the whole number) were, as usual, recruited in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh. Recruiting operations were, for the first time, extended, during the year, to Ajmere, but only 63 emigrants were registered there.

3. *Depôts.*—Of the 13,898 emigrants who were received at the sub-depôts, 12,059 arrived in Calcutta; and, if emigrants who were recruited in the preceding year, persons readmitted from hospital after recovery, infants born during the year, and one orphan of a returned emigrant, be added to these, the total number accommodated in the depôts in Calcutta was 13,329, against 15,973 in 1901. The percentage of deaths in the depôts was slightly higher than in the preceding year, being ·65 against ·60. The percentage of rejections for unfitness, viz., 7·44, was smaller than in 1901, but the Lieutenant-Governor agrees with the Protector of Emigrants in thinking that the medical examination of emigrants at the sub-depôts is still capable of improvement: this matter will receive attention.

4. *Embarkation of Emigrants.*—During the year 10,882 emigrants, of whom 435 were returned emigrants, were embarked, against 11,951 in the year 1901, the largest number (2,907) being sent to Natal and the smallest number (786) to Mauritius.

5. *Returned Emigrants and remittances from Immigrants in the Colonies.*—(*a*) In all 4,236 emigrants returned to India from the Colonies, against 3,708 in the year 1901. Their aggregate savings amounted to Rs. 7,74,786-11-10, the average for each immigrant amounting to Rs. 182-14-5, against Rs. 165-10-2 in the preceding year. On the other hand, only 2,212, or 52·21 per cent. of the returned emigrants, brought back savings which ranged from one rupee upwards; while it is calculated that 893 adults, or 21·08 per cent. of the total number of returned emigrants, came back with no means at all.

(*b*) The resident immigrants in Natal (72,965 in number) again sent the largest remittances by money-order to India, the total amount so sent reaching nearly 16 lakhs. Since the year 1899, the average remittance from each resident immigrant in that Colony has risen from Rs. 5-15-3 to Rs. 21-12-2 in 1902, the last-named figure being ten times higher than the average remittance from Fiji and about thirty-five times higher than that from any other Colony. These figures, taken together with the high wages offered for labour in the mines, show that the prospects of the Indian immigrant are far brighter in Natal than in the other Colonies. The average remittances from Demerara and Mauritius were a little lower than last year, while those from the other Colonies show some improvement.

6. The thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are due to Dr. Forsyth for his careful administration of the Department.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER, BENGAL, FOR THE YEAR 1902, AND THE ANNUAL STATISTICAL RETURNS AND SHORT NOTES ON VACCINATION IN BENGAL FOR THE YEAR 1902-1903.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.—SANITATION.

Darjeeling, the 30th June 1903.

RESOLUTION—No. 1462T. - M.

READ—

The Report of the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, for the year 1902.

Read also—

The Annual Statistical Returns and short Notes on Vaccination in Bengal for the year 1902-1903.

THE mortality in 1902 was greater than that in any year of the preceding decade except 1900. The first four months, from January to April, showed a considerable improvement over the two previous years, but in June the death-rate was abnormal, and in September it was much the highest on record. The seasonal variations exhibited by cholera in Bihar as usual presented a marked contrast to those observed in Bengal, and more especially in Eastern Bengal. In Bihar the mortality from cholera is usually greatest in the hot months, whereas in Bengal the cold weather is the fatal period. In the case of fever the heaviest mortality occurs at the close of the rains or the beginning of the cold weather, but there is a recrudescence, which is very marked in Bihar, about March or April. Such mutations would be more easily traced if the Divisional totals were inserted in those tables in which figures for each separate district are given. Small-pox, which claims the next largest number of victims after fever and cholera, pursued its customary course, gathering strength during the cold weather and then dying off gradually till the close of the rains. In those districts, however, where the people live in detached homesteads its incidence was slight, and, as has usually been the case in such localitities, no seasonal variations were discernible.

2. The vital statistics from 1894 onwards have been compiled on a uniform plan, and the figures for the different years may be accepted as sufficiently reliable for purposes of comparison *inter se*. These nine years, from 1894 to 1902, may be appropriately divided into three triennial periods. In the first of these, from 1894 to 1896, the average mortality was 2,379,795; in the second period, which, it may be noted, included the famine year 1897, it sunk to 2,149,448; and in the three years ending 1902 it rose to 2,467,529.

3. The average number of reported deaths in the third triennial period exceeded that in the first by 87,734, and a remarkable circumstance is that of the total increase 78,875 related to infants less than one year old. The detailed figures show, however, that there was a sudden increase in infant mortality in 1899, and that it has remained at a higher level since then; and it is probable that the difference is due either to a change in the system of reporting or to a change in the method of classification. Mr. Gait in the Census Report writes of a tendency to ignore the deaths of infants under one year of age because they are buried without any ceremony, and their decease is thus not likely to attract much notice; and it is possible that such cases are now reported more frequently than they formerly were. Apart from any question of increase, however, the Lieutenant-Governor considers that the rate of infant mortality is so high as to deserve close examination. In this connection the attention of the Sanitary Commissioner has been drawn to the appalling rate of infant mortality in Calcutta, and to the fact that in 62 per cent. of the town areas shown in the Provincial Appendix to his Report the total deaths exceeded the births; and he has been requested to enquire how far the latter result is due to the high death-rate among infants. At the same time it may be pointed out that the statistics of towns can go but a very small way to explain the increase

in the whole Province, as the number of additional deaths of infants under one year old reported in 1902, as compared with that reported in 1894, is very nearly equal to the total mortality from all causes in all the town areas put together.

4. Deaths from fever formed 69 per cent. of the whole number reported, which was a smaller proportion than in any of the previous eight years, with the exception of the year 1900. A comparison of the three triennial periods shows that from 1894 to 1896 the mortality averaged 1,731,437; from 1897 to 1899 it fell to 1,568,631; and from 1900 to 1902 it rose again to 1,680,915. It is satisfactory to observe that in the Province as a whole the mortality did not rise to its former level. A further analysis of the figures discloses that in Eastern Bengal (*i.e.*, in the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions) the mortality rose during the second period, and remained practically at the same level during the third; that in the Burdwan, Presidency, Rajshahi, and Orissa Divisions it fell, and then rose to a higher level than before; that in Bihar (*i.e.*, in the Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions) it fell in the first and rose again in the third period, but the later level was much below the first; and that in Chota Nagpur the mortality in each period was lower than that in the preceding. The actual average annual mortality in the three triennial periods was:—In Eastern Bengal, 289,686, 338,174, and 339,122; in the Burdwan, Presidency, Rajshahi, and Orissa Divisions taken together, 681,451, 618,515, and 710,660; in Bihar, 658,773, 526,107, and 546,852; and in Chota Nagpur 101,527, 85,838, and 84,280.

5. While, however, the mortality from fever in the whole Province has diminished, the disease has, according to the statistics, increased in severity in certain districts. During the last four years a district death-rate from fever exceeding 35 per mille has been reported on fourteen occasions as compared with eight in the preceding five years, while in the more recent quadrennial period it has thrice exceeded 40 per mille, a rate which was never before reached. It is not improbable that this increase may be explained by the improvement in reporting which has been brought about by the introduction of the dafadari system, and the better supervision thereby attained over the conduct of chaukidars. Still, whether the previous returns were correct or not, it is obvious that nothing should be left undone to ascertain, and if possible to combat, the causes of the enormous mortality now reported. The Sanitary Commissioner considers that any exhaustive investigation by Civil Surgeons is impossible, and the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals recommends that an enquiry should be conducted by a specially qualified officer in one of the fever-stricken districts, which would, he believes, clear up many of the difficulties which now surround the subject. Enquiries of this kind have often been held before and in some cases with useful results, but the knowledge of tropical diseases has developed so rapidly within the last few years that an investigation conducted now would, in the Lieutenant Governor's opinion, be much more likely to prove efficient than could have been expected even five years ago. His Honour has accordingly accepted this recommendation, and has directed that such an enquiry should be undertaken as soon as the services of a suitable officer can be spared.

6. The total number of attacks from plague during the year was 38,928 against 90,762 in 1901, and of deaths 32,967 against 78,629. The ratio of deaths to attacks for the whole Province fell from 86·6 to 84·6, which probably indicates a slight improvement in reporting attacks rather than a decline in the virulence of the epidemic. This ratio is still, however, in excess of what is considered to be the normal ratio of plague mortality, as well as of the average ratio for the whole of India, which between the year of the first outbreak of the disease in Bombay (1896) and the end of March 1902 is roughly estimated to have been 77·3 per cent.

7. The preventive measures adopted in the case of plague remained unchanged. Disinfection was systematically carried out in Calcutta and in several mufassal towns, but it was generally viewed with suspicion in rural areas, where evacuation of infected houses, which was for the most part resorted to spontaneously, was the only measure in favour. Towards the close of the year the system of desiccation by dry heat, which was introduced with success by Dr. Sahwney in Jammu in Kashmir, was tried in several places; but the experience gained in the short period of its working

has not been sufficient to justify any definite pronouncement as to its utility. Inoculation, which from the first has been a purely voluntary measure, was resorted to in the few districts in which there was a demand for it, but though, so far as ascertained results show, the immunity which it conferred was unmistakable, the demand was very small and was confined to three districts only.

8. The death-rate from small pox in 1902 (·77 per mille) was much higher than that recorded in any other year during the decade, and this fact is no doubt largely responsible for the increase in the number of vaccine operations which is noticed in the Sanitary Commissioner's notes on vaccination for the year 1902-1903. Singhbhum and Midnapore were the districts worst affected, the epidemic having apparently survived in both cases from the previous year, in which the mortality from small-pox was also unusually high. The consequent increase in the number of operations during these two years is noticeable as indicative both of energetic measures of repression on the part of the authorities, and of a growing belief in the efficacy of vaccination on the part of the populace. The invariably high death-rate in the three districts of the Orissa Division, particularly in Cuttack and Puri, has on several occasions attracted the notice of the Lieutenant-Governor, who has been led to conclude that it is to an appreciable extent due to their contiguity to Native States, in many of which the resort to vaccination, even where it has taken root, is only of comparatively recent growth. Recent enquiries, moreover, have shown that the old prejudice in favour of inoculation survives with more vigour in this Division, and in the adjoining Political States, than elsewhere in Bengal, and His Honour has already taken steps to enlist the assistance of the executive authorities, both in British and in Independent Territory, in the suppression of the practice The rapid advance made in 1902-1903 in the spread of vaccination in the Political States of Chota Nagpur is peculiarly gratifying, and the Lieutenant-Governor sees in it the fruits of a measure recently undertaken with the full co-operation of the Chiefs under which a system of trained supervision was introduced, the cost being contributed in proportion to their areas and population by the various States concerned, with the object of checking and improving the work of the vaccinators. The introduction of a similar system in the Orissa States is under discussion, and the useful object-lesson afforded by Chota Nagpur should help to convince the Orissa Chiefs of its utility.

9. The general results of the year in regard to vaccination are distinctly satisfactory from a departmental point of view, and they bear out the conclusion to which the Lieutenant-Governor has independently arrived in favour of the continuance of the licensed, as opposed to the paid, system of vaccination. There was a decided increase in the proportion of persons successfully vaccinated, the total ratio being 34·22 per mille against 32·68 in 1901-1902, and the average number of operations performed by each licensed vaccinator rose from 944 to 990, while the average cost to Provincial and Local Funds of each successful case remained unchanged. The Lieutenant-Governor would, however, be glad if the Sanitary Commissioner could arrange to adduce some more direct evidence than is at present furnished of the efficacy of vaccination in warding off the disease or mitigating its severity. It might be possible to arrange that whenever a death from small-pox is reported, information should at the same time be obtained from the chaukidar or other reporting agency, whether the death is that of a vaccinated or of an unvaccinated person. If this could be done, a real criterion of the success of vaccination would be available, which might serve to convince the general public of the value of this means of prevention; and moreover the continual enquiry whether the deceased had been vaccinated would direct their attention to the subject and lead them to note the evidence themselves.

10. The Sanitary Board had under consideration during the year a number of schemes for the improvement of the water-supply, the drainage and the conservancy of various localities, but the work actually carried out was not of importance. A system of cleansing villages and rural towns was, however, inaugurated by the Patna Sadar Local Board in the previous year, and was carried on during the year under review. The procedure is for members of the Board to report the names of villages in the vicinity of their places of

abode which they find to be in an insanitary state; an annual programme is prepared; estimates are drawn up; and cleansing operations are carried out under the supervision of the members of the Board. The operations consist of the cleansing of the village sites, the conservancy of the village, the removal of filth and rank vegetation, the filling up of ditches, and the like. The experiment is an exceedingly interesting one, and the Lieutenant-Governor hopes that it may have a future before it.

11. The Sanitary Board also continued the enquiry into the septic system for the disposal of sewage. In circular No. 18T.—M., dated the 25th November 1900, Government advised caution in the adoption of this system pending the outcome of certain bacteriological experiments which were being made. These experiments were completed during the year under review, and though their results showed that the effluent from a septic tank was not free from pathogenic organisms, nor of sufficient purity to be discharged with safety into any possible source of water used for drinking purposes, the conclusions were sufficiently favourable to justify the conviction that the septic method, if introduced with proper precautions, was a considerable improvement on the old systems of disposal of night-soil by trenching, and it is clear that it obviates to a large extent the nuisance caused by the passage of conservancy carts through the streets of a town. After weighing all the evidence, the Lieutenant-Governor considered that the system had passed beyond the experimental stage, and sanction was accordingly given to the Muzaffarpur Municipality to construct a septic tank. As this is the first municipal venture of the kind, its results will be carefully watched, and the experience attained should prove a valuable guide to other municipalities in Bengal.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor has examined with satisfaction the unmistakable evidence contained in Statement I appended to the Sanitary Commissioner's Report that marked improvement has in certain cases followed the introduction of water-supply and drainage schemes. In one or two instances, however, apart from plague, the reported results are less satisfactory than might have been anticipated, and the Lieutenant-Governor would be glad if in his next report the Sanitary Commissioner would give his own opinion regarding such cases.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

L. P. SHIRRES,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESULT OF THE EXAMINATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF THE PROVINCIAL CIVIL SERVICE AND THE SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE HELD IN APRIL 1903.

No. 1761A.—D.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

RESOLUTION.

Dated Darjeeling, the 4th July 1903.

READ—

The Resolution of the 9th June 1902, reviewing the result of the examination held in that year, and appointing candidates to be probationers in the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service and in the Subordinate Civil Service.

The notification of the 9th December 1902, publishing rules for the examination of 1903 for admission to the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service and to the Subordinate Civil Service.

The reports of the Examiners at the examination held on the 15th, 16th, 17th, and 18th April 1903.

THE eight Probationary Deputy Collectors and three Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors appointed on the result of the examination held in 1902 have now all been appointed substantively *pro tempore*. A Probationary Deputy Collector and a Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, selected on the results of the Agricultural Examination of the Sibpur Engineering College, still remain to be provided with similar appointments.

2. In December last it was notified that at the examination to be held this year, six candidates would be selected for Deputy Collectorships, to be held for six months on probation on subsistence allowances of Rs. 50 a month, and three for Sub-Deputy Collectorships, to be held for six months on probation on subsistence allowances of Rs. 30 a month. It was announced that three Probationary Deputy Collectorships would be given to the first three candidates on the list in order of merit; that for the remaining three Probationary Deputy Collectorships three candidates would be selected by the Lieutenant-Governor from those who had obtained not less than one-third of the total marks, and that a similar selection would be made for the Sub-Deputy Collectorships.

3. The examination was held on the 15th April and the three days following. One hundred and six applicants obtained permission to compete, and 105 actually appeared and answered the examination papers; 14 of these were Muhammadans; 8 were Biharis (including 5 Muhammadans), and 3 were Uriyas. The total number of candidates who obtained one-third marks and above was 84.

4. The three candidates below named, who gained the three highest places in order of merit, are, in accordance with the terms of the notification of 9th December 1902, entitled to, and will receive, appointments as Probationary Deputy Collectors:—

	Number of marks.
Babu Satis Chandra Ghose, B.A.	563
„ Jamini Mohan Mitra, M.A.	553
„ Arun Kumar Bose, B.A.	549

The Lieutenant-Governor selects from among the other candidates Mr. Naw Ratton Misra, B.A., Maulvi Abul Mozuffar Ahmed, B.A., and Babu Baidya Nath Misra, B.A., for the fourth, fifth, and sixth appointments.

These six probationary officers will each receive a subsistence allowance of Rs. 50 per mensem; and if the reports from the districts in which they are stationed are favourable, they will, after a period of probation for six months, be appointed to the eighth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors as vacancies occur. They will not be vested with magisterial powers until they are so appointed. Separate orders will be passed posting these officers to districts.

5. The following are the three candidates selected by the Lieutenant-Governor to be Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors:—

Babu Ajodhya Prasada, M.A.
Maulvi Ahmed Ali, B A.
Maulvi Syed Mohammed Yakub, B A.

Those probationary officers will receive subsistence allowances of Rs. 30 per mensem at present, and, if they are satisfactorily reported on, will be appointed to the fourth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors as vacancies occur. Separate orders will be passed posting them to districts.

6. The above appointments are all subject to the condition that the candidate in each case must obtain the medical certificate of fitness required by rule 5 of the rules contained in the notification of the 9th December 1902, quoted in the preamble.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the above Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette.*

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FIRST FORECAST OF THE JUTE CROP IN BENGAL FOR THE SEASON 1903.

THE following is published for general information.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 2nd July 1903.

DEPARTMENT OF LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

First forecast of the Jute Crop in Bengal for the Season 1903.

Explanatory.—Returns are received from 26 districts in Bengal, the area under jute in the remaining 21 districts being insignificant. About two-thirds of the crop is grown in Eastern Bengal, principally in Mymensingh, Tippera, Dacca, Pabna, Rajshahi and Bogra, while one-fourth comes from the Rangpur, Dinajpur and Jalpaiguri districts of Northern Bengal. The present forecast contains figures for the area sown and the probable outturn of the crop, as estimated up to the middle of June.

2. *Character of the season.*—The weekly weather and crop reports from the important jute-growing districts show marked deficiency of rain in April and, to some extent, in May. The following figures are given :—

		March.	April.	May.	From 16th May to 17th June.	REMARKS.
1		2	3	4	5	6
Mymensingh	Normal ...	1·87	4 31	11·30	18·01	
	Actual ...	2·24	·87	9·91	28·84	
Tippera ...	Normal ...	2·93	5·22	10·21	16·32	
	Actual ...	4·02	·25	7·24	21·98	
Dacca ...	Normal ...	2·43	4·76	9·61	*12·80	* For Narainganj.
	Actual ...	2·30	·35	4·60	*15·03	
Pabna ...	Normal ...	1·38	3·13	7·60	†11·44	† For Serajganj.
	Actual ...	1·52	·37	4·04	† 8·10	
Rajshahi ...	Normal ...	·95	1·78	6·04	9·36	
	Actual ...	1·17	·32	4·26	9·26	
Bogra ...	Normal ...	1·02	2·40	7·91	13·88	
	Actual ...	1·19	·10	5·24	13·92	
Rangpur ...	Normal ...	1·03	3·19	10·21	16 52	
	Actual ...	1·44	·03	7·54	13 69	
najpur ...	Normal ..	·72	1·74	6·21	12·31	
	Actual ...	·26	·02	3·15	12·17	
Jalpaiguri ...	Normal ...	1·68	5·88	14 22	19·39	
	Actual ...	1·13	1·33	8·23	15·26	

The Collectors report deficiency of rain at the time of sowing from all the jute-growing districts except Murshidabad and Balasore, whose areas under jute are comparatively unimportant. On this account Purnea, Nadia, Dinajpur and Tippera report that the season will be late and in the Province generally the area under the crop will be smaller than usual.

3. *Area cultivated.*—It is now estimated by District Officers that the normal area under jute is 2,326,000 acres, but probably this is still an under-estimate. Not less than 2,350,000 acres may be taken as the normal area and 70½ lakhs of bales as the normal outturn. Last year District Officers reported 2,106,300 acres under the crop with an outturn of 76 per cent. These figures were raised by the Director to 2,200,000 acres with an outturn of 80 per cent., producing nearly 53 lakhs of bales. The figures recently received for export and consumption lead me to believe that the outturn of the crop of 1902 was not less than 58 lakhs of bales.

In the present season Collectors report the area under jute as 2,019,100 acres. The following districts are reported mainly responsible for the deficiency. Mymensingh a deficiency of 62,000 acres, Rangpur 43,000 acres, Dinajpur 40,000 acres, Tippera 26,000 acres, Bogra 24,000 acres, Rajshahi 23,000 acres, Nadia 19,000 acres, Khulna 12,500 acres, Jessore 12,000 acres, Malda 10,000 acres, 24-Parganas and Purnea 6,000 acres each, and Pabna, Jalpaiguri and Faridpur 5,000 acres each. It is undoubtedly the fact that a smaller area has been sown this year than last year owing to want of rain at the time of sowing, but, having regard to the marked tendency to under-estimate, it is safe to assume that the area under jute this year is not less than 2,100,000 acres.

4. *Character of the crop.*—Notwithstanding the smaller area, the estimates for outturn given by District Officers are on the whole more favourable than last year. The important districts of Mymensingh and Tippera each estimate 90 per cent., Rangpur 82 per cent., Pabna 75 per cent. Dacca and Jalpaiguri estimate 70 per cent. each, while Rajshahi reports 60 per cent. and Dinajpur 50 per cent. only.

The detailed estimates of the District Officers for the Province work out to only a fraction under 80 per cent., but the returns for some districts appear to be unduly low. Making allowance for the tendency to under-estimate, I anticipate that an 85 per cent. crop *in the area sown* will be reaped, provided that conditions for the remainder of the season are normal. A telegram from Tippera of 20th reports an improvement after the recent heavy rain, and a telegram from Mymensingh of 22nd reports only slight damage. As the area sown is less by 10 per cent. than the normal area, an outturn of 85 per cent. in that area represents 76½ per cent. of a normal outturn, or nearly 54 lakhs of bales.

5. *Stocks of the previous seasons' crop in hand.*—All District Officers report stocks to be very low.

The above estimates of area and outturn are based upon the reports from District Officers, which are published for general information with this forecast.

S. L. MADDOX,

Offg. Director of the Dept. of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.

DARJEELING,

The 25th June 1903.

APPENDIX I.

First Report on the Jute Crop of Bengal, 1903.

DIVISION.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate normal area under jute.	Approximate area sown last year (1902).	Estimated area sown this year (1903).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented outturn last year (1902)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much (will) represent this year's outturn (1903)?	Whether much, little, or no jute remains in the district from the crop of the year 1902.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
Burdwan	Burdwan	1,736,000	1,264,200	11,000	11,000	11,000	76	80	A little jute remains only in the Kalna subdivision.	There being no rain, the area under cultivation has contracted.	
	Midnapur ...	3,219,040	2,190,600	14,000	12,900	10,600	100	80	Very little ...	The decrease in the estimated area and outturn is due to the want of rain.	
	Hooghly	1,067,200	492,900	12,000	13,300	12,300	90	62·5	Ditto ...	Owing to absence of rain, the outturn is expected to be poor.	
Presidency	24-Parganas ...	2,874,851	1,084,200	63,400	59,700	57,000	100	93	Little ...	The decrease in the estimated area and the low outturn this year are due to scanty rainfall during sowing season.	
	Nadia	1,757,520	630,600	47,800	31,000	28,700	97	60	Do. ...	The decrease in area and in the estimated outturn is due to seasonable rainfall. The daffadars and thana officers reported that the jute sowing has been late this year and there are more lands still remaining to be sown.	

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate normal area under jute.	Approximate area sown last year (1902).	Estimated area sown this year (1903).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented outturn last year (1902)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1903)?	Whether much, little, or no jute remains in the district from the crop of the year 1902.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.
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		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
Presidency—concld.	Murshidabad ...	1,373,440	985,500	21,700	16,800	18,000	95	95	Little ...	.....	
	Jessore	1,872,000	1,208,300	40,800	33,600	28,600	74	65	Do. ...	For want of rain at the time of sowing, both the area under jute and the estimated outturn this year are below the average.	
	Khulna	3,163,942	970,000	20,300	11,600	8,300	85	83	Do. ...	The decrease in the area sown and in the outturn is due to want of rain during the sowing season.	
	Rajshahi	1,662,040	1,268,100	108,100	109,000	85,000	75	60	Do.	The decrease in area and outturn is entirely due to want of rain.	
	Dinajpur ...	2,[illegible]	1,697,[illegible]	102,[illegible]	80,000	60,000	90	54	Do. ..	Owing to want of rains at sowing time, the area sown is much below the normal. The late-sown jute is not expected to do well.	

Rajshahi ...	Jalpaiguri ...	1,894,600	1925,600	79,800	60,700	66,100	75	70	Do. ..	The outturn is below the normal owing to want of rain. The normal area has been revised.
	Darjeeling (plains)	744,960	148,200	2,500	2,500	2,300	90	75	Practically none.	Want of rain in the sowing season has interfered with the success of this crop.
	Rangpur ...	2,236,520	1,683,700	340,000	327,200	297,200	88	82	Very little ...	The decrease in area and outturn is due to want of rain at the sowing season.
	Bogra	869,760	622,900	96,000	70,000	72,000	70	63	Little ...	The normal area has been revised. The outturn is expected to be below the average in consequence of want of rain during the sowing season.
	Pabna ...	1,176,960	862,500	144,800	153,000	149,000	75	70	None ...	The complete absence of rain in sowing time is the reason of the decrease in area under jute. The outturn is dependent on the rain in July and August next.
Dacca ...	Dacca	1,780,480	1,213,500	171,000	153,000	171,000	79	70	Little ...	Full area is supposed to be sown this year, but for want of rain in April and May, the outturn is expected to be much below the average.
	Mymensingh ...	4,082,480	2,405,700	562,100	500,000	500,000	70	90	Do. ...	The outturn is estimated below the normal owing to the want of rain in April and May last; especially in the Tangail subdivision.
	Faridpur	1,459,840	1,132,600	109,000	110,000	95,000	75	75	Do. ..	The area sown this year with jute is below the normal owing to want of timely rain.
	Backergunge ...	2,335,360	1,408,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	50	50	Do. ...	The outturn is expected to be about half the average this year, owing to want of rain at the sowing season.

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate normal area under jute.	Approximate area sown last year (1902).	Estimated area sown this year (1903).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented outturn last year (1902)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1903)?	Whether much, little, or no jute remains in the district from the crop of the year 1902.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
Chittagong ...	Tippera	1,[illegible],360	1,[illegible],000	[illegible],400	235,000	240,000	50	90	Little ...	The normal area has been revised. Cultivation was retarded by want of rain. This accounts for the falling-off both in the estimated area and outturn.	
	Noakhali	1,[illegible],800	784,800	3,500	2,100	2,600	30	60	Very little ...	.....	
Bhagalpur ..	Bhagalpur ...	2,704,640	2,097,000	22,400	22,200	20,700	98	84	Do. ..	The rains set in very late, and hence the low outturn.	
	Purnea	3,195,513	1,[illegible],200	55,000	51,000	49,300	75	73	Little ...	Full amount of land available for the jute crop could not be sown for want of rain in time, but the recent rains have improved the condition of the standing crop, and if this continues, a better outturn may be expected.	
	Malda	1,216,000	675,[illegible]	22,500	29,200	22,400	100	75	Very little ...	The decrease both in the area sown and in the estimated outturn is due to want of rainfall at the time of sowing.	

Orissa ...	Cuttack	2,344,300	1,161,200	4,800	5,900	5,900	100	100	Little ...	The condition of the weather being normal, a normal yield is estimated.	
	Balasore	1,334,368	870,800	2,600	5,200	5,200	95	95	Do. ...	The weather is not quite favourable to the jute crop this year.	
	Total ...	[illegible],314	20,536,900	2,200,600	2,168,300	8,019,100	80*	85*	.....	.....	*An outturn of 85 per cent. on an area of 2,100,000 acres is estimated by this Department. The estimates from Hooghly, Nadia, Dinajpur, Jessore, Bogra, Rajshahi, Bacherganj and Noakhali are believed to be unnecessarily low. Prospects in Tippera are reported by telegram of 20th instant to be slightly improved by the recent heavy rain and a telegram of 22nd from Mymensingh reports only slight damage.

REPORT UNDER SECTION 41 OF BENGAL ACT I OF 1893 ON THE WAREHOUSES IN HOWRAH FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1903.

No. 1550T.—M.

The 4th July 1903.—The following report is published for general information.

L. P. SHIRRES,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Dated Howrah, the 14th May 1903

From—H. LEMESURIER, Esq., Chairman of the Howrah Municipality,
To—The Magistrate of Howrah.

I HAVE the honour to report that 270 warehouses were licensed in 1902-1903 out of 305 registered during that year against 254 out of 297 registered in 1901-1902; the details being as follows:—

YEARS.	Jute.	Cotton.	Straw.	Wood.	Hay.	TOTAL.
Registered 1901-1902 ..	32	30	57	176	2	297
Registered 1902-1903 ...	34	34	55	180	2	305
Licensed 1901-1902 ...	28	27	42	155	2	254
Licensed 1902-1903	29	33	44	163	1	270

2. The income from license fees during the year under report amounted to Rs. 7,941, of which Rs. 183 were arrears for 1901-1902 and Rs. 1,297 on account of license fees for the next year collected in advance, against Rs. 5,869 (of which Rs. 79 were on account of arrears for 1900-1901) in 1901-1902. There is thus a decided improvement in collection of license fees in the year under report.

3. The demand, collection, remission and balance for 1902-1903 are shown in Appendix A, and the details of licenses granted in this year to Jute and Cotton Warehouses are entered in Appendix B. Owing to the comparative unimportance of the 208 licenses granted for the storage of straw, wood, and hay in 1902-1903, against 199 in the previous year, they have not been entered in Appendix B, and it may be noted that such license fees have only been levied under the Fire-brigade Act since July 1893, prior to which they were levied under section 261 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

4. There were 40 prosecutions in the year under review, which realized in fines Rs 161 against 23 in the previous year which produced Rs. 136.

5. The expenditure incurred in assessing and collecting license fees amounted to Rs. 878 as detailed below:—

	Rs.
Salary of General Supervisor and Assessor ...	600
Salary of Inspector	180
Salary of Clerk	42
Salary of Peon	48
Contingencies	8
Total ...	878

6. The bill on account of the commission payable to the Inspector amounting to Rs. 72 was not received till after the 31st March 1903. The Fire-brigade establishment continued under the control of the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta. The Fire-brigade Station in Howrah stands in a very central position, north of the Municipal Market, and from a wooden stage raised over it the whole town is overlooked. There were seven fires during the year, the details of which are given in Appendix C. There were also seven other petty fires, at three of which the Fire-brigade attended while four were extinguished by residents of the localities.

7. The Commissioner of Police demanded Rs. 4,581 for the maintenance of the Fire-brigade in 1902-1903, and this amount was remitted to him during the year.

APPENDIX A.

Statement showing the demand, collection, remission and balance in Howrah on account of contributions for the Fire-brigade during the official year 1902-1903.

Description.	Demand.			Collection.			Remission.			Balance.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(a) Rate on warehouses under sections 10 and 24.	158 1 0 49 4 3 Excess demand.	7,266 12 9	7,474 2 0	133 11 6 49 4 3 Excess collection.	6,461 2 0 and 1,297 4 6 Collected in advance for 1903-1904.	6,644 1 9 +1,297 4 6 =7,941 6 3	24 5 6	226 7 9	250 13 3	...	579 3 0	579 3 0
(b) Rate on other godowns under section 25 [1]a* ...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...
(c) Rate on Bastis under section 25 [1]b* ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(d) General rate under section 25 [1]c* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..
Total ..	207 5 3	7,266 12 9	7,474 2 0	182 15 9	7,758 6 6	7,941 6 3	24 5 6	226 7 9	250 13 3		579 3 0	579 3 0

*No assessment was made under these sections.

APPENDIX B.

List of Jute and Cotton Warehouses licensed during the official year 1902-1903.

Serial number.	Name of owner or occupier or both.	Locality.	Number of Warehouses.	Annual valuation.	Amount of arrear fees realized during the year 1902-1903.	Amount of fees realized for the year 1902-1903.	Total amount of fees.	Date of payment.	Remarks.
	Jute.			Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
1	Shama Charan Kundu	144-1, Rabudanga Lane	1 Warehouse ...	144	. ..	5 6 3	5 6 3	17th December 1902.	
2	Siraj Mohini Dasi	5, Bose Bagan Lane	1 Ditto ...	144		5 6 3	5 6 3	28th October 1902.	
3	Gopal Chandra Mullick	39, College Road ..	1 Ditto ..	288		10 0 0	10 0 0	8th June 1902.	
4	The General Traffic Manager, East Indian Railway.	29, Dobson's Road ...	Portion of Warehouse.	1,000		37 8 0	37 8 0	23rd July 1902.	
5	The Howrah Mills Co., Limited ...	451, Grand Trunk Road.	7 Warehouses ..	8,895	.	333 9 0	333 9 0	16th June 1902.	
6	The Ganges Jute Manufacturing Co., Limited.	449, Ditto ..	2 Ditto ...	8,895	. .	333 9 0	333 9 0	25th ,, 1902.	
7	The Shibpur Jute Manufacturing Co., Limited.	896, Ditto ...	2 Ditto ...	4,000		150 0 0	150 0 0	25th September 1902	
8	Messrs. Anderson, Wright and Co.	28, Howrah Road	12 Ditto .	8,250		309 6 0	309 6 0	4th June 1902.	
9	The General Traffic Manager, East Indian Railway.	25, Howrah Ghât Road.	Portion of Warehouses.	1,200		45 0 0	45 0 0	23rd July 1902.	
10	Hurdut Rai Chamria, owner; Messrs. Birkmyre Brothers, occupiers.	42, Howrah Road ...	1 Warehouse ...	1,650	....	61 14 0	61 14 0	11th April 1902.	
11	Shama Charan Kundu	185, Haraganj Road	3 Warehouses ..	800	.....	30 0 0	30 0 0	17th December 1902.	
12	The Central Jute Mills Co., Limited.	38, Joya Bibi's Lane	2 Ditto ...	3,000		112 8 0	112 8 0	6th ,, 1902.	
13	Messrs. P. E. Gasdar and Co. ...	36, Ditto ...	9 Ditto ...	7,365		276 3 0	276 3 0	14th June 1902.	
...	Ditto ditto	36, Ditto ...	2 Ditto ...	3,000	.	112 8 0	112 8 0	10th February 1903.	
14	Messrs. Burjorji and Framji ...	4, Khettra Mittra Lane.	2 Ditto ...	375		13 5 9	13 5 9	10th April 1902.	
14a	Ditto ditto ...	4-1, Ditto ...	2 Ditto ..	625	... .	23 7 0	23 7 0	10th ,, 1902.	
14b	Ditto ditto ...	4-3, Ditto ...	2 Ditto ...	575	.	21 9 0	21 9 0	10th ,, 1902.	
15	Moni Lall Datta, Indra Narain Pal and Lakshmi Narain Pal, Executors of the Estate of late Rai Chintamoni De Bahadur.	1, Kuchil Sarkar's Lane.	4 Ditto ...	300		11 4 0	11 4 0	12th December 1902.	
16	Hurnam Rai Chamria, owner; Messrs. Birkmyre Brothers, occupiers.	64, Howrah Road ...	1 Warehouse ...	1,650	... .	68 10 0	68 10 0	11th April 1902.	
17	Nasmyth's Patent Press Co., Limited.	95, Old Ghusari Road.	15 Warehouses ...	11,060	. ...	414 12 0	414 12 0	4th June 1902.	
18	Messrs. W. H. Harton and Co. ...	123, Ditto ...	1 Warehouse .	1,200	.....	... .	... .	...	Vacant.
18a	Ditto ditto ...	123, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	600	.....	... .	... .	.....	Do.
19	Ditto ditto ...	123, Ditto ...	Portion of Warehouse.	450	.. .	.. .	... .	...	Do.
20	Salkia Pressing House	67, Ditto ...	4 Warehouses	9,200	.....	.....	.....	...	Not yet collected.
21	Mohan Lal and Kissen Lal, Proprietors, Empress of India Jute Press.	68, Ditto ...	13 Ditto .	4,500	.....	168 12 0	168 12 6	14th July 1902.	
22	Fulchand Seroji, owner; Messrs. Y. Artin and Co., occupiers.	13, Ditto, West Kudumtala Ghât.	1 Warehouse ...	150	.....	6 12 0	6 12 0	2nd June 1902.	
23	Messrs. W. H. Harton and Co. ...	123, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ..	600		.....	.....	.....	Vacant.
24	Hurdyal and Bissendyal	35, Ditto ...	3 Warehouses ...	1,900	.....	.....	.....	...	Do.
24a	Murlhai Mosmoth, wife of late Hurdyal, owner; Harmouk Rai Amulock Chand, occupiers.	35, Ditto	1 Warehouse ...	2,100	.....	83 8 0	83 8 0	25th March 1903.	
25	Ganesh Das Jairam	171, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	600	.....	22 8 0	22 8 0	16th April 1902.	
26	Phulchand Seroji	17, Ditto ...	1 Ditto .	300	.....	9 8 0	9 8 0	12th May 1902.	
27	Rajah Sowbux Begla	20, Ditto, East of No. 21.	1 Ditto ...	300	. .	.....	.....	..	Closed.
28	Ditto	21, Ditto, do....	1 Ditto ...	144	. ...	... .	.....	...	Do.
29	Messrs. Ewing and Co.	54, Rosemary Lane	7 Warehouses ...	7,350	. .	284 4 0	284 4 0	4th June 1902.	
30	Messrs. Ahmuty and Co.	38, Shalimar Road...	2 Ditto ...	1,000	.....	37 8 0	37 8 0	10th July 1902.	
31	The Manager, Imperial Press ...	71, Old Ghusari Road	4 Ditto ...	12,291	.....	460 0 0	460 0 0	9th June 1902.	
32	Messrs. Ewing and Co.	113, Golabari Road .	....	2,175	.	82 0 0	82 0 0	23rd October 1902.	
33	Messrs. Landale and Clark ...	Ghusari Maidan	.	1,200	... .	45 0 0	45 0 0	9th January 1903.	
34	Ditto	Ganges Jute Mills open land.	.	1,200	....	45 0 0	45 0 0	9th ,, 1903.	
			Total ...	1,11,112	... ..	3,589 9 3	3,589 9 3		

Serial number.	Name of owner or occupier or both.	Locality.	Number of Warehouses.	Annual valuation.	Amount of arrear fees realized during the year 1902-1903	Amount of fees realized fo the year 1902-1903.	Total amount of fees.	Date of payment.	Remarks.
	Cotton.			Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
1	Deokuram Das and Ram Kumar	1-1, Gossai Ghát Lane.	4 Warehouses	660		15 0 0	15 0 0	13th June 1902.	
2	Shama Charan Kundu	10, Gurgola Lane ..	3 Ditto ...	300	..	7 8 0	7 8 0	17th December 1902.	
3	Busrung Lal and Munga Lal ...	7, Ditto ...	1 Warehouse ...	60		1 8 0	1 8 0	28th July 1902.	
4	Behari Marwari	7, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	60	... ..	1 8 0	1 8 0	9th March 1903.	
5	Harmuk Rai and Fulchand ..	54, Howrah Road ...	2 Warehouses	500					Vacant.
6	Ramdyal Sadkhan, owner; Messrs. Mohan Lal and Kissen Lal Khettri, occupiers.	48, Ditto ...	3 Ditto ...	240	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	9th March 1903.	
7	Ram Lal Banerji	44, Ditto ...	8 Ditto ...	3,170		79 4 0	79 4 0	13th January 1903.	
8	Hardyal Suraka, owner; Mohan Lal Kissen Lal, occupiers.	40, Ditto ..	1 Warehouse ..	240	.. .	6 0 0	6 0 0	14th July 1902.	
9	Ditto ditto ...	51, Ditto	1 Ditto ..	360	... ..	9 0 0	9 0 0	9th March 1903.	
10	Brahmamoye Debi and Akshaya Kumar Mukharji, owners, Messrs. Bahadur Mal Hurdut Rai and Birunchand Behari Lal, occupiers.	180, Haraganj Road ..	11 Warehouses	7,200		180 0 0	180 0 0	31st ,, 1903.	
11	Debendra Narain Shaw, owner; Vuramal Shewprasad, occupiers.	27, Ditto	1 Warehouse ...	600	.....	15 0 0	15 0 0	22nd July 1902.	
12	Dhakal Dalal, owner; Gujarmal Marwari, occupier.	184, Ditto ...	1 Ditto	240	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	17th December 1902.	
13	Pravudayal and Bissen Lal, owners; Gujarmal Marwari, occupier.	170, Ditto ..	1 Ditto .	120		3 0 0	3 0 0	17th ,, 1902.	
14	Rukum Chand Marwari ...	172, Ditto ...	1 Ditto	72		1 12 9	1 12 9	28th July 1902.	
15	The Ramdyal Cotton Mills ...	158, Nankerpara Lane	4 Warehouses ...	2,280	.....	57 0 0	57 0 0	4th June 1902.	
16	Ghusari Cotton Mills Co.	97 Old Ghusari Road	1 Warehouse	2,000	.....	50 0 0	50 0 0	23rd ,, 1902.	
17	Jumna Das Brahmadutt, owners; Hurmuk Rai Mulucckchand, occupiers.	155, Ditto	2 Warehouses ...	2,000	.	50 0 0	50 0 0	21st ,, 1902.	
18	Harananda Rai and Fulchand ...	186, Ditto	3 Ditto .	4,148		103 11 0	103 11 0	4th ,, 1902.	
19	Jugernath Prasad Chaudhri, owner; Anauta Ram Seroji, occupier.	34, Ditto	1 Warehouse	420	.....	10 8 0	10 8 0	28th March 1903.	
20	Siddesur Chander, owner; Nanuck Ram Marwari, occupier.	169, Ditto	4 Warehouses	1,080	.....	27 0 0	27 0 0	12th September 1902.	
21	Gonesh Das Jairam	170, Ditto	1 Warehouse ...	600	.....	15 0 0	15 0 0	16th April 1902.	
22	Fulchand Seroji ...	15, Ditto, South-East.	1 Ditto ...	360		9 0 0	9 0 0	2nd June 1902.	
23	Shama Charan Kundu	2, Ditto	1 Ditto ...	144	. ...	3 9 9	3 9 9	17th December 1902	
24	Ditto	3, Ditto ..	3 Warehouses ..	480	.	12 0 0	12 0 0	17th ,, 1902.	
25	Sadhu Ram Ramjidas	182, Ditto	1 Warehouse .	360	. ....	9 0 0	9 0 0	26th June 1902.	
26	Biseendyal and Hurdyal, owners; Messrs. Thomas Duff, occupiers.	172, Ditto	1 Ditto	900	.....	22 8 0	22 8 0	21st ,, 1902.	
27	Durga Marwari ..	184, Ditto	1 Ditto ...	48	.. .	1 3 3	1 3 3	9th ,, 1902.	
28	Nanock Ram Baldeb Das ..	176, Ditto ..	2 Warehouses ...	96		2 6 3	2 6 3	12th ,, 1902.	
29	Fulchand Padam Raj Seroji, owners, Sital Prasad and Khorrak Prasad, occupiers.	16-1, Ditto ...	Portion of Warehouse.	1,500		37 8 0	37 8 0	12th May 1902.	
30	Fulchand Siroji, owner; Bhuramal Janki Prasad, occupiers.	16, Ditto	Ditto	660	.	16 8 0	16 8 0	2nd June 1902.	
3	Messrs. Mohan Lal Kissen Lal Khettri.	55, Howrah Road ..	1 Warehouse ...	600	..	15 0 0	15 0 0	14th July 1902.	
32	Ditto ditto ...	8, Gurgola Ghát ...	1 Ditto ...	300	.....	7 8 0	7 8 0	14th ,, 1902.	
33	Asmooram Muraldhor	Haraganj Road	1 Ditto ...	60		1 8 0	1 8 0	6th August 1902.	
34	Anuntoram Seroji	33, Old Ghusari Road.	... ..	2,604	.	65 1 6	65 1 6	25th March 1903.	
			Total .	34,402		847 8 6	847 8 6		

APPENDIX C.

Statement showing fires which occurred in Howrah from 1st April 1902 to 31st March 1903

No.	Date.	Locality.	Duration of fires.	Approximate nature of property destroyed.	Remarks showing nature of damage, etc.
	1902			Rs.	
1	3rd April ...	Sibpur B.-N Railway Terminus.	15 minutes	75	A golpatha hut containing 20 rooms.
2	3rd July ..	Bengal-Nagpur Line ...	15 ,,	75	One large golpatha hut
3	8th Sept. ...	Bandha Ghat, Sulkea ...	45 ,,	200	One pucka godown containing cotton
4	18th Nov. ...	Dumjur, Bengal District ...	13 hours	1,50,000	Fourteen thatched sheds containing jute, out of jurisdiction of Howrah Fire-brigade Fire-brigade worked at request of District Superintendent of Police.
5	31st Dec. 1902	Victoria Cotton Mills, Ghusari	30 minutes	6,000	A quantity of cotton in Victoria Mills.
6	9th Feb. ..	Dhobapara, Punchanantala ...	1 hour 30 minutes	100	Three golpatha huts.
7	28th Mar. 1903	Ramkristopur Ghát Road ...	25 minutes	50	One tiled hut.

In addition to these fires, seven other petty fires occurred. The Brigade attended three of these fires; the remaining four were extinguished by the residents of the locality.

CALCUTTA,
The 4th May 1903.

F. L. HALLIDAY,
Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Police.

RETURN OF JOINT-STOCK COMPANIES FOR THE YEAR 1902-1903.

No. I.

Abstract of Joint-stock Companies for the year 1902-1903.

	Companies divided into shares.			Companies limited by guarantee, *i.e.*, possessing no capital paid up.	
	Number of Companies.	Nominal Capital.	Paid-up Capital.	Number of Companies.	Number of members.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.		
Working at the close of 1901-1902	413	21,26,52,534	16,32,69,377	5	520
Registered during 1902-1903	19	78,73,000	4,81,600	.....	.....
Capital increased during 1902-1903	79	30,78,000	1,15,67,531	.....	.....
Capital decreased during 1902-1903	1	25,000	25,000	.....	.....
Ceased to work during 1902-1903	25	59,63,500	51,44,050	.....	.....
Working at the close of 1902-1903	407	21,76,15,034	17,01,69,458*	5	520

* The amount represents share capital only and does not include loans raised on debentures.

B. L. CHANDRA,
Registrar of Companies.

No. II.

Joint-stock Companies registered during the year 1902-1903.

Number on the register.	Date of registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Objects of Company.	Nominal Capital.	Paid-up Capital.	Situation of the registered Office.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		I.—Trading Companies.		Rs.	Rs.	
		(a) Merchants and Traders.				
1529	2nd July 1902	Indian Stores, Ld.	Dealers in articles of Indian art, manufacture and produce.	5,00,000	...	No. 62, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.
1534	19th August „	*Kayastha Messenger Co., Ld. ...	To maintain an English social newspaper for the Kayastha community.	5,000	1,600	Gaya Town.
1536	6th September „	Calcutta Conveyance Co., Ld. ...	Builders and repairers of carriages and conveyances for the conveyance of passengers and goods and for sale.	2,00,000	...	No. 1-1, Vansittart Row, Calcutta.
1540	16th December „	Shalimar Paint, Colour and Varnish Co., Ld.	To carry on the business of paint, colour, varnish, etc.	3,00,000	...	No. 6, Lyon's Range, Calcutta.
1545	22nd January 1903	Amalgamated Jute Traders, Ld. ..	Jute traders	1,00,000	...	
				11,05,000	1,600	
		(b) Navigation.				
1535	2nd September 1902	Dwara Flotilla Co., Ld. ...	Navigation business	4,25,000	...	Wisehouse, Dacca.
1543	22nd December „	Retriever Flotilla Co., Ld. ...	Ditto	4,00,000	...	No. 6, Lyon's Range, Calcutta.
				8,25,000	...	
		(c) Railways and Tramways.				
1527	17th April 1902	Dwara Therria Railway Co., Ld....	To construct a Tramway from Dwara to Therriaghat in Assam.	14,00,000	...	No. 7, Clive Row, Calcutta.
			Total of Trading Companies ...	33,30,000	1,600	

			II.—Mills and Presses.			
			(a) Jute Mills.			
1538	13th November 1902.	Chittagong Co., Ld.	Spinning and Weaving Jute, etc. ...	5,00,000	...	
			(b) Mills other than Cotton, Jute, Wool, Silk, Hemp, etc			
1539	17th November 1902.	Bihar Machine Works Co., Ld. ...	Working of flour mills and distillation of oil.	80,000	...	Moradpur, Bankipore, Patna.
			Total of Mills and Presses ...	5,80,000	..	
			III.—Tea and other Planting Companies.			
			(a) Tea.			
1528	23rd June 1902	Bhootia Chang Tea Co., Ld. ...	Cultivators and manufacturers of tea ...	5,00,000	...	No. 5, Lyon's Range, Calcutta.
			(b) Others.			
1533	16th August 1902	Bengal Rhea Syndicate, Ld. ...	Cultivators of rhea plant and manufacturers of rhea fibre.	2,50,000	...	No. 1, Clive Row, Calcutta.
			Total of tea and other planting companies.	7,50,000	...	
			IV.—Mining and Quarrying Companies			
			(a) Coal.			
1525	14th April 1902	Sijoosh Coal Co., Ld ...	Coal business	5,00,000	4,80,000	No. 103, Clive Street, Calcutta.
1532	12th August ,,	Nichinta Coal Co., Ld. ...	Ditto	1,25,000	...	No. 1, Clive Row, Calcutta.
1544	23rd December ,,	Kosoonda and Nyadee Collieries, Ld.	Ditto	5,50,000	...	No. 34, Jackson's Ghat Street, Calcutta.
1546	26th February 1903	Ghunsadih Coal Co., Ld. ...	Ditto	1,00,000	...	
				12,75,000	4,80,000	

* Transferred from the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh under Act XII of 1903.

Number on the register.	Date of registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Objects of Company.	Nominal Capital.	Paid-up Capital.	Situation of the registered Office.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs.	Rs.	
		IV.—MINING AND QUARRYING COMPANIES—*concld.*				
		(*b*) *Others.*				
1524	5th April 1902	New Sonapet Co., Ld. ...	Prospecting and mining business ...	88,000	...	No. 12, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta.
1526	17th „ „	Maolong Lime and Coal Co., Ld.	Quarrier of lime and colliery proprietors, etc.	9,50,000	...	No. 7, Clive Row, Calcutta.
				10,38,000	...	
			Total of Mining and Quarrying Companies.	23,13,000	4,80,000	
		V.—OTHER COMPANIES.				
1537	2nd October 1902	Midnapore Zamindary Co. Ld. ...	To carry on indigo and silk businesses and zamindaries.	9,00,000	...	No. 7, Clive Row, Calcutta.

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No. III.

Companies limited by guarantee, registered during the year 1902-1903.

Nil.

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No. IV.

Joint-Stock Companies that have increased their Capital during the year 1902-1903.

Number on the register.	Date of registration	Classification and name of Company.	Date of increase.	Previous Capital.		Present Capital.		Difference.	
				Nominal.	Paid-up.	Nominal.	Paid-up.	Nominal.	Paid-up.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		I.—Banking, Loan, and Insurance Companies		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
		(a) *Banking and Loan Companies.*							
301	5th November 1874.	Bogra Loan Office, Ld ...	28th June 1902	20,000	13,360	20,000	13,460	...	100
326	26th September 1875.	Nasirabad Loan Office, Ld ...	5th „ „	50,000	28,190	50,000	28,210	...	20
826	27th February 1894.	Rangpur Loan Office, Ld. ...	10th April „	50,000	34,730	50,000	47,000	...	12,270
959	20th December 1894.	Gaya Loan Office, Ld. ...	16th February 1903.	50,000	21,132	50,000	22,500	...	1,368
983	8th April 1895	Ghatail Loan and Insurance Co., Ld.	7th August 1902	20,000	4,350	20,000	5,670	...	1,320
1128	18th May 1896	Kurigram Bank, Ld.	6th June „	20,000	16,000	20,000	16,910	...	910
1137	8th July „	Bhawanipur Banking Corporation, Ld.	23rd March 1903	1,00,000	49,550	1,00,000	50,450	...	900
1292	28th November 1896.	Sylhet National Co., Ld. ...	7th June 1902	1,00,000	10,870	1,00,000	12,760	...	1,890
1305	12th December 1896	Kumarkhali Banking Corporation, Ld.	24th „ „	20,000	10,650	20,000	10,760	...	110
1439	17th October 1898	Pabna Model Co., Ld. ...	29th May „	1,00,000	7,670	1,00,000	20,000	...	12,330
1517	4th December 1901.	Brahmanbaria Loan Co., Ld.	23rd February 1903.	20,000	.....	20,000	2,130	...	2,130
		II.—Trading Companies.							
		(a) *Merchants and Traders.*							
702	10th September 1891.	Tangail Trading Co., Ld. ...	18th June 1902	50,000	4,360	50,000	5,070	...	710

980	30th March 1895	Burn & Co., Ld.	20th September 1902.	25,00,000	25,00,000	40,00,000	25,00,000	15,00,000	...
1011	20th August „	Bharat Samiti, Ld.	23rd June 1902	5,00,000	88,322	5,00,000	95,764	...	7,442
1025	21st October „	Woodlands Hotel Co., Ld. ...	6th May „ 11th November 1902.	1,20,000	75,000	2,90,000	2,45,000	1,70,000	1,70,000
1031	4th November „	Chota Nagpur Trading Co., Ld. ...	27th September 1902.	20,000	15,280	20,000	15,360	...	80
1102	11th May 1896	Assam Valley Trading Co., Ld. ...	17th April 1902	1,00,000	54,000	1,00,000	65,603	...	11,603
1226	17th September 1896.	Darjeeling Press Co., Ld. ...	19th „ „	10,000	5,134	10,000	5,876	...	742
1354	17th February 1897.	Ranchi Trading Corporation, Ld.	27th October 1902.	20,000	6,620	20,000	6,960	...	340
1398	24th August 1897.	Indian Publication Society, Ld. ...	1st November 1902.	20,000	4,605	20,000	4,751	...	146
1455	25th July 1899	Co-operative Shop Co., Ld. ...	5th September 1902.	10,000	797	10,000	799	...	2
1460	5th January 1900.	Vulcan Iron Works, Ld. ...	30th March 1903	2,20,000	...	2,20,000	1,70,100	...	1,70,100
1480	18th January 1901.	Madura Co., Ld.	4th August 1902	2,00,000	...	2,00,000	1,20,000	...	1,20,000
1483	9th February 1901.	Jagannath Trading Corporation, Ld.	29th September 1902.	20,000	...	20,000	2,890	...	2,890
1486	15th April 1901	Bengal Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Ld.	22nd May 1902 19th December 1902.	25,000	...	50,000	23,500	25,000	23,500
1509	23rd August „	A. Ukil & Co., Ld.	24th July 1902	2,00,000	...	2,00,000	8,310	...	8,310
1520	25th February 1902.	R. Glen & Co., Ld.	16th September 1902.	1,00,000	...	1,00,000	40,500	...	40,500
		(b) Railways and Tramways.							
613	23rd June 1890	Bengal Provincial Railway Co., Ld.	28th June 1902	11,00,000	8,48,774	11,00,000	8,48,781	...	7
1304	10th December 1896.	Ranaghat-Krishnagar Light Railway Co., Ld.	14th November 1902.	7,00,000	6,97,120	7,00,000	6,99,100	...	1,980
1356	12th March 1897	Hardwar Dehra Branch Railway Co, Ld.	28th June 1902	30,00,000	26,37,000	30,00,060	28,45,000	...	2,08,000
1501	19th July 1901...	Bukhtiarpur-Behar Light Railway Co., Ld.	30th March 1903	8,00,000	...	8,00,000	6,93,420	...	6,93,420
		(c) Shipping, Landing and Warehousing.							
1489	27th April 1901	Hooghly Docking and Engineering Co., Ld.	30th March 1903	5,00,000	...	5,00,000	3,02,700	...	3,02,700

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				Nominal.	Paid-up.	Nominal.	Paid-up.	Nominal.	Paid-up.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		III.—Mills and Presses.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
		(a) Cotton Mills.							
1127	15th June 1896	Sri Gungaji Cotton Mills Co., Ld.	10th September 1902.	10,00,000	4,68,415	10,00,000	4,72,528	...	4,113
		(b) Jute Mills.							
405	5th October 1880	Union Jute Co., Ld. ...	16th February 1903.	18,00,000	17,66,975	18,00,000	18,00,000	...	33,025
461	30th December 1882.	Kanknarrah Co., Ld.	30th August 1902	40,00,000	17,50,000	40,00,000	36,00,000	...	18,50,000
585	28th November 1889.	Sibpur Jute Manufacturing Co., Ld.	26th March 1903	17,50,000	17,49,550	17,50,000	17,50,000	...	450
908	1st August 1894	Clive Mills Co., Ld.	3rd April 1902	16,00,000	11,65,000	16,00,000	16,00,000	...	4,35,000
1021	21st September 1895.	Alliance Jute Mills Co., Ld. ...	29th July „	15,00,000	13,53,000	15,00,000	15,00,000	...	1,47,000
		(c) Mills for Cotton, Jute, Wool, Silk, Hemp, &c.							
415	20th June 1881	Bengal Silk Co., Ld. ...	20th October 1902	9,00,000	6,38,500	9,58,000	6,38,500	58,000	...
1482	4th February 1901.	R. Sim & Co , Ld. ...	29th July „	10,00,000	...	10,00,000	6,00,000	...	6,00,000
		(d) Cotton and Jute Screws and Presses.							
1507	16th August 1901	Narayanganj Co., Ld. ...	31st January 1903	5,00,000	...	5,00,000	3,00,000	...	3,00,000
		(e) Other Mills and Presses.							
444	28th July 1882	Titaghur Paper Mills, Co., Ld. ...	25th February 1903.	15,00,000	15,00,000	21,00,000	15,00,000	6,00,000	...
941	9th November 1894.	Howrah Flour Mills Co., Ld. ...	3rd March 1903	2,50,000	2,45,800	2,50,000	2,50,000	...	4,200

		IV.—Tea and other Planting Companies.							
		(a) Tea.							
251	27th February 1873.	Holta Tea Co., Ld.	11th December 1902.	3,50,000	3,50,000	9,00 000	7,82,000	5,50,000	4,32,000
823	16th February 1894.	Choonabhutti Tea Co., Ld. ..	28th March 1903	4,00,000	2,47,000	4,00,000	2,60,200	...	13,200
993	18th June 1895	Banarhat Tea Co., Ld	31st ,, ,,	10,00,000	6,32,800	10,00,000	7,51,100	...	1,18,300
1041	14th December 1895.	Birpara Tea Co., Ld	14th June 1902	7,50,000	4,85,000	7,50,000	5,20,000	...	35,000
1049	11th January 1896.	Phaskawa Tea and Co., Ld. ...	5th May ,,	2,50,000	2,12,500	2,50,000	2,37,500	...	25,000
1083	31st March 1896	Manjha Tea Co., Ld.	29th January 1903	30,000	27,600	30,000	28,100	...	500
1089	10th April ,,	Indeswar Tea and Trading Co., Ld	22nd May 1902	1,00,000	78,960	1,00,000	86,040	...	7,080
1242	24th July ,,	Hantapara Tea Co., Ld. ...	28th ,, ,,	5,25,000	4,50,000	5,25,000	4,75,000	...	25,000
1389	18th May 1897	New Dooars Tea Co., Ld. ...	28th March 1903	1,50,000	1,36,475	1,50,000	1,32,075	.	1,600
1391	29th May ,,	Tingalibam Co., Ld.	10th May 1902	2,50,000	2,31,500	2,50,000	2,32,300	...	800
1463	15th February 1900	Dimakusi Tea Co., Ld. ...	21st March 1903	2,50,000	1,20,000	2,50,000	2,06,090	...	86,090
1472	13th July ,,	Atiabari Tea Co., Ld. ...	26th July 1902	75,000	8,610	75,000	18,290	...	9,680
1473	3rd September ,,	Bhatkowa Tea Co., Ld. ...	17th March 1903	3,00,000	73,402	3,00,000	1,20,392	...	46,990
1477	17th November 1900.	Nagrijuli Tea Co., Ld. ...	1st April 1902	4,00,000	61,250	4,00,000	1,22,625	...	61,375
1479	11th December 1900.	Sivitar Tea Co., Ld. ...	12th May ,,	40,000	...	40,000	16,000	...	16,000
1493	30th May 1901	Nagri Farm Tea Co., Ld. ...	1st April ,,	3,00,000	...	3.00,000	2,99,900	...	2,99,900
1494	30th ,, ,,	Chamong Tea Co., Ld. ...	1st ,, ,,	2,80,000	..	2,80,000	2,79,900	...	2,79,900
1498	29th June ,,	Darjeeling-Himalayan Tea Co., Ld.	23rd July ,,	1,40,000	...	1,40,000	80,000	...	80,000
		V.—Mining and Quarrying Companies.							
		(a) Coal.							
1169	12th August 1896	Reliance Coal Co., Ld. ..	18th August 1902	6,00,000	3,74,700	6,00,000	3,75,700	...	1,000
1408	20th December 1897.	Tasra Coal Co., Ld. ...	4th March 1903	4,00,000	3,08,590	4,00,000	3,33,000	...	24,500
1453	13th June 1899	Burna Coal Co., Ld. ...	10th May 1902	1,50,000	62,000	1,50,000	64,500	...	2,500
1471	26th June 1900	Seebpur Coal Co., Ld. ...	16th February 1903.	4,00,000	2,80,960	4,00,000	4,00,000	...	1,19,040
1492	18th May 1901	Marine Coal Co., Ld. ...	29th July 1902	1,50,000	...	1,50,000	1,50,000	...	1,50,000
1495	31st ,, ,,	Jumoni Coal Co., Ld. ...	18th August ,,	14,00,000	...	14,00,000	10,03,070	...	10,03,070
1496	31st ,, ,,	Bhaskajuri Coal Co., Ld. ...	13th September 1902.	7,50,000	...	7,50,000	5,03,070	...	5,03,070

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				Nominal.	Paid-up.	Nominal.	Paid-up.	Nominal.	Paid-up.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		V.—Mining and Quarrying Companies—*concld.*		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
		(*a*) *Coal*—concld.							
1502	19th July 1901	Hurriladih Coal Co., Ld. ...	16th September 1902.	8,00,000	...	8,00,000	8,00,000	...	8,00,000
1503	29th „ „	Jamgram Coal Co., Ld. ...	18th August 1902	7,50,000	...	7,50,000	5,07,000	...	5,07,000
1510	24th September 1901.	Aldih Coal Co., Ld.	16th September 1902.	8,00,000	...	8,00,000	8,00,000	...	8,00,000
1511	24th September 1901.	Palamow Coal Co., Ld. ...	14th March 1903	5,00,000	...	5,00,000	58,635	...	58,635
1521	4th March 1902	Bengal-Jheria Coal Co,, Ld. ..	3rd September 1902.	3,00,000	..	3,00,000	2,14,125	...	2,14,125
1532	12th August „	Nichinta Coal Co., Ld. ...	12th November 1902.	1,25,000	...	3,00,000	...	1,75,000	...
		(*b*) *Others.*							
1444	20th December 1898.	Sylhet Lime Co., Ld. ...	3rd July 1902	1,00,000	50,000	1,00,000	1,00,000	...	50,000
1470	19th June 1900	Pahardiah Gold Co., Ld. ...	9th December 1902.	50,000	...	50,000	41,000	...	41,000
1488	19th April 1901	Pandra Prospecting and Mining Co., Ld.	4th July 1902 ...	5,00,000	..	5,00,000	2,27,068	...	2,27,068
		VI.—Other Companies.							
1506	15th August 1901	Indigo Manures Supply Co., Ld. ...	21st March 1903	2,00,000	...	2,00,000	78,500	...	78,500
1514	1st November 1901.	Bengal Glass Co., Ld. ...	16th „ „	5,00,000	...	5,00,000	3,00,000	...	3,00,000

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No. V.

Joint-Stock Companies that have reduced their Capital during the year 1902-1903.

Number on the register.	Date of registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Date of reduction.	Previous Capital.		Present Capital.		Difference.	
				Nominal.	Paid-up.	Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid-up.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		I.—Tea and other Planting Companies.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
		(a) *Tea.*							
693	8th June 1891	Chamurchi Tea Co., Ld. ...	19th September 1902.	75,000	75,000	50,000	50,000	25,000	25,000

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No. VI.

Joint-Stock Companies that having ceased to work, have gone into liquidation, or have been finally dissolved (or otherwise become defunct) during the year 1902-1903.

Number on the register.	Date of registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Nominal capital.	Paid-up capital.	Date of going into liquidation.	Date of final dissolution.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		I.—Banking, Loan, and Insurance Companies.	Rs.	Rs.		
		(a) Insurance Companies.				
1215	9th September 1896 ...	Nagar Sirgimari Sadharana Sahayya Bhandar Co., Ld.	10,000	...	.....	Defunct.
1245	1st October „ ...	Jagannathpur Bina Sude Katja Sahayya Bhandar Co., Ld.	10,000	...	.....	Do.
1268	30th „ „ ...	Tajhat Revenue Fund and General Relief Co., Ld.	6,250	...	.....	Do.
1414	29th January 1898 ...	Duvarajpur General Helping Fund Co., Ld.	5,000	...	4th July 1902.	
1415	31st „ „ ...	Kamardi-Radhakantapur Hetaisi Bhandar Co., Ld.	10,000	...	22nd April „	
		II.—Trading Companies.				
		(a) Merchants and Traders.				
440	31st May 1882 ...	Co-Operative Pharmacy Co., Ld. ...	50,000	32,000	5th June 1902 ...	
584	7th November 1889 ...	Jessop & Co., Ld.	9,00,000	9,00,000	30th August „ ...	
989	8th May 1895 ...	Cachar Rice Supply Co., Ld.	30,000	...	.....	Defunct.
1359	24th February 1897 ...	Estates Recovery Co., Ld.	10,500	10,150	19th September 1900 ...	2nd October 1902.
1385	5th May „ ...	Eastern Bengal Mercantile Corporation, Ld.	1,00,000	...	25th March 1903.	
1402	9th September „ ...	Khunnah & Co., Ld.	50,000	...	13th September 1899 ...	3rd December 1902.
1407	28th November „ ...	White Ribbon Co., Ld.	10,000	...	19th August 1902 ...	22nd „ „
1451	16th May 1899 ...	Bathgate, Pim and Co., Ld.	3,00,000	1,75,000	1st July 1901 ...	21st March 1903.
1523	21st March 1902 ...	Assam Pioneer Trading and Manufacturing Co., Ld.	50,000	...	14th March 1903.	

			(b) Railways and Tramways.				
1045	27th December 1895	...	Jayganj Railway Co., Ld.	2,50,000	...	23rd December 1902 ...	23rd December 1902.
			III.—Mills and Presses.				
			(a) *Jute Mills.*				
940	6th November 1894	...	Serajganj Jute Co., Ld.	10,87,250	10,87,250	8th July 1902 ...	12th September 1902.
			(b) *Cotton and Jute Screws and Presses.*				
280	25th February 1874	...	Watson's Patent Press Co., Ld. ...	3,00,000	3,00,000	12th April 1902.	
287	13th July „	...	Riverside Press Co. (Watson's Patent), Ld.	3,00,000	3,00,000	14th January 1903.	
			(c) *Other Mills and Presses.*				
717	10th February 1892	...	Imperial Paper Mills Co., Ld.	12,00,000	12,00,000	30th September 1902.	
1452	27th May 1899	...	Mogra Bone Mills Co., Ld.	1,00,000	20,600	10th March „ ...	2nd July 1902.
			IV.—Tea and other Planting Companies.				
			(a) *Tea.*				
316	1st May 1875	...	Sapakati Tea Co., Ld.	88,000	88,000	19th December 1901 ...	29th December 1902.
754	2nd June 1893	...	Chota Nagpur Tea Co., Ld.	85,000	85,000	8th July 1902.	
706	23rd October 1891	...	Nurbong Tea Co., Ld.	1,80,000	1,80,000	10th July 1899 ...	19th April 1902.
977	14th March 1895	...	Samanbagh Tea Co., Ld.	2,50,000	2,50,000	19th July 1903.	
1004	30th July „	...	Bhutan Duars Tea Co., Ld.	4,00,000	3,48,800	6th March „	
1270	2nd November 1896	...	Pabbojan Tea Co., Ld.	3,20,000	2,48,000	17th June 1902 ...	18th November 1902.
1351	2nd February 1897	...	Burra Chenga Tea Co., Ld.	58,000	58,000	9th April „	
1403	21st September „	..	Mowdie Hill Tea Co., Ld.	50,000	...	9th February 1903.	
1434	29th August 1898	...	Dhoedaam Tea Co., Ld.	3,12,000	2,60,000	17th June 1902 ...	18th November 1902.
			(b) *Others.*				
630	30th September 1890	...	Patkoom Indigo and Trading Co., Ld. ...	2,25,000	2,25,000	30th May 1900 ...	6th February 1903.
			V.—Mining and Quarrying Companies.				
			(a) *Coal.*				
320	19th June 1875	...	Burrakur Coal Co., Ld.	3,00,000	3,00,000	20th April 1901 ...	15th September 1902.
730	2nd September 1892	...	South Burrakur Coal Co., Ld.	5,00,000	5,00,000	7th August „ ...	20th June „
1457	14th October 1898	...	Chota Nagpur Coal and Mica Mining Co., Ld	20,000	...	.....	Defunct.
			VI.—Other Companies.				
986	26th April 1895	...	Sulkea Manufacturing Co., Ld.... ...	1,00,000	75,000	17th June 1902.	

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No. VII.

Companies limited by guarantee, that having ceased to work, have gone into liquidation, or have been finally dissolved (or otherwise become defunct) during the year 1902-1903.

Nil.

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No. VIII.

List of Joint-Stock Companies at work on 31st March 1903.

Classification of Company.	Total number.	Aggregate nominal capital.	Aggregate paid-up capital.
1	2	3	4
		Rs.	Rs.
I.—Banking, Loan and Insurance Companies—			
(a) Banking and Loan Companies	47	3,32,40,000	2,95,77,529
(b) Insurance Companies	9	74,98,000	7,37,070
Total of Banking Loan and Insurance Companies ...	56	4,07,38,000	3,03,14,599
II.—Trading Companies—			
(a) Merchants and Traders	58	1,24,55,700	78,55,443
(b) Navigation	5	34,65,000	16,40,000
(c) Railways and Tramways	14	1,80,65,000	1,53,61,241
(d) Co-operative Associations	11	3,04,400	2,86,981
(e) Shipping, Landing, and Warehousing	3	18,00,000	16,02,700
Total of Trading Companies ...	91	3,60,90,100	2,67,46,365
III.—Mills and Presses—			
(a) Cotton Mills	8	1,25,75,000	86,03,428
(b) Jute Mills	20	3,93,05,000	3,46,27,600
(c) Mills for Cotton, Jute, Wool, Silk, Hemp, etc.	4	25,58,000	16,81,552
(d) Cotton and Jute Screws, and Presses	8	26,10,000	22,46,100
(e) Other Mills and Presses	10	50,00,000	38,57,992
Total of Mills and Presses ...	50	6,20,48,000	5,10,16,672
IV.—Tea and other Planting Companies—			
(a) Tea	126	3,72,44,180	3,32,52,662
(b) Others	5	13,42,500	9,89,775
Total of Tea and other Planting Companies ...	131	3,85,86,680	3,42,42,437

Classification of Company.	Total number.	Aggregate nominal capital.	Aggregate paid-up capital.
1	2	3	4
		Rs.	Rs.
V.—Mining and Quarrying Companies—			
(*a*) Coal	44	2,61,16,000	2,05,44,900
(*b*) Others	18	72,43,000	23,36,402
Total of Mining and Quarrying Companies ...	62	3,33,59,000	2,28,81,302
VI.—Ice-manufacturing Companies	6	8,33,254	7,74,670
VII.—Sugar-manufacturing Companies	2	21,00,000	21,00,000
VIII.—Other Companies	9	38,60,000	20,93,413
Grand Total ...	407	21,76,15,034	17,01,69,458

B. L. CHANDRA,

Registrar of Companies.

No. IX.

List of Companies limited by guarantee at work on 31st March 1903.

Classification of Company.	Total number.	Number of members.
1	2	3
I.—Insurance Companies	2	20
II.—Trading ditto	1	100
III.—Other ditto	2	409

B. L. CHANDRA,

Registrar of Companies.

No. X.

Statement of fees realised during the year 1902-1903.

1	2	3
	Rs. A. P.	
Amount of fees realised under Act VI of 1882	10,478 14 0	
Ditto ditto XXI of 1860	266 0 0	
Ditto ditto XII of 1895	5 0 0	
Total ...	10,749 14 0	

B. L. CHANDRA,

Registrar of Companies.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 6th July 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·19, Kalna 2·33, Katwa 0·69, Raniganj 0·57. Weather overcast. Transplantation of winter rice continues. Condition of *aus*, sugarcane, and jute fair. Fodder sufficient. Water still wanted badly in some parts of Katwa and Mangalkot. Condition of cattle good. Common rice sells at 12¾ seers per rupee.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·23, Rampur Hât 2·26. Weather cloudy. Paddy seedlings are growing up. Transplantation not yet commenced. Sugarcane doing well. Rice sells at 14 seers per rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar ·40, Vishnupur 1·48. More rain wanted for cultivation. Common rice sells at 12 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·63, Contai 0·71, Tamluk 1·93, Ghatal 3·44. Weather hot and cloudy. Ploughing and sowing going on, but more rain wanted. Jute and sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Contai	13	0	
Tamluk	11	10	
Ghatal	12	0	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·19, Serampore 5·91, Arambagh 2·72. Prospect of standing crops fair. Sowing of winter paddy and transplantation of *aus* going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Serampore	11	0	
Arambagh	11	6	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·42. Weather hot and cloudy. The sowing of autumn paddy continues. Condition of jute and sugarcane fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice is selling at 11 seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·24, Barasat 2·16, Basirhat 4·89, Diamond Harbour 1·28. Weather dull and cool. State and prospects of standing crops fair. Sowing of *aus* and jute completed in all subdivisions excepting the Sadar, where it is still going on. Transplantation of *aman* commenced. Common rice sells at 11¾ seers per rupee except in Basirhat, where it sells at 12¼ seers per rupee. Condition of cattle good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·91, Kushtia 1·26, Meherpur 0·86, Chuadanga 1·94, Ranaghat 1·70. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Ranaghat	12	0	
Chuadanga	11	8	
Kushtia	13	8	
Meherpur	11	4	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·82, Kandi 2·25, Jangipur 1·40, Lalbagh 2·30. Weather seasonable. Winter paddy seedlings doing well. Prospect of sugarcane good. *Bhadoi* and jute lands being weeded in places. More rain wanted for facilitating the transplantation of winter rice. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Kandi	13	4	
Jangipur	14	0	
Lalbagh	12	0	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·18, Magura 7·71, Narail 4·09, Bangaon 2·00, Jhenida report not received. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospect of crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Muhammadpur. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Bangaon	13	4	
Magura	12	0	
Jhenida	Not reported.		
Narail	12	5	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·60, Bagerhat 1·12, Satkhira 5·83. Weather warm and cloudy with occasional rain. Sowing of autumn rice and outturn of *boro* estimated at 65 and 100 per cent. respectively. Transplantation of winter rice not yet commenced. Prospect of jute improved by the recent rain. Cattle-disease reported from Khulna, Paikgachha, and Kachua. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	14 0	per rupee.
Bagerhat	13 0	
Satkhira	12 0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·84, Nator 0·39, Naugaon 1·75. Prospects of crops good. Transplantation of winter rice in progress in Nandigram. The outturn of *til* expected to be 85 per cent. More rain wanted for jute on high lands. Condition of cattle good. Common rice selling at 14 seers a rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·94; fall general, varying from 6·65 to 1·24. Weather seasonable. Standing crops fair. Transplantation of winter rice progressing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 12·69, Alipur Duars 13·36, fall general. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter paddy going on. *Bhadoi* paddy and jute doing well. Common rice sells at 12 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·19. Weather seasonable. *Hills*—Maize, potato, *phapar*, *kagni*, *chota* and *bara marua*, *bhadoi* and winter rice progressing. *Terai*—Lands being ploughed for winter rice. Jute progressing. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Hills	10 0	per rupee.
Terai	13 0	

Maize sells at Darjeeling at 14 seers and at Kalimpong at 12 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·00; fall general. Weather hot and cloudy. Standing crops doing well. Transplantation of *aman* going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	12 8	per rupee.
Nilphamari	12 0	
Kurigram	12 0	
Gaibanda	13 0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·59; fall general. Weather sultry and cloudy. Weeding of *aus* and jute and cultivation for winter rice going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·46; Sirajganj 3·18. Weather cloudy and very hot. Prospects of standing crops fair. Weeding going on. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12 seers 6 chittaks a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·17; fall general. Prospects of crops good. Weather hot. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·12, Jamalpur 6·34, Kishorganj 3·20, Netrokona 5·47. Weather rainy. Condition of crops good. Transplantation of winter rice going on. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	13 0	per rupee.
Kishorganj	14 0	
Tangail	Not reported	
Jamalpur	14 8	
Netrokona	14 8	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·30, Goalundo 4·90, Madaripur 0·99. Weather seasonable. State and prospects of crops good. Common rice sells at 13 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.

Backergunge.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·08; fall general. Transplantation of winter rice progressing. Prospects good. Cattle-disease in Pirojpur and Patuakhali sub divisions. Common rice sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·08, Brahmanbaria 1·07, Chandpur 2·80. Weather seasonable Prospects fair. Sowing of *aman* in Sadar and transplantation in Chandpur continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	13 0	per rupee.
Brahmanbaria	13 5	
Chandpur	13 0	

Noakhali.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·53, Feni 7·45. Weather seasonable. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers 1 chitak and at Feni at 14 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 10·32, Cox's Bazar 14·62. Cultivation of *aus* crop still going on. Water and fodder sufficient. Rice sells at 14 seers per rupee

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Rainfall 1·92. Weather fair. Ploughing continues. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Bihar 2·45, Dinapore ·03, Bikram 1·90. Weather hot and cloudy. Rain wanted. Sowing of Indian corn going on. Slight damage done by the flight of locusts. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Patna	13	12	per rupee.
Barh	13	8	per rupee.
Bihar	13	8	per rupee.
Dinapore	14	8	per rupee.

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·06, Nawada 0·05, Jahanabad 0·87, Aurangabad nil. Weather hot and cloudy. Rain badly wanted for all corps everywhere. Jahanabad and the northern part of the Sadar have made considerable progress with sowings, and the prolonged break makes the position of the seedlings critical. The area sown with winter rice is estimated at 40 per cent., and that with *marua*, *makai*, and *jowar* at 50 per cent. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Appearance of a flight of locusts with some damage reported from Nawada. Average price of common rice is 13½ seers per rupee.

Shahabad.—Rainfall at Sadar ·65, Buxar 0·24, Bhabhua 0·19, Sasaram 0·17, Dehri 0·60. *Bhadoi* being sown Sugarcane good. More rain urgently needed. Locusts appeared on 2nd and 3rd in the Sadar and on 29th June and 1st July in Sasaram, but no damage reported. Fodder and water abundant. Rice sells at Sadar at 13½ seers per rupee.

Saran.—Rainfall at Sadar nil, Siwan ·34, Gopalganj ·22. Weather hot with variable winds. Standing crops doing well. Sowing of *bhadoi* crop continues. Transplantation of winter rice is going on in Gopalganj. A few cases of cattle-disease reported from thana Manjhi and Chowki Nima. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers and maize at 25 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Champaran.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·38, Bettiah 1·89. Transplantation of paddy in progress. Weeding continues. Prospects good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15½ seers and maize at 24 seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·47, Sitamarhi 4·40. Weather hot and cloudy at times. Sowing of paddy and *bhadoi* crops continues, but has been retarded a little in Hajipur for want of sufficient rain. Locusts appeared on the 3rd, and some injury to indigo is reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers and maize at 24 seers a rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·04, Samastipur 0·13, Madhubani 3·21. Weather hot and cloudy. Sowing of paddy and *bhadoi* crops in progress. Transplantation commenced in some places. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Mohiuddinagar outpost. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	14	9	per rupee.
Samastipur	16	0	per rupee.
Madhubani	15	0	per rupee.

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar ·03, Begusarai ·84, Jamui 1·01. Weather hot and cloudy. Sugarcane doing well. Rain urgently needed for sowing *bhadoi* and paddy crops. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	14	0	per rupee.
Begusarai	13	8	per rupee.
Jamui	13	8	per rupee.

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·17, Banka 1·18, Madhipura 6·02, Supaul 2·97. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops generally good, but some damage apprehended from excessive rainfall in Madhipura and more rain wanted in Sadar subdivision. A few cases of cattle-disease reported Supaul subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	14	per rupee.
Banka	14	6	per rupee.
Madhipura	17	0	per rupee.
Supaul	17	8	per rupee.

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·21, Kishanganj 8·04, Araria 3·95, Fall general. Weather hot and sultry. Transplantation of *aghani* crops going on in subdivisions. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	14	0	
Araria	14	8	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·56, Chanchal 2·43, Sibganj 4·68, Gajol ·80; fall general. Weather hot Weeding of *bhadoi* and jute going on. Prospects improved by recent rain. Sowing of winter rice in progress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water available. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee.

Santhal Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·81, Deoghar 4·35, Godda 1·47, Jamtara 0·41, Pakaur 1·02, Rajmahal 3·08. Weather hot. The extent of sowing of autumn rice was about 80 and that of *bajra*, *mandua*, and maize nearly 50 per cent. Standing crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·73; fall general, but scanty in Jajpur subdivision, being 1·89. Weather cloudy. Sowing of *saradh* over. *Beali* being harrowed and *saradh* growing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15¾ seers at Sadar.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·46. Sowing continues at places. Paddy plants, sugarcane, *arhar*, and *bhadoi til* generally thriving, but more rain is wanted. Late cotton being harvested. Early cotton being sown. Rice sells at 14 and 13 seers per rupee at Sadar and Bhadrak respectively. Fodder sufficient. There is scarcity of water in the interior. Condition of cattle good.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·22, Bisipara 1·57. Weather hot and cloudy. Sowing of paddy in progress. Sugarcane doing well. Common rice sells at 14 and 13½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals, respectively. More rain wanted.

Puri.—Rainfall 0·20. Weather cloudy, rainy, and hot. More rain is wanted for agricultural operations. Lands are being ploughed, manured, and sown with winter rice. Sugarcane leaves are being tied. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Cotton is being harvested. *Dalua* paddy is also being harvested. Outturn is expected to be 75 per cent. *Mandua* is being planted. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·81, Giridih 0·76; fall not general. Weather hot. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Sowings of *maize* and *rice* going on. Fodder sufficient. Water still scarce. Common rice sells at 12½ seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·30. Weather hot and cloudy. State of standing crops good, but more rain is wanted. Cattle-disease reported from several thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers, and at Gumla at 16 seers per rupee.

Palamau.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·09. Weather cloudy and hot. The sowing of *sama gondli*, maize and rice seedlings continues. Sugarcane doing well. Cattle disease continues. More rain required. Fodder and water sufficient except in Banka police-station. A flight of locusts passed over the district. No damage reported. Common rice sells at 13½ and maize at 18 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·81, Gobindpur 1·28. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers and at Gobindpur at 11 seers per rupee.

Singbhum.—Rainfall 1·01. More rain needed. Sowing of paddy finished. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee at Sadar.

General Summary.—Rainfall continued to be general, and was heavy in parts of East and North Bengal, but lighter elsewhere. The districts of Bankura, Midnapore, Murshidabad, Rajshahi, Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Ranchi, Palamau, and Singhbhum are in need of more rain. Transplantation of winter rice is in progress Early rice and jute doing well. The outturn of jute is estimated at 85 per cent. of a normal crop, provided that conditions for the remainder of the season are normal. Flights of locusts passed over a portion of Bihar and Chota Nagpur, but no serious damage is reported. Cattle-disease reported from seven districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in nine districts, has fallen in nine, and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
The 7th July 1903.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of May 1903, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1903-1904.		Tollage, 1902-1903	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5
Orissa Circle.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Taldanda Canal System	987 9 0	2,885 14 5	1,520 0 6	3,172 8 9
Kendrapara ditto	2,869 8 0	6,995 7 1	2,399 5 1	5,436 0 5
High Level, Range I	12 6 0	836 3 3	.....	1,637 13 0
Ditto „ II	... ..	244 5 0	.....	304 12 9
Ditto „ III	...	29 3 6	0 7 6	20 11 0
Jajpur Canal	0 2 6	69 11 3	.....	55 11 6
Total Orissa Circle ...	3,869 9 6	11,060 12 6	3,919 13 1	10,631 9 5
South-Western Circle.				
Midnapore Canal ...	4,717 11 3	9,569 4 3	8,498 7 0	17,108 10 0
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	4,184 3 3	8,387 7 3	4,979 10 0	10,004 14 6
Total South-Western Circle	8,901 14 6	17,956 11 6	13,388 1 0	27,113 8 6
Sone Circle.				
Patna Canal System ...	813 6 9	2,812 3 3	.....	1,679 14 9
Arrah ditto ...	964 5 6	1,645 0 6	1,145 9 6	2,190 4 3
Buxar ditto ..	371 5 9	754 2 6	357 4 3	746 3 9
Total Sone Circle ...	2,149 2 0	5,211 6 3	1,502 13 9	4,616 6 9
Grand Total ...	14,920 10 0	34,228 14 3	18,810 11 10	42,361 8 8

Darjeeling,
The 4th July 1903.

W. A. Inglis,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of May 1903, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1903-1904.		Tollage, 1902-1903.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	15,546 15 3	33,792 7 11	16,789 9 0	33,732 10 3
Tolly's Nala ...	3,705 3 9	7,577 14 0	3,680 10 0	7,981 14 9
Total ...	19,252 3 0	41,370 5 11	20,470 3 0	41,714 9 0
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,769 4 9	6,646 8 0	2,469 1 9	5,500 6 9
Nadia Rivers ...	2,755 1 0	6,458 14 6	4,259 9 0	8,085 12 0
Grand Total ...	24,776 8 9	54,475 12 5	27,198 13 9	55,300 11 9

Darjeeling,
The 4th July 1903.

W. A. Inglis,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. II.—Rabi Statement.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Irrigation operations of fasl rabi, 1902-1903.

Statement in acres of crops irrigated in Canal districts.

Nature of crops.	Cuttack.	Balasore.	Midnapore.	Burdwan.	Hooghly.	Gaya.	Patna.	Shahabad.	Saran.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Garden and orchards ...	...	...	...	228*	33†	33	7	35	The canals were closed.	336
Sugarcane ...	13	254	...	11	...	1,080	2,818	19,628		23,804
Cereals—										
Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	637	174	19,190		20,001
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	986	182	7,356		8,524
Rice	3,669‡	...	...	...	...	43	...	2,159		5,871
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,270	1,717	14,143		17,130
Pulse—										
Gram, &c. ...	...	...	...	...	...	634	575	9,127		10,336
Miscellaneous ..	...	...	..	...	...	504	801	6,689		7,994
Fodder crops—										
Grass, lucerne ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48		48
Fibres—										
Cotton	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...		5
Dyes—										
Indigo	...	...	...	...	...	90	...	...		90
Turmeric, &c. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...
Drugs—										
Opium	...	...	...	...	...	640	169	768		1,568
Tobacco, &c. ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...		...
Oilseeds—										
Mustard, &c. ..	...	...	...	...	...	24	...	249		273
Castor	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...		...
Miscellaneous ...	39	...	...	...	...	503	1	6,736		7,362
Hot-weather ...	13	294	...	...	...	...	...	...		307
Total *rabi*, 1902-1903§ ...	3,727	553		239	33	6,534	6,435	86,128	...	103,649
Total *rabi*, 1901-1902‖ ...	2,330	...	266	155	62	7,745	8,961	178,717	2,898	201,124
Average of the five years ending with 1901-1902.	4,270	375	1,542	318	239	7,158	5,945	111,518	591	131,956

* Potato and onion irrigated from the Eden Canal. † Potato irrigated from the Eden Canal. ‡ Dalwa or Boro rice. § Approximate figures. ‖ Actual figures.

Darjeeling,
The 2nd July 1902.

W. A. Inglis,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. II.—Annual Statement.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Irrigation operations for the year 1902-1903

Statement in acres of crops irrigated in Canal districts.

Nature of crops.	Cuttack.	Balasore.	Midnapore.	Burdwan.	Hooghly.	Gaya.	Patna.	Shahabad.	Saran.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Garden and orchards	...	..	...	223	33	33	7	40	...	341
Sugarcane	53	508	...	11	...	2,101	4,555	33,160	...	40,388
Cereals—										
Wheat	...	...	...	...	..	637	174	19,190	...	20,001
Barley	...	..	...	...	...	986	1·2	7.3 6	...	8,524
Rice	183 293	38,682	87,057	21,536	7,327	43,163	37,058	2,57,609	3,911*	676 646
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,273	1,762	14,384	...	17,419
Pulse—										
Gram, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	634	676	9,127	...	10 336
Miscellaneous ..	...	...	...	...	...	504	801	66·9	...	7,994
Fodder crops—										
Grass, lucerne ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	...	48
Fibres—										
Cotton	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Dyes—										
Indigo	...	...	...	...	...	90	...	..	...	90
Turmeric, &c. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drugs—										
Opium	...	...	...	...	...	640	160	768	...	1,563
Tobacco, &c. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oilseeds—										
Mustard, &c. ...	...	...	...	...	..	24	...	249	...	273
Castor	...	.	...	..	...	...	...	.	...	...
Miscellaneous ...	32	...	...	...	...	593	1	7 384	...	8,010
Hot weather	35	588	..	...	...	802	2 253	28,8·8	...	32,566
Total 1902-1903† ...	183,413	39,798	85,057	21,775	7,360	51,480	47,528	84,892	3,911	824,214
Total 1901-1902‡ ...	167.219	34 279	80,697	20,829	8,749	51,832	49,416	456,246	2,898	872,165
Average of the five years ending with 1901-19 2	167,897	31,366	75,382	19,848	8,785	48,539	43,460	370,930	1,790	768,717

* The Saran canals were temporarily opened from 10th September 1902, and water was given free of charge to irrigate the kharif crops. The area shown as irrigated is only approximate as no measurements were made.

† Approximate figures.

‡ Actual figures.

Darjeeling,
The 2nd July 1903.

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No.

Imports of Principal Articles into Calcutta by Rail, Road, River,

Whence imported	Food-grains								Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
Bengal												
Burdwan	46,090	19,735	65,824	59	...	4,539	...	63,052	...	17,815	2,059	...
Birbhum	95,880	6,213	99,263	...	...	426	...	99,689	...	1,365	1,022	...
Bankura	446	...	446	...	...	...	...	446	...	350	...	...
Midnapore	72,320	2,596	73,943	...	6	1,505	2	75,456	175	6,355	2,906	...
Hooghly	73,456	14,943	83,778	120	...	3,512	37	86,467	3,714	740,539	2,341	1,733
24-Parganas	218,461	22,091	236,038	...	27	4,317	...	240,382	5,106	846,780	2,814	225
Nadia	11,698	71	11,748	8,121	...	130,006	1,104	150,978	2,004	3,018	103,117	76
Murshidabad	21,699	...	21,699	2,303	40	3,816	...	27,758	7,068	980	1,017	...
Jessore	9,525	5,775	13,134	...	...	13,530	...	26,664	713	650	2,110	375
Khulna	1,101	32,894	21,560	...	...	...	...	21,560	...	140	...	...
Rajshahi	1,493	305	1,984	...	...	772	...	2,450	396	280	4,727	...
Dinajpur	2,068	356	2,290	...	...	...	...	2,290	1,022	43,400	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,076	15,508	217	...
Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,025	...	...
Rangpur	160	...	160	...	...	...	...	160	10,954	1,080	108	228
Bogra	7,863	1,067	8,517	...	...	...	...	8,517	2,876	875	...	...
Pabna	22,795	...	22,795	...	...	208	...	23,003	90,617	5,530	753	1,039
Cooch Behar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,175	...	...	...
Dacca	227	...	227	109	...	...	...	336	81,549	3,055	3,716	4,933
Mymensingh	12	...	12	...	...	295	...	307	7,951	630	2,907	5,837
Faridpur	950	100	1,013	149	359	17,061	...	19,081	18,444	4,850	13,837	7,611
Backergunge	223,450	483	223,750	...	...	1,050	...	223,780	1,411	700	1,895	...
Tippera	768	1	769	...	...	...	...	769	2,074	245	6,053	...
Noakhali	3,150	...	3,150	...	...	...	...	3,150	...	...	9,325	...
Chittagong	475	...	475	...	...	...	...	475	...	705	...	...
Total Bengal	812,493	112,803	882,978	10,791	334	181,697	1,163	1,076,963	256,324	1,399,631	163,857	24,347
Bihar												
Patna	...	...	...	3,424	...	48,639	2,463	40,426	...	...	71,014	16,670
Gaya	...	...	...	...	...	3,195	615	3,810	...	...	85,903	16,089
Shahabad	...	...	...	363	...	13,115	...	13,480	...	...	46,900	364
Saran	...	...	...	166	...	...	...	166	...	...	...	3,878
Champaran	...	...	...	...	...	194	...	194	...	...	13,348	4,047
Muzaffarpur	67	2,004	1,319	214	...	2,172	4,130	7,835	...	...	39,095	8,705
Darbhanga	112	...	112	...	...	77	...	189	...	...	71,259	11,309
Monghyr	...	...	...	366	...	36,003	2,872	39,300	...	...	9,651	15,607
Bhagalpur	749	...	749	1,125	...	23,301	...	24,325	...	630	37,901	9,746
Purnea	2	...	2	343	...	...	...	347	38,927	1,960	811	1,795
Malda	561	...	561	82	...	158	...	801	1,734	35	185	...
Santhal Parganas	361	394	757	18,119	...	14,184	...	33,060	...	...	6,813	4,147
Total Bihar	1,852	2,638	3,500	24,206	...	140,017	10,160	177,883	40,661	2,625	381,841	91,630
Orissa												
Cuttack	1,865	1	1,866	...	...	876	...	2,742	...	106	...	...
Balasore	51,112	6,477	55,160	...	...	19,700	...	74,860	347	1,407	457	...
Total Orissa	52,977	6,478	57,026	...	...	20,576	...	77,004	347	1,513	457	...
Chota Nagpur												
Hazaribagh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,011	700
Palamau	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manbhum	226	...	226	...	...	...	...	226	...	...	...	...
Singhbhum	414	...	414	...	...	2	...	416	...	35	802	...
Total Chota Nagpur	640	...	640	...	...	2	...	642	...	35	1,813	700
Total from the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	867,994	121,681	944,044	34,997	334	342,292	11,323	1,332,990	299,332	1,403,703	548,968	116,697
Other Provinces and Places												
Burma	5,966	...	5,966	167	...	108	...	6,241	...	1,900	...	...
Assam	1,387	...	1,387	...	...	...	...	1,387	318	3,305	14,002	39,491
U. Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	865	...	865	570,880	...	181,070	96,025	927,940	1,754	...	216,889	435,836
Panjab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,171
Central Provinces	...	...	...	...	...	390	...	390	127	...	...	...
Rajputana and Central India.	...	...	...	...	...	405	...	405	...	...	1,561	2,560
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	10	...	10	...	...	595	...	595	...	...	...	...
Port Blair	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Grand Total { 1903	876,222	121,681	952,372	614,544	334	495,250	107,348	2,190,748	301,529	1,408,308	779,701	597,878
Grand Total { 1902	1,040,097	182,315	1,154,043	235,627	1,073	613,935	5,627	2,010,305	1,540,093	2,137,171	940,457	625,907
Grand Total { 1901	880,183	314,840	1,076,958	243,165	5,107	433,892	34,909	1,793,921	656,891	1,253,359	614,049	505,956

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 3 yards = 1 bag

I

Canal, and Sea (coastwise) in April 1903.

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar: Refined	Sugar: Unrefined	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Tobacco: Manufactured	Whence imported
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	**Bengal**
.....	.....	.....	3,789,854	.....	.....	128	77	.....	Burdwan
.....	.....	43	.....	.....	.....	.....	98	.....	Birbhum
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Bankura
.....	60	15	7,310	.....	.....	798	143	.....	Midnapore
.....	240	.....	1,952	.....	460	14,062	6,567	801	Hooghly
.....	3,819	.....	2,530	.....	432	28,250	2,896	487	24-Parganas
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	915	2,509	.....	Nadia
.....	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	41	Murshidabad
.....	390	.....	.....	.....	72	5,770	1,934	.....	Jessore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,550	.....	.....	Khulna
.....	.....	320	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rajshahi
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	139	.....	Dinajpur
56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,154	.....	Jalpaiguri
302	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Darjeeling
.....	843	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,288	.....	Rangpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Bogra
.....	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Pabna
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	Cooch Behar
7	5,316	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Dacca
.....	64	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Faridpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Backergunge
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Tippera
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Noakhali
.....	11,267	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chittagong
425	22,032	896	3,801,646	.....	964	52,467	20,811	1,320	Total Bengal
									Bihar
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,168	1,281	1,980	Patna
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	450	.....	2,539	Gaya
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,417	.....	.....	Shahabad
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,149	.....	.....	Saran
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Champaran
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	168	.....	Muzaffarpur
.....	79	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	370	.....	Darbhanga
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	28	Monghyr
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Bhagalpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,436	.....	Purnea
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Malda
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	168	.....	Sonthal Parganas
.....	79	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,179	13,454	4,547	Total Bihar
									Orissa
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cuttack
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	155	.....	Balasore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	155	.....	Total Orissa
									Chota Nagpur
.....	.....	.....	126,823	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Hazaribagh
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Palamau
.....	.....	32	1,897,203	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Manbhum
.....	.....	286	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Singhbhum
.....	.....	318	2,024,025	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Total Chota Nagpur
425	22,111	1,214	5,825,671	.....	964	59,646	43,420	5,876	Total from the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
									Other Provinces and Places
.....	2,939	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	57	Burma
2,457	531	73	13,524	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Assam
.....	34,074	.....	.....	11	42	.....	99	.....	U. Provinces of Agra and Oudh
37	6,030	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Panjab
.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	Central Provinces
.....	11,813	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rajputana and Central India
.....	490	.....	.....	.....	197	.....	.....	16	Bombay
25	1,268	.....	.....	.....	9,563	114	2	96	Madras
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Port Blair
2,944	79,267	1,287	5,829,195	11	11,066	59,760	43,521	6,053	1903 Grand Total
5,880	109,875	1,390	4,638,708	472	2,631	69,555	25,644	3,610	1902 Grand Total
2,956	55,730	772	4,788,949	166	11,349	70,304	64,901	2,693	1901 Grand Total

No II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in table No. I were imported into Calcutta in April 1903

Routes			Food-grains						Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
			Rice	Paddy	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags*	Linseed	Mustard seed
			Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
By boats			428,165	69,351	6,818		83,235	334	41,881	1,169,008	32,094	12,719
,, river steamers ...			17,235	252	404	40	1,061	317	117,270	13,985	22,050	45,619
,, rail	E. I. Railway		162,600	29 054	605,302		295,600	106,165	48,233	19,845	601,807	533,578
	E. B. S. Railway		66,149	739	1,793	254	87,363	482	77,279	191,625	97,411	5,840
	Assam-Bengal Railway		218	1	.....	...	.....	.....	...	340	7,057	.....
	Bengal-Nagpur Railway		26,893	2,057		8	1,073		152	2,765	4,165	
	Bengal-Central Railway		65	19	.....	.....	2,783	.....	8,788	630	11,663	96
,, road			134,221	15,523	.....	27	4,127	.....	7,578	8,000	3,264	.....
,, sea			36,617	4,686	167	.....	20,049		348	2,700	..	..
Total ...	1903	...	876 232	121,681	614,544	334	495,250	107,346	301,529	1,408,308	779,701	597,872
	1902	...	1,040,097	182,315	235,627	1,073	613,935	5,667	1,349,092	2,137,177	946,457	625,807
	1901	...	880,183	314,840	243,165	5,107	433,822	34,809	654,920	1,253,339	614,049	595,950

Routes			Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
								Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
			Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By boats			.....	1,711	.....	9,112	.....	892	15,748	7,809	1,925
,, river steamers ...			1,401	4,563	15	13,524	.....	.....	402	270	380
,, rail	E. I. Railway		87	51,996	870	5,037,082	11	43	7,231	1,558	2,653
	E. B. S. Railway		959	3,362	370	.....	.....	72	2,343	37,173	.....
	Assam-Bengal Railway		532	1,280	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Bengal-Nagpur Railway		.....	18	..	776,307	.....	.....	..	.....	8
	Bengal-Central Railway		.....	890	.....	.....	.....	..	1,568	...	.....
,, road			.....	1,251	.....	3,170	.....	.....	22,304	6,495	918
,, sea			25	14,686	.....			10,060	114	157	169
Total ...	1903	...	2,944	79,257	1,287	5,839,195	11	11,066	60,760	43,531	6,053
	1902	...	5,850	109,875	1,390	4,638,798	472	2,651	69,335	35,844	3,616
	1901	...	2,956	55,730	772	4,788,949	156	11,349	70,804	64,901	2,602

* Including gunny cloth, 3 yards = 1 bag.

No III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in April 1903.

	Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil
	European	Indian	European	Indian		
	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
From Foreign Countries—						
United Kingdom	1,59,53,2[illegible]7	.....	13,911	.....	424,895	2
Other countries	1,12,456	.....	486	.....	223,579	319,085
Total ...	1,60,65,753	.....	14,397	.....	648,474	319,087
Coastwise—						
Bombay	12,885	1,66,862	.....	11,078	12,090	.....
Sind	1,345	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	2,000	10,944	.....	1,546	.....	.....
Other ports in Madras	625	4,508	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burma	29,904	1,200	.....	4	.....	107,286
Pondichery	2,850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other Ports	.....	300	.....	52	.....	
Total ...	49,669	1,83,814	.....	12,681	12,090	107,286
Total ... 1903 ...	1,61,15,362	1,83,814	14,397	12,681	660,564	426,372
Total ... 1902 ...	1,51,49,988	2,47,883	12,593	13,124	931,789	442,827
Total ... 1901 ...	1,24,51,027	2,59,453	14,046	17,029	900,588	375,742

No IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (coastwise and to foreign countries) in April 1903.

	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags*
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Bombay	117,495	.....	117,495	.....	.....	2,456	75	120,026	26	2,518,650
Sind	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90,800
Madras	61	.....	61	1,169	1,890	49,832	361	53,303	.....	389,200
Other ports in Madras ...	77,707	10,216	84,092	.....	764	5,412	24	90,292	.....	476,100
Burma	3,215	23	3,239	1,034	11,460	19,905	1,049	36,677	54	2,758,700
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	185	50	.....	235	.....	107,600
Allepey ...	60	.....	60	.....	.....	137	.....	197	.....	5,000
Other Indian ports	.....	.....	.....	20	1,233	716	.....	1,969	.....	54,325
Total ...	199,538	10,238	204,937	2,323	15,539	78,498	1,509	302,999	80	6,400,375
To Foreign countries—										
United Kingdom	86,727	.....	86,727	233,261	.....	202,941	150,891	673,740	102,897	2,266,900
Other countries	531,314	1,175	532,048	51,412	18,709	24,944	1,314	628,427	348,054	38,731,800
Total ...	618,041	1,175	618,775	284,693	18,709	277,795	152,205	1,302,167	450,451	41,118,700
Total ... 1903 ...	816,579	11,413	823,712	286,916	34,241	306,293	153,714	1,604,866	450,531	47,519,075
Total ... 1902 ...	735,286	5	735,290	19,855	25,721	260,682	15,140	1,056,698	1,266,577	31,617,350
Total ... 1901 ...	941,803	5	941,808	5,479	23,393	118,456	8,263	1,097,398	948,377	28,595,106

	Linseed	Mustard seed	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
								Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
Bombay	.....	.....	1,253	99	.....	2,536,403	.....	69	.....	.....	64
Sind	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	171,341	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	.....	.....	15	.....	4	201,860	.....	50	.....	.....	12
Other ports in Madras ...	.....	5,760	.....	.....	.....	147,460	.....	20	.....	.....	14
Burma	.....	.....	281	15	1	923,406	.....	778	983	7,570	188
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Allepey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	162	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other Indian ports	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,732	1	3,395	169	706	11
Total ...	1	5,760	1,554	114	5	3,983,464	1	4,312	1,151	8,276	234
To Foreign countries—											
United Kingdom	34,533	27,239	2,454	.....	407	.....	640	.....	.....	.....	42
Other countries	970,715	15,161	731	20,647	933	985,417	140	24	44	3,921	110
Total ...	655,248	42,400	3,175	20,647	1,340	985,417	780	24	44	3,921	153
Total ... 1903 ...	655,249	47,960	4,729	20,761	1,345	4,968,872	781	4,336	1,195	12,197	386
Total ... 1902 ...	894,931	80,772	12,493	57,853	1 829	4,922,157	3,260	4,287	1,468	10,167	642
Total ... 1901 ...	543,287	4,455	15,041	37,330	1,768	4,843,189	1,055	3,270	893	11,843	831

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No V

Exports of certain Articles from Calcutta by Rail, Road,† River, Canal, and Sea (coastwise) in April 1903

	Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny bags†
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge*	
Bengal	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Burdwan	2,00,497		97	904	27,917	190	7,880	46,205
Birbhum	1,14,804	672	171	728	18,767	21	3,417	51,170
Bankura	17,434			333				940
Midnapore	2,81,523		777	837	16,040	116	1,353	10,095
Hooghly	1,11,416	2,900	148	31	8,655	4,792	2,201	24,235
24-Parganas	2,80,411	6,065	536		10,407	6,637	1,306	27,911
Calcutta							58,869	
Nadia	2,04,857		703	576	26,587	403	6,608	100,139
Murshidabad	71,082	320	16	98	10,974		2,101	22,055
Jessore	13,465		98	25	11,548	3,155	791	10,560
Khulna	12,909		4		382	671		2,205
Rajshahi	91,901		90	15	9,127	18	4,535	18,795
Dinajpur	1,40,915	1,216	5	199	14,409	94	2,075	24,675
Jalpaiguri	63,164	512	44	250	7,929	65	2,469	6,020
Darjeeling	70,555	1,184	92	232	5,317	99	1,587	9,380
Rangpur	1,68,332	224	165	195	28,234	3	6,129	5,015
Bogra	1,55,705		41	149	21,155	126	2,163	42,140
Pabna	1,40,380		309	12	36,629		31,641	10,150
Cooch Behar	64,379			161	5,861		597	735
Dacca	1,05,901		1,394	34	53,378	99	24,246	10,480
Mymensingh	1,42,356		174	77	12,271	10	5,253	8,190
Faridpur	84,256		767	219	14,042	14,497	4,118	18,305
Backergunge	1,04,123		1,484		24,320	3,147		35,420
Tippera	74,253		891		693	3	4,150	18,885
Noakhali	40,763		455		425			6,790
Chittagong	74 812		347		247	11		35,240
Total Bengal	29,02,267	13,093	8,711	5,091	365,864	34,067	173,236	547,195
Bihar								
Patna	3,15,492	384	457	395	9,584	37	6,163	116,933
Gaya	1,42,062			802	8,103		1,824	43,540
Shahabad	4,00,741		13	126	13,589		1,113	52,570
Saran	2,15,166			12	14,256			10,940
Champaran	2,32,150			147	11,980			14,560
Muzaffarpur	1,80,010			36	6,732			1,400
Darbhanga	2,38,360			389	15,840			62,055
Monghyr	2,81,296		36	778	10,316	97	1,902	90,760
Bhagalpur	2,71,868		24	199	11,791		2,262	57,830
Purnea	1,70,674		15	541	27,707	18	583	14,175
Malda	37,344		101	336	2,255		627	7,585
Santhal Parganas	1,69,128		166	309	27,558		5,635	40,990
Total Bihar	27,34,450	384	836	4,169	168,691	152	20,078	530,630
Orissa								
Cuttack	35,023			1,646			8,062	630
Balasore	40,530		681	2,457	7,623	510	1,488	24,521
Puri	7,877							4,445
Total Orissa	84,030		681	4,103	7,623	510	9,550	31,597
Chota Nagpur								
Hazaribagh	68,193			343	7,698	21	1,026	2,670
Palamau	47,750			210	6,787		251	4,830
Manbhum	93,068	1,792	60	607	21,809	34	1,656	6,860
Singhbhum	21,169			111	5,148	27	741	11,410
Total Chota Nagpur	2,31,180	1,792	60	1,260	41,432	82	3,673	25,770
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	60,11,933	15,269	10,288	14,713	580,810	34,841	206,537	1,147,392
Other Provinces and Places								
Burma	61,792	4,695	92	2,072		33		2,758,780
Assam	4,28,917	1,668	356	1,074	53,571	443	9,120	83,580
U. Provinces of Agra and Oudh	31,78,831	2,780	695	55	36,639	17	13,381	753,960
Punjab	6,37,007	536	324	68		15	3,679	269,256
Central Provinces	77,310		6	163		95	12,807	254,150
Rajputana and Central India	1,26,306	38	77			24	1,973	14,700
Berar	2,502							735
Nizam's Territory	733							3,815
Bombay	8,540							2,518,050
Madras	60,513	64	12	315			3,241	877,760
Cochin	97							5,000
Alleppy								107,000
Pondichery								99,900
Sind	3,557			7		42		
Port Blair	3,180							
Grand Total 1903	1,06,96,8[illegible]6	28,551	11,811	23,517	673,916	33,501	280,736	8,636,047
Grand Total 1902	1,41,76,118	21,808	15,757	20,045	712,131	38,901	531,353	7,649,805
Grand Total 1901	1,07,08,813	57,804	14,130	35,040	640,986	23,997	248,759	8,122,044

* Represents the trade registered at the traffic registering stations only
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in table No. V were exported from Calcutta in April 1903

		Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene Oil		Gunny-bags*
		European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
By boats		1,32,200	2,900	371	.....	44,827	22,371	16,545	40,972
,, river steamers		13,50,023	.....	5,227	39	141,752	375	78,340	181,310
,, rail	East Indian Railway	64,62,031	13,727	1,296	6,293	260,147	389	57,681	1,704,606
	Eastern Bengal State Railway	15,65,805	3,136	2,301	3,386	169,625	566	71,451	277,325
	Assam-Bengal Railway	1,34,416	1,988	781	204	4,476	135	28	7,770
	Bengal Nagpur Railway	2,61,437	.....	.....	4,813	32,850	129	20,793	76,090
	Bengal Central Railway	18,283	.....	122	.....	7,696	2,307	.....	8,806
	North-Western Railway	92,378	38	97	.....	.....	15	.....	165,900
	Railways under the Government Examiner of Railway Accounts, Bombay	1,02,302	102	107	.....	.....	2	.....	27,930
,, road		2,91,601	6,065	877	.....	6,736	8,611	.....	8,314
,, sea		1,97,391	4,605	233	10,782	5,009	612	.....	6,400,375
Total	1903	1,05,98,876	32,551	11,811	25,517	672,916	35,501	250,738	8,936,007
	1902	1,41,76,113	91,808	15,757	20,045	713,131	33,901	231,353	7,669,395
	1901	1,07,06,845	87,804	14,130	25,040	640,986	23,907	248,759	8,123,946

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

July 7, 1903

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 4th July 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 4th July 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 5th July 1902.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	103	23,625	343	456	53,475	621
Jute	9	5,700*	39	17	13,850†	159
Firewood	41	27,000	400	44	39,250	586
Other articles	460	1,05,175	1,300	488	1,20,245	1,416
Total ...	613	1,61,400	2,082	1,005	2,26,820	2,782

* Weight by canal measurement, 5,925 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 16,512½ „

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 28th June to 4th July 1903.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1903.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.	°	%			Inches.	
June	28th	128·1	Nil	29·579	82·2	85·8	7·7	78·1	76·4	0·968	78·2	88	WSW and SSW...	127	0·31	Cloud , o, g, d. p.
,,	29th	146·9	2·3	·631	84·0	92·5	16·4	76·1	80·1	·975	78·5	83	SSW and variable	136	0·38	Chiefly cloudy, o, p.
,,	30th	151·2	6·2	·616	83·9	91·2	15·3	75·9	78·4	·899	76·0	77	SSE and SSW ...	128	0·54	Partially cloudy, o.
July	1st	149·7	1·2	·623	80·3	91·1	15·4	75·7	77·2	·894	75·8	87	S and variable ...	86	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, o, b, d, p, t, Z, K.
,,	2nd	150·3	5·0	·589	85·6	92·1	16·2	75·9	79·0	·931	77·1	81	S and S by W ...	149	1·60	Partially cloudy
,,	3rd	120·9	Nil	·602	83·0	88·3	8·4	79·9	78·9	·934	77·2	83	SSW and S ...	83	Nil	Cloudy, o.
,,	4th	140·3	3·0	·566	85·2	90·9	11·9	79·0	80·9	·998	79·2	82	SSW and variable	67	,,	Chiefly cloud , p, t. .

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·601
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·533
		Hours
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		17·7
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		94·2
The mean temperature of the seven days		83·2
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·6
The extreme variation of temperature		16·8
The maximum temperature		92·5
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		13
		%
The mean relative humidity		83
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		85
		Inches
The total fall of rain from 28th June to 4th July 1903		2·83
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		3·48
The total fall from 1st January to 4th July 1903		17·16
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		23·64

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. Rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 a.m. of that day.

o, overcast; g, gloomy; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder; Z, lightning; K, thunderstorm.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 6th July 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,
for Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of January 1903 compared with the corresponding period in 1902.

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	40	411	41	557	1	146	.....	.....	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	4,948	11,446	6,783	13,533	1,835	2,085	.....	.....	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	90	741	107	1,419	17	678	.....	.....	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) } Twist and yarn. { European	11	68	31	395	20	327	.....	.....	
(b) } { Indian ...	368	4,355	474	5,466	106	1,111	.....	.....	
(c) } Piece-goods { European	1,251	16,576	1,418	14,033	167	.....	.....	.....	
(d) } { Indian ...	384	3,001	739	5,633	355	2,631	.....	2,545	
(e) Others	3	35	10	94	7	59	.....	.....	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	26	160	24	150	.....	20	2	.....	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	4	99	157	1,735	153	1,636	.....	.....	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	.....	.....	1	20	1	20	.....	.....	
(b) Others	230	2,015	602	3,101	282	1,086	.....	.....	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	3	39	3	44	.....	5	.....	.....	
3. Cutch	2	49	4	23	... ...	.....	5	27	
4. Indigo	351	3,033	346	2,353	.....	.....	105	680	
5. Myrabolams	2	10	3	40	1	30	.....	.....	
6. Tanning barks	43	128	.....	.....	.....	.....	45	193	
7. Turmeric	124	930	131	1,070	7	140	.....	.....	
8. Others	45	274	71	376	26	102	.....	.....	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	446	2,171	477	1,907	31	... ...	.....	264	
2. Hay, straw, and grass ...	449	2,237	531	2,949	82	712	.....	.....	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	236	1,533	136	641	.....	.....	490	1,092	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse ...	6,231	24,543	7,056	32,021	725	7,679	.....	.....	
2. Jawar and bajra ...	237	4,234	341	1,004	.....	.....	646	3,230	Demand and good crops in Tirhut.
3. } Rice { in the husk ...	3,760	18,555	6,974	18,055	3,214	1,500	.....	.....	
4. } { not in the husk	14,362	58,563	29,335	1,43,875	15,567	84,307	.....	.....	
5. Wheat	1,573	7,760	4,594	27,410	3,021	19,650	.....	.....	
6. Wheat-flour	91	569	186	1,608	95	1,039	.....	.....	
7. Makai	15,407	75,486	10,979	44,650	.....	.....	4,618	30,836	Less demand.
8. Others	4,700	31,822	3,093	19,126	.....	.....	1,607	12,696	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	2	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	7	
(b) Raw	530	3,109	1,014	5,340	475	2,231	.....	.....	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	1	7	1	5	.....	.....	.....	2	
(b) Raw	144	763	249	1,732	105	969	.....	.....	
XI.—Horns	8	63	9	77	1	14	.....	.....	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	4	13	118	369	114	377	.....	.....	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	292	1,684	715	4,637	423	3,033	.....	.....	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,009	6,715	1,666	9,906	657	3,193	.....	.....	
XIV.—Lac	98	804	187	721	89	217	.....	.....	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	5	45	70	220	65	175	.....	.....	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	7	36	8	39	1	23	.....	.....	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Wine	13	146	23	244	10	98	.....	.....	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	4	17	2	13	.....	.....	2	2	
2. ,, wrought ...	104	805	182	1,576	78	771	.....	.....	
3. Copper, unwrought ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4. ,, wrought ...	5	40	13	107	8	67	.....	.....	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	150	814	51	346	.....	.....	99	468	
(b) Unwrought ...	15	45	35	211	20	166	.....	.....	
(c) Wrought	637	3,917	656	3,490	19	.....	.....	427	
(d) Manufactures ...	344	2,176	416	2,855	72	679	.....	.....	
6. Others	161	1,369	161	1,347	.....	78	1	.....	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	1,433	6,991	1,403	6,405	.....	.....	30	586	
2. Castor	42	196	16	124	.....	.....	26	72	
3. Cocoanut	10	40	12	92	2	52	.....	.....	
4. Mustard and rape ...	82	376	61	625	29	249	.....	.....	
5. Others	32	197	13	88	.....	.....	19	109	

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	112	350	428	1,678	316	1,328	.....	.....	Good crops and demand.
2. Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Linseed	1,775	7,130	2,216	9,230	441	2,100	.....	.....	
4. Poppy	78	333	76	379	.....	46	2	.....	
5. Rape and mustard	872	4,743	2,627	13,484	1,755	8,741	.....	.....	
6. Til or jinjili	376	1,554	298	1,359	.....	.....	78	196	
7. Others	510	1,920	207	585	.....	.....	303	1,337	
XX.—Opium	12	61	17	198	5	117	.....	.....	
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	31	210	315	520	284	310	.....	.....	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts	93	997	86	11,127	.....	130	7	.....	
2. Ghee	427	3,305	289	3,138	.....	.....	138	167	
3. Others	823	3,302	2,436	6,714	1,613	3,412	.....	.....	Increase in potato traffic.
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	1	5	7	15	6	10	.....	.....	
(c) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXIV.—Salt	6,561	20,994	8,068	33,642	1,507	5,648	.....	.....	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	904	3,160	1,248	4,687	344	1,527	.....	.....	Demand in Calcutta.
2. Other saline substances	30	183	497	2,305	467	2,122	.....	.....	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	213	1,799	238	2,230	25	432	.....	.....	
2. Cardamoms	7	23	17	226	10	205	.....	.....	
3. Chillies	98	491	173	823	75	331	.....	.....	
4. Ginger	28	256	193	1,871	165	1,614	.....	.....	
5. Pepper	35	340	31	430	.....	90	4	.....	
6. Others	155	1,413	185	1,913	30	499	.....	.....	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	969	1,690	752	2,146	.....	456	117	.....	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	458	2,413	904	6,307	446	3,894	.....	.....	Increased production.
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	273	1,782	621	2,712	348	930	.....	.....	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	7,077	36,539	9,753	52,202	2,676	13,663	.....	.....	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Indian	3	27	3	29	.....	2	1	.....	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	583	4,635	677	4,751	94	116	.....	.....	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	1	10	10	167	9	157	.....	.....	
(b) Other sorts	55	579	13	123	...	.....	42	456	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought	444	632	1,108	1,326	650	694	.....	.....	Increased output from Nepal.
2. Logs	556	734	1,108	2,874	574	1,840	.....	.....	
3. Poles	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4. Manufactures	105	861	349	2,126	144	1,265	.....	.....	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	13	225	4	53	.....	278	9	.....	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs	.....	.....	94	183	94	183	.....	.....	
(b) (c) Piece-goods { European / Indian	12	163	7	110	.....	.....	5	53	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	694	4,197	1,336	13 554	642	9,357	.....	.....	
2. Firewood	2,069	2,544	2,007	3,672	.....	1,128	62	.....	
3. Others not specified above.	5,232	19,743	3,581	18,634	.....	.....	1,651	1,149	
Total	93,864	4,15,531	1,23,651	5,73,025	40,430	2,01,145	10,143	43,641	

GORAKHPUR, *the 29th June 1903.*

J. LIGHTFOOT,
Chief Auditor.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th June 1903 on 1,926·13 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	475,712	4,16,242 0 0	53,54,222 0	9,96,606 0 0 (a)	29,243 0 0	14,42,091 0 0	111,856	189,119	300,475
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	216 1 8	.....	517 6 7	15 2 11	748 11 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 21½ weeks of half-year.	8,667,002	90,69,264 0 0	12,47,13,577 0	2,13,91,783 0 0	6,70,229 0 0	3,11,31,279 0 0	2,566,084	4,059,276	6,647,360
Total for 22½ weeks ...	9,142,714	94,85,506 0 0	13,00,67,599 0	2,23,88,389 0 0	6,99,475 0 0	3,25,73,370 0 0	2,699,440	4,248,395	6,947,835
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	413,465	4,00,744 11 3	56,66,113 0	10,56,321 5 9	31,777 11 3	14,78,843 13 2	112,384	211,268	323,652
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	210 3 7	.....	554 2 9	11 6 9	775 12 4	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 22½ weeks of previous year.	8,993,623	85,76,434 13 3	13,13,56,599 0	2,36,60,661 15 8	5,61,667 9 5	3,27,00,764 6 4	2,441,549	4,711,183	7,152,732

(a) The decrease is chiefly in coal traffic.
* Added No. of passengers 4,184 and Rs. 4,199
† Deducted Mds. 42,336 and added " 3,229
‡ Added " 4,763
§ Audited figures up to 25th April 1903. } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 25th April 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*1,923·93	10 days of January ...	441,020	5,56,014	77,21,283	13,26,967	42,015	18,80,016	966	452,210	4 1 1
*1,923·93	Week ended 17th January	279,477	4,04,052	53,38,435	8,54,330	32,402	13,21,783	791	344,407	4 6 8
*1,926·13	" " 24th " ...	415,930	5,36,367	53,63,940	8,62,148	34,899	14,33,414	744	326,041	4 6 4
*1,926·13	" " 31st " ...	468,838	4,85,857	60,74,585	9,96,561	33,130	15,14,548	786	309,295	4 14 4
*1,926·13	" " 7th Feb. ...	445,235	4,03,481	58,76,777	9,05,833	32,073	13,40,388	696	303,897	4 6 7
*1,926·13	" " 14th " ...	390,149	4,96,057	57,79,184	9,89,575	35,085	14,60,657	758	301,373	4 13 5
*1,926·13	" " 21st " ...	369,813	4,00,163	56,74,056	9,39,488	33,942	13,73,593	713	316,611	4 5 5
*1,926·13	" " 28th " ...	418,447	4,37,840	63,38,835	10,89,717	38,493	15,56,050	808	311,991	4 13 10
*1,926·13	" " 7th March ...	434,741	4,71,527	62,06,661	10,55,880	31,264	15,58,680	809	319,587	4 14 9
*1,926·13	" " 14th " ...	369,011	4,14,837	56,97,607	9,65,038	30,973	13,48,848	700	308,550	4 8 11
*1,926·13	" " 21st " ...	386,627	4,09,569	55,58,772	9,57,065	29,388	13,96,122	724	305,996	4 8 9
*1,926·13	" " 28th " ...	376,545	4,54,335	61,20,193	10,42,753	32,346	15,97,435	783	305,707	4 13 11
*1,926·13	" " 4th April ...	385,626	4,30,786	57,80,211	9,94,799	28,901	13,54,445	719	304,877	4 8 8
*1,926·13	" " 11th " ...	383,319	3,65,366	53,17,578	10,38,743	29,860	14,30,969	744	296,530	4 13 5
*1,926·13	" " 18th " ...	427,376	4,00,232	58,54,636	10,44,338	33,552	14,79,213	768	300,397	4 14 10
*1,926·13	" " 25th " ...	411,399	3,94,466	59,27,067	10,51,493	34,533	14,80,512	769	301,059	4 14 8
1,926·13	" " 2nd May ...	426,111	3,79,153	60,89,003	10,94,671	29,613	15,03,436	780	305,913	4 14 7
1,926·13	" " 9th " ...	460,460	3,94,707	59,37,023	10,78,746	29,016	15,02,468	780	303,853	4 15 1
1,926·13	" " 16th " ...	450,778	3,70,258	61,67,896	11,37,019	29,440	15,36,717	793	311,261	4 14 6
1,926·13	" " 23rd " ...	414,166	3 61,534	60,35,602	11,23,948	29,982	15,13,464	786	313,991	4 13 2
1,926·13	" " 30th " ...	426,914	3,66,904	57,94,290	10,45,575	30,340	14,36,823	747	303,854	4 13 1
1,926·13	" " 6th June ...	475,712	4,16,242	53,54,222	9,96,606	29,243	14,42,091	749	300,475	4 13 9
	Totals up to date ...	9,142,714	94,85,506	13,00,67,599	2,23,88,389	6,99,475	3,25,73,370	754	6,947,835	4 11 0

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,838·04	11 days of January ...	514,286	5,20,478	87,55,287	16,37,551	35,240	22,03,299	1,199	677,810	4 9 10
1,838·04	Week ended 18th January	272,218	3,44,787	50,37,625	9,42,291	24,393	13,09,471	712	301,303	4 5 6
1,838·04	" " 25th " ...	364,471	3,87,440	62,64,836	10,66,188	27,348	14,80,946	789	313,092	4 10 2
1,838·04	" " 1st Feb. "	390,913	3,62,584	53,61,061	10,58,973	23,674	14,45,231	786	309,273	4 10 9
1,838·04	" " 8th " ...	401,029	4,26,653	54,35,791	9,91,887	24,730	14,53,230	791	313,580	4 10 2
1,838·04	" " 15th " ...	364,277	3,87,799	59,15,423	10,99,741	24,885	14,12,425	769	313,802	4 8 1
1,838·04	" " 22nd " ...	430,838	4,02,920	57,93,286	10,30,613	25,991	14,60,533	795	318,898	4 10 6
1,838·04	" " 1st March ...	409,195	4,02,809	57,96,772	10,96,121	23,875	15,12,805	823	320,970	4 11 5
1,838·04	" " 8th " ...	442,705	4,35,781	56,86,936	10,35,683	23,677	14,94,881	813	318,375	4 11 2
1,838·04	" " 15th " ...	430,568	4,15,553	53,91,909	9,80,317	23,180	13,91,840	757	306,603	4 8 2
1,838·04	" " 22nd " ...	395,481	4,12,995	55,35,531	10,10,494	27,657	14,50,616	789	316,887	4 9 3
1,838·04	" " 29th " ...	382,746	3,79,516	47,04,663	8,32,537	22,583	12,15,935	663	306,485	3 15 11
1,838·04	" " 5th April ...	376,494	3,83,340	54,53,126	9,80,538	24,133	13 88,020	744	306,586	4 7 5
1,838·04	" " 12th " ...	386,961	3,66,169	59,67,584	11,13,804	23,565	14,84,538	807	323,091	4 9 5
1,838·04	" " 19th " ...	396,171	3,59,967	62,66,849	11,22,041	27,143	15,09,151	821	324,748	4 10 4
1,838·04	" " 26th " ...	420,978	3,76,797	62,34,565	11,16,880	26,919	15,19,596	827	331,190	4 11 6
1,867·29	" " 3rd May ...	419,769	3,84,287	64,19,420	11,37,200	25,245	15,66,662	839	338,806	4 13 3
1,906·29	" " 10th " ...	471,948	3,89,051	66,19,906	11,32,638	26,151	15,41,840	809	333,729	4 9 11
1,906·29	" " 17th " ...	444,014	3,66,445	61,51,670	11,35,699	30,959	15,31,133	803	331,174	4 10 0
1,906·29	" " 24th " ...	433,533	3,84,444	62,34,787	10,86,732	24,872	14,66,148	770	326,976	4 8 3
1,906·29	" " 31st " ...	408,284	3,65,557	62,32,611	10,41,984	23,799	14,31,151	751	319,536	4 7 8
1,906·29	" " 7th June ...	413,465	4,00,745	56,66,113	10,56,321	31,778	14,78,844	776	323,652	4 9 1
	Totals up to date ...	8,993,623	85,76,435	13,13,56,599	2,36,60,661	5,61,668	3,27,00,764 §	781	7,152,732	4 9 2

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th June 1903 on 23·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	22,583	5,640 0 0	15,103 0	577 0 0	8 0 0	6,225 0 0	1,051	137	1,188
Or per mile of railway	.....	253 11 5	.....	25 15 8	0 5 9	280 0 5	... ..	.....	.. ..
For previous 21½ weeks of half-year.	541,423*	1,39,766 0 0*	5,16,760 0†	18,227 0 0†	192 0 0‡	1,58,185 0 0	23,057§	5,112§	26,169
Total for 22½ weeks ...	563,956	1,45,406 0 0	5,32,863 0	18,804 0 0	200 0 0	1,64,410 0 0	24,108	3,249	27,357
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	19,732	4,966 10 4	15,000 10	601 8 0	8 13 0	5,576 15 4	1,111	77	1,188
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	223 6 9	.....	27 0 11	0 6 4	250 14 0	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 22½ weeks of previous year.	559,346	1,41,510 3 5	4,69,182 10	17,988 11 0	191 6 8	1,59,690 5 1	24,268	2,959	27,224

* Deducted No. of passengers 3,361 and Rs. 1,414
† Added Mds. 1,31. and deducted ,, 104
‡ Do. ,, 8
} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 25th April 1903.

§ Audited figures up to 25th April 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	10 days of January ...	28,512	7,149	27,557	1,005	11	8,165	371	1,716	4 12 0
*22·23	Week ended 17th January	20,434	4,956	23,146	739	13	5,677	255	1,188	4 12
*22·23	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	23,567	5,384	18,117	667	18	6,069	273	1,188	5 1 9
*22·23	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	23,874	5,461	20,919	873	7	6,341	284	1,188	5 5 8
*22·23	,, ,, 7th Feb. ...	23,497	6,107	18,435	755	10	6,873	309	1,188	5 12 7
*22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ..	24,285	6,457	23,046	804	7	7,268	326	1,188	6 2 3
*22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	23,377	5,578	20,372	1,131	12	6,711	302	1,188	5 10 5
*22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	28,677	10,755	27,945	981	4	11,740	524	1,674	7 14 4
*22·23	,, ,, 7th March	26,230	6,709	21,181	713	6	7,428	334	1,188	6 4 0
*22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	26,846	6,649	21,280	849	11	7,509	338	1,188	6 5 2
*22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	23,899	5,913	21,053	993	8	6,919	311	1,188	5 13 3
*22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	23,950	5,886	75,553	1,655	12	7,553	340	1,188	6 5 9
*22·23	,, ,, 4th April...	25,803	6,250	22,401	948	5	7,203	356	1,188	6 10 5
*22·23	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	37,406	10,956	24,154	927	8	11,891	535	1,276	9 5 1
*22·23	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	44 814	13,573	17,291	672	9	14,254	641	1,496	9 8 5
*22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	17,249	4,033	28,297	991	15	5,039	227	1,188	4 3 10
22·23	,, ,, 2nd May ...	20,569	5,296	17,685	667	8	5,964	268	1,188	5 0 4
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	23,871	5,847	18,385	746	7	6,593	297	1,188	5 8 11
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, .	23,690	5,933	17,316	735	8	6,676	300	1,190	5 9 1
22·23	,, ,, 22rd ,, ...	21,942	5,313	17,446	736	7	6,056	272	1,188	5 1 7
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	20,645	4,873	16,978	671	7	5,551	250	1,188	4 10 9
22·23	,, ,, 6th June ...	22,583	5,640	15,103	577	8	6,225	280	1,188	5 3 10
	Total up to date ...	563,956	1,45,406	5,32,863	18,804	200	1,64,410	330	27,357	6 0 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	11 days of January ...	31,035	7,209	38,335	1,254	16	8,479	361	1,914	4 6 11
22·23	Week ended 18th January	21,539	4,939	13,777	544	9	5,492	247	1,188	4 10 9
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	22,871	5,506	22,269	880	6	6,391	286	1,188	5 5 7
22·23	,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	20,860	4,872	20,234	778	3	5,653	254	1,188	4 12 8
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	20,347	4,911	21,300	807	12	5,730	258	1,188	4 13 2
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	20,433	4,869	19,786	807	5	5,681	256	1,188	4 12 6
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,787	6,789	23,480	874	10	7,673	345	1,188	6 7 6
22·23	,, ,, 1st March ...	25,216	5,989	25,912	911	9	6,909	311	1,188	5 13 1
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ..	35,956	9,731	25,468	938	6	10,675	480	1,332	8 10 8
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	28,282	6,846	20,726	857	13	7,716	349	1,296	5 15 6
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	24,516	6,120	21,144	909	7	7,036	317	1,188	5 16 9
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	23,183	5,775	20,503	784	7	6,566	295	1,188	5 8 5
22·23	,, ,, 5th April	26,183	6,692	23,289	765*	9	7,466	338	1,188	6 3 7
22·23	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	39,346	11,171	18,946	809	11	11,991	539	1,320	9 1 4
22·23	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	36,140	11,856	14,017	696	10	12,564	571	1,364	9 4 11
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,,	21,442	5,695	17,732	815	10	6,710	302	1,188	5 10 4
22·23	,, ,, 3rd May ...	22,813	5,464	19,816	784	8	6,256	276	1,188	5 3 8
22·23	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	25,811	6,292	14,056	630	7	6,929	313	1,188	5 13 4
22·23	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	28,747	5,349	14,852	838	8	5,883	265	1,188	4 15 3
22·23	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	23,387	5,892	26,080	1,131	5	6,728	303	1,188	5 10 7
22·23	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	20,326	4,813	24,387	770	11	5,594	252	1,188	4 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 7th June ,,	19,733	4,906	15,000	601	9	5,577	251	1,188	4 11 1
	Totals up to date ...	559,346	1,41,510	4,69,182	17,989	191	1,59,690	313	27,224	5 13 6

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th June 1903 on 162·24 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	25,300	20,220 0 0	1,03,026 0	11,679 0 0	62 0 0	31,970 0 0	9,409	3,593	13,002
Or per mile of railway ...	...	124 11 0	...	71 15 9	0 6 1	197 0 10	... ,,	...	.....
For previous 21½ weeks of half-year	499,711*	4,06,876 0 0*	23,20,903 0†	2,65,364 0 0†	2,260 0 0‡	7,64,500 0 0	213,504§	94,448§	308,012
Total for 22½ weeks ...	525,011	5,17,105 0 0	24,24,889 0	2,77,043 0 0	2,322 0 0	7,96,470 0 0	223,683	98,041	321,074
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	24,621	20,007 4 11	1,07,878 0	13,374 9 0	43 6 0	33,425 3 11	8,613	5 813	13,986
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	123 5 1	.....	82 7 0	0 4 3	206 0 4	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 22½ weeks of previous year.	489,831	4,29,903 4 5	25,06,216 0	3,01,727 3 8	1,455 12 7	7,32,996 4 8	192,329	1,06,670	298,999

* Added No. of passengers 3,396 and Rs. 1,888
† Do. maunds 79,114 ,, ,, 2,718
‡ Deducted ,, 21
} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 25th April 1903.

§ Audited figures up to 25th April 1903.

1903 *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·24	10 days of January ...	41,660	43,925	98,516	10,626	788	55,739	337	21,219	2 9 8
*162·24	Week ended 17th January .	24,540	32,378	87,560	9,732	295	42,305	384	18,657	4 9 0
*162·24	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	25,431	34,511	1,06,797	13,458	321	48,310	298	15,748	3 1 1
*162·24	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	21,046	18,417	1,35,516	15,914	332	34,563	213	15,638	2 3 4
*162·24	,, ,, 7th Feb. ...	23,828	16,471	1,19,067	12,618	94	29,180	180	13,964	2 1 9
*162·24	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	19,196	15,809	1,06,497	14,047	81	29,988	201	14,127	2 5 0
*162·24	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	19,647	16,138	1,16,252	12,756	53	28,941	178	14,193	2 0 7
*162·24	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	20,873	16,647	1,34,618	14,514	70	31,231	193	13,646	2 4 7
*162·24	,, ,, 7th Mar. ...	21,799	13,054	1,30,160	13,440	63	26,557	164	14,353	1 13 7
*162·24	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	20,301	17,403	1,08,021	13,081	104	30,588	189	13,992	2 3 1
*162·24	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	24,251	28,384	1,29,977	13,675	77	39,006	240	14,635	2 10 6
*162·24	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	25,450	31,703	1,39,532	13,325	77	47,106	290	16,100	2 14 10
*162·24	,, ,, 4th April ...	24,961	25,971	91,341	13,763	92	39,816	229	15,611	2 7 9
*162·24	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	22,334	23,244	1,01,542	13,271	61	36,576	225	14,373	2 8 9
*162·24	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	20,135	26,736	71,533	10,405	67	37,196	219	13,983	2 10 6
*162·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	24,702	22,146	1,73,513	13,279	36	35,461	219	13,927	2 6 9
162·24	,, ,, 2nd May ...	21,375	19,554	83,927	9,398	71	29,017	179	13,604	2 2 2
162·24	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	21,939	18,622	99,896	12,834	77	31,533	196	13,708	2 4 10
162·24	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	23,866	19,961	99,448	10,774	85	30,820	190	13,844	2 3 7
162·24	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	22,128	17,409	108,191	11,585	74	29,068	179	13,965	2 1 4
162·24	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	22,270	18,574	1,07,016	12,089	73	30,736	189	13,815	2 3 7
162·24	,, ,, 6th June ...	25,300	20,220	1,03,026	11,679	62	31,970	197	13,002	2 7 2
	Totals up to date ...	525,011	5,17,105	† 24,24,889	2,77,043	2,322	7,96,470	219	3,21,674	2 7 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	11 days of January ...	25,067	20,571	1,56,491	18,783	66	39,420	243	18,248	2 2 7
162·24	Week ended 18th January ...	16,445	11,691	1,01,583	10,896	64	22,650	140	13,074	1 14 0
162·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	18,935	13,953	2,77,634	16,113	49	30,117	165	13,690	2 0 3
162·24	,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	19,322	16,655	1,13,113	11,048	70	27,763	171	13,513	2 4 1
162·24	,, ,, 8th ,,	18 763	15,536	97,905	10,926	70	27,532	170	13,202	2 1 1
162·24	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,477	15,931	2,82,756	15,004	61	30,996	191	12,513	2 7 3
162·24	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	23,207	17,153	1,93,031	16,089	93	33,334	206	11,997	2 12 2
162·24	,, ,, 1st March ...	22,775	18,083	1,71,585	14,201	77	32,151	204	11,750	2 15 2
162·24	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	23,825	19,523	94,305	11,710	95	31,328	193	12,504	2 8 1
162·24	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	23,944	23,093	1,36,606	11,414	83	34,589	213	13,153	2 10 2
162·24	,, ,, 22nd ,,	21,910	21,489	1,25,823	13,279	66	37,227	230	14,068	2 5 5
162·24	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	22,068	24,338	1,44,747	16,853	43	40,686	252	15,125	2 11 3
162·24	,, ,, 5th April ...	25,317	25,509	2,30,615	13,979	90	39,578	238	14,143	2 11 5
162·24	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	21,025	21,951	1,10,634	11,766	83	33,800	209	13,488	2 7 8
162·24	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	20,155	19,142	1,13,127	11,867	80	31,089	191	13,5 .	2 1 6
162·24	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	20,073	22,833	1,16,617	13,980	44	36,856	227	14,617	2 8 10
162·24	,, ,, 3rd May ...	23,240	21,093	1,12,630	9,305	61	30,539	188	14,434	2 2 1
162·24	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	23,183	19,317	89,960	12,485	89	31,891	196	14,480	2 3 1
162·24	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	24,049	20,056	92,624	12,351	83	32,491	200	13,592	2 6 3
162·24	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	24,870	19,843	1,15,748	16,048	70	35,916	220	15,932	2 8 11
162·24	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	26,490	21,385	5,98,407	18,340	64	39,789	245	13,533	2 14 0
162·24	,, ,, 7th June ...	24,631	20,007	107,878	13,374	44	33,425	206	13,986	2 6 4
	Totals up to date ...	499,831	4,29,903	35,06,216	3,01,727	1,456	7,32,996	200	298,999	2 7 2

* Audited figures.

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th June 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	14,608	7,046 0 0	38,322 0	2,806 0 0	33 0 0	9,975 0 0	1,845	1,169	3,014
Or per mile of railway	... ...	89 7 5	.	36 12 4	0 6 8	126 10 5	..	..	.....
For previous 21½ weeks of half-year	295,716*	1,51,003 0 0*	12,22,199 0†	79,796 0 0†	642 0 0‡	2,31,443 0 0	39,392§	24,385§	63,777
Total for 22½ weeks ...	310,324	1,58,049 0 0	12,60,521 0	82,604 0 0	675 0 0	2,41,418 0 0	41,237	25,554	66,791
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	13,422	6,197 15 4	41,791 0	2,843 9 0	32 9 3	9,074 1 7	1,937	977	2,914
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	78 11 1	..	36 1 8	0 6 8	115 3 5		.....	.....
Total for corresponding 22½ weeks of previous year	312,408	1,60,059 0 11	11,15,136 30	75,855 10 0	479 10 6	2,36,394 5 5	43,517	23,027	66,544

* Deducted No. of passengers 3,450 and Rs 2,036
† Added Mds. 3,437 ,, deducted ,, 105
‡ Do. ,, 9
} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 25th April 1903.
§ Audited figures up to 25th April 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total.	Per mile of railway	Train mileage	
		No. of passengers	Rs	Mds	Rs.	Rs	Rs	Rs.	No	Rate Rs A. P
*78·76	10 days of January ..	14,181	7,431	57,786	3,951	23	11,405	145	4,096	2 12 7
*78·76	Week ended 17th January ..	11,783	5,764	56,927	3,089	26	8,849	112	3,385	2 9 10
*78·76	,, ,, 24th ,, ..	12,336	6,450	57,297	2,625	30	9,095	115	3,635	2 8 3
*78·76	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	13,114	6,849	49,515	2,858	20	9,726	123	2,992	3 4 0
*78·76	,, ,, 7th February	13,177	7,104	41,696	2,894	20	10,019	127	2,599	3 13 8
*78·76	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	14,312	7,854	42,615	2,976	16	10,846	134	2,589	4 0 11
*78·76	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	14,283	7,829	31,725	3,077	24	10,931	139	2,672	4 1 3
*78·76	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	15 583	8,300	74,259	5,452	31	13,753	175	2,899	4 6 8
*78·76	,, ,, 7th March .	16,741	8,873	62,773	4 254	47	13,174	167	3,239	4 1 3
*78·76	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	15,515	8,987	53,989	3,468	37	10,389	134	3,387	3 1 0
*78·76	,, ,, 21st ,, ..	16,686	9,567	71,662	4,946	42	14,475	184	2,914	4 15 6
*78·76	,, ,, 28th ,, ..	17,371	9,455	64,391	3,949	28	13,432	171	2,914	4 9 9
*78·76	,, ,, 4th April ..	17,246	10,117	57,109	3,310	28	13,455	210	2,150	5 5 7
*78·76	,, ,, 11th ,, ..	11,098	5,819	61,748	4,127	33	9,979	127	2,923	3 5 4
*78·76	,, ,, 18th ,, ..	13,741	5,994	70,186	3,623	41	9,657	121	3,465	2 12 2
*78·76	,, ,, 25th ,, ..	10,236	4,342	73,894	3 4 4	36	7,802	99	3,150	2 7 8
78·76	,, ,, 2nd May ...	12,796	5,833	67,729	4,686	37	10,551	134	2,916	3 9 11
78·76	,, ,, 9th ,, ..	14,744	7,001	54,236	3,696	36	10,733	136	2,150	3 6 6
78·76	,, ,, 16th ,, ..	14,346	7,040	49,117	3,874	31	10,954	139	3,043	3 9 7
78·76	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	13 409	6,925	46,836	3,923	30	9,978	127	2,796	3 9 1
78·76	,, ,, 30th ,, ..	13,236	6,910	37,898	2,743	30	9,683	123	2,894	3 3 6
78·76	,, ,, 6th June ...	14,606	7 046	38,432	2,906	23	9,975	127	3,014	3 4 11
	Totals up to date ...	310,324	1,58,049	12,60,521	82,604	675	2,41,418	137	66,791	3 9 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902

		No of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P
1·76	11 days of January ...	19,660	10,417	55,787	3,617	20	14,054	179	4,568	3 1 4
..1 76	Week ended 18th January ..	11,380	5,438	35,398	2,027	19	8,154	104	3,385	2 14 9
78·76	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	13,043	6,982	55,926	2,803	33	9,890	135	2,836	3 7 9
78·76	,, ,, 1st February	12,341	6,348	33,970	2,178	9	8,438	107	3,150	2 10 10
78·76	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	13,181	6,717	32,168	2,290	13	8,980	114	3,071	2 14 8
78·76	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	12,317	6,304	30,694	2,138	17	8,984	114e	2,838	3 3 6
78·76	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	14,785	8,160	33,766	2,476	20	10,656	135	2,992	3 9 0
78·76	,, ,, 1st March ..	15,653	9,408	37,731	2,819	21	11,646	148	2,838	4 1 9
78·76	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	14,492	8,578	50,922	3,579	26	12,183	155	2,676	4 8 9
78·76	,, ,, 15th ,, ..	14,340	8,141	62,926	5,234	22	13,387	170	2,992	4 7 7
78·76	,, ,, 22nd ,, .	10,128	9,819	55,914	4,128	17	13,964	177	2,993	4 10 8
78·76	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	13,481	8,179	54,816	4,088	25	12,242	155	3,071	3 15 9
78·76	,, ,, 5th April ...	15,589	8,383	71,008	5,025	33	13,341	169	2,993	4 7 4
78·76	,, ,, 12th ,, .	15,155	7,531	63,600	4 619	24	12,174	155	2,838	4 4 8
78·76	,, ,, 19th ,, ..	15,795	7,075	44,791	3,836	15	10,926	139	2,913	3 12 6
78·76	,, ,, 26th ,, ..	12,371	5,737	35,168	4,012	22	9,771	124	3,071	3 2 11
78·76	,, ,, 3rd May	12,705	5,789	55,782	4,105	20	9,894	126	3,150	3 2 3
78·76	,, ,, 10th ,, .	14,401	6,157	48,006	3,628	18	9,998	127	2,993	3 5 5
78·76	,, ,, 17th ,, ..	14,037	6,084	50,087	3,440	21	9,554	121	2,993	3 3 1
78·76	,, ,, 24th ,, ..	14,740	6,264	44,351	2,915	22	9,201	117	3,071	2 15 11
78·76	,, ,, 31st ,, ..	12,920	6,080	91,132	3,824	20	9,924	126	2,756	3 9 7
78·76	,, ,, 7th June .	13,422	6,198	41,791	2,844	32	9,074	115	2 914	3 1 10
	Totals up to date ...	312,408	1,60,059	11,15,137	75,858	479	2 36,394	133	66 544	3 3 10

* Audited figures.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th June 1903 on 1,926·13 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	480,328	4,00,269 0 0	54,13,154 0	9,78,737 0 0	30,085 0 0	14,09,091 0 0	112,812	191,277	304,089
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	207 13 0	.....	508 2 2	15 9 11	731 9 1	...	...	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year	9,148,718*	94,68,100 0 0*	12,09,87,385 0†	2,24,19,713 0 0†	7,07,701 0 0‡	3,26,95,514 0 0	2,696,881§	4,255,001§	6,951,882
Total for 23½ weeks ...	9,629,046	98,68,369 0 0	13,54,00,539 0	2,33,98,450 0 0	7,37,786 0 0	3,40,04,605 0 0	2,809,693	14,446,278	7,256,971
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	435,346	3,92,071 5 6	61,92,063 0	9,68,600 10 0	24,160 8 11	13,84,832 8 5	109,151	206,954	316,135
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	206 0 5	.....	506 8 3	12 10 2	724 2 10	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 23½ weeks of previous year	9,428,970	89,70,506 3 9	13,74,48,662 0	2,48,29,262 9 8	5,85,828 2 4	3,40,85,596 14 9	2,559,729	4,930,137	7,470,866

* Added No. of passengers 6,001 and deducted Rs. 17,406 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended
† Deducted Mds. 80,214 ,, added ,, 31,224 } 2nd May 1903.
‡ Added ,, 8,226
§ Audited figures up to 2nd May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*1,923·93	10 days of January ...	441,029	3,58,014	77,21,255	13,38,987	44,015	18,39,016	956	468,210	4 1 1
*1,923·93	Week ended 17th ,, ...	379,477	3,09,961	53,38,436	8,84,330	23,402	13,21,793	791	344,407	4 0 8
*1,926·13	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	415,930	3,36,967	53,66,940	8,63,146	24,899	14,33,014	744	326,961	4 6 4
*1,926·13	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	438,338	4,85,857	60,74,585	9,93,161	34,130	15,14,948	786	309,396	4 14 4
*1,926·13	,, ,, 7th Feb. ...	445,985	4,02,451	58,78,777	9,05,823	23,073	13,40,353	696	303,897	4 6 7
*1,926·13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	390,146	4,36,057	57,79,154	9,09,575	25,055	14,09,687	758	301,573	4 13 5
*1,926·13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	369,813	4,00,162	56,74,066	9,24,488	23,943	13,73,593	713	316,611	4 5 5
*1,926·13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	418,447	4,37,840	63,32,835	10,89,717	28,493	15,56,050	808	311,991	4 15 10
*1,923·13	,, ,, 7th March ...	434,741	4,71,527	62,06,661	10,58,589	31,264	15,61,381	809	319,887	4 14 0
*1,926·13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	399,911	4,14,837	56,97,607	9,63,036	30,973	13,48,846	700	308,550	4 8 11
*1,926·13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	386,027	4,09,669	55,85,772	9,57,065	28,385	13,95,121	724	308,996	4 8 9
*1,926·13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	376,846	4,82,335	61,39,423	10,48,758	32,346	15,27,435	793	306,707	4 15 11
*1,926·13	,, ,, 4th April ...	385,626	4,80,786	57,80,211	9,34,788	28,901	13,84,445	719	304,827	4 8 8
*1,926·13	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	383,322	3,65,306	53,17,578	10,39,743	29,889	14,33,969	744	296,826	4 13 5
*1,926·13	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	427,875	4,00,931	58,84,628	10,44,828	33,533	14,79,312	768	300,297	4 14 10
*1,926·13	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	411,389	3,94,486	59,27,067	10,51,403	34,533	14,80,313	769	301,059	4 14 5
*1,926·13	,, ,, 2nd May ...	432,113	3,61,747	60,06,769	11,35,205	37,636	15,34,989	798	308,999	4 14 9
1,926·13	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	460,460	3,94,707	59,97,023	10,78,746	39,013	15,02,466	780	293,853	4 15 1
1,926·13	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	459,776	3,70,358	61,87,596	11,37,914	39,449	15,26,717	793	311,231	4 14 6
1,926·13	,, ,, 23rd ,, ..	414,165	3,61,534	60,35,692	11,28,942	38,992	15,13,469	786	313,881	4 13 2
1,926·13	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	426,814	3,62,904	57,94,209	10,46,475	30,349	14,39,728	747	308,434	4 13 1
1,926·13	,, ,, 6th June ...	473,713	4,16,342	53,54,212	9,96,606	29,243	14,42,091	749	300,475	4 13 9
1,926·13	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	480,328	4,00,269	54,13,154	9,78,737	30,085	14,09,091	732	304,089	4 10 2
	Totals up to date ...	9,629,543	98,68,369	13,54,00,539	2,33,98,450	7,37,786	3,40,04,605	754	7,255,971	4 11 0

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,836·04	11 days of January ...	514,285	5,80,478	87,38,987	16,87,681	54,340	23,03,299	1,199	477,519	4 9 10
1,836·04	Week ended 18th ,, ...	372,315	3,44,787	50,37,025	9,46,291	23,393	13,08,471	713	291,366	4 5 6
1,836·04	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	384,471	3,57,440	62,64,876	10,66,158	27,348	14,50,946	789	313,692	4 10 2
1,836·04	,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	396,914	3,62,584	58,61,861	10,56,975	23,674	14,45,231	786	309,573	4 10 9
1,836·04	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	401,029	4,36,883	54,25,791	9,91,457	24,790	14,53,130	791	313,590	4 10 3
1,836·04	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	384,377	3,87,799	59,18,422	10,00,741	24,885	14,13,425	769	312,808	4 8 1
1,836·04	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	430,832	4,03,920	57,93,286	10,39,618	26,991	14,80,529	795	315,398	4 10 6
1,836·04	,, ,, 1st March ...	409,196	4,09,809	57,92,779	10,36,121	23,875	15,12,805	828	309,979	4 11 5
1,836·04	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	442,705	4,56,751	56,96,936	10,35,583	28,477	14,94,861	813	318,375	4 11 2
1,836·04	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	420,658	4,15,583	58,91,940	9,50,807	25,180	13,91,540	757	308,932	4 8 2
1,836·04	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	395,421	4,12,365	58,25,851	10,10,494	27,657	14,50,516	780	316,887	4 9 3
1,836·04	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	352,746	3,70,815	47,94,663	8,23,677	21,583	12,16,075	663	304,495	3 15 11
1,836·04	,, ,, 5th April ...	376,444	3,83,349	54,53,126	9,60,536	24,133	13,68,020	744	306,396	4 7 5
1,836·04	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	368,981	3,48,169	59,47,854	11,13,804	23,565	14,84,538	808	323,691	4 9 5
1,836·04	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	386,171	3,59,967	62,66,999	11,28,041	27,143	15,09,151	821	324,744	4 10 6
1,836·04	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	420,878	3,76,797	62,39,585	11,16,880	26,919	15,19,596	827	322,100	4 11 6
1,807·79	,, ,, 3rd May ...	419,769	3,84,257	64,19,420	11,57,209	26,206	15,68,092	869	328,906	4 12 3
1,906·29	,, ,, 10th ,, ..	471,348	3,82,051	65,19,006	11,33,695	26,161	15,41,840	809	333,759	4 9 11
1,906·29	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	444,014	3,68,448	61,51,670	11,32,690	30,989	15,31,133	803	331,174	4 10 0
1,906·29	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	435,893	3,54,444	62,34,787	10,88,782	24,978	14,68,148	770	324,976	4 8 3
1,906·29	,, ,, 31st ,, ..	408,324	3,63,337	62,22,611	10,43,944	23,790	14,51,121	781	319,529	4 7 3
1,913·28	,, ,, 7th June ...	413,405	4,00,745	60,05,118	10,46,321	21,776	14,78 844	776	323,952	4 9 1
	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	435,348	3,92,071	61,92,063	9,68,601	24,160	13,84,832	784	316,136	4 5 5
	Totals up to date ,,	9,428,970	89,70,506	13,74,48,662	2,48,29,262	5,85,828	3,40,85,597	779	7,470,866	4 9 0

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th June 1903 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	23,700	5,711 0 0	15,670 0	503 0 0	9 0 0	6,313 0 0	1,047	141	1,188
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	256 14 6	.....	22 10 9	0 6 6	283 15 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year	565,568*	1,45,035 0 0*	5,37,554 0†	18,671 0 0†	201 0 0‡	1,64,907 0 0	24,077§	3,260§	27,337
Total for 23½ weeks ...	589,318	1,51,336 0 0	5,53,224 0	19,464 0 0	210 0 0	1,71,010 0 0	25,124	3,401	28,525
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	13,137	5,480 6 0	20,192 0	638 14 0	0 11 0	6,128 15 0	1,101	87	1,188
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	246 8 6	.....	28 11 10	0 7 0	275 11 4	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 23½ weeks of previous year.	552,483	1,46,990 9 5	4,89,344 10	16,507 9 0	201 1 8	1,65,759 4 1	25,466	3,046	28,512

* Added No. of passengers 1,603 and
† Ditto Mds. 5,021 and
‡ Ditto Rs. 219 } on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 2nd
" 67 } May 1903.
Rs. 1 }
§ Audited figures up to 2nd May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	10 days of January ...	28,612	7,149	27,557	1,036	11	8,255	371	1,710	4 13 0
*22·23	Week ended 17th " ...	20,454	4,936	23,146	739	12	5,677	255	1,188	4 12 5
*22·23	" " 24th " ...	22,567	5,384	18,117	667	18	6,069	273	1,188	5 1 9
*22·23	" " 31st " ...	22,674	5,441	22,910	873	7	6,321	284	1,188	5 5 2
*22·23	" " 7th Feb. ...	22,497	5,107	18,438	785	10	5,872	264	1,188	5 13 7
*22·23	" " 14th " ...	26,265	6,467	23,046	864	7	7,298	328	1,188	6 2 8
*22·23	" " 21st " ...	23,377	5,578	20,372	1,121	13	6,711	302	1,188	5 10 1
*22·23	" " 28th " ...	35,677	10,755	27,645	881	4	11,640	524	1,474	7 14 4
*22·23	" " 7th Mar....	26,330	6,708	21,161	712	6	7,426	334	1,188	6 4 0
*22·23	" " 14th " ...	28,446	6,649	21,880	649	11	7,309	328	1,188	6 5 2
*22·23	" " 21st " ...	29,803	6,913	21,033	966	8	6,919	311	1,188	5 13 2
*22·23	" " 28th " ...	22,950	5,886	75,552	1,658	13	7,553	340	1,188	6 5 9
*22·23	" " 4th April ...	26,803	6,960	22,401	948	5	7,903	356	1,188	6 10 5
*22·23	" " 11th " ...	37,408	10,956	24,156	927	8	11,891	535	1,276	9 5 1
*22·23	" " 18th " ...	44,814	12,573	17,291	673	9	14,254	641	1,466	9 8 5
*22·23	" " 25th " ...	17,349	4,033	23,297	991	15	5,039	227	1,188	4 3 10
*22·23	" " 2nd May ...	22,671	5,515	22,686	727	9	6,251	281	1,188	5 4 5
22·23	" " 9th " ...	22,171	5,847	18,286	748	7	6,602	297	1,188	5 8 11
22·23	" " 16th " ...	23,690	5,983	17,216	735	8	6,676	300	1,190	5 9 1
22·23	" " 23rd " ...	21,943	5,313	17,446	736	7	6,055	272	1,188	5 1 7
22·23	" " 30th " ...	20,665	4,873	16,078	671	7	5,551	250	1,188	4 10 9
22·23	" " 6th June...	22,533	5,640	15,103	677	8	6,325	280	1,188	5 5 10
22·23	" " 13th " ...	23,780	5,701	15,470	593	9	6,313	284	1,188	5 5 6
	Totals up to date ...	589,318	1,51,336	553,224	19,464	210	1,71,010	328	28,545	5 15 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	11 days of January ...	31,035	7,209	23,355	1,254	16	8,479	361	1,914	4 6 11
22·23	Week ended 18th " ...	21,539	4,939	13,777	544	9	5,492	247	1,188	4 10 0
22·23	" " 25th " ...	22,671	5,506	22,350	830	6	6,351	286	1,188	5 6 7
22·23	" " 1st Feb. ...	20,860	4,872	20,234	778	3	5,653	254	1,188	4 12 2
22·23	" " 8th " ...	20,347	4,911	21,200	807	12	5,730	258	1,188	4 13 2
22·23	" " 15th " ...	20,433	4,909	19,736	807	5	5,681	256	1,188	4 12 6
22·23	" " 22nd " ...	27,757	6,789	23,420	874	19	7,673	348	1,188	6 7 4
22·23	" " 1st March...	25,216	6,269	25,912	911	9	6,909	311	1,188	5 13 1
22·23	" " 8th " ...	25,988	9,731	25,488	995	6	10,675	480	1,332	8 18 6
22·23	" " 15th " ...	26,292	6,648	20,736	867	13	7,748	349	1,293	5 14 9
22·23	" " 22nd " ...	24,518	6,190	21,144	909	7	7,053	317	1,188	5 6 5
22·23	" " 29th " ...	23,183	5,775	20,503	754	7	6,536	295	1,188	5 3 7
22·23	" " 5th April ...	26,745	6,622	25,289	765	9	7,396	333	1,188	6 3 7
22·23	" " 12th " ...	39,366	11,171	18,948	809	11	11,991	539	1,330	9 1 4
22·23	" " 19th " ...	36,140	11,858	14,017	838	10	12,694	571	1,364	9 10 6
22·23	" " 26th " ...	21,442	5,895	17,723	815	10	6,720	302	1,188	5 9 8
22·23	" " 3rd May ...	22,813	5,404	19,816	724	8	6,136	276	1,188	5 3 4
22·23	" " 10th " ...	25,311	6,272	14,056	650	7	6,929	312	1,188	5 13 4
22·23	" " 17th " ...	23,747	5,349	14,882	615	8	5,972	268	1,195	5 10 7
22·23	" " 24th " ...	22,357	5,502	38,080	1,151	5	6,728	303	1,188	5 11 4
22·23	" " 31st " ...	20,226	4,918	20,367	770	11	5,694	252	1,175	4 11 1
22·23	" " 7th June ..	19,782	4,906	15,000	602	9	5,577	251	1,188	5 3 7
22·23	" " 14th "	23,137	5,480	20,192	639	10	6,129	276	1,188	
	Totals up to date ...	552,483	1,46,990	4,89,344	16,508	201	1,65,759	310	28,512	5 13 0

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th June 1903 on 169·24 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	25,443	19,604 0 0	99,564 0	12,356 0 0	51 0 0	31,913 0 0	9,946	3,808	13,582
Per mile of railway ..	.....	120 13 4	.....	75 8 11	0 5 0	196 11 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 22½ weeks of half-year	537,224*	5,22,843 0 0*	24,95,102 0†	2,85,193 0 0†	2,297 0 0‡	8,10,333 0 0	283,061§	98,547§	381,608
Total for 23½ weeks ..	562,667	5,42,447 0 0	25,94,666 0	2,97,451 0 0	2,348 0 0	8,42,246 0 0	293,027	1,02,155	395,180
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	26,564	20,735 9 7	85,925 10	11,235 15 9	51 5 9	33,142 14 4	8,468	4,637	13,205
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	127 14 11	.....	69 13 11	0 5 1	198 1 11	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 23½ weeks of previous year	516,396	4,50,558 14 0	26,55,141 10	3,13,063 2 8	1,507 2 4	7,65,129 3 0	290,707	111,507	313,214

* Added No. of passengers 2,313 and Rs. 5,736
† Do Mds. 70,215 .. Rs. 8,180
‡ Deducted .. Rs. 25
§ Audited figures up to 2nd May 1903.

} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 2nd May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*169·24	10 days of January ...	41,640	43,935	96,816	10,626	185	54,739	327	21,219	2 9 8
*169·24	Week ended 17th ,, ...	24,540	25,278	87,860	9,732	295	35,305	284	13,537	4 9 0
*169·24	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	25,431	24,531	1,06,797	13,455	321	38,310	226	15,748	3 1 1
*169·24	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	21,005	18,417	1,35,818	15,914	223	34,563	213	15,633	2 3 4
*169·24	,, ,, 7th Feb. ...	22,898	16,471	1,14,067	12,615	94	29,180	180	13,564	2 1 9
*169·24	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	19,196	18,590	1,06,497	14,047	51	32,688	201	14,127	2 5 0
*169·24	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	19,647	16,123	1,16,258	13,755	53	29,941	178	14,122	2 0 7
*169·24	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	20,878	16,847	1,36,693	14,314	70	31,231	183	13,646	2 4 7
*169·24	,, ,, 7th March ...	21,709	13,084	1,20,160	13,440	63	26,587	164	14,378	1 13 7
*169·24	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	20,801	17,403	1,08,081	13,081	106	30,590	189	13,992	2 3 1
*169·24	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	24,951	25,154	1,20,977	15,675	77	39,006	240	14,655	2 10 6
*169·24	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	23,450	21,706	1,39,502	18,325	77	67,108	249	16,109	3 16 10
*169·24	,, ,, 4th April ...	24,961	25,971	91,341	12,763	94	38,816	239	15,611	2 7 9
*169·24	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	22,334	23,344	1,01,542	13,271	61	36,576	225	14,373	2 8 9
*169·24	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	20,135	20,736	71,535	10,405	67	31,199	219	13,981	2 10 8
*169·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	24,768	22,146	1,73,613	13,279	36	35,461	210	13,927	2 8 9
*169·24	,, ,, 2nd May ...	23,489	20,392	1,54,140	17,848	46	42,280	264	14,156	3 0 6
169·24	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	21,930	18,622	90,396	12,634	77	31,833	194	13,706	2 4 10
169·24	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	22,806	19,961	90,441	10,774	85	30,820	190	13,944	2 3 7
169·24	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	22,139	17,409	1,08,191	11,885	74	29,068	179	13,955	2 1 4
169·24	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	23,270	18,574	1,07,016	13,089	72	30,735	189	13,816	2 3 7
169·24	,, ,, 6th June ...	25,500	20,239	1,09,906	11,679	62	31,970	197	13,962	2 7 2
169·24	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	24,943	19,404	90,864	12,288	51	31,913	197	13,583	2 5 8
	Totals up to date ...	562,667	5,42,447	25,94,666	2,97,451	2,348	8,42,246	223	395,180	2 8 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
169·24	11 days of January ...	25,057	20,571	1,55,401	18,783	66	39,430	243	16,248	*2 3 7
169·24	Week ended 18th ,, ...	16,445	11,691	1,01,553	10,996	54	23,050	140	12,074	1 14 9
169·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	16,835	13,955	1,27,884	16,113	49	30,117	185	13,590	2 6 3
169·24	,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	19,332	16,685	1,13,113	11,008	70	27,763	171	13,313	2 4 1
169·24	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	18,768	16,326	87,905	10,996	70	27,321	170	13,208	2 4 1
169·24	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,477	15,881	2,82,756	15,004	61	30,926	191	13,613	2 7 3
169·24	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	23,207	17,143	1,93,081	16,068	88	33,334	206	11,997	2 12 8
169·24	,, ,, 1st March ...	23,775	18,688	1,71,586	14,391	77	33,151	204	11,750	2 13 2
169·24	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	22,626	19,533	94,365	11,710	95	31,338	193	12,574	2 6 1
169·24	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	22,944	23,049	1,39,608	11,414	88	34,550	213	13,122	2 10 3
169·24	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	21,916	21,482	1,25,823	15,379	66	37,227	230	14,668	2 8 8
169·24	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	22,068	24,283	1,44,747	16,558	45	40,886	253	13,126	3 11 3
169·24	,, ,, 5th April ...	26,317	28,509	2,30,618	18,979	90	48,578	298	14,148	3 11 8
169·24	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	21,023	21,041	1,10,634	12,706	83	33,830	209	13,686	2 7 8
169·24	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	20,185	19,142	1,13,137	11,867	66	31,059	191	13,648	2 4 6
169·24	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,072	22,882	1,16,617	13,959	44	36,826	227	14,417	2 8 10
169·24	,, ,, 3rd May ...	22,346	21,093	1,18,639	9,385	61	30,539	188	14,034	2 3 10
169·24	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	23,158	19,317	89,980	12,485	89	31,891	196	14,499	2 3 1
169·24	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	24,040	20,088	98,026	12,351	82	32,521	200	13,592	2 6
169·24	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	24,870	19,543	1,15,742	16,008	70	35,616	220	13,978	2 8 11
169·24	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	25,026	21,358	5,93,407	18,149	64	39,706	246	13,453	2 14 6
169·24	,, ,, 7th June ...	24,621	20,007	1,07,878	13,574	44	33,625	209	13,056	2 6 4
169·24	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	26,564	20,736	85,925	11,136	51	32,143	198	13,205	2 6 8
	Totals up to date ...	516,396	4,50,559	26,55,141	3,13,063	1,507	7,65,129	200	313,214	2 7 3

* Audited figures.

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th June 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	15,373	6,755 0 0	35,500 0	2,353 0 0	34 0 0	9,143 0 0	1,057	899	2,756
Or per mile of railway ...		85 12 8		29 14 0	0 0 11	116 1 2	.....	.....	.....
Per previous 23½ weeks of half-year	311,669*	1,58,461 0 0*	12,49,359 0†	82,099 0 0†	672 0 0‡	2 41,233 0 0	41,271§	25,760§	67,031
Total for 23½ weeks ...	327,042	1,65,216 0 0	12,84,859 0	84,452 0 0	706 0 0	2,50,374 0 0	43,128	26,659	69,787
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	13,109	5,853 11 6	41,028 0	2,706 2 0	21 15 3	8,670 13 9	1,953	1,118	3,071
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	74 5 0	.....	35 8 0	0 4 6	110 1 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 23½ weeks of previous year.	338,517	1,65,911 12 5	11,56,754 20	78,551 12 0	501 9 9	2,45,065 2 2	45,470	24,145	69,615

* Added No. of passengers 1,345 and Rs. 412
† Deducted. Mds. 11,162 " " 5·5
‡ Do. " 3
} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 2nd May 1903.
§ Audited figures up to 2nd May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*78·76	10 days of January ...	14,181	7,431	57,786	3,051	23	11,405	145	4,095	2 12 7
*78·76	Week ended 17th " ...	11,783	5,764	66,927	3,039	28	8,830	114	3,285	2 9 10
*78·76	" " 24th " ...	12,386	6,480	57,297	3,025	20	9,525	116	3,285	2 13 3
*78·76	" " 31st " ...	13,214	6,849	49,615	2,855	20	9,724	123	3,993	2 4 6
*78·76	" " 7th Feb. ...	13,177	7,104	41,608	2,496	20	10,020	127	3,599	2 13 8
*78·76	" " 14th " ...	14,312	7,554	48,615	2,976	16	10,545	134	3,599	2 15 11
*78·76	" " 21st " ...	14,282	7,630	51,735	3,077	24	10,731	135	3,678	2 14 3
*78·76	" " 28th " ...	15,553	8,340	74,249	5,421	31	13,793	175	3,599	3 14 8
*78·76	" " 7th Mar. ...	13,741	8,878	62,773	4,264	47	13,174	167	3,239	4 1 3
*78·76	" " 14th " ...	13,515	8,867	58,883	3,405	37	12,309	154	3,387	3 1 9
*78·76	" " 21st " ...	16,686	9,577	71,662	4,866	43	14,475	184	3,914	3 15 6
*78·76	" " 28th " ...	17,271	9,455	64,391	3,949	28	13,434	171	3,914	3 9 9
*78·76	" " 4th April ...	17,346	10,117	67,169	3,810	30	13,957	178	3,150	4 5 7
*78·76	" " 11th " ...	11,096	5,819	61,748	4,127	33	9,979	127	3,996	2 5 6
*78·76	" " 18th " ...	12,741	5,894	70,156	3,623	41	9,557	121	3,655	2 12 1
*78·76	" " 25th " ...	10,256	4,942	73,064	3,954	36	8,934	93	3,150	2 7 6
*78·76	" " 2nd May ...	14,140	6,844	66,567	4,091	30	10,965	139	3,150	3 6 6
78·76	" " 9th " ...	14,744	7,091	54,286	3,496	33	10,733	136	3,150	3 6 6
78·76	" " 16th " ...	14,340	7,049	49,117	3,474	31	10,554	132	3,048	3 9 7
78·76	" " 23rd " ...	13,490	6,625	45,356	2,933	30	9,588	121	2,796	3 9 1
78·76	" " 30th " ...	15,322	6,910	57,548	3,748	30	10,688	123	2,894	3 5 6
78·76	" " 6th June ...	14,608	7,016	58,322	3,496	33	10,545	127	3,014	3 4 11
78·76	" " 13th " ...	15,373	6,755	35,500	2,353	34	9,143	116	2,756	3 5 1
	Totals up to date	327,042	1,65,216	12,84,859	84,452	706	2,50,374	126	69,787	3 9 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P.
78·76	11 days of January ...	10,440	10,417	55,787	3,647	20	14,084	179	4,566	3 1 4
78·76	Week ended 19th " ...	11,859	5,498	35,308	2,207	19	8,154	104	3,285	2 14 9
78·76	" " 26th " ...	13,048	6,062	37,936	2,363	33	9,860	125	2,813	3 7 8
78·76	" " 1st Feb. ...	13,346	6,248	33,970	2,178	9	8,435	107	3,150	2 10 10
78·76	" " 8th " ...	13,181	9,717	32,168	2,220	13	8,950	114	3,071	2 14 8
78·76	" " 15th " ...	14,217	6,804	30,694	2,133	17	8,954	114	3,535	2 8 6
78·76	" " 22nd " ...	14,725	8,169	33,766	2,476	20	10,656	135	3,992	2 9 9
78·76	" " 1st March ...	15,655	9,408	37,721	2,319	21	11,644	148	3,835	4 1 9
78·76	" " 8th " ...	14,462	8,678	30,923	2,679	20	11,183	185	2,678	4 8 9
78·76	" " 15th " ...	14,340	8,141	22,930	2,284	22	13,387	170	3,993	4 7 7
78·76	" " 22nd " ...	16,126	9,619	56,914	4,328	17	13,964	177	3,993	4 10 8
78·76	" " 29th " ...	13,451	8,179	33,316	4,036	25	12,242	155	3,071	3 15 9
78·76	" " 5th April ...	15,599	8,283	71,905	5,025	33	13,341	169	3,993	4 7 6
78·76	" " 12th " ...	15,156	7,531	62,699	4,619	24	12,174	155	3,835	4 4 8
78·76	" " 19th " ...	15,795	7,075	46,931	3,856	15	10,926	139	3,913	3 15 9
78·76	" " 26th " ...	12,271	6,787	33,963	4,013	23	9,771	124	3,071	3 3 11
78·76	" " 3rd May ...	12,705	5,789	56,786	4,105	20	9,894	126	3,150	3 2 3
78·76	" " 10th " ...	14,401	6,357	48,006	3,623	18	9,998	127	3,993	2 8 5
78·76	" " 17th " ...	14,037	6,994	50,937	3,449	21	9,554	13	3,993	2 3 1
78·76	" " 24th " ...	14,749	6,954	64,883	2,915	22	9,301	11	3,071	2 15 11
78·76	" " 31st " ...	13,926	6,089	91,138	3,834	20	9,034	27	2,756	3 1 10
78·76	" " 7th June ...	13,462	6,198	41,791	2,544	33	9,074	115	3,114	2 13 3
78·76	" " 14th " ...	13,109	5,853	41,028	2,706	22	8,671	110	3,071	2 13 3
	Totals up to date	326,517	1,65,911	11,56,755	78,552	501	2,45,065	122	69,615	3 8 4

* Audited figures.

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th June 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	35,401	14,967 0 0	45,756 0	3,271 0 0	44 0 0	18,182 0 0	4,942	2,546	7,488
Or per mile of railway	272	114 0 0†	329 0	24 0 0	.....	138 0 0	...	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year*	902,188	3,53,626 0 0	14,45,629 0	1,14,216 0 0	92,599 0 0	5,60,441 0 0	129,985	50,780	180,765
Total for 24 weeks ...	937,589	3,68,493 0 0	14,91,385 0	1,17,487 0 0	92,643 0 0	5,78,623 0 0	134,927	53,326	188,253
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	40,351	19,839 0 0	42,337 0	3,181 0 0	45 0 0	23,115 0 0	3,490	2,501	5,991
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	310	153 0 0†	305 0	23 0 0	.....	176 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	914,203	8,67,531 0 0	14,99,772 0	1,14,015 0 0	92,862 0 0	5,74,408 0 0	86,183	61,533	147,716

* Audited up to week ended 9th May 1903.
† Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 20th June 1903 on 622 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	33,953	20,659 0 0	2,16,696 0	16,572 0 0	2,284 0 0	39,515 0 0	6,785	6,906	[illegible]
Or per mile of railway	54·59	33·21	337·01	25·77	3·55	62·53	10·91	14·94	[illegible]
For previous 24 weeks of half-year	914,470	5,70,090 0 0	49,50,998 0	3,27,551 0 0	44,775 0 0	9,42,416 0 0	170,729	227,567	[illegible]
Total for 25 weeks ...	948,423	5,90,749 0 0	51,67,694 0	3,44,123 0 0	47,059 0 0	9,81,931 0 0	177,514	237,173	414,687
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	28,871	18,106 0 0	1,07,318 0	14,388 0 0	967 0 0	33,461 0 0	6,968	5,954	12,922
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	51·74	32·45	182·20	24·43	1·64	58·32	12·49	10·11	22·60
Total to corresponding date of previous year	913,789	5,78,532 0 0	26,34,898 0	3,13,153 0 0	40,251 0 0	9,31,936 0 0	167,680	143,309	311,889

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 20th June 1903.			Receipts for week ending 21st June 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 20th June 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 21st June 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	39,515	62·53	589	33,461	56·52	643	4,31,459	...	589	3,98,634	...	32,799	.....

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(WORKED BY THE B. & N.-W. RAILWAY.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the week ending 16th May 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period on 18 miles open	3,702	444 14 6	19,769	559 3 0	13 10 0	1,016 11 6	308	196	504
Or per mile of railway ...	185·11	24 11 6	1,098·28	31 1 0	0 11 3	56 7 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 18½ weeks of half-year	37,196	9,090 3 4	3,38,849	8,423 14 0	480 7 0	17,994 5 4	5,690	3,751	9,439
Total for 19½ weeks ...	39,988	9,535 1 10	3,48,218	8,983 1 0	493 1 0	19,011 3 10	6,007	3,947	9,954
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,221	342 12 0	12,965	348 1 6	18 2 0	708 15 6	366	138	504
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year ...	123·39	19 0 8	720·28	19 5 8	1 0 1	39 6 3	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	51,689	8,934 1 0	3,39,402	8,301 5 1	307 13 0	16,043 2 1	7,381	2,519	9,900

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING JULY 1903.

Date.	Day.	Madras time.	Remarks.
		H. M.	
15th ...	Wednesday ...	13 5	Leave Darjeeling by special train. [His Honour leaves by trolley at 14·47.]
		19 42	Arrive Siliguri.
		20 40	Leave by special train.
16th ...	Thursday ..	11 30	Arrive Sealdah.
19th ...	Sunday ...	22 30	Leave from Howrah by special train.

Date.	Day.	Madras time.	Remarks.
		H. M.	
20th ...	Monday ...	6 30	Arrive Bakhtiarpur. By Bakhtiarpur-Bihar Light Railway to Bihar, returning to Bakhtiarpur 16-30.
		17 30	Arrive Bankipore.
21st ...	Tuesday ...	...	Halt ditto.
22nd ...	Wednesday ...	7 0	Leave for Digha Ghat by special train from Bankipur.
		9 30	Arrive Chapra.
		12 30	Leave do.
		14 30	Arrive Siwan and drive to Hatwa (11 miles).
23rd ...	Thursday ...	7 0	Leave Hatwa and drive to Siwan.
		8 55	Do. Siwan (arrive Digha Ghat 12-0, cross river and change to East Indian Railway).
		13 0	Arrive Bankipore.
24th ...	Friday ...	7 0	Leave Bankipore.
		11 0	Arrive Monghyr.
		16 35	Leave do.
		19 35	Arrive Sahebganj and go on board *Rhotas*.
25th ...	Saturday ...	16 0	Arrive Malda *vid* Kalindi River.
26th ...	Sunday ...	...	Halt do.
27th ...	Monday ...	...	Visit ruins of Pandua.
28th ...	Tuesday ...	19 0	Arrive Murshidabad.
29th ...	Wednesday ...	15 30	Arrive Berhampur.
30th ...	Thursday ...	13 0	To Plassey, where a short stay will be made.
31st ...	Friday ...	18 0	Arrive Calcutta (Prinsep's Ghat).

Arrival at all stations (except Murshidabad and Calcutta) will be public; all departures will be private. The usual salute will be fired on His Honour's arrivals at and departure from Calcutta.

The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Throughout the tour—

Mrs. Bourdillon.

Mr. E. L. L. Hammond, I.C.S., *Private Secretary*.

Captain E. Harding-Newman, *A.-D.-C.*

The Commissioner of the Division in which His Honour is travelling.

From 24th July—

Colonel Whitwell, I.M.S.

From 28th July—

Hon'ble Mr. C. E. Buckland, C.I.E.

Hon'ble Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S.I., *Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

Letters and telegrams should be addressed to "Lieutenant-Governor's Camp, Bengal," and the name of a post town *should not be added.*

By order,

E. L. L. HAMMOND, I.C.S.,

Offg. Private Secretary.

DARJEELING,

The 11th July 1903.

No. 2842A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 1909A.D.—The 8th July 1903.*—Babu Bepin Behary Banerji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Rangpur district on being relieved of his settlement duties.

Rangpur.

No. 1920A.D.—The 8th July 1903.—Babu Nogendra Nath Mitter, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is appointed to have charge of the Jangipur subdivision of the Murshidabad district.

Dacca.
Murshidabad.

No. 1922A.D.—The 8th July 1903.—Babu Narendra Kumar Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Dacca district.

Midnapore.
Dacca.

No. 1925A.D.—The 8th July 1903.—Babu Suresh Chunder Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Sonthal Parganas district.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 2022A.D.—The 8th July 1903.—Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district on being relieved of his land acquisition work in that district.

Howrah.

No. 1933A.D.—The 9th July 1903.—Babu Ramesh Chunder Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Pabna district.

Pabna.

No. 1937A.D.—The 9th July 1903.—Maulvi Abdus Salek, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pabna, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Birbhum district.

Pabna.
Birbhum.

No. 2024A.D.—The 9th July 1903.—Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district.

Howrah.
Jessore.

No. 2124A.D.—The 14th July 1903.—Mr. J. C. Leighton, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong, is appointed to have charge of the Cox's Bazar subdivision of that district.

Chittagong.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 1927A.D.—The 9th July 1903.*—Captain (Honorary Major) Henry Burvill Holmes, Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Commandant of that Corps, with effect from the 15th May 1903, in addition to his duties as Officiating Adjutant.

POLICE.—*No. 2112A.D.—The 13th July 1903.*—Mr. R. B. Hyde, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Rajshahi, is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. B. St. Leger, or until further orders.

Rajshahi.
Darjeeling.

No. 2114A.D.—The 13th July 1903.—Mr. M. L. A. Luffman, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Howrah, is appointed to have charge of the Police of the Rajshahi district, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. R. B. Hyde, or until further orders.

Howrah.
Rajshahi.

EDUCATION.—*No. 1990A.D.—The 10th July 1903.*—Babu Surendra Kumar Basu, a Professor of the Provincial Educational Service in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, is appointed to act as a Professor of the Indian Educational Service in that College, with effect from the 1st June 1903, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. B. Heaton, or until further orders.

Howrah.

No. 1993A.D.—The 10th July 1903.—Babu Chuni Lal Sarkar, Teacher of Surveying in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, is appointed to act as a Professor in that College, with effect from the 1st June 1903, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Surendra Kumar Basu, or until further orders.

Howrah.

No. 1996A.D.—The 10th July 1903.—Babu Kali Narayan Sen, Lecturer in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (Class IV of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Teacher of Surveying in that College, with effect from the 1st June 1903, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Chuni Lal Sarkar, or until further orders.

Howrah.

No. 2048A.D.—The 11th July 1903.—Babu Manmatha Nath Rudra, M.A., is appointed to act as Librarian of the Bengal Library, during the absence, on leave, of Rai Rajendra Chandra Sastri Bahadur, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 2119A.D.—The 14th July 1903.—Babu Raj Kumar Das, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Dacca Collegiate School (Class III of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to Class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service and to be Head Master, Dacca Collegiate School, with effect from the 15th July 1903, *vice* Babu Bhuvan Mohan Sen, about to retire.

Dacca.

EXCISE.—*No. 2018A.D.—The 8th July 1903.*—Babu Krishna Lal Dey, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is appointed to act as Special Excise Deputy Collector of Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Satis Chandra Bose, or until further orders.

Jessore.
Hooghly.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 1954A.D.—The 10th July 1903.*—The following promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service :—

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade.*

Maulvi Mohummud Abdullah. | Maulvi Abdus Samad.

Confirmed in the fifth grade.

Babu Ashutosh Bagchi.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fifth grade.*

Babu Akhsay Kumar Chatterjea. | Maulvi Najimuddin Ahmed.

Confirmed in the sixth grade.

Babu Charu Chunder Chatterjee. | Babu Jogendro Nath Chuckerbutty.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the sixth grade.*

Babu Surendra Lall Mittra. | Babu Ashutosh Chatterjee.
Maulvi Syed Ahmad Ali Khan.

Confirmed in the seventh grade.

Babu Sarat Kumar Raha. | Babu Ramoni Mohon Mitra.
Babu Jogendra Naraiyan Mitra.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the seventh grade.*

Babu Dayanidhi Das. | Babu Nani Lall Mukerjee.
„ Shama Churn Dutt. | „ Burmeshwar Prosad.

Confirmed in the eighth grade.

Babu Manmatha Nath Sen. | Babu Ashutosh Mookerjee.
„ Jatindra Mohan Banerjee. | „ Ganendra Chundra Mukerjee.
„ Tarak Chandra Roy. | Mr. Ram Comal Gupta.
Maulvi Mohamad Lateefallam. | Babu Parmesh Prasanna Roy.
Babu Ajoy Chunder Das.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 1918A.D.—The 8th July 1903.*—Babu Bisvesvar Bhattacharya, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jangipur, Murshidabad, is allowed combined leave for fifteen months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations

Murshidabad.

No. 1939A.D.—The 9th July 1903.—Mr. C. W. E. Pittar, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Gaya, is allowed leave for four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 3rd June 1903.

Gaya.

No. 2006A.D.—The 10th July 1903.—In modification of the order of the 23rd March 1903, Mr. Nitya Gopal Mukerji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed leave for the 3rd November 1902, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 2026A.D.—The 11th July 1903.—Babu Koylash Gobindo Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 7th April 1903.

Backergunge.

POLICE.—*No. 2103A.D.—The 13th July 1903.*—Mr. R. W. Carlyle, C.I.E., I.C.S., Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, is allowed leave for three months and seven days, under article 316 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th July 1903.

Calcutta.

No. 2110A.D.—The 13th July 1903.—Mr. H. B. St. Leger, Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, and District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th August 1903.

Darjeeling.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2046A.D.—The 11th July 1903.*—Rai Rajendra Chandra Sastri Bahadur, Librarian of the Bengal Library, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st July 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

EXCISE.—*No. 2015A.D.—The 8th July 1903.*—Babu Satis Chandra Bose, Special Excise Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Hooghly.

JAILS.—*No. 2059A.D.—The 13th July 1903.*—Mr. C. H. C. Sevenoaks, Superintendent of the Central Jail, Buxar, is allowed leave up to the 21st July 1903, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 21st April 1903.

Shahabad.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2050A.D.—The 13th July 1903.*—The following officers are vested with the powers of a Deputy Collector :—

Mr. P. G. Rogers,	Assistant Magistrate and Collector,		Saran.
„ J. D. Sifton,	ditto	ditto,	Bhagalpur.
„ C. H. Moseley,	ditto	ditto,	Dacca.
„ G. B. Mumford,	ditto	ditto,	Muzaffarpur.

W C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION—No. 1951A.D.

The 10th July 1903.—An examination of candidates for recruiting the staff of the Superior Police Officers in Bengal and Assam will be held in Calcutta in October 1903 on the dates separately notified under the orders of this date.

2. At this examination only such European candidates as have been nominated by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal will be permitted to present themselves.

3. The candidate should submit a copy of his baptismal certificate, in the absence of which sufficient evidence as to age should be forwarded with the application for admission to the examination. His age must not be less than 19 or more than 24 years on the 30th September 1903. A medical certificate in the form annexed will be required from each selected candidate after he has passed the competitive examination and before he is appointed to the service. The certificate will be granted by a Presidency Surgeon, viz., the Professor of Midwifery, Medical College, on the requisition of the Under-Secretary to Government, to whom applications should be made. In the event of the opinion of the medical officer being unfavourable to the candidate, an appeal will lie to the Medical Board, and the decision of the Board will be final.

4. A certificate that the candidate is able to ride and is of active habits, signed by a District Magistrate or by the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, must also be submitted.

5. Applications, accompanied by the necessary certificates, except medical certificate, must be sent to the Private Secretary to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor not later than two months before the examination is held. Applicants who are granted nominations will receive an intimation to that effect.

6. The subjects of examination and the number of marks to be allotted will be as follows:—

	Marks.
Writing and composition: *Impromptu* essay upon some given subject	150
Arithmetic (no special text-book) and Euclid, Books I to IV and VI; also easy Deductions	100
Algebra up to and including the Binomial Theorem (text-book—Todhunter's Algebra)	100
Plane Trigonometry up to and including the Solution of Triangles and Mensuration (text-book—Todhunter's Plane Trigonometry)	100
English Literature	100
English History	100
Indian History (Elementary)	100
Geography: Asia (especially India) and Europe ...	100
Not more than *two* of the following languages:—	
Latin, Greek, Sanskrit, Arabic, French, German, Persian or *one* of the vernacular* languages of the Province, *i.e.*, either Hindi (Kaithi character) or Bengali	150 each.
Total ...	1,150

* NOTE.—The vernacular standard will be a high one, involving a thorough knowledge of the language and ability to write and read the written character with facility.

7. Candidates who have been permitted to appear at the examination must intimate to the Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Appointment Department, at least one month before the examination is held, which are the two languages in which they desire to be examined. They must at the same time remit a fee of Rs. 20, and, unless this fee is paid, they will not be allowed to appear at the examination.

8. Two candidates will be selected at the next examination. The two candidates who obtain the highest marks will, on their producing the required medical certificate and subject to such further examination in riding as the Lieutenant-Governor may prescribe, be appointed as Probationary Assistant Superintendents of Police. No candidate will be admitted to the department who obtains less than 500 marks in all.

9. No candidate is allowed to compete at the examination for admission to the Police Department more than twice.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORM OF CERTIFICATE.

Special Certificate of physical fitness for Government Service.

I, ,* do hereby certify that I have examined , a candidate for employment in

His age is, by his own statement, years and by appearance years.

(*a*) General conformation,
(*b*) Vision.
(*c*) Hearing.
(*d*) Lungs.
(*e*) Heart.
(*f*) Liver.
(*g*) Spleen.
(*h*) Hernia, present *or* absent.†
(*i*) Hydrocele, present *or* absent.†
(*j*) Glycosuria, present *or* absent.†
(*k*) Albuminuria, present *or* absent.†
(*l*) Distinguishing marks.

I consider that he is of sound health and good physique and capable of bearing fatigue and exposure, and that he is fit to enter the service of Government.†

I consider him unfit to enter the service of Government for the reason given at†

Place
Date

* Designation of Medical Officer.
† Strike out "present" or "absent" in (*h*), (*i*), (*j*), and (*k*) and whichever of the concluding sentences does not apply.

NOTIFICATION—No. 1952A.D.

The 10th July 1903.—With reference to the notification of this Government No. 1951A.—D., dated the 10th July 1903, it is hereby notified that the examination of candidates for recruiting the staff of the Superior Police Officers in Bengal and Assam will be held at the Bengal Secretariat, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, on the dates and at the hours mentioned below:—

12th October 1903.		13th October 1903.		14th October 1903.		15th October 1903.		16th October 1903.	
10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M.	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M.	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M.	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M.	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
English Composition.	Arithmetic	Algebra, Trigonometry, and Mensuration	Euclid...	English History.	English Literature.	Indian History.	Geography	First language.	Second language.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION—2061A.D.

The 13th July 1903.—The following statement shows the number of furloughs which may be allotted to officers of the Indian Civil Service during the second-half of 1903 :—

Total number of Indian Civilians serving under the Government of Bengal on the 1st July 1903	212
Twenty per cent. of 212	42·4
Deduct number of officers absent on furlough, other than medical furlough, on the 1st July 1903	26
Number of furloughs at present available	16·4
Do. of furloughs which may be expected to be available by the return of officers before the 1st October 1903	2
Total number of furloughs which may be expected to be available before the 1st October 1903	18·4

W. C. MACPHERSON

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Benares Agency.

No. 1517T.R.—The 11th July 1903.—The orders issued in Notification No. 696T.R., dated the 21st May 1903, published in page 646, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, granting one month's privilege leave to Mr. H. A. Jones, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Agency, are hereby cancelled.

Monghyr.

No. 1454T.R.—The 9th July 1903.—Government Notification No. 2213T.R., dated the 16th November 1901, issued under section 101 (1) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885 [as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898] and published at page 1421, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th idem, is hereby cancelled so far as it excludes from the general survey and settlement operations in Monghyr the Srinagar-Banaili estate *diara* villages, English Temapur, Jorwarpurpatpar and Temthapatpar Gangbarar, in pargana Pharkia, bearing tauzi No. 525. The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the three villages in question be added to the nine villages named in the above-mentioned notification, as excluded from the exception to that notification.

Shahabad

No. 1484T.R.—The 9th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that Notification No. 1907T.R., dated the 15th September 1902, ordering the survey and preparation of a record of rights, under section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of estate Barupur, tauzi No. 6798, in the district of Shahabad, published at page 1239 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, is cancelled.

24-Parganas.

No. 1518T.R.—The 11th July 1903.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of those estates or portions of estates which are situated in the part of the district of the 24-Parganas known as the added area of the Calcutta Municipality, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas, and fields be demarcated on the aforesaid lands within the said area.

24-Parganas.

No. 1519T.R.—The 11th July 1903.—For the purpose of carrying out the survey of the added area of the Calcutta Municipality under Act V (B.C.) of 1875, ordered in Notification No. 1518T.R., dated the 11th July 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint, under section 4 of the Act, Major R. T. Crichton, Superintendent of the Provincial Surveys, Bengal, to be Superintendent of Survey and Mr. R. B. Smart to be Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1218T.G.—The 10th July 1903.—The following is published for general information.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Extract from a letter from the Government of Bengal, to the District Judge of Backergany No. 1219T.G., dated 11th July 1903.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 879G., dated the 15th June 1903, with which you submit a copy of a letter from Babu Gobinda Chandra Basak, Subordinate Judge of Barisal, offering to hand over to Government a sum of Rs. 3,600 in 3½ per cent. Government securities, for the purpose of endowing a scholarship to be held at the Engineering College at Daeca or Sibpur.

2. In reply, I am to say that Government is pleased to accept the donation, and desires that its thanks may be conveyed to the donor for his liberality.

No. 1242T.G.—The 11th July 1903.—The following is republished for general information.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1126, dated Simla, the 25th June 1903.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Home Department.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section 18 of the Indian Factories Act, 1881 (XV of 1881), as amended by Act XI of 1891, and in supersession of the rule published in the Home Department Notification No. 428, dated the 25th March 1892, the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to make the following rule:—

Every occupier of a factory shall furnish to the Magistrate of the district or, if the factory is situate within the limits of a Presidency town, to the Special Inspector of Factories or other officer designated in this behalf by the Local Government, the undermentioned returns:—

I.—On or before the 15th January of each year, an annual return in the following form:—

Name and situation of factory.	Name of owner or occupier.	Name of manager.	Nature of industry.	Nature and amount of moving power.	Average daily number of operatives employed.				Whether the factory is worked by shifts or stoppages, and in the latter case the hour and extent of daily stoppage	Whether there is a general holiday on Sunday or on varying week days, or whether the factory has been exempted from the rule as to Sunday labour under section 5-B (1), clause (c) of the Act.	Remarks.
					Adults.		Children.				
					Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.			

N.B.—The average daily number of children is to be taken from the register of children kept in the factory.

II.—A return, in the following form, regarding measurements and space:—

Name and situation of factory.	Name of occupier.	Measurements and cubical contents of each room in the factory.	Area of the floor-space of any room shown in the preceding column occupied by machinery or other fixtures.	Remarks.

This return shall be submitted for every factory when it is first registered under the Act, and thereafter whenever any alteration is made in the factory which affects the measurements and cubical contents of any room or the area of the floor-space in any room occupied by machinery or other fixtures.

III.—Before the end of each calendar month, a return giving notice of all the days on which the factory will be closed during the ensuing month. This return must be submitted whether the factory is or is not working during the calendar month preceding the one to which the return relates.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1599T.M.—The 8th July 1903.—Captain R. C. Lewis, R.A.M.C., in charge, Station Hospital, Dum-Dum, is appointed temporarily, with effect from the 3rd May 1903, to have charge of the civil medical duties at that station, in addition to his own duties, during the absence of Major S. E. Duncan, R.A.M.C.

24-Parganas.

No. 1689T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—Captain A. W. R. Cochrane, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon of Saran, is allowed leave for six weeks under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th July 1903.

Saran.

No. 1691T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—Lieutenant W. V. Coppinger, I.M.S., is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of Saran, during the absence, on deputation, of Major D. M. Moir, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Saran.

No. 1695T.M.—The 13th July 1903.—Dr. J. L. Hendley, Officiating Health Officer of the Port of Calcutta, is allowed combined leave for twelve months, viz., privilege leave for 16 days under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th June 1903, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

Calcutta.

No. 1710T.M.—The 13th July 1903.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. R. H. Whitwell, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon of Patna, is deputed to accompany His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor during his ensuing tour as Medical Officer in charge of the camp.

Patna.

L. P. SHIRRES,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1589T.M.—The 7th July 1903.—Whereas a notification, No. 1693Medl., dated the 2nd April 1903, was published at page 428, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to vest the control and administration of the Dumka Dispensary, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, in the Commissioners of the Dumka Municipality, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power conferred on him by section 32 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor vests the control and administration of the said dispensary in the Commissioners of the Dumka Municipality.

Sonthal Parganas.

L. P. SHIRRES,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1391T.F.—The 6th July 1903.—In the note appended to Government Notification No. 1440S.R., dated the 1st March 1897, under which certain rules were made for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Inland Bonded Warehouses Act, VIII of 1896, as amended by Notification No. 61688.R., dated the 29th November 1900, *for* the words "Notification No. 61658.R., dated the 21st November 1900, *substitute* the words "Notification No. 1390T.F., dated the 6th July 1903."

No. 1414T.F.—The 9th July 1903.—Babu Harish Chandra Banerjee, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Birbhum, *vice* Mr R. R Garlick, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Birbhum.

No. 1439T.F.—The 10th July 1903.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Banerjee, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Umes Chunder Gossain, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Burdwan.

No. 1390T.F.—The 6th July 1903.—The following revised rules* framed under sections 9, 105, and 130 of the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878, for regulating the weighment and removal by rail or water under bond of non-duty-paid salt from shipboard or from the Government Salt Golahs to a warehouse appointed or licensed under the Sea Customs Act, or under Act VIII of 1896 (the Inland Bonded Warehouses Act), and for the clearance of the salt from the warehouse, having been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor, are published for general information as required by section 204 :—

APPLICATION FOR GRANT AND WITHDRAWAL OF A LICENSE FOR AN INLAND BONDED WAREHOUSE.

1. An application for a license to open an inland bonded warehouse shall be in writing in the form (I) annexed, and shall be signed by the applicant. It should be presented to the Collector of the district within which the warehouse is to be situated.

2. Upon receipt of such an application, the Collector will cause enquiry to be made on the following points :—

(*a*) The suitability of the locality proposed for the warehouse.

NOTE.—A warehouse should be easy of access for purposes of inspection and for the carriage to it of salt without undue wastage during transit.

(*b*) The suitability of the ground site proposed.

NOTE.—A warehouse should be constructed upon a high and dry plot of land, in proximity to ready means of communication, *e.g.*, a railway, river, or khal. It should be at least 200 yards from any other gulah in use for the storage of duty-paid or non-duty-paid salt.

(*c*) The suitability of the building erected for the storage of salt or the willingness of the applicant to construct such a building as a condition precedent to the grant of a license.

NOTE.—The following instructions indicate the conditions which will ordinarily satisfy the requirements of the Government in regard to the kind of warehouse to be licensed. They are not, however, to be understood as binding the bonders to any particular plan of building, or to the use of any particular material in its construction :—

(*i*) The warehouse need not necessarily be a masonry building, but may be one with double mat walls, a mud floor, and a tiled, thatched, or corrugated-iron roof. The ground, if damp, should have a single layer of bricks to keep the salt from contact with the earth.

(*ii*) The warehouse should be sufficiently raised above flood-level to be dry, and the plinth should be protected by *pucka* masonry walls. The compartments, if any are necessary, may be made of single or double mats with posts.

(*iii*) The height of the walls and size of the warehouse may be determined by the bonders. In practice a height of 12 feet will be found to be the most convenient.

(*iv*) No windows are necessary, if sufficient light is admitted through the door and under the eaves. When windows are provided, it is advisable to have them as near the roof as possible, so as to facilitate the storage of salt. They should be provided with iron bars, and should be capable of being closed from the inside. One good-sized door for the ingress and egress of coolies carrying loads is preferable to two, as it can be the more easily watched.

(*v*) Both doors and windows should be capable of being securely fastened. If there is more than one door, only one should be open at a time, and a second door should be open only if the darogah can conveniently see both doors at once. More than two doors should never be allowed to remain open at one time.

(*vi*) The warehouse should not be connected by any door or passage with any other godown, shop, or dwelling-house.

(*d*) The character, solvency, and general suitability of the applicant.

3. Upon completion of his enquiries the Collector will submit his report, together with the application in original, through the Commissioner of the Division, to the Board of Revenue.

4. Licenses, if granted, will be issued in the form (II) annexed.

5 Under section 16, Act VIII of 1878, a license may be cancelled on conviction of any offence under that Act relating to warehouses, or on the expiration of one month's notice in writing given to the licensee by the Board of Revenue on any grounds. No compensation shall be payable to the licensee in respect of such withdrawal.

6. (*a*) Applications for the renewal of licenses should be made to the Collector at least six weeks before the expiry of the term of the license.

(*b*) Upon receipt of such an application the Collector shall cause enquiry to be made into the condition of the warehouse and into the character and solvency of the bonder, and shall submit his report to the Board of Revenue through the Commissioner of the Division.

7. On receipt of an application under section 91, Act VIII of 1878, for the admission of salt into a warehouse appointed or licensed under the Sea Customs Act, or under the Inland Bonded Warehouses Act, VIII of 1896, and after the due execution of a bond under the provisions of section 92 of the Sea Customs Act, the Collector of Customs shall make such arrangements as he may deem necessary for the proper weighment of salt during its

* These rules do not relate to the reception and clearance of salt at Customs Ports, for which separate rules have been prescribed.

discharge from the vessel or from the golahs for the purpose of being conveyed to the warehouse. When the salt is to be rewarehoused, it shall ordinarily be permitted to be rewarehoused under the original bond in cases where no injury is likely to occur to the revenue, but the Collector may require a fresh bond in addition to the bond under section 92.

8. The weighment of salt on shipboard shall be carried on in the presence of the Preventive Officer, subject to such charges as may be in force and under such subsidiary arrangements as may from time to time be made by the Collector of Customs in respect of salt intended to be bonded in the Government golahs. When the salt has to be conveyed to a vessel which is not alongside the discharging vessel, a fee of one rupee per 100 maunds up to 500 maunds and two rupees for each 500 maunds, or part of 500 maunds, thereafter, will be payable.

CONVEYANCE OF SALT BY RAIL DIRECT FROM SHIPBOARD OR FROM THE GOLAHS.

9. Delivery may be made in bulk from the golahs or from shipboard. The salt may be discharged direct from the ship or the golahs into the wagons, and the amount of the salt so discharged may be ascertained by passing each wagon over the railway weigh-bridge in the presence of a Preventive Officer, or it may be weighed at the discretion of the Collector of Customs. When the salt is being delivered to any one other than the owner, delivery by weigh-bridge weight shall only be allowed when both parties give their consent in writing to this method of weighment.

10. A pass in the annexed Form No. III will be granted by the Preventive Officer to the railway official appointed to take charge of the loaded wagons or at the Kidderpore Docks to the Dock Superintendent as a protective document to be given to the railway guard when the train is finally made up. The name of the importing vessel and of the bonder, the quantity of salt loaded into each wagon, and the warehouse wherein it is to be deposited shall be endorsed on the pass. Salt covered by one bond may be despatched in part consignments, and the Preventive Officer shall grant a pass for each part consignment despatched. On the completion of the quantity covered by the bond, a note shall be made on the pass by the Preventive Officer that final delivery has been given.

11. After the salt has been loaded in the wagons, the wagons shall be closed and sealed by, or in the presence of, the Preventive Officer.

12. Immediately after the arrival of the wagons at their destination, notice shall be given by the bonder or his agent to the officer authorised by the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, if there be any, to supervise the transit of the salt to the warehouse. This officer shall thereupon note the date and hour of arrival, bringing any unreasonable delay to the notice of the Collector, examine the seals, and if they are found intact, take over from the railway guard the pass accompanying the salt endorsed by the Preventive Officer, and superintend the removal of the salt to the appointed warehouse, where it shall be stored in bulk without reweighment, unless the bonder or his agent shall desire reweighment. The expense of such reweighment shall be borne by the bonder.

CONVEYANCE OF SALT FROM SHIPBOARD IN THE STREAM, OR FROM THE KIDDERPORE DOCKS, OR FROM THE GOLAHS, PARTLY BY BOAT AND PARTLY BY RAIL, OR PARTLY BY BOAT AND PARTLY BY STEAMER.

13. (*a*) No salt intended to be conveyed partly by boat and partly by rail, or partly by boat and partly by steamer, shall be taken from shipboard or from the golahs, save in bags and in a lighter provided with hatches, which are capable of being securely fastened down, and it shall be the duty of the Preventive Officer to satisfy himself that such lighter is in a serviceable condition before permitting such salt to be placed therein.

(*b*) When salt has to be conveyed to a vessel lying within the limits of the Port of Calcutta, which is not alongside the discharging vessel or the Government golahs, it shall be conveyed in decked boats, the hatches of which shall be sealed, and in the case of bulk salt, the salt shall be stamped all over with the Government 'adul.' Each boat shall carry a Government peon accompanied by a representative of the bonders, and a boat-note in the form prescribed shall be handed to each manjhi. A Preventive Officer shall be stationed on board the exporting vessel, and his duty will be to see that the seals and stamps are intact, and that the salt in the boat has not been tampered with. He will securely seal the hatches of the vessels when loading is completed, and will endorse on the boat-note the quantity taken from the boats and placed on board. The boat-note or special pass will be made over to the master of the vessel, and a counterfoil of the note will be forwarded to the Collector of the district to which the salt is consigned. A fee of Re. 1 per 100 maunds up to 500 maunds, and Rs. 2 for each 500 maunds, or part of 500 maunds, thereafter, will be payable.

14. As soon as the bonder or his agent or servant shall notify to the Preventive Officer that he desires to proceed with any boat-load of salt, he shall obtain a boat-note in which the name of the importing vessel and of the bonder, the quantity of salt contained therein, and the warehouse wherein it is to be deposited shall be specified. The mouths of the bags shall be securely fastened, and the tying sealed with a stamp specially provided for this purpose, and the hatches shall be closed and sealed by, or in the presence of, the Preventive Officer. The lighter shall then be allowed to proceed in charge of a peon or other Custom House officer deputed for the purpose by the Custom House authorities, accompanied by an agent on the part of the bonder.

15. The boat shall be made fast to the bank nearest to the place where the railway wagons by which the salt is to be conveyed to the warehouse may be in waiting, otherwise at the moorings nearest to such ghat. It shall on no account (except stress of weather) be permitted by the peon or other Custom House officer on board to anchor anywhere else.

16. Notice of the arrival of such salt shall at once be given by the Custom House officer to the Preventive Officer deputed by the Customs authorities to superintend the storage of the salt in the railway wagons, who shall thereupon note the date and hour of arrival, bringing any unreasonable delay to the notice of the Collector of Customs, examine and compare the boat-note delivered by the Preventive Officer to the bonder, his servant or agent, and the cargo of salt, and superintend its removal to, and storage in, the wagons.

17. The bonder's agent and peon or other Custom House officer shall remain on board of the boat in charge until the seals and hatches are examined and all the cargo landed and put in wagons. After the salt has been put in the railway wagons, the wagons shall be closed and sealed by, or in the presence of, the Preventive Officer, who shall endorse on the boat-note the quantity landed from the boat and placed in the wagons. The boat-note shall be made over to the railway official appointed to take charge of the loaded wagons, and shall be made over by the railway authorities to the railway guard to be taken with the salt as a protective document.

18. Immediately after the arrival of the wagons at their destination, notice shall be given by the bonder or his agent to the officer authorised by the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, if there be any, to supervise the transit of the salt to the warehouse. This officer shall thereupon note the date and hour of arrival, bringing any unreasonable delay to the notice of the Collector, examine the seals, and, if they are found intact, take over from the railway guard the pass accompanying the salt, endorsed by the Preventive Officer, and superintend the removal of the salt to the appointed warehouse, where it shall be stored in bulk without reweighment, unless the bonder or his agent shall desire reweighment. The expense of such reweighment shall be borne by the bonder.

CONVEYANCE OF SALT IN BULK DIRECT BY WATER FROM SHIPBOARD IN THE STREAM, OR FROM THE KIDDERPORE DOCKS, OR FROM THE GOLAHS.

19. All applications under Rule 7 shall specify the name, tonnage, and manjhi or master's name of the vessel in which the goods are intended to be conveyed.

20. Salt shall be conveyed by vessels only so constructed that the hatches and all access to the hold in which the salt is loaded can be closed by seals to the satisfaction of the Preventive Officer superintending the discharge of salt, and no other cargo than salt shall be carried in such hold. Salt covered by one bond only shall be carried in each vessel, and duty-paid and non-duty-paid salt shall not be carried in the same vessel. Each salt vessel shall carry a special pass in the annexed form, under the signature of the Collector of Customs or the Preventive Officer giving delivery, covering the consignment of salt shipped by it. This pass shall remain in custody of the master or manjhi, and shall be made over by him to the officer authorised by the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, if there be any, to supervise the transit of the salt from the vessel to the warehouse. A copy of the pass shall be sent to the Collector of the district or to the Collector of Customs, if there be any.

21. The salt when placed on board each vessel must be stamped all over, the hatches and all access to the hold containing the salt being closed by seals during transit. Both the seals on the hatches and the stamps on the salt should be stated in the pass referred to in Rule 20.

22. When the discharge of salt from shipboard or from the warehouse is interrupted or not completed, such quantity as has been actually delivered at the time of interruption shall be covered by a customs boat-note. The salt so delivered must also be completely stamped over, and the hatches and all access to the hold must be sealed by customs seals to be examined by the night Customs Inspector, who must record his report of each such inspection.

23. The vessel on arrival at its destination shall be anchored as close as possible to the ghat leading to the warehouse in which the salt is to be stored, or at the nearest moorings to such ghat.

24. Immediately after the arrival of the vessel at its destination, notice shall be given by the bonder or his agent to the officer authorised by the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, if there be any, to supervise the transit of the salt to the warehouse. This officer shall thereupon note the date and hour of arrival, bringing any unreasonable delay to the notice of the Collector, examine the seals, and, if they are found intact, take over the pass delivered by the Preventive Officer to the master or manjhi of the vessel, and superintend the removal of the salt to the appointed warehouse, where it shall be stored in bulk without reweighment, unless the bonder or his agent shall desire reweighment. The expense of such reweighment shall be borne by the bonder.

GENERAL RULES.

25. Night work will be allowed at Chandbali (and Orissa generally) only on condition that special permits are first obtained from the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, who may at his discretion refuse to grant such permission.

26. The bonder will be held responsible for any departure from these rules on the part of his agent.

27. All expenses connected with the removal and storage of the salt and the services of the officer or peon in charge of the salt under Rules 8, 13 (*b*), or 14 shall be borne by the bonder.

28. If the officer referred to in Rule 12, 18, and 24 shall have reason to believe that the salt has in any way been tampered with during its transit, he shall at once report the circumstance to the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, if there be any, who shall direct the salt to be reweighed, and such reweighment shall be made in the first place at the expense of Government. If there be found any unexplained deficiency in the salt in the railway wagons or vessel as compared with the quantity specified in the pass or boat-note, the Collector may call on the bonder to refund the expense of weighment, and shall exact the full duty under Rule 36.

29. It shall be open to an inspecting officer to direct the reweighment in his presence of any consignment whether on arrival or in store, and such check-weighments should from time to time be made as opportunity offers. The expense of such a weighment will be borne by Government, and the result should be noted in the memorandum of inspection.

30. The salt shall be stored under proper supervision in the warehouse. The door of the warehouse shall have two locks; the key of one lock (which must be a Chubb's lock) shall remain with the darogah or other officer deputed by the Collector, and the key of the other with the bonder's agent.

31. Salt relating to different bonds shall be stored separately and distinctly. Any admixture of salt specified in different bonds shall render those bonds liable to cancelment and the holders to immediate payment of the full duty payable thereon The darogah or other officer deputed by the Collector shall keep a separate account in Form No. IV for the salt warehoused under each bond.

32. No duty-paid salt shall be stored in the same warehouse as non duty-paid salt. An infringement of this rule will render the license liable to cancellation.

33. The owner of the salt shall be required to pay full duty on any difference between the quantity of salt originally delivered from shipboard or the golahs and the quantity cleared out from the warehouse, less an allowance of 3 per cent. on the whole if such wastage actually occurs.

34. In any special case the Chief Customs Authority shall be competent to direct that an increased allowance for wastage shall be granted in accordance with the provision of section 122, Act VIII of 1878.

35. When the seals are found intact, the owner or his agent may, within twenty-four hours from the time of arrival of the salt at its destination, pay the duty on the whole quantity of salt, less 1 per cent. for wastage in any consignment as shown in the pass or boat-note, after which the Collector of the district or Collector of Customs, if there be any, shall allow him to break bulk without weighing or warehousing being required If the duty be paid under Rule 38 to the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, the darogah of the warehouse shall telegraph to the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, at the expense of the bonder, the condition in which the salt arrives and on receipt of an intimation of the payment from that officer, shall allow the bonder or his agent to break bulk, the other conditions being duly fulfilled.

A Sunday or gazetted holiday intervening between the arrival of the salt and the tender of duty should be excluded in reckoning the twenty-four hours mentioned above.

36. If the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, as the case may be, has any reason to believe that any fraud has been perpetrated by the bonder or owner of the salt or any person in his employ, he shall refuse to make any allowance on account of wastage, and shall demand the full duty payable on the entire quantity received into bond.

37. Before permission can be granted to transport salt to the warehouse, the bonder will be required to enter into an engagement with the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, if there be any, to defray the cost to Government of the establishment and charges noted in the margin, or such other establishment and charges as may be agreed to by the bonders with the sanction of the Board, which will be appointed by the Collector for the guard and supervision of the warehouse. The leave and pensionary charges of this establishment will be borne by Government. In the event of the bonder deciding to close the warehouse, he shall give to the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, as the case may be, a preliminary notice of not less than three months of such intention in order that the establishment entertained may be similarly notified of the impending termination of their employment. If such a notice is not given, the bonder shall be liable to pay to Government a sum in lieu thereof, equal to the pay of the establishment for the full period of three months, or for such time as the notice given falls short of three months, and this liability shall be accepted in the engagement to be entered into by him. If no notice be given to the establishment preliminary to their discharge, the sum so due shall be paid to them in lieu thereof when they are discharged. The bonders shall also bear all charges estimated by the Collector to be necessary for the proper preliminary equipment of the warehouse. All darogahs appointed to the charge of inland bonded warehouses shall be liable to transfer from one warehouse to another at the discretion, and under the orders, of the Board of Revenue.

	Per month. Rs.
1 Darogah on ...	50
2 Peons, at Rs. 6 each ...	12
Contingent charges ...	3
Total ...	65

RULES FOR THE CLEARANCE OF SALT.

38. Before any quantity of salt is cleared from the warehouse, duty shall be paid either at the district treasury or at the Calcutta Custom House, and the necessary protective document, if any be required, issued. At places where there is no Government treasury, and which are outside the salt limits, the Chief Customs Authority may, however, at its discretion, allow the duty to be paid through the post-office or to the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, who will send the receipt therefor direct to the darogah in charge of the warehouse.

39. All deliveries of salt bonded in the warehouse under the provisions of Act VIII of 1878 shall be supervised, as required by section 99 of the above Act, by the darogah, who shall give a security of Rs. 500. In the case of warehouses situated within the salt limits, he shall allow delivery to be taken on the production of the necessary protective document. In other cases he may deliver on the production of the treasury chalan or the post-office receipt for the money-order.

40. Before any quantity of salt is cleared from a warehouse, the bonder shall be required to provide at his own expense scales and weights suitable for the weighment of salt, which, when first supplied, shall be tested and certified as correct by the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, if there be any, before they are brought into use. They shall be subsequently tested at the time of the inspection of the warehouse as often as may be convenient. The bonder shall also be required to maintain the same in proper order and to repair them at his own expense as may be necessary from time to time. Bonders are required also to make their own arrangements for cutting and removing the salt as well as to supply their own tools, such as *sabools*, *kodalies*, &c., for the purpose.

41. The duty of the darogah will be to keep in a book in Form No. V, provided for the purpose at the expense of Government, a correct tally of the weight of the salt taken off the scale by the bonder's people. He will be held personally liable for any excess or deficiency that may be discovered. Both the darogah and the bonder's agent will be required to certify at the end of each day's weighments the correctness of the tally book for that day's work.

42. The darogah shall get a fee of Rs. 2 for work on Sunday or a gazetted holiday, but shall be allowed no overtime fees, nor have any fixed hours of work during the day. The Chief Customs Authority may, however, at its discretion, fix the working hours of the darogah, and grant him overtime fees if at any time it is found necessary to do so. All these fees shall be recovered from the bonders.

43. Should any dispute arise between the darogah and the bonder or purchaser of the salt under delivery, the former will stop the weighment and at once refer the matter in dispute to the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, if there be any.

44. The darogah will be particularly careful to bring every irregularity that he may become cognizant of to the notice of the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, if there be any, without delay, and will be held responsible for failure in doing so.

45. When discrepancies in the accounts cannot be reconciled, and whenever there is reason to believe that the quantity of salt conveyed to the boat or cart is not correctly represented in the accounts, the Collector of the district or the Collector of Customs, if there be any, shall order a reweighment. The expense of such reweighment shall be borne by Government.

46. Whenever the bonder or purchaser is desirous of removing his boats or carts from the premises, the darogah shall satisfy himself on every point before removal, and shall also see, even where the accounts agree, that the boat-load or cart-load represents the exact quantity entered in the rowanna or covered by the chalan or money-order receipt.

47. The Chief Customs Authority may, in any exceptional case, specially empower any officer other than the Collector of the district or the local Collector of Customs to perform the duties prescribed in the foregoing rules in respect of any warehouse.

48. These rules shall come into force from the date of the publication of this notification

The following notifications are hereby cancelled:—

Notification No. 6165S.R., dated the 21st November 1900, and those referred to in rule 40 of the rules published thereunder.

Notification No. 1554T.—F., dated the 25th October 1901.

" No. 5893S.R., dated the 18th December 1902.

" No. 18T.—F., dated the 13th April 1903.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORM I.

FORM OF APPLICATION for a license for a Warehouse for the storage of salt under bond under section 4, Act VIII of 1896.

To THE COLLECTOR OF

SIR,

I BEG to apply hereby to be furnished with a license under section 4 of Act VIII of 1896 for a warehouse for the storage of salt under bond at thana , district . It is situated at [1]

The period of the license will be for the year

Particulars of godown.	Feet.	Inches.
Length		
Breadth		
Height		

The above godown is built of [2]

and can contain maunds of salt.

The godown is my own property (or the property of

from whom I have engaged the same on a lease of

Name of Applicant.

Dated

[1] Here describe the site, and its proximity to the nearest railway, river, or khal.

[2] Here describe the building.

FORM II.

FORM OF LICENSE for a private WAREHOUSE, given by the Board of Revenue under section 4, Act VIII of 1896.

THE undermentioned godown is hereby licensed as a warehouse for the storage of non-duty-paid salt under bond, under section 4 of Act VIII of 1896. The godown is situated at , thana , district , and is the property of in the occupation of . Its dimensions are as follows:—

	Feet.	Inches.
Length		
Breadth		
Height		

This license is granted to , and is not transferable to any other person or persons. It is in force from this date until the . It is granted subject to the legal provisions of Acts VIII of 1878 and VIII of 1896 and of such rules as are now or as hereafter may be duly framed thereunder.

Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.

Dated

SPECIAL SALT PASS.

Under Bond No. , *dated*

NON-DUTY-PAID.

Serial number
Bonder's name
Name of importing ship
Nationality
Master's name
Whence imported
Description of salt
Quantity despatched to
in maunds
Date of despatch to
Whether from shipboard or golah
Number of wagons by which despatched
Quantity of salt loaded into each wagon
Name of vessel by which despatched
Name of master or manjhi
Number of stamps on salt
Do. of seals on hatches
Do. do. on wagons
The warehouse in which the salt is to be deposited
Current for days
Date
Signature of the Preventive Officer

FORM No. III.

I.

(To be forwarded by post to the Collector of the district)

SPECIAL SALT PASS.

Under Bond No. , *dated*

NON-DUTY-PAID.

Serial number
Bonder's name
Name of importing ship
Nationality
Master's name
Whence imported
Description of salt
Quantity despatched to
in maunds
Date of despatch to
Whether from shipboard or golah
Number of wagons by which despatched
Quantity of salt loaded into each wagon
Name of vessel by which despatched
Name of master or manjhi
Number of stamps on salt
Do. of seals on hatches
Do. do. on wagons
The warehouse in which the salt is to be deposited
Current for days
Date of clearance from Calcutta
Signature of the Preventive Officer
Ditto of Customs Collector, Calcutta

II.

(To be given to the guard of the train or the master or manjhi of the vessel by which despatched.)

N.B.—The pass must invariably accompany the salt in transit, and be made over to the officer appointed by the Collector to supervise the transit of the salt to the warehouse.

SPECIAL SALT PASS.

Under Bond No. , *dated*

NON-DUTY-PAID.

Serial number
Bonder's name
Name of importing ship
Nationality
Master's name
Whence imported
Description of salt
Quantity despatched to
in maunds
Date of despatch to
Whether from shipboard or golah
Number of wagons by which despatched
Quantity of salt loaded into each wagon
Name of vessel by which despatched
Name of master or manjhi
Number of stamps on salt
Do. of seals on hatches
Do. do. on wagons
The warehouse in which the salt is to be deposited
Current for days
Date of clearance from Calcutta
Signature of the Preventive Officer

Seal.

FORM No. IV.]

ACCOUNT BOOK.

Name of place _____

Golah No. _____

Mode of conveyance by which received (by rail, steamer, flat or boat).

Description of salt _____

Name of bonder _____

Bond No. _____, dated _____

N.B.—A sufficient number of pages should be allotted for salt of each bond.

Year and date.	*To* QUANTITY RECEIVED AS PER PASS.		Initials of the bonder or his agent.	Initials of the darogah.	Year and date.	*By* quantity delivered as per Tally book.		Initials of the bonder or his agent.	Initials of the darogah.
	Pass number.	Maunds.							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
							Mds.		

FORM No. V.]

TALLY BOOK.

Bond No. , *dated*

Date —

In attendance at Golah—

Commenced—

Cause of delay—

Finished—

	Mds.	Mds.
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
7		
8		
9		
10		
11		
12		
13		
14		
15		
16		
17		
18		
19		
20		
	GRAND TOTAL, MAUNDS.	

Signature of Bonder or his agent—

Signature of darogah—

Date—

Golah No.

Rawana No.

Merchant

Resident

Description of salt

Quantity, maunds in

Destination

For transit by

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2843A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2010A.D.—The 11th July 1903.—Babu Purna Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, who lately acted as Small Cause Court Judge, Dacca and Munshiganj, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Rangpur.

Faridpur. Dacca. Rangpur.

No. 2044A.D.—The 11th July 1903.—Mr. T. S. Macpherson, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, Dinapore, Patna, is appointed, under the provisions of section 22, Act V of 1898, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the territories under the Lieutenant-Governor's control.

Patna.

No. 2064A.D.—The 13th July 1903.—Maulvi Wali Mahomed, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Ranchi, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Soshi Bhusan Sen, or until further orders.

Chota Nagpur.

No. 2030J.D.—The 4th July 1903.—Babu Beni Madhab Prasad is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Nawadah, in the district of Gaya.

Gaya.

No. 2112J.D.—The 9th July 1903.—Babu Kamini Mohan Das Gupta is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Jhalakati Independent Bench, in the district of Backergunge.

Backergunge.

No. 2196J.D.—The 11th July 1903.—Babu Keshab Chandra Raha is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Bogra.

Bogra.

LEAVE.

No. 2840A.—The 7th July 1903.—Babu Dino Nath De, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Tippera.

No. 2841A.—The 10th July 1903.—Babu Jogendro Nath Mookerjee, Munsif of Lalbagh, in the district of Murshidabad, is allowed leave for four days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 18th June 1903.

Murshidabad.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 2027J.D.—The 4th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. William Goss of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Dam-Dim Independent Bench, in the district of Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2194J.D.—The 11th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Gopal Kishore Dhar of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Bogra.

Bogra.

POWERS.

No. 1909A.D.—The 8th July 1903.—Babu Bepin Behary Banerji, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Rangpur district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Rangpur.

No. 2022A.D.—The 8th July 1903.—Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghose, Deputy Magistrate who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Howrah.

No. 1933A.D.—The 9th July 1903.—Babu Ramesh Chander Dutt, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Pabna district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Pabna.

No. 2050A.D.—The 13th July 1903.—The following officers are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class:—

Mr. P. G. Rogers,	Assistant Magistrate,	Saran.
„ J. D. Sifton,	ditto,	Bhagalpur.
„ C. H. Moseley,	ditto,	Dacca.
„ G. B. Mumford,	ditto,	Muzaffarpur.

No. 2066A.D.—The 13th July 1903.—Babu Tulsi Charan Pal, Deputy Magistrate, Noakhali, is vested with powers under section 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Noakhali.

No. 2124A.D.—The 14th July 1903.—Mr. J. C. Leighton, Assistant Magistrate, Chittagong, who has, under the order of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Cox's Bazar subdivision of that district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Chittagong.

No. 2031J.D.—The 4th July 1903.—Babu Beni Madhab Prasad, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Nawadah, in the district of Gaya, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Gaya.

No. 2041J.D.—The 7th July 1903.—Maulvi Syed Shah Kamal, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Bankipore, in the district of Patna, is authorised to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the Magistrate of Patna.

Patna.

No. 2113J.D.—The 9th July 1903.—Babu Kamini Mohan Das Gupta, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Jhalakati Independent Bench, in the district of Backergunge, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the Magistrate of Backergunge.

Backergunge.

No. 2115J.D.—The 9th July 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Kamini Mohan Das Gupta, an Honorary Magistrate of the Jhalakati Independent Bench, in the district of Backergunge, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Backergunge.

No. 2197J.D.—The 11th July 1903.—Babu Keshab Chandra Baha, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Bogra

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2545J.—The 3rd July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor has sanctioned the establishment of a new police outpost at Santragachi, in the jurisdiction of police-station Dumjor, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Howrah.

Howrah.

[Second Publication]

No. 1853J.D.—The 27th June 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of Bengal Act II of 1867 (an Act to provide for the punishment of public gambling and the keeping of common gaming-houses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend all the sections of that Act to the Nasirabad Municipality, with effect from the 1st August 1903.

Mymensingh.

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 13th July 1903.

No. 101.—Mr. J. B. Ralph, Assistant Engineer, first grade, Darjeeling Division, is granted privilege leave for two months and nine days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, combined with furlough for three months and 21 days under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th July 1903, or from such subsequent date as he may be relieved of his duties.

R. G. KENNEDY,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 14th July 1903.

No. 122L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Purnea for the construction of an inspection bungalow at Kursakatta, in the village of Kursakatta, pargana Terrakhurda, zilla Purnea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 15 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north, south, and west by Banaili Raj estate land (*khas*) and on the east by District Board Road No. 35, is required within the aforesaid village of Kursakatta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Purnea.

No. 123L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Purnea for the construction of an inspection bungalow at Dhamdaha, in the village of Dhamdaha, pargana Dharampur, zilla Purnea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 15 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and west by the Dhamdaha police-station compound, on the south by the District Board road No. 11, and on the east by road to Dhamdaha village, is required within the aforesaid village of Dhamdaha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Purnea.

No. 124L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Barasat Local Board for diverting Ghuney Village Road, in the village of Solunguri, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north and east by the land belonging to Dhananjoy Ghose and Sadhu Charan Kolia, on the south by Ghuney Village Road and pucca building belonging to Umesh Chandra Ghose, and on the west by land belonging to Dhananjoy Ghose and Sadhu Charan Kolia, is required within the aforesaid village of Solunguri.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Board of the 24-Parganas.

No. 125L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Nadia, viz., for a road from Usitpur to Beliadaha, in the village of Usitpur, pargana Ukra, Chakla Krishnagar, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs and 11½ chitaks of standard measurement, running first in the north-western direction from the village Usitpur, then in the northern and western and finally in a northern direction into the Baliadaha (beel), is required within the aforesaid village of Usitpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Nadia.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 14th July 1903,

No. 41.—Notification.— IN exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 78 and 99 (*d*) of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following alteration in item 5 of the Schedule of Rates to be charged for water supplied from the Orissa Canals, as fixed in Notification No. 118, dated the 23rd May 1899, and subsequently modified in Notification No. 141, dated the 1st July 1902.

	Existing rate per man.			Proposed rate per man.	
	Rs.	A.		Rs.	A.
Item 5—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June ...	3	8	Item 5*—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June	3	4

* NOTE.—In the case of leases for a term of years which are in force at the rate of Rs. 1-8 per acre, the rate for the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June will remain Rs. 3-8 per acre.

[Fifth Publication.]

The 16th June 1903.

No. 35.—Notification —It is hereby notified for general information [as required by section XII of Act V (B C.) of 1864] that the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes, under the provisions of section XI of the same Act, to make the following rules in regard to the Madaripur bhil channel, as defined in this Department Notification No. 128, dated the 26th June 1900 :—

1. Every vessel passing through the bhil channel shall stop at the prescribed toll station, as notified in the schedule of tolls for the purpose of determining the tolls payable.

2. For the purposes of these rules, vessels other than rafts, timbers, bamboos or other floating material shall be divided into two classes as below :—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build.

„ *II.*—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and such other square built boats as should, in the opinion of the Collector of tolls, be included.

3. The net tonnage of every vessel of class I, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of these rules, be determined by the following measurements :—

A.—The product of half the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches; the measurement of the breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting portions of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which tollage shall be charged shall be a simple multiple of 12½ maunds, rejecting any remainder, by which the maundage, calculated as above, may exceed such simple multiple.

4. For vessels in class II the tonnage shall be determined as follows :—

The tonnage of steamers shall be the registered tonnage as given in the certificate of survey of the steamer.

Tolls shall be levied on the actual weight of cargo carried on steamers, flats, barges and other vessels included in this class, as declared in the manifests.

5. Every vessel shall be furnished at the toll station with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the nature and weight of the cargo it contains, and the amount of toll charged, shall be entered.

6. This ticket may be demanded and checked by any navigation officer while the vessel is within the limits of the bhil channel, and must be kept on board and at hand for that purpose.

7. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed. Provided that the Collector of Tolls appointed under section VIII of the Act may at his discretion permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognized standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

8. The term "Navigation Officer," as used in Rule 6, shall include the Collector of Tolls appointed under section VIII of the Act and the officer or subordinate of the Public Works Department in charge of the subdivision or section within which the channels is situated.

W. A. INGLIS,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 8th July 1903.

No. 121R.—Notification.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a proposed bridge across the Bhagirathi at Azimganj, in order to connect Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway, with East Indian Railway at a point about two miles west of Azimganj, passing through the villages as stated below, in the district of Murshidabad, it is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, a survey party or parties will commence work shortly, and that in exercise of the powers conferred by the above-mentioned section, the Lieutenant-Governor has authorized the Engineers for the time being engaged in the undertaking to enter upon and survey and do

all other acts required for the proper execution of this work as provided or specified in the said section.

The notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

Names of villages.

Meernacheepole.	Chandhat.	Suleimpoor.
Futtejungpore.	Asunpoor.	Azimganj.
	Jeaganj.	

The 14th July 1903.

No. 126R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed station at mile 298 on the South Behar Railway, in the district of Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7·63 acres, is required in the village of Hajipur.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the Railway, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1) Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may be concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, at Gaya.

No. 127R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed station at mile 322¾ on the South Bihar Railway, in the district of Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8·60 acres, is required in the village of Jamnawan.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the railway, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, at Gaya.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 9th July 1903.

No. 86Marine.—Under the provisions of section 10 of the Indian Peroleum Act, VIII of 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Chemical Examiner to the Government of Bengal to be the officer to test samples of petroleum landed within the Port of Calcutta in accordance with rules made under section 9 of the Act. Pending the confirmation of rules under section 9 of Act VIII of 1899, the rules made in Notification No. 102Marine, dated 1st March 1892, under the provisions of section 8 of Act XII of 1886, remain in force.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 2844A.

No. 1946A.D.—The 8th July 1903.—Babu Syama Charan Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur.—Bhagalpur, is transferred temporarily to the Madhipura subdivision of that district, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment at Madhipura.

No. 1941A.D.—The 9th July 1903.—Babu Aswini Kumar Datta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is temporarily transferred to the Nator subdivision of that district.—Rajshahi.

No. 1943A.D.—The 9th July 1903.—Maulvi Sadad Abul Musood, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Nator, Rajshahi, is temporarily transferred to the head-quarters station of that district.—Rajshahi.

No. 1948A.D.—The 10th July 1903.—Babu Syama Charan Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, Madhipura, Bhagalpur, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Monghyr district.

Bhagalpur. Monghyr.

No. 2062A.D.—The 13th July 1903.—Babu Jogendra Chandra Bhanja, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 828½P.D.—The 7th July 1903.—Under the provisions of section 5 of the Indian Registration Act, III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the establishment of a new registration sub-district with head-quarters at Dhamnagar, having jurisdiction over thana Dhamnagar, in the subdivision of Bhadrak, in the district of Balasore. The registration sub-district of Bhadrak will henceforth be restricted to thanas Bhadrak, Basudebpur, and Chandbali.

Balasore.

2. This notification will take effect on and from the 1st August 1903.

No. 829P.D.—The 7th July 1903.—Babu Benod Bihari De is appointed to be Rural Sub-Registrar of Dhamnagar, in the district of Balasore.

Balasore.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7137, dated Calcutta, the 14th July 1903.—Major J. H. T. Walsh, I.M.S., made over charge of the Berhampore Jail to Captain B. Deare, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 30th June 1903.

M. S. EMERSON,
for *Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.*

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2048D., dated Darjeeling, the 8th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Kherode Chandra Choudhuri, of the Tikari Dispensary, in the Gaya district, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 2051D., dated Darjeeling, the 8th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Syed Hasan is appointed to act at the Tikari Dispensary, in the Gaya district, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Kherode Chandra Choudhuri, or until further orders.

No. 2081D., dated Darjeeling, the 9th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Sarat Chandra Sur is allowed privilege leave from the 22nd to the 25th March 1903, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

S. H. BROWNE, M.D., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU NOGENDRA CHUNDER SEN has been placed in charge of the Rangpur Treasury from the forenoon of the 1st July 1903, and authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 9th July 1903.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MR. T. R. GODFREY has been placed in charge of the Cuttack Treasury from the forenoon of the 3rd July 1903, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

K. G. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

ORISSA COMMR.'S, OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 10th July 1903.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU NAGENDRA NATH DUTTA is hereby placed in charge of the Bankura Sadar Treasury, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries, *vice* Babu Basanta Kumar Raha, with retrospective effect from the 8th July 1903.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 13th July 1903.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

Dates of the 4th and 5th Criminal Sessions for the year 1903.

No. of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
Fourth Sessions ...	... Monday ...	... August 17.
Fifth „ ...	... Ditto ...	... November 30.

By order,

J. G. APCAR,
Clerk of the Crown.

High Court, Crown Office, *the 9th day of July 1903.*

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 7 of Act IX of 1887, that the Judge of the Small Cause Courts of Dacca and Munshiganj will, in the month of August 1903, sit in those Courts on the undermentioned dates, Sundays and holidays excepted:—

Dacca Small Cause Court ...	... 5th, 8th, 12th, 18th, 22nd, and 31st of August 1903.
Munshiganj Small Cause Court	... From the 24th to the 29th of August 1903.

BEPIN BEHARY MUKERJI, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

DACCA SMALL CAUSE COURT, *the 8th July 1903.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 1st July 1903.—Babu Surendra Nath Banerjea, Clerk and Deputy Keeper of the Government Art Gallery (Class IV), having returned to duty in the forenoon of the 25th May 1903, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 3rd September 1902 is cancelled.

The 2nd July 1903.—Babu Phatik Chandra Chakravarti, B.A., Assistant Head Master of the Rajshahi Collegiate School (Class V), now under training at the Victoria Training College, Kurseong, is appointed to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Manbhum, *vice* Babu Srinath Banerjea, transferred.

Babu Srinath Banerjea, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Manbhum (Class V), is appointed to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bogra, *vice* Babu Devendra Kumar Roy, M.A., who has been recommended to Government for appointment as Head Master of the Rangpur Training School.

The 3rd July 1903.—The following arrangements are sanctioned:—

(1) Babu Ashutosh Banerjea, Clerk, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (Class V), to be Head Clerk of the Office of Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, *vice* Babu Giris Chandra Nandi, transferred.

(2) Babu Sarat Chandra Mukherjea, Head Clerk, Hooghly College (Class VII), to be a clerk in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Banerjea, transferred.

(3) Babu Hari Lal Chakravarti, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division (Class VIII), to be Head Clerk of the Hooghly College, *vice* Babu Sarat Chandra Mukherjea, transferred.

(4) Babu Girish Chandra Nandi, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, and Officiating Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Patna Division (Class VIII), to be Head Clerk of the Office of Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division, *vice* Babu Hari Lal Chakravarti, transferred.

The 9th July 1903.—Babu Purna Chandra Gupta, B.A., Assistant Head Master of the Bogra Zilla School (Class VI), is allowed furlough for two months under Article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st July 1903 or such subsequent date as he may have availed himself of it.

Babu Bijoy Krishna Chatterjea, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Darjeeling High School, is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master in the Bogra Zilla School and in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Purna Chandra Gupta, or until further orders.

The 12th July 1903.—Babu Mohananda Datta, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, under the District Board of Mymensingh (Class V), has been granted by the Board privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 1st June 1903.

A. C. EDWARDS,

Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

ERRATUM.

IN the list of third-grade Junior Scholars of the Dacca Division for 1903, *read* Kader Nath Ghosh *for* Bhowani Sankar Biswas, and Narail Victoria College *for* Dacca College.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th July 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,

Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

Entrance examination.

A TEST-EXAMINATION of private students and school-masters for admission to the ensuing Entrance examination will be held at the office of the Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, 12 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th December 1903. Such candidates only as reside in any of the districts of the Presidency Division, including Calcutta, will be admitted to the examination.

2. Candidates who do not appear from any school, *i.e.*, who have not attended any school since the 1st of September next preceding the examination, will be treated as private students. They will be required to furnish satisfactory proof that they have not read in any school from that date. They must also produce certificates of conduct and progress in studies from the authorities of the last school where they read, or, in the case of those who have not been in any school for more than a year, from some other reliable authorities. The transfer certificates granted to them by the authorities of the schools in which they studied last, or the Registrar's receipt for the fee paid in the case of those candidates who previously appeared at the Entrance examination, must be submitted in original along with the application for permission to appear at the test-examination.

3. *Bonâ-fide* teachers employed in any of the schools in the Presidency Division may be admitted to the examination if they can produce certificates of service and character from their employers, or from the Deputy Inspector of the district concerned.

4. Each candidate should submit to this Office, not later than the 15th November 1903, his application for admission to the test-examination, stating the following particulars:—

(1) Age, (2) residence, (3) father's name, (4) second language besides English, and (5) whether he appeared at any previous Entrance examination.

5. The admission-fee for the examination is Rs. 4 for each candidate, and is to be remitted with the application within the prescribed date, after which a fine of Rs. 2 is to be imposed for each week's delay.

6. No private student will be admitted to the test-examination unless accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to this Office.

7. Candidates who are sent up by this Office must appear at the Calcutta Examination Centre.

8. Those who reside at a distance from Calcutta may, with special permission, present themselves at the test-examination held by the head-master of the nearest zilla or Government high school within the Presidency Division on condition that they appear at the centre selected by the candidates from that institution. The head-master of such school is hereby authorised to sign the applications, which must afterwards be countersigned by the undersigned. The fees and fines paid by these candidates as per paragraph 5 above should be utilized in meeting the cost of the examination.

9. The Entrance examination in 1904 will be held on the 7th March 1904 and the following days.

10. Applications and fees for admission to the examination must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 25th January 1904.

F.A. and B.A. examinations.

Deputy Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors, and *bonâ-fide* teachers of English schools in the Presidency Division who have served as such for full two academical years, or for six months in the case of those who were admitted to a former examination of the same class, will be admitted to the above examinations on production of certificates of character and length of service (with dates) from their employers. *Their applications must reach this Office on or before the 8th January 1904.*

2. Candidates for the B.A. examination must send their F.A. Certificates, and candidates for the F.A. examination, their Entrance Certificates.

3. Candidates should carefully read the printed form of application and supply all the informations required by the University, including the Registrar's receipt in the case of those school-masters who were admitted to a previous examination of the same class.

4. The F.A. and B.A. examinations in 1904 will be held on the 21st March 1904 and the following days.

5. Applications with the countersignature of the undersigned and fees for admission to the above examinations must be sent to the *office of the Registrar on or before the 6th February 1904* by the candidates direct.

12 DALHOUSIE SQUARE, CALCUTTA; *The 7th July 1903.*

P. MUKERJI,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 5294A.

NOTIFICATION.

LAND REVENUE.

B. T. & R. M.

THE HON'BLE MR. L. HARE, C.I.E.

Dated Calcutta, the 10th July 1903.

THE price-lists of staple food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39 (1) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, for the period from the 1st of January 1903 to the 31st of March 1903, having been approved by the Board of Revenue, are published, for general information, under sub-section 4 of that section.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P,

E. H. WALSH,
Offg. Secretary.

Price-list (retail) of Staple Food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39 of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), for three months, from January to March 1903.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st March 1903.	Remarks.
					January.	February.	March.		
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Burdwan	Sadar subdivision	Burdwan ...	Rice	Last day of the month ...	13 12	13 12	13 12	13 12	
	Kanganj ditto ...	Kanganj ...	Do.	27th of the month	13 8	13 0	13 0	13 13½	
	Katwa ditto ...	Katwa ...	Do.	Ditto	14 5	14 5	14 5	14 5	
	Kalna ditto	Kalna ...	Do.	28th of every month	12 5	12 5	12 5	12 5	
Birbhum ...	Sadar ditto ...	Suri ...	Do.	Last day of each month ...	15 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	
	Rampur Hát ditto ..	Rampur Hát ...	Do.	Ditto	15 12	15 0	15 12	15 8	
Bankura	Sadar ditto ...	Bankura ...	Do.	Last day of the month ...	13 13	13 13	13 7	13 10½	
	Vishnupur ditto ...	Vishnupur ...	Do.	Ditto	12 8	12 0	12 8	12 5½	
Midnapore	Sadar ditto	Midnapore Colonelgola. ...	Do.	Last day of each month ...	13 2	13 8	14 0	13 8½	
	Ghatal ditto ...	Ghatal ...	Do.	27th of every month	12 0	13 0	13 4	12 12	
	Tamluk ditto ...	Tamluk ...	Do.	3rd Wednesday of every month	13 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	
	Contai ditto ...	Contai ...	Do.	Any market day from 27th to 30th of every month.	14 0	15 0	15 0	14 10½	
Hooghly	Sadar ditto ...	Hooghly ...	Do.	Last Thursday of each month	11 9	11 9	11 13	11 10½	
	Serampore ditto ...	Bhadreswar ...	Do.	Ditto ...	12 5	12 0	12 0	12 1½	
	Arambagh ditto ...	Jahanabad ...	Do.	Ditto ...	12 13	12 5	12 13	12 15½	
	Howrah ditto ...	Mohiaree ...	Do.	Ditto ...	11 7	11 9	11 9	11 8½	
	Uluberia ditto ...	Uluberia ...	Do.	Ditto ..	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
24-Parganas	Diamond Harbour subdivision.	Mugra Hát ...	Rice	Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	12 5	11 4	12 5	12 4	
	Sadar subdivision ...	Chetla Hát ..	Do.	Last Saturday of every month.	11 4	10 9	11 0	10 14½	
	Barasat ditto ...	Barasat ...	Do.	Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	11 0	12 0	12 0	11 10½	
	Basirhat ditto ...	Baduria Barson	Do.	Ditto	13 9	13 10	13 13	13 11½	
Nadia ...	Kushtia ditto ...	Bahadurkhali ...	Do.	28th of each month	13 8	14 0	13 9	13 10½	
	Meherpur ditto ...	Kaliaganj ...	Do.	Ditto	12 5	11 0	12 8	11 15	
	Chuadanga ditto ...	Chuadanga ...	Do.	Saturday immediately preceding the 28th of each month.	13 4	13 5	13 5	13 4½	
	Sadar ditto ...	Goarce ...	Do.	Last day of each month ...	11 7	11 13	12 8	11 16½	
	Ranaghat ditto ...	Ranaghat ...	Do.	28th of each month	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	
Murshidabad.	Sadar ditto ...	Berhampore ...	Do.	28th of every month	13 15	13 15	13 11	13 13½	
	Lalbagh ditto ...	Lalbagh ...	Do.	1st Monday of each month ...	14 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	
	Jangipur ditto ...	Jangipur ...	Do.	Market day which falls immediately before the 28th of each month.	15 8	15 0	15 2	15 3½	
	Kandi ditto ...	Kandi ...	Do.	Ditto	16 8	15 4	15 0	15 9½	
	Jhenida ditto ...	Jhenida ...	Do.	Thursday or Sunday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Thursday falling on or next before the 26th.	12 0	12 0	12 8	12 8	
Jessore ...	Magura ditto ...	Magura ...	Do.	Ditto	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 2½	
	Sadar ditto ...	Jessore ...	Do.	Monday or Friday falling on or next before the last day of every month.	12 12	12 12	11 10	12 0½	
	Narail ditto ...	Narail ...	Do.	Thursday or Sunday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Thursday falling on or next before the 26th.	13 5	13 11	13 9	13 5	
	Bangaon ditto ...	Bangaon ...	Do.	Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	13 5	13 5	13 5	13 15½	

PRESIDENCY DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st March 1903.	Remarks.
					January.	February.	March.		
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c	S. c.	
Khulna ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Khulna	Rice	Last market day of every month.	14 4	14 12	16 7	15 2½	
	Satkhira ditto ...	Satkhira	Do.	26th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the 26th.	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	
	Bagerhat ditto ...	Bagerhat	Do.	Wednesday falling on or before the 28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the Wednesday falling on or before the 26th.	13 9	13 0	16 4	14 4½	

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Rajshahi ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Boalia	Rice	Last day of every month ...	15 12	14 4	15 0	15 0	
	Naugaon ditto ...	Naugaon	Do.	Ditto	15 12	15 12	15 12	15 12	
	Nator ditto ...	Nator	Do.	Ditto	16 8	15 12	15 12	16 0	
Dinajpur ...	District of Dinajpur	Railway Bazar Hát.	Do.	Last market day of every month.	14 6	15 9	15 9	15 2½	
Jalpaiguri ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Dinbazar ...	Do.	15th of every month	14 0	13 12	13 8	13 13	
Rangpur ...	Sadar ditto ...	Rangpur ...	Do.	Last Wednesday or Saturday, whichever may be next to the last day of the month.	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 8	
	Nilphamari ditto ...	Nilphamari ...	Do.	Last Wednesday or Sunday, whichever may be close to the 28th of every month.	14 0	14 0	14 0	14	
	Kurigaon ditto ...	Kurigaon ...	Do.	Last Saturday or Tuesday next to the 28th of every month.	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	
	Gaibanda ditto ...	Gaibanda ...	Do.	27th of every month	13 0	13 8	14 8	13 10½	
Bogra ...	District of Bogra ...	Bogra ...	Do.	Last Sunday of each month ...	16 8	16 8	16 8	16 8	
Pabna ...	Do. of Pabna ...	Pabna ...	Do.	15th of every month	13 12	13 8	13 14	13 9½	

DACCA DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Dacca ...	Narayanganj subdivision	Madanganj ...	Rice	Last market day before the 13th day of each month.	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	
	Sadar ditto ...	Dacca ...	Do.	Last market day of every month.	13 8	14 4	14 10	14 2	
	Manikganj ditto ...	Manikganj ...	Do.	Market day falling on or immediately before the 28th of every month.	15 4	14 1	14 0	14 7	
	Munshiganj ditto	Mirkadim ...	Do.	Last Sunday of every month...	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	
	Jamalpur ditto	Jamalpur ...	Do.	Last market day of the 3rd week of every month.	14 8	15 0	16 0	15 2½	
Tippera Division.	Tangail ditto ...	Kagmari ...	Do.	Ditto	14 6	14 14	14 6	14 8½	
	Netrakona ditto ...	Netrakona ...	Do	Ditto	14 14	15 7	15 15	15 6½	
	Sadar ditto ...	Nasirabad ...	Do.	Ditto . ..	14 8	15 0	15 8	15 0	
	Kishoreganj ditto ...	Kishoreganj ...	Do.	Ditto	13 10	13 10	13 10	13 1	

DACCA DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st March 1903.	Remarks.
					January.	February.	March.		
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Faridpur	Sadar subdivision	Faridpur	Rice	The last market day of the month.	13 15	13 0	13 14	13 15	
	Madaripur ditto ...	Madaripur ...	Do.	On the market day preceding the 28th of each month.	14 0	14 6	15 0	14 6½	
	Goalundo ditto ...	Goalundo	Do.	Ditto	13 14	13 14	13 14	13 14	
Backergunge.	Patuakhali ditto ...	Patuakhali ...	Do.	Last market day preceding the last day of the month.	13 3	16 0	13 13	14 5	
	Pirojpur ditto ...	Pirojpur	Do.	Ditto	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	
	Sadar ditto ...	Barisal	Do.	Last day of the month ...	15 0	13 8	13 8	14 0	
	Dakhin Shahbazpur subdivision.	Bhola	Do.	Last market day preceding the last day of the month.	14 8	13 11	14 0	14 1	

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Tippera ...	Brahmanbaria subdivision	Brahmanbaria ...	Rice	Market day immediately preceding the 28th of the month.	13 5	13 5	13 5	13 5	
	Sadar ditto ...	Comilla	Do.	Last market day of the month	16 0	14 0	14 0	14 10½	
	Chandpur ditto ...	Chandpur	Do.	Market day immediately preceding the 28th of the month	14 6	14 9	14 9	14 8	
Noakhali	Sadar ditto ...	Kalitara Hát ...	Do.	Last market day of each month	16 3	14 7	15 3	15 4½	
	Feuny ditto ...	Feuny Hát ...	Do.	Ditto	16 3	15 3	15 1	15 9	
Chittagong.	Sadar ditto ...	Chittagong ...	Do.	Last Saturday of the month ...	13 5	13 6	13 13	13 8½	
	Cox's Bazar ditto ...	Cox's Bazar ...	Do.	Friday immediately preceding the 26th, or the 28th, if that day happens to be a Friday.	14 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	

PATNA DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Patna ...	Sadar subdivision, excluding thana Maner.	Maruf(ganj ...	*Makai* up-land ...	26th of each month	29 8	26 0	27 8	27 10½	
			Rice low-land ...		16 4	16 5	14 8	16 8½	
	Dinapore subdivision, with thana Maner.	Dinapore ...	Barley up-land ...	Ditto	21 0	20 8	25 8	23 8½	
			Rice low-land ...		16 0	15 8	15 8	15 10½	
	Barh subdivision ...	Barh ...	*Makai* up-land ...	Ditto	26 0	25 0	23 0	24 10½	
			Rice low-land ...		15 8	15 4	14 8	15 1½	
	Bihar ditto ...	Bihar ...	Wheat up-land ...	Ditto	12 12	...	13 0	13 16	
			Rice low-land ...		16 0	16 8	15 0	15 13½	
Gaya ...	Sadar ditto ...	Gaya ...	Wheat up-land ...	Last day of the month ...	14 0	13 7	13 14	13 13½	
			Rice low-land ...		14 6	14 14	14 14	14 11½	
	Nawada ditto ...	Nawada ...	Wheat up-land ...	Last market day of the month, not being less than two days before the close of the month.	13 0	12 8	14 0	13 2½	
			Rice low-land ...		16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	
	Jahanabad ditto ...	Jahanabad ...	Wheat up-land ...	Ditto	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	
			Rice low-land ...		15 8	15 8	15 8	15 8	
	Aurangabad ditto ...	Aurangabad ...	Wheat up-land ...	Last market day of the month, being not less than three days before the close of the month. Red	14 0	13 8	17 0	14 1 ½	
				Dandi	13 0	13 0	15 0	13 8½	
			Rice low-land ...	...	16 8	13 0	17 4	17 4	

PATNA DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st March 1903.	Remarks.
					January	February	March		
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Shahabad	Sadar subdivision	Arrah	Wheat up-land	1st Saturday of each month	14 0	13 15	13 0	13 5	
			Rice low-land		15 8	16 1	14 13	15 7½	
	Buxar ditto	Buxar	Wheat up-land	1st Thursday of every month.	14 0	13 0	12 8	13 9½	White
					14 8	14 0	13 8	13 10½	Red
			Rice low-land		15 8	16 0	16 0	15 12½	
	Sasaram ditto	Sasaram	Wheat up-land	Ditto	14 5	14 5	13 5	13 15½	
			Rice low-land		17 5	17 4	16 10	17 1	
	Bhabhua ditto	Bhabhua	Wheat up-land	Ditto	14 0	14 8	16 0	14 13½	
			Rice low-land		17 4	18 0	16 4	17 2½	
Saran	Gopalganj ditto	Mirganj	*Makai* up-land	Last market day immediately preceding the 15th of each month.	24 9	24 4	25 8	24 12½	
			Rice low-land		13 8	15 8	15 2	14 11½	
	Siwan ditto	Siwan	*Makai* up-land	Ditto	25 6	25 6	25 7	25 6½	
			Rice low-land		15 6	16 12	14 13	16 15½	
	Sadar ditto	Chapra	*Makai* up-land	15th of each month	28 0	27 0	25 0	26 10½	
			Rice low-land		15 0	14 0	14 0	14 5½	
Champaran	Sadar ditto	Motiharie	*Makai* up-land	Last day of the month	20 0	23 0	25 0	26 5½	
			Rice low-land		16 8	14 0	13 8	15 5½	
	Bettiah ditto	Bettiah	*Makai* up-land	Ditto	25 0	27 8	28 0	27 13½	
			Rice low-land		18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	
Muzaffarpur	Sitamarhi ditto	Sitamarhi	*Makai* up-land	Last Wednesday of every month.	23 8	26 8	24 0	26 5½	
			Rice low-land		15 10	16 0	15 0	15 14	
	Sadar ditto	Muzaffarpur	*Makai* up-land	Last day of every month	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	
			Rice low-land		14 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	
	Hajipur ditto	Hajipur	*Makai* up-land	Third day from the end of the month.	26 12	24 12	25 0	25 8	
			Rice low-land		16 0	15 0	15 0	15 5½	
Darbhanga	Madhubani ditto	Madhubani	*Marua* up-land	28th of each month, except in February, when it will be 26th.	26 0	23 6	27 4	25 6½	
			Rice low-land		17 14	16 4	16 4	16 12½	
	Sadar ditto	Darbhanga	*Marua* up-land	Last day of each month	26 8	30 12	27 8	28 14½	
			Rice low-land		16 8	16 8	15 6	16 2	
	Samastipur ditto	Samastipur	*Makai* up-land	28th of each month, except in February, when it will be 26th.	26 4	25 0	25 0	25 6½	
			Rice low-land		13 0	14 0	15 0	14 0	

BHAGALPUR DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Monghyr	Sadar subdivision	Monghyr	Wheat up-land	Last day of every month	14 9	14 0	15 0	14 9½	
			Rice low-land		13 12	13 0	12 4	13 5½	
	Begusarai ditto	Begusarai	Wheat up-land	25th of every month	15 4	13 10	14 10	14 8	
			Rice low-land		17 14	15 12	15 12	16 7½	
	Jamui ditto	Jamui	Wheat up-land	29th of every month	13 0	13 0	15 0	13 10½	
			Rice low-land		16 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	
Bhagalpur	Sadar ditto	Bhagalpur	*Makai* up-land	The date preceding the close of the month.	22 8	25 0	22 8	23 5½	
			Rice low-land		15 10	15 0	13 12	14 13½	
	Supaul ditto	Supaul	*Marua* up-land	The hát day that falls between the 24th and 27th of the month.	30 0	30 0	30 0	30 0	
			Rice low-land		20 0	19 0	19 0	19 5½	
	Madhipura ditto	Madhipura	*Marua* up-land	The last hát day in the month, but one.	48 0	27 0	26 11	33 14½	
			Rice low-land		20 0	15 0	17 12	17 9½	
	Banka ditto	Banka	*Makai* up-land	Ditto	25 0	—	20 0	22 8	
			Rice low-land		16 4	15 0	15 0	15 0½	

BHAGALPUR DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st March 1903.	Remarks.
					January.	February.	March.		
					S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	
Purnea ...	Araria subdivision ...	Araria ...	Wheat up-land ...	Last market day of the month.	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 10½	
			Rice low-land ...		16 0	17 0	17 0	16 10½	
	Kishanganj ditto ...	Kishanganj ...	Wheat up-land ...	Ditto	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	
			Rice low-land ...		14 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	
	Sadar ditto ...	Boamaganj ...	Wheat up-land ..	Ditto	16 0	15 0	14 0	15 0	
			Rice low-land ...		14 8	14 0	13 0	13 13½	
Malda ...	District of Malda ...	Balia Nawabganj	Rice ...	Second Wednesday of each month.	11 0	16 7	16 7	14 10	

ORISSA DIVISION.

					S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	
Cuttack ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Cuttack, town...	Rice	1st Sunday of each month ...	15 12	15 14	16 8	15 15	
	Kendrapara ditto ...	Kendrapara ,, ...	Do.	Ditto	18 6	19 11	19 11	19 4	
	Jajpur ditto ...	Jajpur ,, ...	Do.	Ditto	15 13	17 1	17 1	16 10	
	Banki ditto ..	Charchika hát ...	Do.	1st Tuesday of each month ...	20 4	18 8	17 11	18 13	
Balasore	Bhadrak ditto ...	Bhadrak ...	Do.	1st Wednesday of every month	17 0	17 0	16 0	16 10½	
		Chandbali ...	Do.	1st Thursday of every month	16 0	17 0	18 0	17 0	
	Sadar ditto ...	Balasore ...	Do.	1st Saturday of every month...	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	
Puri ...	Sadar ditto ...	Puri ...	Do.	The 5th of every month ...	14 11	14 10	14 4	14 8	
	Khurda ditto ...	Khurda ...	Do.	Ditto	19 1	19 0	19 11	19 4	

No. 5629B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 3rd August 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of ...	2,000
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of ...	2,000
Total ...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th August 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 8th August 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 18th August 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates

specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumtsances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Wednesday, 2nd September 1903...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 12th October " ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 2nd November " ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December " ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	8,000	8,000	16,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 29th June 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Kushtia Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the seventh general election held on the 23rd May 1903:—

Ward No.	I	... Babu Chandi Charan Chatterjee.
		... " Durga Das Banerjee.
"	II	... " Tara Pada Mazumdar.
		... " Purna Chandra Roy.
"	III	... " Hridoy Nath Mazumdar.
		... Munshi Mohammad Bosiruddin Pramanik.
"	IV	... Babu Satyendra Nath Roy.
		... " Baroda Kanta Shaha

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Meherpur Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the seventh general election held on the 23rd May 1803:—

Ward No.	I	... Babu Surendra Narain Roy.
"	II	... " Gaur Hari Mukerjee.
"	III	... " Nitya Saran Mukerjee.
"	IV	... " Bani Kanta Sarkar.
"	V	... " Giris Chandra Sen.
"	VI	... " Indu Bhusan Mullik.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Birnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the seventh general election held on the 23rd May 1903:—

Ward No.	I	... Babu Nilkanta Banerjee.
		... " Asutosh Bhattacharja.
		... " Mathur Nath Mustafi.
"	II	... " Kalika Prasad Mukerji.
		... " Devendra Nath Banerji.
"	III	... " Asutosh Khan.
		... " Surendra Nath Khan.
"	IV	... " Jotindra Nath Khan.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the general election of the Municipal Commissioners held on the 16th March 1903, the following gentlemen have been duly elected as Commissioners of the Rangpur Municipality, in the district of Rangpur:—

Rangpur Ward.

1. Babu Umes Chandra Gupto, B.L.
2. „ Satis Chandra Ray, B L.
3. „ Satis Chandra Chakravarty, B L.
4. „ Bepin Chandra Ray Chaudhuri.
5. Munshi Mahamed Mozamal.
6. Babu Rasbehari Mukhopadhya, B L.
7. „ Aswini Kumar Bose.

Mahiganj Ward.

1. Babu Uma Sankar Chakravarti.
2. „ Kanai Prosad Bose.
3. „ Hari Har Bhattacharjee.
4. „ Jogesh Chandra Sen.
5. „ Gopal Chandra Chaudhuri.

C. R. MARINDIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 23rd June 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Maulvi Mirza Bedar Bakht, Munsif of Aurangabad, has been appointed a member of the Managing Committee of the Aurangabad Dispensary, in the district of Gaya, *vice* Babu Tara Prasanna Das, transferred.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 4th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 of the Dispensary Manual, Babu Sashi Bhusan Ballabh has been appointed a member of the Managing Committee for the Arambagh Charitable Dispensary, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Braja Nath Samanta, deceased.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 6th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Rules for the management of charitable hospitals and dispensaries, that the Pirojpur Dispensary Committee appointed at their meeting, held on the 15th February 1903, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Pirojpur Municipality, the following gentlemen as additional members of that Committee:—

1.	Sub-Treasury Officer	...	...
2.	Munsif, 1st Court	...	...
3.	„ 2nd „	...	...
4.	„ 3rd „	...	...

Ex-officio.

GUNGA N. ROY, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commr.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 10th July 1903.*

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 1903.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 10th July 1903.

No. 2641.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 17 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the further amendments, hereinafter set forth below, shall be made in the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 518, dated the 6th March 1879, as amended by subsequent notifications:

In paragraph IV for clause (*d*) the following clause shall be substituted, namely:

"(*d*) Sections 5, 14 and 16 to all lead, other than leaden bird-shot and bullets when possessed in quantities not exceeding 1 cwt. at any one time in the North-West Frontier Province, in the districts of Rawalpindi and Dera Ghazi Khan in the Punjab, and in the Isakhel Tahsil of the Mianwali district, in the Punjab."

In paragraph VI—

(*a*) from rule 1 the words "or to the Political Officer of the State" shall be omitted;

(*b*) in rule 2, first proviso, for the words "to a frontier district" the words "to the North-West Frontier Province, and to the districts of Rawalpindi and Dera Ghazi Khan in the Punjab, and in the Isakhel Tahsil of the Mianwali district in the Punjab," shall be substituted;

(*c*) in rule 6-C, for the first five sentences, the following shall be substituted, namely;

"6-C. *Licenses to import into British India, by land or river, arms, ammunition or military stores.*—Licenses to import into British India by land, or river, arms (other than arms for which the Governor-General in Council is to issue special order under rule 5, or arms imported solely for purpose of repair under the proviso to this rule), ammunition or military stores, may be granted by the Magistrate of the district to which such arms, ammunition or military stores are consigned or, if such arms,

ammunition or military stores are consigned to a Presidency town or Rangoon, by the Commissioner of Police. The fee payable in respect of each such license shall be rupees five; but officers granting such licenses are empowered to remit the fee when the arms, ammunition or military stores are of a reasonable quantity, and such officers are satisfied that they are required *bonâ fide* for purposes of protection of person or property. In the case of arms, ammunition or military stores imported from a Native State, a copy of the license shall be sent by the officer granting it to the Political Officer of the State from which they are to be imported. If the district to which the arms, ammunition or military stores are consigned is other than a district on the frontier of British India and they are to cross that frontier by road or river, a copy of the license shall also be sent to the Magistrate of the district on the frontier of British India through which the consignment must pass, who shall, if he thinks necessary, before permitting the arms, ammunition or military stores to leave his district, require the holder of the license to produce them for his inspection. In cases in which the arms, ammunition or military stores are to cross the frontier of British India by rail, a copy of the license shall be sent to the railway authorities at the place to which the arms, ammunition or military stores are to be conveyed by railway."

(*d*) In rule 7—

(*i*) for the first paragraph the following shall be substituted, namely:

"7. *Licenses to export arms, ammunition or military stores to the frontier of British India or to places within Feudatory States*:—Licenses to export cannon, arms or ammunition or military stores by land or by river to any place beyond the frontier of British India, and licenses to import arms or ammunition or military stores into, or to export the same out of, the district of Ajmer, may be granted by the Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, or by any other officer specially empowered by the Government of India to grant them;" and

(*ii*) in the last paragraph, for the second and third sentences the following shall be substituted, namely:

"Copies shall also be sent to the Magistrate of the district on the frontier of British India if the articles are to cross that frontier by road or river. If the articles are to be carried across that frontier by rail, a copy of the license should, in the case of consignments despatched from Presidency towns or from Rangoon, be sent to the Commissioner of Police, and, in other cases, to the Magistrate of the district from which the articles are to be despatched."

(*e*) In rule 10 for the second sentence the following shall be substituted, namely:

"In the case of articles crossing the frontier of British India by road or river (1) the export license must, within six days of the consignment reaching the district on the frontier and before it leaves British territory, be delivered by the consignee or his agent, or if the arms, ammunition or military stores are in charge of any person travelling with them, by that person, to the Magistrate of that district or other officer empowered by him on this behalf; (2) the import license must, within six days of the consignment entering British territory, be shown to the Magistrate of the district on the frontier of British India or other officer empowered by him on this behalf."

In License Form I from the last condition the words "or to the Magistrate of the district where the external frontier of India is to be crossed" shall be omitted.

MEDICAL.

The 4th July 1903.

No. 837.—Captain J. A. Black, M.B., Indian Medical Service (Bengal), is appointed to be a probationer in the Chemical Examiner's Department, and is attached to the Calcutta Laboratory.

JUDICIAL.

The 10th July 1903.

No. 1204.—The Home Department Notification No. 969 (Judicial), dated the 27th May 1903, granting furlough to the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Brett, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is hereby cancelled.

H H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

PUBLIC DEBT.

Simla, the 7th July 1903.

THREE-AND-A-HALF PER CENT. LOAN.

No. 3868-A.—His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council has resolved to borrow two hundred lakhs of rupees for the public service in the following manner:

2. Promissory Notes will be issued for the said amount in the Form annexed to this Notification, being the form of the notes of *the Three-and-a-half Per Cent. Loan of 1900-01*, of which loan the notes to be now issued will form a part. All the conditions which apply to notes of *the Three-and-a-half Per Cent. Loan of 1900-01*, will apply to the notes to be now issued. The interest on the notes of that loan is payable half-yearly on the 30th day of June and the 31st day of December; and the notes are not liable to discharge before the 31st day of December 1920.

Tenders.

3. Tenders for the whole or any part of the said amount of Rs. 2,00,00,000 will be received by the Comptroller General from this date to noon of Wednesday, the 22nd July next. Tenders must be for sums of 100 Rupees or multiples of that sum.

4. Each tender must be addressed, in the form annexed to this Notification, to the Comptroller General, Calcutta, and enclosed in a closed cover, superscribed "*Tender for the Three-and-a-half Per Cent. Loan.*" If the tenderer is not resident in India, he must name an agent resident in India to whom an allotment-certificate may be issued, if any part of the loan is allotted to such tenderer.

NOTE (1).—Tenders made in accordance with these instructions will also be received by the Accountants General at Madras, Bombay, Allahabad, and Lahore, on account of the Comptroller General, Calcutta, on the 21st July, and up to the local time corresponding to 12 o'clock in Calcutta on the 22nd July; provided that—

(*a*) they are delivered personally or by clerk or messenger at the Accountant General's Office (where a receipt will be given for them);

(*b*) they are made on printed forms, to be obtained at the same office or at the local Presidency Bank;

(*c*) each tender is for not less than Rs. 10,000;

(*d*) the deposit is either a promissory note or a Treasury Receipt from the local Office of the Presidency Bank, or a cheque on a local Bank in favour of the Accountant General;

(*e*) the amount of the tender is made payable either at the place of tender or in Calcutta;

and the Accountant General will return deposits on non-accepted tenders and will issue allotment-certificates so far as the tenders are payable in Madras, Bombay, Allahabad, or Lahore.

NOTE (2).—Tenders made in accordance with these instructions will also be received at all Head and Sub-Post Offices up to a date to be notified at each Post Office. The date will vary according to the distance of the Post Office from Calcutta and will in no case be later than the forenoon of the 20th July. The following conditions must be complied with:

(*a*) the tenders must be delivered personally or by messenger at the Post Office, where a receipt will be given for them;

(*b*) they must be made on printed forms, to be obtained at the Post Office;

(*c*) each tender must be for not less than Rs. 100 and not more than Rs. 2,000;

(*d*) the deposit must be a receipt for the amount (which may not exceed Rs. 40 for each tender) from the Post Master of the Post Office at which the tender is made,

(*e*) the amount of the tender must be made payable either at the Head Post Office of tender (whether the tender was made at the Head Post Office or at one of its Sub-Offices) or in Calcutta. In the case, however, of a tender made at a Post Office in Calcutta, the amount of the tender must be made payable only at the Bank of Bengal.

The tenders will be transmitted by post by the Post Master to the Comptroller General so as to reach him before 11 A.M. on Wednesday, the 22nd July. The Comptroller General will deal with them as if they had been made direct to him, returning deposits on non-accepted tenders through the Post Master.

5. The rate at which each tender is made must be specified in rupees or rupees and annas: a tender in which no rate is thus specified, but a subscription is offered in some other terms—as, for example, at the recorded minimum, or at some specified percentage in addition to the recorded minimum, or at the average of the accepted tenders—will be rejected as null and void.

6. The rate at which a tender is made must not contain a fraction of an anna: if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

Deposits.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than one-hundredth or, if the tender be for less than Five Lakhs of Rupees, then for not less than one-fiftieth part of the tender. The deposit must be in one of the following forms: (*a*) a receipt for the amount from the Head Office of the Bank of Bengal, or Madras, or Bombay, or one of their Branches, or from an officer in charge of some Public Treasury, or (*b*) a cheque drawn in favour of the Comptroller General on a Bank in Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Allahabad, or Lahore, or (*c*) Government Promissory Notes[1] standing in the name of, or endorsed to, the tenderer or the person making the deposit. In the case of tenders made at Post Offices under note (2) to clause 4, the deposit must be a receipt for the amount from the Post Master of the Post Office at which the tender is made.

[1] *It is particularly requested that such Promissory Notes may NOT be endorsed to the Comptroller General.*

8. (*a*) Deposits, not being promissory notes, will, in the case of accepted tenders, be credited proportionately in part payment of the allotment-certificates issued in respect of the tender, and will bear interest for the purpose of clause 16 below from the date of the opening of tenders. When a tender is not accepted in full, the deposits, when they are not in the form of promissory notes, will be credited as far as possible proportionately in part payment of the allotment-certificates issued in respect of it. If any allotment-certificate is not fully taken up, the deposit credited in respect of it will be forfeited.

(*b*) Promissory notes deposited in respect of any accepted tender will be held until all the allotment-certificates issued in respect of the tender are paid up and will, if the allotment-certificates are not fully taken up, be appropriated by the Government and cancelled.

Opening of Tenders.

9. The Governor General in Council reserves the right to declare, on or before the 15th July, the minimum rate at which tenders will be accepted. If not so declared, the said minimum rate will be recorded under the signature of the Comptroller General, and, before the tenders are opened, placed upon the table in a sealed envelope, but will not be declared unless some tender is rejected only because it is below the recorded minimum.

10. Tenders will be opened publicly by the Comptroller General at the Treasury Buildings, Calcutta, at noon (Calcutta time), on Wednesday, the 22nd July next, and those received under the terms of note (1) to clause 4 will be similarly opened by the Accountants General at Madras, Bombay, Allahabad, and Lahore at the local time corresponding to noon Calcutta time, on the same day; but the contents of the tenders will not be disclosed otherwise than as provided in clause 12.

11. Tenders at rates not below the minimum rate will be accepted in the order of the rates tendered, beginning with the highest rate. The amount allotted at the lowest rate at which tenders are accepted will be divided amongst those who have tendered at this rate in proportion, as nearly as may be found convenient, to the amounts of their tenders; provided that no allotment will be issued if the amount distributable on any tender is less than Rs. 100: preference will however be given to small tenders, not exceeding Rs. 2,000, at the lowest accepted rate, such tenders receiving allotments in full as far as possible.

Allotment-Certificates.

12. To each tenderer (or to his agent) whose tender is accepted in whole or in part, such number of allotment-certificates as may be necessary to make up the aggregate amount allotted to him will be issued by the Comptroller General[1] as soon as possible after the 22nd July and an alphabetical list of the names of those to whom such allotment-certificates are issued will be posted for general information at the Head Offices of the Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, and at the Branch Offices of the Bank of Bengal at Allahabad and Lahore.

[1] For tenders received by the Accountant General at Madras, Bombay, Allahabad, or Lahore, and payable at those places, the Accountant General will issue the allotment-certificates

13. If the allotment made on any tender is less than Rs. 3,000, then the whole of the allotment-certificates [after credit of the deposit under clause 8 (*a*)] will be made payable upon the 3rd September.

Otherwise the whole amount of each allotment will be divided into three instalments as follows:

Instalment I.—As near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., payable upon the 4th August:

Instalment II.—As near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., payable upon the 3rd September:

Instalment III.—The balance payable upon the 23rd September:

and allotment-certificates will be issued for each instalment separately.

But the whole or any part of any accepted tender may be paid at any time after receipt of the allotment-certificates.

The words "as near as convenient" refer to the necessity for making each instalment an exact multiple of Rs. 100.

14. Any allotment-certificates will, on application to the Comptroller General, be exchanged for an equivalent amount of allotment-certificates of smaller denominations; provided that if any payment (beyond the deposit) is recorded upon the cancelled certificate, it can be taken against, and recorded upon, only one of the certificates issued in exchange.

15. Payment of any allotment-certificate may be made to the account of the Government in the Head Office of the Bank of Bengal, or Madras, or Bombay, or in any Branch of these Banks, or into any Public Treasury or Treasuries in India which may be named in the tender in respect of which it was issued. Receipts for such payments will be given by the Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, or their Branches, or by the officers in charge of the Government Treasuries at which payment is made, by enfacement upon the relative certificate. In the case of accepted tenders which were made at Post Offices other than Post Offices in Calcutta under note (*2*) to clause 4, payment of allotment-certificates may also be made at the Head Post Office of tender, and the Head Post Master will give a receipt for such payment by enfacement upon the relative allotment-certificate.

Issue of Promissory Notes.

16. (*a*) When any allotment-certificate is fully paid up, the holder will, on presenting it duly receipted at the place where it was paid, obtain from the Public Debt Office, Calcutta, promissory notes of such values as he may desire (each note being in even hundreds and not less than Rs. 100) bearing interest from 31st December 1903, and he will also receive interest at 3½ per cent. per annum from the dates on which he may have made payment till the 30th December 1903.

(*b*) Or he may, at his option, by paying interest at the said rate from 30th June 1903 to the dates on which he may have made payment, obtain promissory notes as above, bearing interest from 30th June 1903.

FORM OF PROMISSORY NOTE (see Clause 2).

Fort William, the .

Promissory Note *Government Rupees* *at 3½ per cent.*

No. *of 1900-01.*

The Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from
the sum of Government Rupees One Hundred only as a loan to the Secretary of State in Council for India, and does hereby promise, for and on behalf of the said Secretary of State in Council, to repay the said loan by paying the said sum of Government Rupees One Hundred only to the said
his Executors, or Administrators, or his or their Order, on demand, at the General Treasury, at Fort William, after the expiration of Three Months' Notice of Payment, to be given by th Governor General of India in Council, in the *Government Gazette*, and to pay the interest accruing on the said sum of Government Rupees One Hundred only from the
at the rate of three-and-a-half per cent. per annum, by half-yearly payments, at the General Treasury, at Fort William, to the said
, his Executors, or Administrators, or his or their Order, until the expiration of three months after such notice of payment as aforesaid, when the amount of interest due will be payable with the principal, and (such notice being considered as equivalent to a tender of payment at the period appointed for the discharge of this Note) all further interest shall cease.

The Governor General in Council hereby further engages that Notice of Payment as aforesaid shall not be given before the Thirtieth day of September 1920, and that this Note shall not be discharged before the Thirty-first day of December 1920.

FORM OF TENDER (see Clause 4).

I, *A B*, hereby tender for Rupees (X) of *The Three-and-a-half Per Cent. Loan* advertised in the Notification published in the *Gazette of India, Extraordinary*, dated the 7th July 1903, and agree to pay for the same, subject to the conditions notified, at the rate of Rupees (Y) Annas (Z) for every hundred rupees allotted to me.

I enclose a *deposit receipt* * for Rupees (XX), and engage, if my offer be accepted, to pay to the account of the Government at the *Bank of* †
(or at the † *Branch*
of the Bank of † *; or into the Public*
Treasury at † *; or into the*
Head Post Office at ‡ *as the case may be*)—

* Or Cheque or Government Promissory Note.
† Here enter the name of Bank, Branch Bank, or Treasury.
‡ Here enter the name of Head Post Office at which payment may be desired under clause 15 of the Notification.

The first instalment, as near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent, on or before the 4th August 1903.

The second instalment, as near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., on or before the 3rd September 1903.

The balance on or before the 23rd September 1903.

Or, if the amount allotted to me be less than Rs. 3,000, then the whole amount on or before the 3rd September 1903.

Any allotment made to me may be communicated to *C. D.* at *

* Here insert *C. D.'s* address which must be in India. This paragraph should only be inserted if *A. B.* does not reside in India, or, if residing in India, he wishes the allotment communicated to an agent, or desires to pay the instalments elsewhere than at the place where the tender is submitted, and wishes the allotment-certificates to be given to an agent at that place.

NOTE.—(1) *A separate tender must be made at each rate tendered. The rate tendered should be the whole amount per centum, not the premium or discount: thus "One hundred and two" or "One hundred" or "Ninety-nine"; not "Two per cent. premium" or "Par" or "One per cent. discount."*

By order of the Governor General in Council,

E. N. BAKER,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

NOTIFICATION BY THE COMPTROLLER GENERAL.

The Comptroller General requests the attention of tenderers to the following arrangements:

Filling up tenders.

(1) They are requested to use only the printed forms of tender, which will be available at his Office and at the Currency Office on application to the Darwan on duty, at all the Provincial Account Offices, and at the Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, and will also be supplied to the Principal Treasuries, and to Head and Sub-Post Offices in India.

(2) If the deposit is in the form of Promissory Notes or of Currency Notes, their number should be quoted in detail in the tender.

Presentation of tenders.

(3) For all tenders presented to him in his office upon the last fixed day, or the two days preceding it, he will give the bearer a receipt bearing a number and initialled by himself or an assistant specially deputed for the purpose. The Accountants General at Madras, Bombay, Allahabad, and Lahore will do likewise in respect of tenders presented to them under note (1) to clause 4 of the Government Notification.

Return of Deposit in case of Non-acceptance.

(4) The reverse of this receipt is a form in which, in the event of the tender not being accepted, the tenderer may give to the Comptroller General or Accountant General a receipt for the deposit accompanying it. This form should, on the third day after the opening of the tenders, be filled up, signed with the same signature as the tender, and be presented at the Office of the Comptroller General or Accountant General. The deposit will then be returned to the bearer in exchange for the receipt.

(5) Deposits upon tenders presented personally, as described in No. (3) above, will be returned only in this way, and will not be sent by post or otherwise. Deposits upon other unsuccessful tenders will be returned by post or by the hands of a clerk.

Tenders made at Post Offices.

(6) Tenders made at Post Offices under note (2) to clause 4 of the Government Notification will be acknowledged by the Post Master or Sub-Post Master concerned in prescribed forms of receipt, and in case of non-acceptance of the tenders, the deposits will be returned to the tenderer or his agent personally on the surrender of the receipt given for the deposit.

Accepted Tenders.

(7) The Comptroller General and the Accountant General at Madras, Bombay, Allahabad or Lahore (in the case of tenders received by such Accountant General and payable in Madras, Bombay, Allahabad, or Lahore), will issue allotment-certificates to successful tenderers. These certificates will be for the following amounts:—Rs. 100, Rs. 300, Rs. 500, Rs. 1,000, Rs. 2,000, Rs. 5,000, Rs. 10,000, Rs. 20,000, Rs. 50,000, Rs. 1,00,000, making up the full value accepted; and the deposit on the tender will be divided among them; they will be substantially of the following form:

This is to certify that, in accordance with the terms of Notification No. 3868-A. dated the 7th July 1903 (Gazette of India, Extraordinary, *dated the 7th July 1903*), *the abovenamed tenderer has engaged to take up Rs. 2,000 of the 3½ Per Cent. Loan of 1900-01 at the rate above mentioned on or before ; and that on the said payment being completed, he is entitled on endorsing and delivering up this certificate to receive a promissory note or notes of the Government of India for Rs. 2,000 bearing interest from*

O. T. BARROW,
Offg. Comptroller and Auditor General.

CALCUTTA;
The 7th July 1903.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

LOANS.

No. 4119-A.

The 9th July 1903.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department.

By the Notification in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 3184A., dated the 1st June 1903, the rules under the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, for the raising of loans by local authorities in the open market have been amended so as to admit of any particular loan being defined in sterling currency with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council.

2. His Excellency in Council gives notice that applications from local bodies for permission to issue sterling loans will be entertained only in cases in which there is a reasonable prospect of the money being raised at a rate of interest not exceeding 4 per cent., and at a price not appreciably below par. Applications should be made in sufficient time to admit of a reference to the Secretary of State before sanction is given to the issue of a sterling loan. Local bodies borrowing in sterling will have to make their own arrangements for bringing the capital raised to India and for remitting the interest to the holders of the stock. Such remittances will not be made by Government agency nor be brought on to the Government account.

3. The conditions set forth above will be applicable, not only to loans raised under the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, but also, as far as may be, to sterling loans which may be raised under special enactments by such local authorities as those specified in the margin.

Municipalities of Calcutta, Bombay and Madras
Calcutta Port Commissioners.
Bombay Port Trust.
Madras Harbour Trust.
City of Bombay Improvement Trust.

Ordered that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

E. N. BAKER,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 10th July 1903.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 693.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:

* * * * *

George Samuel O'Neal.
* * * * } *seconded.*
David Waller.

to be senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Lieutenant (*seconded*);

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with effect from the 3rd May 1903, *vice* senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Major R. H. Dolby, retired.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Behar Light Horse.

No. 704.—George Cooper Stawell, Gentleman, to be Lieutenant, with effect from the 1st June 1903, *vice* Ogilvy, transferred to the supernumerary list.

Lieutenant Maxwell Smith resigns his commission, with effect from the 12th June 1903.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 1903.

PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1505T.M.—The 3rd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Baidyabati Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, of Babu Shyama Podo Mukherjee to be their Chairman.

Hooghly.

No. 1574T.M.—The 7th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the South Dum-Dum Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Gora Chand Mallick. | Babu Bhogabati Prasunna Sen.
Babu Bhuban Chandra Kar.

No. 1576T.M.—The 7th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Gobardanga Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Shanjib Chander Banerjee. | Babu Uttam Chander Ghattok.
Babu Surjoo Kumar Ganguli.

No. 1578T.M.—The 7th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Baranagar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Mr. W. S. Malcolm. | Mr. R. S. Thoms.
Babu Kedar Nath Banerjee.

No. 1580T.M.—The 7th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Jangipur Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad :—

Murshidabad.

Babu Nanda Lal Mazumdar.
„ Hari Das Das.
„ Benode Behari Das.
„ Bireswar Chatterjee.
Babu Pramatha Nath Roy.
„ Nilratan Baral.
„ Radha Gobinda Sadhu.
„ Rajani Kanta Sen.

No. 1585T.M.—The 7th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Rangpur Municipality :—

Rangpur.

The Civil Surgeon of Rangpur ... *Ex-officio.*
Babu Ashutosh Lahiri.
„ Jotindra Mohan Ray Chaudhury.
„ Sarat Chandra Chatterjee.
„ Rahutmal Bathra.
Maulvi Abdul Majid Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur.

No. 1592T.M.—The 7th July 1903.—Whereas a notification No. 705M., dated the 14th February 1903, was published at page 30, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of Part VII of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1894, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to the areas of the South Suburban Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, specified below, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said areas.

24-Parganas.

The area which lies within 1,000 feet on both sides of the Diamond Harbour Road and 1,000 feet from the last hydrant or standpost on that road in Barisa Ward and the area lying within 1,000 feet on both sides of each of the following branch roads and 1,000 feet from the last hydrant on each of them:—

	The distance of the last hydrants of the branch roads from the junction of Diamond Harbour Road.
	Ft.
Hari Sava Road	500
Russa-Behala Road	400
Russa-Behala Branch Road	350
Bramho Samaj Road	350
Narayan Roy's Road	600

No. 1603T.M.—The 8th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Pirojpur Municipality, in the district of Backergunge :—

Backergunge.

Babu Binode Lal Mukerji.
„ Khirode Chandra Sen.
„ Satyendra Nath Roy Choudhuri.
Maulvi Syed Obedulla.
Babu Pyari Nath Bose.
„ Prio Nath Chakravarty.
„ Mohendra Nath Mitra.
„ Moti Lal Das.
Babu Bepin Behari Mitra.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint, under section 23 of the Act, the Subdivisional Officer of Pirojpur to be Chairman, *ex-officio*, of the Municipality.

No. 1617T.M.—The 9th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babus Surendra Nath Mookerjee and Durga Das Chakravarti to be members of the Ghatal Local Board, in the district of Midnapore, *vice* Babus Mahendra Nath Das and Mohitosh Ghosh, resigned.

Midnapore.

No. 1619T.M.—The 9th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the North Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Nabin Chand Boral.
„ Ambica Charan Bose.
Babu Hari Das Pal.
„ Sasi Bhusan Mukherji.
Munshi Khairuddin.

No. 1640T.M.—The 10th July 1903.—Whereas a notification, No. 166T.M., dated the 25th April 1903, was published at page 80, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th April 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to the area added by Government Notification No. 858M., dated the 23rd February 1903, to the Deoghur Municipality, in the

Sonthal Parganas.

district of the Sonthal Parganas, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Deoghur Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said area of the above Municipality.

Under section 86 (*f*) of the Act the Lieutenant-Governor also sanctions the levy by the Municipal Commissioners of fees for the cleansing of private privies and cess-pools within the aforesaid area.

24-Parganas.

No. 1643T.M.—The 10th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the North Dum-Dum Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

Babu Raj Kumar Banerjee. | Babu Harish Chandra Ghose.
Munshi Golam Rosul Ahmed.

Backergunge.

No. 1651T.M.—The 10th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Nalchitti Municipality, in the district of Backerguuge:—

The Sub-Registrar of Nalchitti ... } *Ex-officio.*
The Sub-Inspector of Schools, Nalchitti }
Babu Ambica Charan Das Gupta.
„ Srish Chandra Mukerjee.
„ Sri Nath Chatati.
„ Banga Chandra Talukdar.
Munshi Kazi Entazuddin.
Babu Dina Nath Roy.
„ Sital Chandra Mukerji.

Patna.

No. 1660T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—Whereas by an order contained in a Notification, dated the 28th January 1884, and published at pages 251-54, in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th January 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal ordered the construction of a line of tramway from a point near Begumpore, the Patna City Station of the East Indian Railway, to a point adjoining the Post Office Bungalow at Bankipore, situated within the limits of the Patna Municipality, and empowered the Promoter thereof, Mr. Gilbert Finlayson, to make the tramway upon the gauge and in manner described in the agreement between the Chairman and the Commissioners of the Patna Municipality as the Local Authority and the said G. Finlayson, dated the 23rd day of January 1884 (of which a copy was annexed to the said order) and to work the cars and carriages on the said line of tramway with such power, animal and mechanical, and to charge such rates of fare as were specified in the said agreement. And whereas after mesne assignments the rights and powers of the Promoter under the said recited order of the 28th January 1884 and the said agreement with the Local Authority became vested in the Patna Tramway Company, Limited. And whereas the Patna Tramway Company, Limited, by a Deed of Trust to secure an issue of Debentures of the Company, dated 22nd March 1890, assigned the tramway and all other its assets to Messrs. W. Lloyd and D. W. P. King as Trustees for the Debenture-holders. And whereas the said Patna Tramway Company, Limited, went into voluntary liquidation on or about the 19th November 1890 and Mr. St. Aubyn King was appointed Liquidator thereof and the then Trustees for the Debenture-holders thereupon entered into possession of the Tramway and other the assets of the said Company then subject to the Trusts of the said Deed of Trust and the said Tramway was worked and carried on by the Trustees or Trustee for the time being of the said Deed of Trust up to the 1st day of February 1903 when the working thereof was discontinued. And whereas it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Local Government that the working of the said Tramway has been discontinued for the space of three calendar months and more by Mr. A. B. L. Webb, the present Trustee for the Debenture-holders under the said Deed of Trust and by all other persons who could or would come under the term "Promoters" in section 39 of the Bengal Tramways Act, III of 1883. And whereas the Local Authorities have declined to purchase the said Tramway, the Local Government therefore in pursuance of section 39 of the said Act III of 1883 make this order and declare that the powers of the said A. B. L. Webb, as the present Trustee for the Debenture-holders under the said Deed of Trust and of all other persons who could or would come under the term "Promoters" as aforesaid in respect of the said Tramway under the said recited order of the 28th day of January 1884 and the said agreement with the Local Authority therein referred to, shall from the date of this order be at an end and shall hereupon cease and determine.

No. 1663T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Nator Municipality in the district of Rajshahi:—

Rajshahi.

Maulvi Tamizuddin Ahmed.	Babu Kamal Chandra Mozumdar.
Babu Jotindra Chandra Ray.	Maulvi Abdar Rahim Khan Choudhury.
„ Trailokhya Mohan Nandi.	Babu Kedar Nath Mozumdar.

No. 1670T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Noakhali Municipality, in the district of Noakhali:—

Noakhali.

The Civil Surgeon of Noakhali ... *Ex-officio.*

Mr. L. M. Marcon.	Maulvi Abdul Haq Khan.

Babu Bidhu Bhusan Bakshi.

No. 1672T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Panihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

24-Parganas.

Babu Tran Nath Banerji.	Babu Kali Krishna Banerji.

Shaik Omer Ali.

No. 1674T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Revilganj Municipality, in the district of Saran:—

Saran.

The Civil Surgeon of Saran ... ...
The Deputy Inspector of Schools, Saran ... } *Ex-officio.*

Muhammad Abul Hamid.	Sheikh Waris Ali.

No. 1676T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol, to be the Chairman, *ex-officio*, of the Asansol Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Mr. H. H. M. Hewett, resigned.

Burdwan.

No. 1685T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—It is notified for general information that the Declaration No. 3051M, dated the 28th November 1902, published at page 241, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd December 1902, for the acquisition of a plot of land required by the Nasirabad Municipality for a burial-ground for Native Christians in the village of Kashor, district Mymensingh, is hereby cancelled

Mymensingh.

No. 1697T.M.—The 13th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Gaya Municipality in the district of Gaya:—

Gaya.

The Civil Surgeon of Gaya ... ...
„ District Engineer of Gaya ... ... } *Ex-officio.*

Mr. W. J. Howard.
„ P. W. Stevens.
„ A. Halim.
Babu Sital Prosad.
„ Baiju Lall Nakphopha.
Mr. Zaffer Bahadur.

No. 1699T.M.—The 13th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Gokul Chandra Majumdar to be a member of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Pabna, *vice* Babu Jagat Chandra Bhaduri, resigned.

Pabna.

No. 1703T.M.—The 13th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Basirhat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Jogobandhoo Bose.
„ Kanai Lal Das.
Babu Sasi Bhusan Bose.
„ Rajendra Nath Moitra.
Munshi Tafazzal Hossain.

No. 1705T.M.—The 13th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, of Babu Bishnu Pada Chatterjee to be their Chairman.

Hooghly.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1551T.M.—The 7th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Baranagar Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for opening out a road at Dakhineswar, in the village of Dakhineswar, Baranagar, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs 7 chitaks and 21 square feet of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north by the remaining land of Jadu Nath Chatterji, south by lands of Shaik Kala Chand, Digambar Chatterji, and Romjan Mistri, east by plot No. B, declared for acquisition, and west by plot No. A, declared for acquisition in Notification No. 568M. of the 10th February 1903, published at page 27, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem.

24-Parganas.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Baranagar Municipality.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1570T.M.—The 7th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Maniktala Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road from the Narikeldanga main road to holding No. 10, grand division 3, subdivision 8, in the village of East Surah, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north by the Narikeldanga main road, on the south by the land of Babu Manmatha Nath Chatterji, on the east by the remaining portion of land of Babu Jotindra Nath Mittra, and on the west by the remaining portion of land of Babu Ganendra Nath Dutta.

24-Parganas.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chairman of the Maniktala Municipality.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1636T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Shanagore Burning Ghat, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, No. 112-1 Tollygunge Road in Calcutta, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs 10 chitaks and 42 square feet, is required. The boundaries of the land are as follows:—

Calcutta.

On the north.—Remaining portion of premises No. 112-1 Tollygunge Road.
On the east.—Tollygunge Road.
On the south.—The paved passage to the burning ghat.
On the west.—Municipal burning ghat.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Commissioners.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1645T.M.—The 11th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Gaya District Board for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a railway feeder road in the village of Rafiganj Amadpur, pargana Chirkawan, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 5 cottahs 10·3 chitaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded—

Gaya.

On the north.—By Rafiganj Railway Station and waste land of Abdulpur.

On the south.—By garden of Shafaet Mian, Rafiganj Bazar Road, and cultivated land of Abdul Wahab.

On the east.—By burial-ground and cultivated land of Abdul Wahab.

On the west.—By cultivated land and garden of Shafaet Mian and *purti* ditch of Abdul Wahab.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Gaya.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the right, title and interest of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Ranchi, will be put up to sale at the Ranchi Collectorate on Friday, the 17th July 1903, corresponding with 7th Sawan 1960 Sambat.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above an upset price of Rs 464-11-5. The purchaser of this estate will be considered having acquired the right, title and interest of Government in the estate, and the entire right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the payment of neither revenue nor rent to Government (but the purchase will be liable to payment and cesses to the superior landlord).

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of cultivators who have accepted the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—One-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent at present payable by raiyats to Government.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs A. P.	
III—4	Baranda in pargana Baranda ...	445 83	50 11 3	

Deputy Commr.'s Office, Ranchi, the 2nd June 1903.

A. E. Harward, *for* Deputy Commr., Ranchi.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Cuttack, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 20th July 1903, corresponding to the 5th day of Sraban 1310 at the Court-house of the Collector of Cuttack.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of khasra.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Cuttack ...	Pargana Cuttack Havali, mauza Chasapara.	67/35	West ...	..	·47	.....	.....	.....	Bounded on the north by mauza Indranipatna and cultivated lands of Sham Barik, Janaki Nath Pandit and others; on the south by Mahanadi river, on the east by Jaganath road, and on the west by cultivated lands of Raghu Das, Nila Das, Jagu Das, etc and Sin Ilia Bhanda Jose
			68/60, 85, 959	Do. ...	.....	·12				
			69/33	Do. ...	... ..	·13				
			70/34	Do. ...	. .	·15				
			71/30	Do. ...		1·37				
			72/4	Do. ..	.	·99				
			73/2	Do. .	.....	·3				
			74/3	Do. ..	... ..	·5				
			75/5	Do. .	.... .	6·9				
			76/6	Do. ...		·81				
			78/12	Do. ...	... .	·5				
			79/19	Do. ...	.....	·61				
			82/16	Do. ...	.....	·12				
			84/10	Do. ...	.....	·50				
			86/8	Do. ...	.....	2·77				
			87/9	Do. ..	.....	·88				
			88/18	Do. ...	.....	2·04				
			89/19	Do. ...	.....	·46				
			90/349	Do. ...	... ..	4·2				
			94/23	Do. ...	.....	·7				
			95/24	Do. ...	.....	·75				
			96/27	Do. ...	.....	·25				
			99/29	Do. ...	. .	·20				
			101/31	Do. ...	...	·3				
			106/35	Do. ..	.....	·5				

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					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Cuttack ...	Pargana Cuttack Havali, mauza Champara—*contd.*	120/85	West ...	.....	·4				
			122/86	Do. ...	.....	·4				
			124/88	Do. ...	.....	·2				
			128/94	Do. ...	.....	·38				
			131/83	Do. ...	.....	·6				
			135/76	Do. ...	.....	·11				
			136/75	Do. ...	.....	·3				
			138/56	Do. ...	.....	·7				
			159/96	Do. ...	.....	·8				
			172/92	Do. ...	.....	0·70				
			173/111	Do. ...	.....	·52				
			176/113	Do. ...	.....	·22				
			178/114	Do. ...	.....	·89				
			205/345	Do. ...	.....	1·43				
			219/350/937	Do. ...	.....	1·1				
			80/14	Do. ...	.....	·43				
			81/15	Do. ...	.....	·38				
			83/17	Do. ...	.....	·14				
			100/28	Do. ...	.....	·37				
			123/87	Do. ...	.....	·40				
			125/89	Do. ...	.....	·21				
			126/90	Do. ...	.....	·11				
			155/131/918	Do. ...	.....	·4				
			67/97	Do. ...	.....	·62				
			170/95	Do. ...	.....	·31				
			189/311/927	Do. ...	.....	·30				
			191/[illegible]/[illegible]	Do. ...	.....	·32				
			213/[illegible]/[illegible]	Do. ...	.....	·10				
			77/11	Do. ...	.....	·27				
			108/50	Do. ...	.....	·54				
			111/63	Do. ...	.....	·5				
			115/38	Do. ...	.....	·61				
			116/54	Do. ...	.....	1·26				
			117/58	Do. ...	.....	·8				

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1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Cuttack ...	Pargana Cuttack Havali, mauza Chasapara—*contd.*	146/68/914	West ...	.....	·1				
			198/313	Do. ...	...	1·87				
				Total ...	..	44·68				
2	Do. ...	Ditto ...	104/42	West ...	.....	2·74	.....	.....	.....	Bounded on the north by mauza Indranipatna and cultivated lands of Sham Barik, Janaki Nath Pandit and others; on the south by Mahanadi river; on the east by Jaganath road, and on the west by cultivated lands of Raghu Das, Nila Das, Jagu Das, etc., and Simlia Bhanda Jose. *N.B.*—Only proprietary right will be sold, as the occupancy right of the tenants has been restored to them under rule 16 (*a*), Chapter III of the Land Acquisition Manual, on their refunding the compensation etc, which had been originally paid to them.
			109/47	Do. ...	.....	·95				
			110/46	Do. ...	.....	·15				
			112/45	Do. ...	.....	·13				
			113/40	Do. ...	.....	1·33				
			114/39	Do. ...	.....	1·41				
			118/53	Do. ...	.....	·64				
			119/51	Do. ...	.....	·55				
			85/7	Do. ...	.....	·25				
			96/25	Do. ...	.....	·29				
			97/26	Do. ...	.....	1·82				
			102/32	Do. ...	.....	1·44				
			103/41	Do. ...	.....	·25				
			105/44	Do. ...	.....	·7				
			107/49	Do. ...	.....	·31				
			121/84	Do. ...	.....	·52				
			127/91	Do. ...	.....	·47				
			129/80	Do. ...	.....	·4				
			130/81	Do. ...	.....	·26				
			132/83	Do. ...	.....	·62				
			133/78	Do. ...	.....	·30				
			134/79	Do. ...	.....	·21				
			137/77	Do. ...	.....	·28				
			139/55	Do. ...	.....	·47				
			140/57	Do. ...	.....	·53				
			141/37	Do. ...	.....	·13				
			142/36	Do. ...	.....	·50				
			143/58	Do. ...	.....	1·65				
			144/59	Do. ...	.....	·11				
			145/60/913	Do. ...	.....	·85				
			147/73/917	Do. ...	.....	·17				
			148/72/915	Do. ...	.....	·1				
			149/74/916	Do. ...	.....	4·39				

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1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
2	Cuttack ...	Pargana Cuttack Haveli, mauza Chaupara—*contd.*	150 152 920	West ...	.....	·16				
			157 153 919	Do. ...	.....	·16				
			153 101	Do. ...	.....	·8				
			153 100	Do. ...	.....	·16				
			154 99	Do. ...	.....	1·56				
			156 102 918	Do. ...	.....	·16				
			157 103 921	Do. ...	.....	·80				
			158 126 924	Do. ...	.....	·8				
			159 124 923	Do. ...	.....	·64				
			160 123	Do. ...	.....	·32				
			161 121	Do. ...	.....	·24				
			162 104	Do. ...	.....	·72				
			163 120	Do. ...	.....	·41				
			164 105 165	Do. ...	.....	·22				
			106 166	Do. ...	.....	·45				
			107 168	Do. ...	.....	·67				
			96	Do. ...	.....	·7				
			171 93	Do. ...	.....	1·13				
			174 110	Do. ...	.....	·24				
			175 113	Do. ...	.....	·24				
			177 115	Do. ...	.....	·41				
			179 117	Do. ...	.....	1·30				
			180 116	Do. ...	.....	·20				
			181 109	Do. ...	.....	1·19				
			182 108	Do. ...	.....	·67				
			183 119	Do. ...	.....	·89				
			184 118	Do. ...	.....	·8				
			185 339	Do. ...	.....	·24				
			186 128	Do. ...	.....	1·68				
			187 125 922	Do. ...	.....	·20				
			188 813 928	Do. ...	.....	·81				
			190 800 926	Do. ...	.....	·28				
			192 816 929	Do. ...	.....	1·71				
			193 820	Do. ...	.....	·20				

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1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
*2	Cuttack ...	Pargana Cuttack Haveli, mauza Chasapara.—*concld.*	194 330	West ...	.....	·18	.....	.....	.....	
			195 314	Do. ...	.....	·37				
			196 334	Do. ...	.....	·24				
			197 335	Do. ...	.....	·33				
			198 338	Do. ...	.....	·24				
			200 340	Do. ...	.....	·20				
			201 341	Do. ...	.....	·20				
			202 337	Do. ...	.....	·35				
			203 336	Do. ...	.....	·45				
			204 342	Do. ...	.....	·29				
			206 343	Do. ...	.....	·60				
			207 344	Do. ...	.....	·33				
			208 333	Do. ...	.....	·63				
			209 328	Do. ...	.....	1·4				
			210 331	Do. ...	.....	·94				
			211 329	Do. ...	.....	·51				
			212 327 333	Do. ...	.....	1·3				
			214 325 931	Do. ...	.....	·13				
				Total ...	.....	52·70				
						A. R. P.				
1	Do. ...	Pargana Sakrabad, mauza Mandoli.	1m. and 99 81, 84, 83, 97, 96.	West ... Do. ...	....	0 0 24 0 1 19	.....	.....	.....	Khasra numbers have been given.
			95	Do. ...	.....	0 2 8				
			94	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			93	Do. ...	.....	0 0 12½				
			92	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			91	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			90	Do. ...	.....	0 0 5				
			89	Do. ...	.....	0 0 14½				
			87	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
			82	Do. ...	.....	0 1 30				
			84	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			83	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			81	Do. ...	.....	0 2 24				
			80	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			79	Do. ...	.....	0 0 10½				
			78	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			77	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			76	Do. ...	.....	0 0 14½				
			73	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			74	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			52	Do. ...	.....	0 1 6½				
			53 and 58	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			66 and 71	Do. ...	.....	0 1 13				
			57 and 55	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0				
			55 and 68	Do. ...	.....	0 2 25½				
			59 and 60, 61 and 63.	Do. ...	.....	0 3 11½				
			64	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			1m. and 65	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			67	Do. ...	.....	0 0 20½				
			54 and 66	Do. ...	.....	0 3 4½				
			69	Do. ...	.....	0 0 28½				
			70	Do. ...	.....	0 0 8				
			72	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			50	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			75	Do. ...	.....	0 0 12½				
				Total ...	.....	5 0 25½				

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					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
2	Cuttack ...	Pargana Bakhrabad, mauza Telagar.	1 m., and 8	West ...	.....	0 0 1	.....	.....	.....	Khasra numbers have been given.
			1	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			2	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			203 and 204	Do. ...	.....	0 1 30½				
			6 and 7	Do. ...	.....	0 2 6½				
			8 and 9	Do. ...	.....	0 2 4½				
			10	Do. ...	.....	0 1 30½				
			11, 16, 18, and 20.	Do. ...	.....	3 1 16½				
			12 and 25	Do. ...	.....	1 0 32				
			13	Do. ...	.....	0 2 24				
			14	Do. ...	.....	0 2 28				
			15	Do. ...	.....	0 3 22½				
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			19 and 29	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			21	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			22	Do. ...	.....	0 2 4½				
			23 and 24	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			26	Do. ...	.....	0 3 36½				
			27	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			28	Do. ...	.....	0 1 32				
			30	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			1	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			2	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			3 and 12	Do. ...	.....	0 1 31½				
			4, 13, 154, 18, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 43.	Do. ...	.....	5 1 32				
			5	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			6	Do. ...	.....	0 3 33½				
			7	Do. ...	.....	0 0 36½				
			8	Do. ...	.....	0 2 16				
			9	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			10	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25				
			11, 14, 16, and 19.	Do. ...	.....	4 3 4½				
			15	Do. ...	.....	10 1 4½				
			17 and 23	Do. ...	.....	0 2 15½				
			20	Do. ...	.....	0 1 11½				
			21, 22, 37, and 38.	Do. ...	.....	1 2 37½				
			23	Do. ...	.....	2 3 4½				
			24 and 25	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25½				
			31, 35 and 36.	Do. ...	.....	1 0 39½				
			37, 40 and 42.	Do. ...	.....	1 2 27				
			30	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
			33	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			41	Do. ...	.....	0 2 17½				
			44	Do. ...	.....	0 2 1½				
			23	Do. ...	.....	0 1 28½				
			24	Do. ...	.....	0 1 24				
			2, 7, 8, 11, 15, 17, 20, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33.	Do. ...	.....	4 0 15				
			49	Do ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			48	Do. ...	.....	0 1 24				
			47	Do. ...	.....	0 0 12½				
			45 and 46	Do. ...	.....	0 1 26				
			35, 36, 38, and 44.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 9½				
			43	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1				
			46	Do. ...	.....	0 1 11				
			41	Do. ...	.....	0 0 8				
			40	Do. ...	.....	0 1 14½				
			39	Do. ...	.....	0 1 4½				
			34	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			12	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			9 and 10	Do. ...	.....	0 1 23½				
			13	Do. ...	.....	0 1 14½				
			1, 3, 4 and 5.	Do. ...	.....	1 0 23½				
			26	Do. ...	.....	0 2 23½				
			19, 21 and 31.	Do. ...	.....	1 0 4½				
			18	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0				
			16	Do. ...	.....	0 2 9½				
			14	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			6	Do. ...	.....	0 1 12½				
				Total ...	.....	57 0 34½				
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Bakhrabad, mauza Naraj and Naraj Marthapar.	1m., 73	West ...	.....	0 0 5	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto.
			74	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			75	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			1 to 5, 8, 12 and 13.	Do. ...	.....	3 0 9½				
			7	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			47	Do. ...	.....	0 0 14½				
			48	Do. ...	.....	0 0 20½				
			49	Do. ...	.....	0 0 30½				
			50	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1				
			51	Do. ...	.....	0 0 33½				
			52, 57, 59, 62 and 64.	Do. ...	.....	1 1 17½				
			53, 60, 61, 63, 66, 67 and 68.	Do. ...	.....	1 2 36				

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					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
3	Cuttack ...	Pargana Bakhrabad, mauza Naraj and Naraj Marthapur—*concld.*	54	West ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			55	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25½				
			56 and 63	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			53	Do. ..	.....	0 1 38½				
				Total ...	.....	13 1 30				
4	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Arilo.	2 and 3 m., and 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 15, 18, 19, 22, and 24.	West ...	.....	11 0 16½	.....	.....	.....	Khasra numbers have been given.
			7	Do. ...	.....	0 0 22½				
			8 and 10	Do. ...	.....	0 0 33½				
			10	Do. ...	.....	0 1 35½				
			11	Do. ...	.....	0 3 8				
			12	Do. ...	.....	0 1 33				
			13	Do. ...	.....	0 2 9½				
			14	Do. ...	.....	0 1 1½				
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 2 1½				
			20, 21 and 25.	Do. ...	.....	0 3 13				
			23 and 24	Do. ...	.....	0 0 31½				
			14, 16, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 30, 33, 34, 36, 37, 38 and 40.	Do. ...	.....	15 0 27½				
			9	Do. ...	.....	0 0 29½				
			29	Do. ...	.....	0 0 38½				
			31	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			32	Do. ...	..	0 1 11½				
			35	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			26 and 40	Do. ...	.....	1 3 25½				
				Total ...	.....	33 1 16·25				
5	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Bidyadharpur.	3, 4, and 5m., 2, 4, 5, 7, 16, 19, 20, 22 and 23.	West ...	.....	1 1 36½	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto.
			1, 3, 40, 56 and 67.	Do. ...	.....	0 3 19				
			5	Do. ...	.....	1 1 8				
			8, 9, 53	Do. ...	.....	0 1 27				
			10	Do. ...	.....	0 0 20½				
			11, 13, 14 and 15.	Do. ...	.....	0 3 11				
			12	Do. ...	.....	0 0 20½				
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			18	Do. ...	.....	0 0 22½				
			21	Do. ...	.....	0 1 4½				
			24, 25, 27 and 28.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25½				
			26	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			29	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			30, 32, 33 and 35.	Do. ...	.....	0 2 9½				
			31 and 34	Do. ...	.....	0 2 11½				
			36	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			37, 41, 42 and 45.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0				
			38, 40, 42 and 57.	Do. ...	.....	0 2 24½				
			39	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			43	Do. ...	.....	0 0 29½				
			46, 47, 50 and 61.	Do. ...	.....	1 1 11½				
			48 and 58	Do. ...	.	0 1 9½				
			51	Do. ...	.....	0 0 3½				
			52 and 54	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			58	Do. ...	.....	0 0 30½				
			59	Do. ...	... ..	0 0 1½				
			60	Do. ...	.....	0 1 11				
			62	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			63	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			64	Do. ...	.....	0 3 36½				
			65	Do. ...	.. ..	0 0 4½				
			66	Do. ...	.....	0 0 30½				
			5, 66, 22, 34, 43, 44, 74, 98, 8, 32 and 34.	Do. ...	.....	3 0 34½				
			7 and 28	Do. ...	....	0 2 35½				
			3 and 4	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0				
			29, 31, 33, 6 and 26.	Do. ...	.....	1 1 0				
			34 and 35	Do. ...	.....	0 1 33½				
			45, 49, 56 and 57.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 17½				
			55	Do. ...	.....	0 1 28				
			54	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			75 and 90	Do. ..	.....	0 2 36½				
			68 and 63	Do. ...	.....	0 2 0				
			59	Do. ...	.....	0 0 22½				
			60 and 61	Do. ...	....	0 1 27½				
			62	Do. ...	.....	0 1 28½				
			64	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25½				

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of khasra.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
5	Cuttack ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Bidyadharpur—*concld.*	1 and 3	West ...	.....	0 1 19½				
			2, 4, 7, 8, 19 and 10.	Do. ...	.....	0 2 15½				
			5 and 6	Do. ...	.....	0 0 32				
			11	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0				
				Total ...	.....	23 0 4				
6	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Padmalavpur.	5m., 222	West ...	.....	0 0 4½	.....	.....	.....	Khasra numbers have been given.
			16, 18 and 35.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 17½				
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 1 3½				
			19, 30, 40, 49 and 52.	Do. ...	.....	0 2 27½				
			23 and 23	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0½				
			21	Do. ...	.....	0 0 32				
			23	Do. ...	.....	0 0 10½				
			24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 32, 33, 33½ and 36.	Do. ...	.....	0 3 34				
			12, 37, 34, 35, 100 and 100.	Do. ...	.....	0 2 8½				
			58, 52, 57 and 55.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 36				
			42, 43 and 44.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25½				
			45 and 44	Do. ...	.....	0 1 12½				
			94	Do. ...	.....	0 0 8				
			50	Do. ...	.....	0 1 19½				
			51	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			51½	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
				Total ...	.....	5 1 5				
7	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Patpur	5 and 6 m. and 23.	West ...	.....	0 0 0½	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto.
			1	Do. ...	.....	0 0 22½				
			2, 9 and 13.	Do. ...	.....	0 3 30½				
			3	Do. ...	.....	0 2 17½				
			4	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			5 and 17	Do. ...	.....	0 1 18½				
			6 and 14	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			7	Do. ...	.....	0 0 28½				
			10	Do. ...	.....	0 0 30½				
			11	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
			12	Do. ...	.....	0 1 3½				
			15	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			16	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			18 and 20	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			19	Do. ...	.....	0 1 3½				
			21	Do. ...	.....	0 1 4½				
			22, 25 and 27.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 19½				
			24 and 29	Do. ...	.....	0 3 22½				
			26	Do. ...	.....	0 1 4½				
			28	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			30	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			31	Do. ...	.....	0 1 27				
			32 and 33	Do. ...	.....	0 0 38½				
			34	Do. ...	.....	0 1 13½				
			35 and 36	Do. ...	.....	0 1 22½				
			37	Do. ...	.....	0 1 21				
			54	Do. ...	.....	0 0 3½				
			55 and 65	Do. ...	.....	0 0 28½				
			18, 7 and 8.	Do. ...	.....	0 3 24				
			21	Do. ...	.....	0 0 8				
			19	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			19 and 9	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25				
			14	Do. ...	.....	0 0 12½				
			11	Do. ...	.....	0 0 3½				
			154	Do. ...	.....	0 0 28½				
				Total ...	.....	9 1 20½				
8	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Fakirpada.	6m., 38, 41, 45 and 46.	West ...	.....	0 1 11½	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto.
			39 and 43	Do. ...	.....	0 1 12½				
			40 and 42	Do. ...	.....	0 2 25½				
			43 and 47	Do. ...	.....	0 0 33½				
			44	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			48	Do. ...	.....	0 1 33				
				Total ...	.....	2 0 13½				
9	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Kunupada.	6m., 50 and 53.	West ...	.....	0 0 9½	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto.
			51 and 52	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
			54	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			55	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
				Total ...	.....	0 1 22½				

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of khasra.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
10	Cuttack ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Koonia para.	7m., 1 and 11.	West ...	.....	0 1 8	.....	.....	.....	Khasra numbers have been given.
			2	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			3	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			4 and 10	Do. ...	.....	0 0 14½				
			5	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25				
			6	Do. ...	.....	0 0 26½				
			7	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			8	Do. ...	.....	0 0 14½				
			9	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			12	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			13	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			14 and 16	Do. ...	.....	0 0 27½				
			15	Do. ...	.....	0 0 8				
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
			18	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			19 and 25	Do. ...	.....	0 0 33				
			20	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			21	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			22	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			23	Do. ...	.....	0 0 32				
			24	Do. ...	.....	0 1 30				
			26	Do. ...	.....	0 1 11½				
			36	Do. ...	.....	0 1 1½				
				Total ...	.....	3 3 20½				
11	Ditto ...	Pargana Bahurupa, mauza Kusinda.	7m. and 8, 37.	West ...	.....	0 0 27½	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto
			38 and 42	Do. ...	.....	0 1 4½				
			39 and 45	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0½				
			40	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			41	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			43	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			44 and 56	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			46	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			47 and 49	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			48 and 50	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			51 and 57	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			52 and 53	Do. ...	.....	0 0 30½				
			54	Do. ...	.....	0 0 13½				
			55	Do. ...	.....	0 0 0½				
			59	Do. ...	.....	0 0 38½				
			60 and 62	Do. ...	.....	0 0 35½				
			61 and 63	Do. ...	.....	0 0 27½				
			64	Do. ...	.....	0 0 33½				
			65 and 74	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			66	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			67	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			68	Do. ...	.....	0 1 17½				
			69	Do. ...	.....	0 1 9½				
			70, 72 and 73.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 35				
			71 and 76	Do. ...	.....	0 0 28½				
			75	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			83	Do. ...	.....	0 0 14½				
			84 and 86	Do. ...	.....	0 0 12½				
			85 and 87	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			88	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			89	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			90	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			91	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			92	Do. ...	.....	0 0 33				
			93, 95 and 96.	Do. ...	.....	0 3 24				
			94	Do. ...	.....	0 0 12½				
			97	Do. ...	.....	0 1 9½				
			98	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			135	Do. ...	.....	0 0 0½				
			128	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			127	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			97	Do. ...	.....	0 0 22½				
			96	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			95	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			51, 52 and 54.	Do. ...	.....	0 0 38½				
			53	Do. ...	.....	0 0 3½				
			55	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			56	Do. ...	.....	0 0 24				
			1, 2 and 3	Do. ...	.....	0 2 25½				
			4	Do. ...	.....	0 1 25½				
			5	Do. ...	.....	0 1 22½				
			6	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0½				
				Total ...	.....	0 0 12½				
12	Ditto ...	Pargana Bakhrabad, mauza Beiruchia and Gathapur.	8m., 40	West ...	.....	0 0 22½	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto.
			33	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			41, 56, 112, 138 and 440.	Do. ...	.....	0 1 20½				
			47	Do. ...	.....	0 0 14½				
			49	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			50	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			51	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			52	Do. ...	.....	0 0 4½				
			2	Do. ...	.....	0 0 20½				
			40 and 45	Do. ...	.....	0 1 24				
			33	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			41, 56, 112 138, 140 and 395.	Do. ...	.....	1 3 30½				
			46	Do. ...	.....	0 0 12½				
			47	Do. ...	.....	0 0 20½				
			49	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			50	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
			15	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate and number of khasra.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	
12	Cuttack ...	Pargana Bakhrabad mauza Belguchia and Gathapur.	16	West ...	.....	0 0 17½	.....	.....	.....	
			17	Do. ...	.....	0 1 3½				
			22	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			23 and 26	Do. ...	.....	0 0 11½				
			25	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			27	Do. ...	.....	0 0 6½				
			28	Do. ...	.....	0 0 9½				
			29	Do. ...	.....	0 0 1½				
			36 and 30	Do. ...	.....	0 0 37				
			31 and 32	Do. ...	.....	0 0 39½				
			33	Do. ...	.....	0 0 14½				
			34	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
			35	Do. ...	.....	0 0 19½				
			37	Do. ...	.....	0 0 32				
			38	Do. ...	.....	0 0 25½				
			40	Do. ...	.....	0 1 1½				
			43 and 45	Do. ...	.....	0 1 0				
			47	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			39, 41, 42, 44 and 46	Do. ..	.....	0 3 9½				
			48	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			49	Do. ...	.....	0 0 16				
			50	Do. ...	.....	0 0 17½				
				Total ...	.....	7 2 6½				

Cuttack Collectorate, the 18th May 1903.

L. BIRLEY, Offg. Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Cuttack will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 20th July 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2502	Ph. Bakhrabad, ta. Phagu.	Rs. A. P. 1,187 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Tagu Khuntia and others ...	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 8 1 3	Rs. A. P. .....

Cuttack Collectorate, the 11th June 1903.

L. BIRLEY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th August 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
211	Gaurinagar, pargana Bagowan.	Rs. A. P. 1,180 2 0	.....	14a. 2g. 1c. 2kag share ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ganga Mani Brahmanya	Rs. A. P. 1,030 7 9	.....	Rs. A. P. 1 14 2

Nadia Collectorate, the 9th July 1903.

KEDAR NATH MUKERJI, Deputy Collector in charge.

APPENDIX XXX.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Tippera, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on the 25th day of July 1903, corresponding with the 10th Sraban 1310 Fush, at the Collector's office, Comilla.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Parrana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Tippera ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Ratanpur.	10	West ...	3 1 2	1 0 1	.....	.....		*North*—Barapara. *South*— *East*— } Railway land. *West*—Nababall and others
2	Ditto	Ditto ...	10	East ..	3 6 8	1 0 17	.....	.....		*North*—Barapara. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Shaha Gazi and others. *West*—Railway land.
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Barapara.	10	West ...	12 10 10	4 0 23	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Ratanpur. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Baktar Gazi.
4	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10	East ...	26 9 13	8 3 1	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Ratanpur. *East*—Ali Mahmed and others. *West*—Railway land.
	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Durgapar.	10	West ...	2 13 12	0 3 22	...	.		*North*—Tank. *South*— } Railway land. *East*— } *West*—Khal and Ramsundar Pal.
6	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10	East ...	4 4 8	1 1 22	.....	.....	.....	*North*— } Railway land. *South*— } *East*—Afjal Dal, Amjad Dal. *West*—Railway land.
7	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	West ...	5 11 0	1 3 13	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Ram Sundar Pal. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Khal and Ram Sundar Pal.
8	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	11 10 4	3 3 9	...	.....		*North*—Kamal Pal. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Aiuddi and others. *West*—Railway land.
9	Ditto ...	Ditto	11	West	5 3 0	1 3 6	.....			*North*— } Kamal Pal. *South*— } *East*—Railway land. *West*—Kamal Pal.
10	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	0 10 7	0 0 28	.....	.....	.....	*North*— } Tank. *South*— } *East*—Akbarali. *West*—Railway land.
11	Ditto ...	Ditto	11	West ...	4 16 1	1 2 4	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Khal. *South*—Tank. *East*—Kamal Pal. *West*—Railway land.
12	Ditto	Ditto ..	11	East ...	2 12 4	0 3 21	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Tank. *East*—Kamal Pal and Akbarali. *West*—Railway land.
13	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Sreemibash.	11	West ...	7 18 11	2 2 19	District Board road.	0 0 6	.....	*North*—Kasinagar. *South*—Khal. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Nagar Chand and others.
14	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	10 1 9	3 1 13	District Board.	0 0 6	.....	*North*—Kasinagar. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Kamal Pal and others. *West*—Railway land.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
15	Tippera ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasinagar.	11	West ...	1 5 15	0 1 29	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Road. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ganga Das and Nagar Das Nath.
16	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	1 8 10	0 1 23	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Road. *East*—Basarat Ali. *West*—Railway land.
17	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasinagar *alias* Barachar.	12	West ...	2 15 0	0 3 25	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Kasipur. *South*— *East*— } Railway land. *West*—Ratan Gazi and others.
18	Ditto .	Ditto ...	12	East ...	1 16 5	0 2 16	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Kasipur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Basarat Ali. *West*—Railway land.
19	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasipur.	12	West ...	11 7 14	3 3 3	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Durgapur. *South*—Kasinagar. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Jdhor Gazi.
20	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12	East ...	11 9 6	3 3 6	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Durgapur. *South*—Kasinagar. *East*—Goura Gazi. *West*—Railway land.
21	Ditto ..	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Durgapur.	12	West ...	3 19 9	1 1 9	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Kasipur. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ram Gopal Gope and Dulal Mahamed.
22	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12	East ...	4 1	1 1 16	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Kasipur. *East*—Ram Gopal Gope and Amir Mahmed. *West*—Railway land.
23	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12	West ...	3 2 13	1 0 6	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— } Railway land. *East*—
24	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	12	East ...	3 6 5	1 0 15	.....	.....	.....	*North*— } Railway land. *South*— } *East*—Alabaddi and Dulal Gazi. *West*—Railway land.

The 27th May 1903.

R. C. DAS, *for* Collector.

Notification of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B C.) of 1868, that the under mentioned tenures or shares of tenures in estate Kothdes, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th July 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and all other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

No. of tenure.	Name of tenure, mahal, and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole tenure.		Whether the whole tenure is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.		If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		Remarks.
		Rent.	Cess.				Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	
1	2	3		4	5	6	7		8		9		10
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
85 86	Mauza Bhagabatipur Makadami, pargana Kothdes.	907	46 8 6	Whole ...	.....	Mahant Raghunandan Ramanuj Das and others.	.....	.....	4 1 6	23 1 9	.....	.....	April 1903.
90 91	Mauza Bibwanathpur Makadami, pargana Kothdes.	1,399	75 0 0	.....	Kt. 6p. 7g. 1k. 2kr.	Gadadhar Pa.ne and others.	617 3 5	27 11 0	.....	.....	160 2 0	7 5 1	Ditto.
266 276	Mauza Pampalo Makadami, pargana Kothdes.	1,050	63 0 0	.....	Kt. 12p. 2k. 1kr. 12b.	Chaudhury Chandrasikhar Das and others.	779 1 5	41 3 6	.....	.....	217 3 3	12 6 3	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 30th June 1903.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, Collector.

APPENDIX XXX.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Tippera, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on the 25th day of July 1903, corresponding with the 10th Sraban 1310 Fusli, at the Collector's Office, Comilla

The purchasers of the several plots of lands will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the Railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from sale lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Tippera	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasinagar.	13	West ...	11 13 0	3 2 33	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Sriballavpur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Rajabali and others.
2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	13	East	11 7 8	3 3 1	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Sriballavpur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Rajjabali and others *West*—Railway land.
3	Ditto ..	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Sriballavpur	13	West ...	2 6 3	2 2 30	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Lakhipur. *South*—Kashinagar. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ram Kumar Gope and others.
4	Ditto	Ditto ...	13	East ...	12 19 2	4 1 5	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Lakhipur *South*—Kashinagar. *East*—Ram Kumar Gope and others. *West*—Railway land.
5	Ditto ..	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Lakhipur.	13	West ...	0 13 5	0 0 33	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Sriballavpur. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Samiuddi and Rajaddi.
6	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	13	East ...	0 13 11	0 0 36	.....	.....	..	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Sriballavpur. *East*—Isopali. *West*—Railway land.
7	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Dalara.	14	West ..	1 11 5	0 2 3	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Baharuddi.
8	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	14	East ...	5 2 14	1 2 33	District Board road.	0 1 19	...	*North*—Lot No. 10 and Alimia. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Alimia and others. *West*—Railway land.
9	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	14	West ..	0 19 11	0 1 13	.....	.....	...	*North*—Tank. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Baharuddi.
10	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	14	East ...	9 13 13	3 0 30	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Jangalia Saoratoli. *South*—Lot No. 8 and Alimia. *East*—Jamiruddi. *West*—Railway land.
11	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	West ...	5 2 14	1 2 33	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Jangalia Saoratoli. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Chand Gazi and others.
12	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Jangalia Saoratoli.	14	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*—Jangalia Saoratoli. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Hashan Ali
13	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	Do. ...	2 10 15	0 3 15	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Umedali and others.
14	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ..	12 2 12	4 0 2	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Dalara. *East*—Abdul and others. *West*—Railway land.
15	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	West ...	0 13 13	0 0 34	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Chand Gazi.

Consecutive No. of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
16	Tippera ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Jangalia Saoratoli.	14	West ...	2 2 8	0 2 32	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Shaktola. *South*— *East*— } Railway land. *West*—Maidhor Gazi and Umed Ali.
17	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ...	1 14 7	0 2·11	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Shaktola. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Abdul and Mahamud Raja. *West*—Railway land.
18	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Shaktola.	14	West ...	1 6 4	0 1 20	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Jangalia Saora oli. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Akramali.
19	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ..	0 17 5	0 1 6	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Jangalia Saoratoli. *East*—Charu. *West*—Railway land.
20	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	West ...	14 1 13	4 2 25	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*— *East*— } Railway land. *West*—Abjal and others.
21	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	East ..	18 3 9	6 0 2	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Govindpur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Afzal and others. *West*—Railway land.
22	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	West ...	0 16 7	0 1 3	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— } Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Amudali and others.
23	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	Do. ...	4 3 9	1 1 21	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Daulatpur. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Abbachali and others.
24	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Gobindpur.	15	East ...	1 19 9	0 3 25	District Board road.	0 0 31	.....	*North*—Daulatpur. *South*—Shaktola. *East*—Abbachali *West*—Railway land.
25	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kandirpur *alias* Doulatpur.	15	Do. ...	0 6 10	2 3 1	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Umedali Bhuian and Lot No. 26. *South*—Govindpur. *East*—Charu. *West*—Railway land.
26	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Doulatpur	15	West ...	2 9 14	0 3 13	District Board road.	0 0 26	.....	*North*—Umedali Bhuian. *South*—Shaktola. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Umedali Bhuian.
27	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	Do. ...	7 5 7	2 1 25	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Ram Dulal Dupi. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ram Dulal Dupi and Umed Ali.
28	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	Do. ...	4 6 6	1 1 22	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Lot No. 25 and Umed Ali Bhuian. *East*—Umed Ali and others. *West*—Railway land.

The 27th May 1903.

R. C. Das, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the district of Palamau, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon on the 31st of July 1903, corresponding to the 25th Sawan 1310 Fasli at Daltonganj.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavation on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway fencing or plough the land closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of the sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the order of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of land in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from the sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reason for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Palamau	Palamau, Kerma tappa Kote.	78	East side of the railway line.	3 9 8	1·54	.....		As per column 9.	North, South, East, West—Kerma and Railway compound.

Daltonganj, the 25th May 1903. SARAT CH. SEN GUPTA, Depy. Collr. in charge, *for* Depy. Commr. of Palamau.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the village of Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona, at 12 o'clock noon, on the 27th August 1903, corresponding with 3rd Bhadra 1310, Bengali era.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset prices, which have been fixed by the Collector. The purchaser of these estates will be considered as the proprietor of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him permanently free of rent.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
		A. R. P.		
2706	Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	0 0 7	Will be sold revenue free.	
2707	Ditto, ditto ...	0 0 21		

Ghatal, the 7th July 1903. AHMAD, Subdivisional Officer.

List of documents lying unclaimed in the Calcutta Registry Office and in the Calcutta Joint Sub-Registry Office which will be destroyed under section 85 of Act III of 1877, if not taken delivery of within one month from date.

Serial No.	Names of Parties.		Nature of document.	Number of document in register.	Book.	Volume.	Page.	Date of	
	Claimant.	Executant.						Completion of registration.	Refusal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
								1900.	
1	Regina Gasper	W. A. Bonnand and others ...	Lease ..	59	I	89	1	18th January	
2	Sewdut Ray	W. Ferries and another ...	Surrender of lease.	136	I	25	10	7th February	
3	T. D. Ralli	T. J. Waite and another ...	Lease ...	641	I	26	121	2nd June	
4	Priya Nath Mukherji	Buchi Bartwali	Mortgage ..	684	I	15	77	6th ,,	
5	John Day	J. W. Mathews and another	Lease ...	787	I	16	111	5th July	
6	Umasundari Bewa ...	Paran Chandra Biswas and others.	Sale ..	1050	I	42	102	14th August	
7	Rainab Charan Gunin ...	Lashmimani Dasi ...	Mortgage ...	1100	I	31	121	3rd September	
8	Ramnarayan Gorye and others.	Ramnarayan Gorye and others	Partition ...	1191	I	19	118	20th December	
9	Sarat Chandra Datta	Banku Behari Chatterji ...	Release ...	1240	I	27	168	19th October	
10	Kumar Narendra Nath Mitra	Kumar Manmatha Nath Mitra	Sale ...	1257	I	37	209	13th ,,	
11	Dr. Lawrence Fernandez ...	F. C. Hoff and others ...	Lease ...	1312	I	33	156	27th ,,	
12	Mrs. C. G. Bulloch .	O. Burne and another	Do. ..	1314	I	37	167	27th ,,	
13	V. Harvey	G. H Marklew and another ...	Do. ...	1379	I	27	181	14th November	
14	E. A. Arakie	A. Grossman and others ...	Do. ...	1380	I	28	195	14th ,,	
15	Syedah Majidah Begum ...	Syed Abdul Hossain, M.D. ...	Do. ...	1404	I	40	198	8th December	
16	Mrs. K. Banerji and others ..	Saikh Sultan	Do. ...	1515	I	16	183	13th ,,	
17	Adolf Rosdol	Adelle Most	Power of attorney.	116	IV	1	46	25th April	
18	Charu Chandra Mitra ...	Mrs Kate Peters	Bond ...	120	IV	5	48	19th ,,	
19	Ditto ...	Mrs. Kate Peters and another	Do. ...	121	IV	6	53	19th ,,	
20	S. M. Fakhiruddin Saheb ...	Abdul Khaliq and others ...	Sale ...	167	IV	3	85	6th June.	1900.
21	Maulvi Abdul Ahed	Munshi Golam Hassain ...	Do. ...	P. 56 for 1900	..	...	...	.....	24th March.
22	Hira Lal Johury	E. G Jones and another ...	Lease	P. 256 for 1899	...	...	...	.. ...	23rd August.
23	Jugal Kissore Agarwalla and others.	Golabary Company, Limited, and others.	Do. ...	P. 205 for 1899	...	..	...	... ..	25th April.
24	Anukul Chandra Mukherji ...	Hamidan-ness Bewa	Mortgage ...	P 105 for 1900	...	...	...	.. ..	26th September.
25	Annapurna Devi	Kinnison Jute Mills Company, Limited.	Lease ..	P. 22 for 1900	...	...	...	.....	6th June.

Registered at the Calcutta Joint Sub-Registry Office.

								1900.	
1	Bissessur Nath	Telco Gopaljee	Lease ...	38	I	4	21	20th February.	
2	A. S. Abraham	A. J. S. Joseph	Do. ...	224	I	1	231	17th March.	
3	Purusottam Sivji ...	Gobind Nath Miser	Do. ...	265	I	6	22	21st ,,	
4	Sasimukhi Devi	Kali Nath Chakrabartti ..	Release ...	662	I	15	43	18th May.	
5	Saikh Aminuddin	Sarifuddin Khan	Mortgage	833	I	13	249	18th June.	
6	Musaher Hosen	Saikh Sukurmiah	Sale ...	931	I	18	75	29th ,,	
7	Rahman Khan	Ratulan Bibi	Do. ...	1279	I	23	62	23rd August.	
8	Mollajan Bibi	Abdur Razak	Do. ...	1340	I	24	89	3rd September.	
9	Ramchandra Sing	Rahamat Khan	Lease ...	1443	I	33	251	25th ,,	
10	Dayamayi Bewa	Uma Charan De	Do. ...	1548	I	32	179	31st December.	
11	Ram Nath Marwari	Abdul Ajij and others	Do. ...	1564	I	35	96	22nd ,,	
12	Mani Law Shaw	Satya Ch. Mandal ...	Receipt ...	1703	I	27	282	18th January.	
13	Jayagopal Dutt	Beni Madhab Pal Chaudhuri .	Bond ...	5	IV	1	101	7th February.	
14	Raghunath Shaw ...	Shaik Chandmiah	Do. ...	40	IV	2	62	17th March.	
15	Gopal Chandra Pal ...	Rajani Kanta Banerji ...	Sale ...	46	IV	2	66	20th ,,	
16	Munsi Hedait Ali	Syed Talal Hosein Khan, *alias* Jani Saheb.	Agreement ...	128	IV	3	193	5th May.	
17	Dr. Golam Safdar	Khatun Kobra, *alias* Fatima Bibi.	Release	161	IV	1	228	9th July.	
18	Shaik Habib Miah	Shaik Isoof	Bond and agreement.	234	IV	3	186	20th August.	
19	Amrita Lal Mukherji	Asvini Kumar Chattopadhya ...	Indemnity bond.	336	IV	4	184	14th December.	
20	Bihari Lal Bose .	Mati Lal Patra	Mortgage ...	.....	...	...	...	.....	1900. 4th October.
21	Sarat Ch. Ray ...	Jadu Nath Ray	Ditto ...	.....	...	...	...	.. ...	1st February.
22	Amarendra Nath Chatterji and others.	Phulchand Agarwala	Lease ...	... ..	..	...	...	... .	19th June.
23	Kisori Mohan Ray	Jogendra Nandini Dasi and others.	Agreement and further charge.	... ..	...	...	...	.....	1st February.
24	Shaik Maqbul	Rangini Bibi and another ...	Sale ...	.....	...	...	...	.....	1st August.
25	Johora Begam	Mani Lal Saha	Lease ...	.....	...	...	...	.....	31st ,,
26	Braja Lal Ray	Mokesi Dasi	Deposit of title deeds.	.. ..	...	...	...	.....	17th October.
27	Guru Das Bose	Naba Kumari Debi	Release	.....	...	...	...	.....	14th November.
28	Broja Lal Ray Chaudhuri ...	Ram Prasad Nayek	Lease ...	... ..	...	...	...	.....	4th July.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st July 1903.

B. L. CHANDRA,
Registrar of Calcutta.

Abstract Statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st October 1902, being the second quarter of the year 1902-1903, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1901-1902.

PARTICULARS	For the quarter ending 31st October 1902	For the quarter ending 31st October 1901	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,48,14,603 1 11	1,46,37,293 7 8	1,77,309 10 3	.....
ADD RECEIPTS—				
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October 1902 in the Widows' Fund	1,24,685 12 6	1,30,781 10 6	.....	6,095 14 0
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October 1902 in the Children's Fund	67,318 4 0	71,351 14 0	.....	4,033 10 0
Fees and stamps	15 8 0	13 0 0	2 8 0	.....
Amount at credit of subscribers under Rule 55 transferred to divisible surplus	149 2 0	61 14 0	87 4 0	.....
Amount of interest charged on subscriptions in arrear ...	...	4 1 6	.....	4 1 6
Income and outlay on office building and grounds	1,813 15 0	1,813 15 0	.....	.....
Total Receipts ...	1,93,982 9 6	2,04,026 7 0	89 12 0	10,133 9 6
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,50,08,585 11 5	1,48,41,319 14 8	(A)1,77,399 6 3	10,133 9 6
DEDUCT DISBURSEMENTS—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	1,55,404 0 1	1,47,234 6 8	8,169 9 10	.....
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund ...	89,731 15 11	86,436 7 8	3,295 8 3	.....
Establishment including contingencies	10,043 1 6	10,408 11 2	.....	365 9 8
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	13,793 15 8	9,244 3 9	4,549 11 11	.....
Commission paid for money-orders	789 10 0	810 6 0	.....	20 12 0
Total Disbursements ...	2,69,762 11 2	2,54,134 2 10	(B)16,014 14 0	386 5 8
Balance in favour of the Fund ...	1,47,38,823 0 3	1,45,87,185 11 10	(C)1,61,384 8 3	9,747 3 10
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,50,08,585 11 5	1,48,41,319 14 8	1,77,399 6 3	10,133 9 6
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	1,27,228 14 0	1,29,694 2 0	.....	2,465 4 0

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers	1,315	816	1,374	863	...	...	59	47
Ditto of incumbents	672	873	643	846	29	27	..	...
Ditto of subscribers sharing abatement	1,212	720	1,232	775	...	...	20	55

	Rs. A. P.
A.—Net increase in grand total of receipts ...	1,67,265 12 9
B.—Net increase in total disbursements ...	15,628 4
C —Net increase in balance ...	1,51,637 4 5

LOVELOCK & LEWES, *Chartered Accountants,*
J. C. C. GRAY, *Accountant,* } *Auditors.*

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RIVERS HOWE,
Secretary and Accountant.

Calcutta, the 4th July 1903. (720—1)

NOTICE.

UNDER the provisions of Rule XX, Part I of the rules for the care and use of Government cemetries the following monuments having become ruinous will be treated at the next repairs in such manner as the officer in charge of the cemetery may decide to be necessary for the maintenance of the cemetery in decent order, unless any person will undertake to bear the cost of repairs, cemetery at Jessore:—

Consecutive No.	Name of Deceased.	Year of Death.	Remarks.
1	.....	...	Tile-work on top, cement pointing and sand-plaster.
2	Francis Thomas ...	1833	Pucka masonry, soorky beaten plaster and sand-plaster.
3	Gregory Herktols ...	...	Dismantling masonry, pucka masonry, sand-plaster, whitewash and new cornice.
4	Mary Adelaide ...	1845	Sand-plaster in patches.
5	William Edmund ..	1840	Sand-plaster and whitewashing.
6	John Willian Baldwin ...	...	Sand-rubbing and whitewashing.
7	Manuel Thomas ...	1834	Soorky beaten plaster, pucka masonry, soorky rubbing, cornice and whitewash.
8	Joseph Nicholas Thomas ...	1852	Pucka masonry, cement plaster.
9	George Scott ..	1844	Pucka masonry, sand-plaster and white-washing.
10	.....	...	Sand-rubbing, pucka masonry, whitewash changing face glass.
11	.....		Only whitewashing.
12	John Robbert Carruthers ...	1831	Sand-plaster, petty mason's works and cornice.
13	John Donald ...	1872	Pucka masonry, soorky plaster and white-wash.
14	Harriette Catharine ...	...	Sand plaster and whitewashing.
15	.....	...	.....
16	.....	...	Filling up joints with cement, raising and resetting stones.
17	.....	...	Cement plaster in patches.
18	Bertrand Charles Abadie ...	1860	Pucka masonry, cement plaster, whitewashing and moudling cornice.
19	A. W. Baylis	1873	Sand plaster, whitewash, moulding cornice, pucka masonry.
20	.....	...	Pucka masonry, sand plaster, whitewash.
21	.....	...	Soorky beaten plaster, sand plaster, crack-repairing, sand-rubbing and whitewashing.
22	.....	...	Sand-rubbing, sand plaster, moulding cornice and whitewashing.
23	.....	...	Pucka masonry, sand plaster, whitewash.
24	.....	...	Ditto ditto.
25	.....	...	Soorky beaten plaster, sand plaster, sand-rubbing, whitewashing.
26	.....	...	Pucka masonry, sand plaster, soorky piaster and whitewashing.
27	.....	...	Ditto ditto.
28	.....	...	Sand plaster, whitewashing and soorky plaster.
29	.....	...	Ditto ditto.
30	John Howard	1828	Ditto ditto.
31	Emma Hellen	1824	Pucka masonry, soorky plaster, sand-rubbing and whitewash.
32	Jane	1842	Soorky beaten plaster.
33	Charley L. Dyson ...	1889	Whitewashing only.
34	Guy	1885	Sand-rubbing, whitewashing.
35	.....	...	Sand plaster, whitewashing, soorky plaster, pucka masonry.
36	.....	...	Sand plaster, whitewashing.
37	V. Burgh	1833	Soorky beaten plaster, sand-rubbing, sand plaster and whitewashing.
38	Jane Ancelina Johnstone ...	1894	Sand plaster, pucka masonry and whitewashing.
39	James Thomas Macdonald ...	1867	Ditto, whitewashing and petty mason's work.

Consecutive. No.	NAME OF DECEASED.	Year of Death.	REMARKS.
40	Norman Alexander Cowan ...	1866	Soorky plaster, sand-rubbing and whitewashing.
41	Henry James Barchard ...	1846	Sand plaster, whitewashing and moulding cornice.
42	.....	...	Soorky plaster, pucka masonry, sand plaster and whitewashing.
43	.....	...	Sand plaster, pucka masonry and whitewashing.
44	Henryetta Barry ...	1855	Sand plaster and whitewashing required.

J. T. BABONEAU, *Magistrate.*

Notification.

EXECUTION CASE No. 115 OF 1903.

Babu Bhawani Prosad, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Mahadeo Saran Singh, etc., judgment-debtor.

THE following properties will be sold on the 3rd day of August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court for realization of Rs. 2,328-8-4, there being no incumbrance on these properties:—

Serial No.	Name, extent and description of properties.	Tauzi No.	Name of thana and registry.	Jama Sadar of khata.	Jama of whole mahal.	Kham paidowar.	Net profit.	Approximate value.
				Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Eight annas of mauza Rayepoora in mahal Mithepore, pargana Goa, in khata No. 1 of Sheo Sahai Singh, father of judgment-debtor No. 1.	2610	Chapra ...	728 12	1,540 4 3	115	58	410
2	Eight annas of mauza Kadua in mahal Mithepore, pargana Goa.	2610	Do. ...	728 12	1,540 4 3	190	51	275
3	Eight annas of mauza Mithepore in mahal Mithepore, pargana Goa.	2610	Do. ...	728 12	1,540 4 3	105	51	225
4	Eight annas of Bhualpore, pargana Goa, in mahal Mithepore.	2610	Thana Mirzapore, and sub-registry Amnour.	728 12	1,540 4 3	40	21	110
5	Eight annas of Sirsa Balli, mahal Mithepore, pargana Goa.	2910	Ditto ...	725 12	1,540 4 3	42	21	105

TEJ CHANDRA MUKERJI, Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Saran.

Chapra, the 8th July 1903. (721—1)

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 7th July 1903.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 83,61,539 5 9				
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,04,30,700 7 1		1,87,92,239	12	10
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		7,91,73,534	0	4
Bank Post Bills, &c.		3,02,521	14	2
Sundries		19,52,350	7	8
Rupees ...		13,23,70,646	8	0

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities		1,47,47,147	8	0
Other authorised investments		49,55,139	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities		2,91,68,242	12	2
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto		1,84,61,049	1	5
Bills discounted and purchased		1,74,95,847	15	10
Balances with other Banks		10,19,795	10	3
Bullion		1,248	8	3
Dead Stock		18,12,546	14	2
Stamps		12,661	5	0
Sundries		12,30,283	13	1
		8,89,03,962	8	2
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 1,97,89,837 6 6				
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches† ... „ 2,36,85,846 4 4		4,34,66,683	10	10
Rupees ...		13,23,70,646	8	0

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,11,855 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 1,34,737 8 0
Rs. 2,46,592 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 9th July 1903.

H. F. FRESHWATER, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 43·37.

A. M. LINDSAY, Offg. Secretary and Treasurer. (714—1)

MEMORANDUM.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	
Government Balance at Head Office	1,42,683	Decrease.
Ditto at Branches ...	11,83,367	Increase.
Other Deposits	17,07,501	Decrease.
Post Bills	27,771	Do.

ASSETS.

	Rs.	
Bank's Investments	18,01,282	Decrease.
Loans	29,09,531	Do.
Accounts of Credit	2,71,171	Increase.
Mercantile Bills	26,44,014	Decrease.
Cash at Head Office	9,04,614	Do.
Do. at Branches	65,76,062	Increase.

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 8th July 1903.

In the Third Court of the Subordinate Judge of Patna.

PRESENT: RAI JOGINDRA NATH DEB BAHADUR.

EXECUTION CASE No. 63 OF 1903.

Babu Edal Singh, of mauza Rami Begha, pargana Bihar, district Patna, decree-holder, *versus* Syed Anwar Ali, of mahalla Baruhdari, in Bihar town, district Patna, judgment-debtor.

THE following properties of the abovenamed judgment-debtor shall be sold for recovery of Rs. 2,109-7 by the Nazir of the District Judge of Patna in the sale-room of that Court on the 17th August 1903 at 12 o'clock noon:—

Serial No.	Tauzi No.	Sadar jama.	Name of estate with pargana.	Share.	Estimated value.
		Rs. A. P.		A. D. C. B. P. R. T.	Rs.
1	52	313 10 0	Benar khas Amarpur, Benar kalan Azizpur, Benar Mustafapur Kaila, dihi Nazimat, pargana Bihar, district Patna.	0 1 18 15 0 0 0	25
2	80	115 0 0	Bazedpur Uprawan urf Basman Bigha, pargana Behar.	0 0 18 11 10 0 0	5
3	724	99 8 0	Yaqoobpur Jamsarai, pargana Bihar ...	1 12 16 0 0 0 0	10
4	1055	71 6 2	Gobindrampore Baradi, pargana Bihar ...	0 16 17 16 9 14 0	10
5	478	2,323 0 0	Utarnawan Buzurg, pargana Bihar ...	0 10 8 6 13 6 13	5
6	568	808 2 0	Rasoolpur Ghosrawan, pargana Bihar ...	0 16 9 8 6 13 0	5
7	302	70 14 0	Khaje Ahmadpur urf Chhajoo mahalla, pargana Behar.	0 1 0 5 0 0 0	10
				P. K.	
8	263	376 12 0	Jahanabad nisf pargana Bihar	2 10	25
9	207*	1,985 2 0	Ghosrawan Raghunathpur, Ghosrawan Jadoopur, Ghorawan, Kasipur, pargana Bihar.	Rs. 10 Huqsjri ...	1
				A. D. C. B. P. R. T.	
10	72	70 5 9	Jalalpur chuk pargana Beswak, district Patna.	0 4 14 17 4 5 0	5
11	31	6 0 0	Ghorahi Giryak, Arazi English, Ramzan Khan Haveldar, pargana Nurhut, district Patna	1a.	10
12	...	.....	3 cottahs out of 1 bigha 15 cottahs arazi kharijjama Dariapur Baigunabad with mango and other sorts of trees, pargana Bihar.	... ...	5
				A. K. M.	
13	...	.....	Arazi Nandlal Bagh, pargana Bihar ...	5 16 17	2
14	...	.....	2 cottahs 10 dhurs out of 1 bigha 10 cottahs arazi Mansoome, chuk Tikooli, pargana Bihar.	.....	1
15	...	.....	14 dhurs out of 8 cottahs situated at Mean tola with imli trees.	.....	1
16	...	.....	2 cottahs 10 dhurs out of 1 bigha 10 cottahs arazi lakheraj in Shahganj.	.....	5
17	...	.....	10 dhurs out of 6 cottahs homestead parti land, Mansoome Purani and Nai Haweli in mahalla Barahdari in Bihar town.	.....	1
18	...	.....	1-17 cottahs out of 19 bighas 10 cottahs lakheraj land in mauza Jugdispore, pargana Bihar.	.....	10
19	...	.....	Houses in mahallas Parpain and Baruhdari at Bihar town, 1 kacha, and pucca house in mahalla Goura Garmaedha, pargana Bihar.	.....	5
20	...	.....	3 zenana and baituk houses in mahalla Parpain at Bihar.	.....	5
21	...	.....	Houses named Bichli Haweli in mahalla Baruhdari at Bihar.	.....	5
22	...	.....	1 Feelkhana, Shuturkhana and Ambarkhana in one lot in mahalla Chukri chak at Bihar.	.....	5
23	...	.....	1 Dewankhana in mahalla Baruhdari in Bihar ...	.....	5
24	...	.....	1 kucha house in mahalla Baruhdari at Bihar ...	.....	5

Bankipore, the 8th July 1903. (750—1) JOGENDRA NATH DEB, Sub-Judge.

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION.

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1 Pound tin Rs. 16, or, post free, Rs. 16-8.
½ " " " 8 " " " " 8-6.
¼ " " " 4 " " " " 4-6.

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans. 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

WANTED by the District Board of Midnapore a Sub-Inspector of Schools on Rs. 50 besides travelling allowance under the Civil Service Regulations.

Preference will be given to graduates with experience in teaching.

None need apply who do not possess the qualifications required by Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 486T.G. and 558, dated 2nd September 1893 and 8th February 1901, respectively.

Candidates must file certificates of health, age, moral character and success as teachers.

The successful candidate must give an undertaking in writing to remain in his post for at least three years, and he will be required to join his post by the 1st September next.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th July 1903.

R. N. DAS,
Vice-Chairman, Midnapore District Board.
The 29th June 1903. (696—2)

WANTED two Apprentices for the Office of the Magistrate-Collector of Bogra. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination and cannot write a good hand. Copies of certificates of age and of moral character from the institution to which the candidates were last educated or from some responsible officer of Government should be furnished. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 26th July 1903.

RAMENDRA KRISHNA DEV, Collector.
Bogra Collectorate, the 3rd July 1903.

SIBNARAYAN BANERJEA, B.L., intends to apply to be enrolled as Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.
(673—4—581)

SARAT CHANDRA LAHIRI intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court. (719—4—600)

BABU UDAY KUMAR DAS, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.
(725—4—599)

Wanted

BY the District Board of Shahabad one Overseer on Rs. 80 per mensem, rising on approved service to Rs. 100 by annual increments of Rs. 5, plus Rs. 30 per mensem for conveyance allowance, and one Sub-Overseer on Rs. 25 per mensem, *plus* Rs. 15, conveyance allowance.

None need apply who are not qualified according to Government of Bengal Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, paragraphs 7 (1) (*a*) and 7 (4) (*a*) (*b*), respectively.

Applications with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned, will be received by the District Engineer, Shahabad, Arrah, up to 20th July.

The successful candidates will be required to serve for one year on probation.

H. EDWARDS, District Engineer, Shahabad.
District Engineer's Office, Arrah, the 3rd July 1903.
(701—2)

Wanted

FOR the Tikari Higher Class English School a Second Master on Rs. 60 a month for nine months with the prospect of being permanent.

None but graduates strong in English with at least five years' experience in the art of teaching, need apply. Preference will, of course, be given to a Behari candidate.

Applications with copies of testimonials which will not be returned will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th July current.

ASHUTOSH MUKHERJI, Offg. Manager.
Manager's Office, Tikari Ward's Estate, Gaya, the 6th July 1903. (712—1)

Wanted

AT once by the District Board, Ranchi, a Sub-Overseer on a pay of Rs. 35 *plus* Rs. 15 horse allowance per mensem. The post is permanent. Candidates must be qualified under rule 7 (3) (*a*) of the Notification No. 3334L S.-G., Part IX, dated the 20th December 1901.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned by the 31st of July 1903.

A. E. HARWARD,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Ranchi.
Ranchi, the 9th July 1903. (724—2)

Wanted

AN Accountant and Head Clerk for two years for the office of the District Engineer, Saran, on a salary of Rs. 80 per month with prospect of being made permanent. No one need apply who has not passed the Accountantship Examination prescribed in the Public Works Department Code, Volume I, paragraph 242, and Appendix 2 (Eighth Edition), and has no experience of office work.

2. An Assistant Accountant and Cashier for the same office on a salary of Rs. 30 rising to Rs. 40 by biennial increments of Rs. 2.

3. Also a Correspondence Clerk. Salary Rs. 35 rising to Rs. 45 by biennial increments of Rs. 2.

Applications in applicants' own handwriting with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 28th July 1903.

J. F. GRAHAM,
Chairman, District Board, Saran.
Chapra, the 10th July 1903. (726—2)

WANTED an Overseer for the District Board of Khulna. Salary Rs. 50 per month rising to Rs. 60 in two years on approved service. Travelling allowance Rs. 35 per month consolidated. Applicants must be qualified under Rule 7 (1), (*a*), (*b*) or (*c*), published in Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G. of 20th December 1901. Last day of receiving applications 20th July 1903.

H. D. CHATTERJEE, District Engineer.
Khulna, the 2nd July 1903. (713—1)

WANTED an Overseer for the Serampore Municipality. Must hold at least the qualifications of a Sub-Overseer in the Public Works Department; active and able to ride.

Pay according to ability. The pay of the present incumbent is Rs. 50 per mensem *plus* Rs. 15, conveyance allowance.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned on or before the 25th July 1903.

KISORILAL GOSWAMI, Chairman.

Serampore, the 9th July 1903. (716—27)

WANTED a Sub-Inspector of Schools for the District Board of Manbhum on a salary of Rs. 50 a month with travelling allowances at the rates specified in the Civil Service Regulations. The candidate should be qualified under the rules laid down in the Government Notification No. 486T.G., dated 2nd September 1898, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Applications, with necessary certificates, should reach the undersigned on or before the 25th July 1903.

SARAT CHANDRA SEN, Vice-Chairman.

Purulia, the 8th July 1903. (723—2)

Notice.

WANTED a graduate strong in English to fill the post of a clerk on Rs. 30 a month in the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal. Applications with copies of testimonials should be addressed to the Personal Assistant to the Director of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, so as to reach him by the 25th July 1903 without fail.

S. L. MADDOX,
Offg Director of the Department of
Land Records and Agriculture,
Bengal.

Calcutta, the 30th June 1903.

NOTICE.

WANTED a Head Clerk for the Chaukidari Office' Purulia, on a salary of Rs. 40 a month. He must have passed the Entrance examination and read up to the F.A. standard. He must have a knowledge of accounts and some previous experience. He will have to serve six months on probation, and must be prepared to join on 1st August to learn the work. Applications will be received by the District Superintendent of Police, Manbhum, up to the 25th instant.

P. A. SANDILANDS, Dist. Supdt. of Police.

Dated Purulia, Manbhum, the 8th July 1903.

(717 - 1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate W. LeBas Tahourdin, I.C.S., deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 30th September 1903, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

C. A. RADICE,
Administrator to the Estate of
W. LeBas Tahourdin, deceased.

Krishnagar, the 27th June 1903. (690—3)

Notice.

CANDIDATES are invited for the post of the Accountant, Rangpur Treasury, on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 per month by annual increments of Rs. 2. The post has now fallen vacant for six months with every prospect of its being permanently vacant after that period. None need apply who has had no experience in the Treasury Accounts. Copies of testimonials are to be submitted with the application. Applications will be received up to the 31st July 1903.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Rangpur, the 3rd July 1903.

Notification.

THE Government of Bengal having sanctioned the imposition of a river due at the Port of Chittagong, it is hereby notified for general information, under section 33B of the Chittagong Port Commissioners Amendment Act, IV of 1903, that a river due of two annas per ton will be levied from 20th July 1903 on all goods landed from or shipped into any sea-going vessel lying or being within the limits of the port, whether such goods shall or shall not be so landed or shipped at any wharf, quay, stage, jetty or pier belonging to the Commissioners.

E. GOOD.

Special Officer to the Port Commissioners,
for Chairman of the Port Commissioners.

Chittagong, the 11th July 1903. (727—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a decree and an order of the High Court at Calcutta, dated, respectively, the 4th day of June 1895 and 14th day of July 1902, in suit No. 357 of 1893 (Shaik Domon and another *versus* Mussammat Sobiram Bibee and others), by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 8th day of August 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned properties belonging to the defendant, namely:—

Lot No. 1.—All that piece or parcel of rent-free garden land and tank in Rajpore, thana Amta, pargana Bhoorsoot, in zilla Hooghly, registration district Howrah, sub-district Moisrakha, together with two pucca ghats or steps to the said tank attached, and the fruit and other trees on the said land adjoining the said tank, and bounded on the west by the river Damodar, on the north by the land and musjid of Sirratollah, on the east by the land of Pitambur Hadra, and on the south by a bamboo garden of Tarra Chand Mullick.

Lot No. 2.—All that putny mahal called lot Nischindipore, pargana Bhoorsoot, zilla Hooghly, in the registration district of Howrah, sub-district Moisrakha, and being a portion of the estate of the Maharaja of Burdwan, the annual putny rent of which is Rs. 140, payable to the Collectorate by two instalments in Kartick and Baisack in each year, respectively.

Lot No. 3.—All that partly upper-roomed and partly lower-roomed house and premises No. 7 Anthony Bagan Lane in Mirzapore, in the town of Calcutta, with land containing by estimation 5 cottahs and 3 powahs, more or less, being holding No. 104 and block No. 7, and bounded on the south by Anthony Bagan Lane, on the west by the dwelling-house of Kadir Khanshama, on the north by a Government drain, and on the east by the dwelling-house of Shaik Gojoo.

Lot No. 4.—All that piece or parcel of tenanted land, containing by estimation 5 cottahs, more or less, being No. 12 in Anthony Bagan Lane in Mirzapore, in the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by Anthony Bagan Lane, on the west by the dwelling-house of Elahi Bux Peadah, on the south by the tenanted land of Khoda Bux, and on the east by the tenanted house of Kadir Khanshama.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of Mr. N. C. Bose, plaintiff's Attorney, at No. 3 Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

N. C. Bose, plaintiff's Attorney.

Calcutta High Court, Original Side, the 29th June 1903. (702—1—596)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, 2nd Court, Muzaffarpur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 86 OF 1903.

Babu Ramgoolam Sahu and others, decree-holders, *versus* Chowdhry Barsati Singh and others, judgment-debtors.

THE undermentioned properties will be sold in the above execution case by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Muzaffarpur, on the 17th day of August 1903 :—

I.—Seven annas and 10 gandas pucka share of mahal Sadullahpur, *alias* Amtaur, *asli*, out of 16 annas, pargana Dharaur, bearing previous tauzi No. 598 and new tauzi No. 3377 within the jurisdiction of Bahera police-station and sub-registry office and district Darbhanga, the area of entire mahal being 1,394 acres 3 roods 23 poles, with the Government Revenue of Rs. 2,247-0-9 for the whole mahal, *asli* with *dakhli*, and the area in proportion to the mortgaged share being 636 acres 1 rood with a proportionate Government Revenue of Rs. 250-7 3 The value of mortgaged property as it is estimated is worth Rs. 500. Be it known that this property, along with other properties, is mortgaged to the decree-holders under a prior-to-mortgage bond, dated 2nd January 1885, executed by the defendants Nos. 1 to 4, first party, and in respect of the share a suit valued at Rs. 1,13,211 has been already filed before the 1st Subordinate Judge of Muzaffarpur, and is pending for decision. This share, which is advertized for sale, will be sold subject to the above mortgage lien under bond, dated 2nd January 1885.

II.—Seven annas 10 gandas pucka share of mauza Purkhotimpur Saadat Nagar, which is Saadat Nagar Purkhotimpur in register *dakhli* mahal of said Sadullahpur out of 16 annas, pargana Dharaur, bearing previous tauzi No. 598 and new tauzi No. 3377 within the jurisdiction of Bahera police-station and sub-registry office and district Darbhanga, the area of entire mahal being 1,263 acres 2 roods 32 poles, and the Government Revenue, together with mahal Sadullahpur, is Rs. 2,247-0-9, and the area in proportion to the mortgaged share being 593 acres 1 rood 15 poles, with a proportionate Government Revenue of Rs. 233-0-3. The value of mortgaged property, as it is estimated, is worth Rs. 500. Be it known that this property along with other properties is mortgaged to the decree-holders under a prior-to-mortgage bond, dated 2nd January 1885, executed by the defendants Nos. 1 to 4, first party, and in respect of the share a suit valued at Rs. 1,13,211, has been already filed before the first Subordinate Judge of Muzaffarpur, and is pending for decision. The share which is advertised for sale will be sold subject to the above mortgage lien under bond, dated 2nd January 1885.

III.—Seven annas and 10 gandas pucka share of mahal Soobhankarpur out of 16 annas, pargana Dharaur, bearing previous tauzi No. 1402 and new tauzi No. 6504, within the jurisdiction of Bahera police-station and sub-registry office and district Darbhanga, the area of entire mahal being 2,251 acres 1 rood 7 poles, with the Government Revenue of Rs. 1,544-0-6 for the whole mahal, *asli* with *dakhli* and the area in proportion to the mortgaged share being 1,055 acres 1 rood 36 poles with a proportionate Government Revenue of Rs. 621 15-3. The value of the mortgaged property, as it is estimated, is worth Rs. 1,000. Be it known that this property along with other properties is mortgaged to the decree-holders under a prior-to-mortgage bond, dated 2nd January 1885, executed by the defendants Nos. 1 to 4, first party, and in respect of the share a suit valued at Rs 1,13,211 has been already filed before the 1st Sub-Judge of Muzaffarpur, and is pending for decision. This share which is advertised for sale will be sold subject to the above mortgage lien under bond, dated 2nd January 1885.

IV.—Seven annas and 10 gandas pucka share of mauza Siripur Jagat, *dakhli*, of the said mahal Soobhankarpur out of 16 annas, pargana Dharaur, bearing the previous tauzi No. 1402 and the new tauzi No. 6504, within the jurisdiction of Bahera police-station and sub-registry office and district Darbhanga, the area of entire mahal being 383 acres 3 roods 11 poles, with the Government Revenue of Rs. 1,544-0-6, together with mahal Soobhankarpur and the area in proportion to the mortgaged share being 179 acres 3 roods 26 poles with a proportionate Government Revenue of Rs. 102 4-5. The value of the mortgaged property, as it is estimated, is worth Rs. 200. Be it known that this property along with other properties is mortgaged to the decree-holders under a prior-to-mortgage bond, dated 2nd January 1885, executed by the defendants Nos. 1 to 4, first party, and in respect of the share a suit valued at Rs. 1,13,211 has been already filed before the First Subordinate Judge of Muzaffarpur, and is pending for decision. This share, which is advertised for sale, will be sold, subject to the above mortgage lien under bond dated 2nd January 1885.

V.—Seven annas and 10 gandas pucka share out of 16 annas according to Batwara, separate putti of Bhithi, pargana Barai, bearing previous tauzi No. 504 and new tauzi No. 8795, within the jurisdiction registry office and district Darbhanga, the area of entire mahal being 221 acres 3 roods 16 poles with the Government Revenue of Rs. 21-10-7 on which the name of Mussamat Nagashar Koer, defendant No. 9, is entered in the Government Register. The value of the mortgaged property, as it is estimated, is worth Rs. 200. Be it known that this property along with other properties is mortgaged to the decree-holders under a prior-to-mortgage bond, dated 2nd January 1885, executed by the defendants Nos. 1 to 4, first party, and in respect of the share a suit valued at Rs. 1,13,211, has been already filed before the First Subordinate Judge of Muzaffarpur, and is pending for decision. This share which is advertised for sale will be sold subject to the above mortgage lien under bond, dated 2nd January 1885.

PURNA CHANDRA DE,
Offg. Subordinate Judge.

Muzaffarpur, the 30th June 1903. (704—1)

Notification of Sale.

TO be sold by the Official Receiver of the High Court at his office on the third floor in the High Court on Tuesday, the 21st July 1903, at the hour of 1 o'clock pursuant to a decree of the High Court, in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in suit No. 190 of 1900 (James Duffus and another *versus* Jamini Bhusan Banerjee) and dated the 20th day of April 1903, the following properties :—

Lot No. 1.—All that brick-built, messuage, tenement or dwelling-house and the land appertaining thereto containing by estimation 5 cottahs and 9 chitaks, a little more or less, and being No. 34 Hurro Lal Mitter's Street, Bag Bazar, in taluq Sootanooty, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded as per last conveyance, dated 24th March 1893, from Preo Nath Shustir to Baney Madhub Banerjee, since deceased, father of the defendant above named, on the north by the property of Benode Behari Sen, on the south partly by the dwelling-house of Girendra Nath Chatterjee and partly by a common passage, on the west by the land and dwelling-house of Sarat Chunder Roy, Girendra Nath and Bhut Nath Chatterjee and partly by a common passage and on the east by Nos. 32 and 33, Hurro Lal Mitter's Street, the dwelling-house of Bonomally Shaw and Okhoy Coomar Shaw.

Lot No. 2.—The estate, right, title and interest of the said defendant Jamini Bhusan Banerjee as only son, heir and legal representative of his father, the said Baney Madhub Banerjee, deceased, of and in all that maurasi land comprising an area of 4 cottahs and 5 chitaks or thereabouts, situate at Doomjur, in the district of Hooghly, in registration district of Howrah, and bounded as follows: On the north by the dwelling-house of Shama Pada Banerjee, on the east by the dwelling-house of Becharam Ash and others and by common passage, on the south by public road and on the west by the dwelling-house of Shama Pada Banerjee.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Official Receiver or at the office of his Attorneys, Messrs. Dignam and Company, of No. 6 Strand on any day before the sale and the same will also be produced at the sale.

K. SHELLEY BONNERJEE,
Official Receiver, High Court.

Calcutta, the 10th July 1903. (729—1—605)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court, Original Jurisdiction, in his sale-room in the Court-house, on Saturday, the 18th day of July next, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and order of the said Court, made in suit No. 98 of 1899 (Satyendra Nath Dutt *versus* Bindoo Basinee Dassee), and dated, respectively, the 10th day of April 1899 and 24th day of January 1900, the undermentioned property:—

Lot No. I.—No. 12 Shambazar Street in Sootanooty, in the town of Calcutta, an upper-roomed, brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house, together with 4 cottahs and 8 chitaks of rent-paying land on which the same stands, and bounded on the north by the foothpath of the Government Road known as Shambazar Street, on the east by the dwelling-house of Gopal Nandan, on the south by the tenanted land of the late Sir Raja Radha Kanto Deb Bahadur and the Government drain, and on the west by the dwelling-house of the late Madhusudan Nandan.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of Baboo Panna Lal De at No 9 Old Post Office Street or at the office of the said Registrar, and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Panna Lal De, plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, this 13th day of June 1903. (728—1—604)

Minerva Theatre.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, the 1st day of August 1903, at the hour of 1 o'clock noon, the Official Receiver of the High Court at his office in the third floor, High Court (appointed under the order of the High Court made in suit No. 145 of 1903, wherein K. S. Bonnerjee is plaintiff and Preo Nath Dass and others are defendants, and dated the 18th day of May 1903), will put up to auction the lease for three years certain, unless previously disposed of by private contract, all that the premises No. 6 Beadon Street, Calcutta, being the Minerva Theatre, and all planks, boards, furniture, screens, scenes, fixtures, ornamental fittings, decoration, stage, chairs, benches, galleries, dresses, musical instruments, and all other structures and fittings belonging or properly appertaining to the said Minerva Theatre in the possession of the said Official Receiver.

The conditions of the proposed lease may be seen at, and other particulars regarding the properties may be ascertained from, the office of the Official Receiver, High Court, at any time during office hours, or at the office of his Attorney, Babu Panna Lal De, at No. 9 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta.

K. S. BONNERJEE, Official Receiver, High Court.

High Court, Official Receiver's Office, the 10th July 1903. (718—1—603)

The Bhutan Duars Tea Company, Limited (in Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 186 of the Indian Companies' Act, 1882, that a General Meeting of the members of the abovenamed Company will be held at No. 5 Lyon's Range, Calcutta, on Monday, the 17th day of August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.

G. F. PLAYFAIR, Liquidator.

5 Lyon's Range, Calcutta, the 10th July 1903.

(722—1—601)

mperial Paper Mills Company, Limited, in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 186 of the Indian Companies' Act, 1882, that a General Meeting of the Members of the abovenamed Company will be held at 25 Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, on Monday, the 17th August 1903, at 1 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of having an account laid before them shewing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.

LOVELOCK AND LEWES, Liquidators.

25 Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, the 14th July 1903.

(754—1—602)

Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 014743 of the 3½ per cent. of 1893-1894 for Rs. 100, originally standing in the name of Shamsagor Mookerjee, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made, or the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

SHAMSAGOR MOOKERJEE, Utarparah, district Hooghly.

Utarparah, the 18th June 1903. (662—3—589)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

EXECUTION CASE No. 514 OF 1903.

Ram Narain Chaudhuri, decree-holder, *versus* Dinanath Das, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore in the Court premises on the 17th August 1903 for realization of Rs. 612-3-6:—

One anna share, including nonkar, khodkast, nijchas and chhar ryoti land in the above share, belonging to the judgment-debtor in estate Barampur, araji Paikali, pargana Talsobong, bearing tauzi No. 823 of the Balasore Collectorate, station Busta. Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 1,058-11-9½, and that payable for the above share is Rs. 66 2 annas 14 gandas 2 karas 3 krantis and 12 biswas.

ANNADA CHARAN SEN, Munsif.

Balasore Munsif's Office, the 8th July 1903. (751—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore

EXECUTION CASE No. 592 OF 1903.

Damodar Mohapatra, decree-holder, *versus* Guru Prasad Kar, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore in the Court premises on the 17th August 1903 for realization of Rs. 967-12-5:—

1. Four annas 9 pies share out of the kismut Rs. 0-5-0-2-0-10-13-1-1 kranta considering it to be 16 annas share of the estate Hirapore, pargana Talsobong, bearing tauzi No 810 of the Balasore Collectorate, station Busta. Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 1,391, and that payable for the above share is Rs. 129-4-7.

2. Four annas 9 pies share of the kismat Rs. 0-3-11-0-1-11-5-2 karas considering it to be 16 annas share of the estate Purusottampur, pargana Kaurduchore, bearing

Register No. 1140 of Register "A" and tauzi No. 1130 of the Balasore Collectorate, station Baliapal. Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 742, and that payable for the above is Rs. 40-4.

ANNADA CHARAN SEN, Munsif.

Balasore Munsif's Office, the 8th July 1903. (753—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

EXECUTION CASE No. 409 OF 1903.

Braja Kishore Mohapatra and others, decree-holders *versus* Sashi Bhusan De and others, judgment debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore, in the Court premises, on the 17th August 1903, for realization of Rs. 220 1-6—

As 9 1 pie share belonging to the judgment-debtors in estate Mabkud, pargana Kismut Katisahi, bearing tauzi No. 1170 of the Balasore Collectorate, station Baliapal. Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 522, and that payable for the above share is Rs. 296-5-6.

ANNADA CHARAN SEN,
Munsif.

Balasore Munsif's Office, the 8th July 1903.

(752—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Isaac Saul Saul, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 24th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Hirendra Nath Dutt, Attorney. (730—2)

In the matter of Beni Madhub Bannerjee, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 22nd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Manuel and Agurwallah, Attorneys. (731—2)

In the matter of Brojodullov Sing, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 30th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Troylukho Nath Bose, Attorney. (732—2)

In the matter of Ram Deb Augurwallah, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 19th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Sarut Kumar Sirkar, Attorney. (733—2)

In the matter of NETYE CHAND CHUNDER, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 17th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Prannath Paul, Attorney. (734—2)

In the matter of EDWARD HANSON, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 15th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (735—2)

In the matter of SARODA PROSAD BANNERJEE, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of June last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of the adjudication of the said insolvent.

Preonath Sen, Attorney. (736—2)

In the matter of RAJARAM and RAMCOOMAR, insolvents.

On Thursday, the 25th day of June last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day the said insolvents be discharged personally as well as to their after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvents at the time of the filing of their petition for relief.

Sasi Sekhar Banerjee, Attorney. (737—2)

In the matter of JOHN DANIAL RICHARD JAMES, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of June last, by an order of this Court the said insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

Insolvent in person. (738—1)

In the matter of SHEWBROTAP MOHATA, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of June last, by an order of this Court the said insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge, under the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors, respectively. And it was further ordered that the said insolvent do render to William Caryton Graham, Esquire, the Officiating Official Assignee of this Court, and the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent or the Assignee for the time being of this Court, such assistance as may be reasonably required from him for the purpose of realizing the assets belonging to his estate.

S. K. Deb, Attorney. (739—1)

In the matter of GEORGE ARGYRIOS GEORGIADI, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of June last, by an order of this Court the said insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors, respectively.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (740—1

In the matter of CHARU CHUNDRA BOSE, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 11th day of May last, by an order of this Court the said insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively. And it was further ordered that William Caryton Graham, Esquire, the Officiating Official Assignee of this Court, and the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent or the Assignee for the time being of this Court be at liberty out of the assets now in his hands belonging to the estate of the said insolvent to pay to Mr. J. A. Longmuir, attorney for the said insolvent, his costs incurred in this matter to be taxed by the Taxing Officer of this Court.

J. A. Longmuir, Attorney. (741—1)

In the matter of RAJARAM and RAMCOOMAR, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 26th day of November 1901, by an order of this Court the said insolvents were adjudged entitled to their personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, as to all persons named in their schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors, respectively.

Sasi Sekhar Bonnerjee, Attorney. (742—1)

In the matter of ALEXANDER DEMETRIUS KYRILLOS, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 8th day of July instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court, on Monday, the 20th day of July instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (743—1)

In the matter of EDWARD HANSON, of No. 13 Emambagh 2nd Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a driver attached to the East Indian Railway, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, on Monday, the 15th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (744—1)

In the matter of NETYE CHAND CHUNDER of No. 105-3-4 Jaun Bazar Street in the town of Calcutta, serving as a Gomasta at the shop of Shama Churn Pyne, a Goldsmith, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, on Wednesday, the 17th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Prannath Paul, Attorney. (745—1)

In the matter of RAM DEB AGURWALLAH, residing at No. 30 Hukaputty Burrabazar, in Calcutta, formerly a member of the firm of Luchminarain Gungadhur, which used to carry on business as cloth merchants at No. 66 Cotton Street in Calcutta, but now a broker in clothes, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 19th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Sarut Kumar Sirkar, Attorney. (746—1)

In the matter of BROJODULLAV SING, of No. 55 Shampookur Street, in the town of Calcutta, service holder, formerly in the service of Panchanun Mullick, but at present without any employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 3 'th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Troylukho Nath Bose, Attorney. (747—1)

In the matter of BENIMADHUB BANNERJEE, residing at No. 100—1 Taltollah Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a Government pensioner, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 22nd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Manuel and Agurwallah, Attorneys. (748—1)

In the matter of ISAAC SAUL SAUL, residing at No. 66 Bentick Street, in the town of Calcutta, an Assistant to Messrs. Daniel Sassoon and Company, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic, Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 24th day of June last, and by an order of the same date, the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Hirendra Nath Dutta, Attorney. (749—1)

Chief Clerk's Office, the 13th day of July 1903.

In the matter of JOSEPH ANDREW HAMEL LEWIS, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 20th day of July instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Manuel and Agurwallah, Attorneys.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 14th day of July 1903.

(755—1)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	16th July	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	15th ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	20th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	17th ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *G. Apcar.*
Burma	16th ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	18th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	18th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	20th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte, and Nossi-Be.	22nd ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *India* from Colombo.
South Africa (letters) ...	15th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Umfuli* from Colombo.
Ditto (parcels) ...	15th ,,	,, 5	Per steamer *Umfuli* from Colombo.
Port Blair	18th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Madras.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and the Madras Presidency, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8 45 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails, *vid* Bombay, the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by sea. Foreign Mails for despatch *vid* Madras or Tuticorin are received up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee up to 8-45 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 14th July 1903.* } JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 10th July 1903.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water sounding.		Remarks.
		Ft.	in.	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	8	0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	8	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	5	6	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	5	6	Kutirampur.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa ..	5	0	Kalikanj.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	6	0	Dewanganj.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	7	6	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	5	6	Khamardier.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	5	0	Kastadanga.
	Thence to Patkabari	8	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	7	6	Jitpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	4	9	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	5	3	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	4	3	Jhantola.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	4	9	Kadipur.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	6	9	Mohesbpur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissenganj and Hanskhali ...	6	9	Ganja.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	Remarks.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj ...	11-7-1903	6	8·75	76·75	Falling.
	Rampur Boalia...	11-7-1903	12	6·75	48·80	,,
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah ..	12-7-1903	7	...	57·35	,,
	Entrance of Bhyrab, Jalangi, Akhriganj ...	12-7-1903	7	...	44·70	,,
	Entrance of Mathabhanga	11-7-1903	...	7·42	...	Rising.
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	12-7-1903	...	...	53·23	Falling.
	Berhampore ...	13-7-1903	10	7·54	41·29	,,
	Katwa ..	10-7-1903	6	10·50	35·66	Rising.
Jalangi.	Krishnagar ...	10-7-1903	...	7·25	...	,,
	Sarupganj ...	11-7-1903	12	...	10·00	,,
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ..	11-7-1903	...	7·00	...	,,

A. B. BANERJEE, *Accts.*,
for *Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.*
Berhampore, the 13th July 1903.

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE following Report of the Select Committee on the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Bill, 1903, together with the Bill as amended by the Committee, is, by order of the President, published for information:—

WE, the undersigned, Members of the Select Committee to which the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Bill, 1903, was referred, have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin,* and have now the honour to submit this, our Report, with the Bill, as amended by us, annexed hereto.

2. The principal amendments are explained in the following paragraphs.

3. *Clause 1* (*3*).—This clause is new. It is based on section 2 (*3*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and is required in order to make it clear that pending cases are to be governed by the new law. If this provision were not made, evils which the Bill is designed to remedy would, to some extent, continue.

4. *Clause 2* (*2*) (*Bengal Act I of 1879, section 2*).—We have inserted a definition of "bhagat bandhu mortgage," which is required for the purposes of section 10B, as now amended, and of the new section 152.

5. We have also inserted a clause to declare that "moveable property" includes standing crops. This is for the purpose of removing an existing uncertainty, and also to increase the facilities for realizing arrears of rent.

6. We have inserted a definition of "mundari khunt-kattidar" in clause 2 (*2*) of the Bill, and have made additions to the definitions of "tenure," "tenure-holder" and "raiyat" to show that mundari khunt-kattidars are neither "tenure-holders" nor "raiyats." We have also proposed various amendments

* Letter from R. R. Pope, Esq., I.C.S., Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpur, No. 732, dated the 12th May, 1903. [Paper No 2.]

Letter from the Honorary Secretary to the British Indian Association, No. 298, dated the 28th May, 1903 [Paper No. 3.]

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Letter from the Honorary Secretary to the Indian Association, dated the 4th July, 1903. [Paper No. 5.]

in clauses 7 to 10, 15, 21 (*2*), 22 to 25 (*a*), 28 and 42 of the Bill, with the object of adapting the Act to mundari khunt-kattidars, and have inserted some special provisions for this class of tenants in clause 41, which are explained in paragraph 36, *post*.

7. We have struck out the definition of "permanent tenure." The expression was used only in the section 36A which it was proposed by clause 13 of the Bill as introduced to insert in Bengal Act I of 1879; and, in the amalgamation of that section with the new section 34 contained in clause 16 of the Bill as now amended, it has not been found necessary to make use of the expression in question.

8. We have inserted a definition of "registered." It will be required for the purposes of the new sections 10A (*b*) and 152 (*1*), proviso.

9. We have struck out the definition of "rent" which was contained in clause 2 (*e*) of the Bill as introduced. The general consensus of local opinion is that no definition is needed, and we have not been able to devise any satisfactory definition. Hitherto the local Courts have not in any way been inconvenienced by the absence of a definition of rent. Since rent in these districts consists of cash, predial services and rakumats or payments in kind, it was considered impossible under any circumstances to accept the definition proposed in the Bill as originally presented. To have done so would have been in effect to mulct the landlords of a large portion of their rent, for which no reason was apparent.

10. We have inserted in the place of the original definition a mere declaration that the term "rent" includes money recoverable under any enactment for the time being in force as if it was rent. This declaration is taken from section 3 (*5*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), and is required in order to make clear the application of sections 12 to 17 (receipts for rent and deposit of rent) and 123 (sale of tenures and holdings for arrears of rent) of Bengal Act I of 1879 to road cess and public works cess, and in order to extend the new section 34 (referred to in paragraph 25, *post*) to those resumable tenures for which no "rent," in the ordinary meaning of the word, is paid.

11. In the definition of "resumable tenure" we have inserted words to show, in accordance with the intention with which such tenures are granted, that the resumption may be made by the successor in title of the original grantee.

We have also struck out the words "free of all incumbrances," because it is not clear that any avoidance of incumbrances has usually been stipulated for on the grant of tenures of this class. The stipulation in question is rather one imposed by the Legislature, and we have accordingly transferred the Explanation to the clause so as to form a separate section (numbered 36A). We have made some alterations in the new section 36A, which are explained in paragraph 27, *post*.

Further, we have added to sub-clause (*i*) words to show that the failure of heirs, on which resumption may take place, is a failure of heirs in the male line, this being the recognized custom; and we have substituted the words "definite contingency" for "certain expressed contingency," since the term "expressed" might be taken to mean in writing, and the conditions are not always in writing.

12. We have included in the definition of "tenure-holder" the holders of tenures registered under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, since they are regarded as tenures under that Act.

13. *Clause 3* (*section 6*).—We have added a clause to declare that every raiyat cultivating or holding land known as korkar, baiballa, khundwat, sajhwat, jalsasan or ariat (synonymous terms) shall have a right of occupancy in the land, so long as he pays the rent, irrespective of the period of his cultivation or holding. This clause merely confirms local custom, as recorded so long ago as the year 1875 by Mr. G. K. Webster, Manager of the Chota Nagpur Estate, and in 1876, by the then Commissioner of Chota Nagpur, for Hazaribagh.

14. By *clause 4* of the Bill as introduced it was proposed to add a proviso to section 9 of Bengal Act I of 1879 to declare that, if any patta granted to a

non-occupancy raiyat specifies a rate of rent in excess of that payable by such raiyats in accordance with local custom, the excess should not be payable. We have struck out the clause. Local officers are opposed to it, and we are not in possession of facts sufficient to lead us to provide for non-occupancy raiyats a protection which does not exist in other parts of Bengal.

15. *Clause 4 (section 10A).*—We have added a proviso to authorise the sale of a raiyat's holding for arrears of rent accruing in respect of the holding, and an Explanation to make it clear that a holding may not be sold for the recovery of arrears due to one or more only of several joint landlords. Landlords who have at heart the interest of their raiyats have represented that ejectment is too harsh a remedy and would result in depriving the raiyats of the value of the labour expended by them on their holdings.

We have also added an Explanation to make it clear that raiyats' holdings may be sold under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895 (Bengal Act I of 1895), for the recovery of loans granted under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, or the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884.

We have adopted the provision in section 65 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, that when a holding is sold for arrears of rent the rent shall be a first charge thereon.

16. *Clause 4 (section 10B).*—In order to recognise the common practice of raiyats putting in trust or leasing their holdings on proceeding to Assam under the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), we have extended the term of permissible mortgages and leases from two to five years. The term of the labour contract under the Act mentioned is four years, and an additional year should be allowed for the journey to Assam and back and for incidental delays.

We have, further, provided that the maximum period for which a bhagat-bandha mortgage may be made shall be seven years, this being by local custom what is regarded as necessary to meet the financial needs of the cultivators.

We have also provided, on the analogy of section 88 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, that no transfer of a raiyat's rights shall be binding on the landlord unless it is made with his consent in writing.

Finally, we have added a sub-section to authorise the Deputy Commissioner to put a raiyat into possession of his holding on the expiration of the period for which he has transferred his rights in it.

17. *Clause 4 (sections 10A and 10B).*—We desire to record our opinion that it will, in all probability, be necessary at some future time to devise a procedure for the purpose of preventing the evasion of sections 10A and 10B. It is understood that similar prohibitions are safeguarded by official action in the Sonthal Parganas.

18. *Clause 5 (section 11).*—In order to obviate doubts which might arise in consequence of the abandonment of the definition of "rent," we have expressly declared the new section 11 to apply to the levy of any money in excess of the rent legally payable (with interest) or any rakunats or predial services to which the landlord is not legally entitled.

As it would be impossible for the Deputy Commissioner to deal with all applications made under the section, we have added words to enable the Local Government to empower other officers to adjudicate upon them.

We have adopted the suggestion of the British Indian Association that the maximum penalty should be Rs. 200, as in section 75 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, instead of Rs. 500.

19. *Clause 6 (section 12).*—We have altered sub-section (*3*) so as to make it follow more closely the earlier part of section 58 (*2*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act; and we have added a clause to authorise the Deputy Commissioner to award a portion of the fine to the tenant.

20. *Clause 7 (section 13).*—This clause is new. It adds clauses to section 13 of Bengal Act I of 1879, to declare definitely the cases in which rent may be deposited in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner. The absence of such a declaration has, in the past, caused much hardship to the tenantry and led to much perjury in applications, prepared by petition-writers, for the acceptance of deposits of rent.

21. *Clause 11 (section 28B).*—We have reduced from fifteen to seven years the period for which the rent of a tenure, an occupancy-holding or the holding of an under-raiyat having occupancy-rights is not to be enhanced, after entry of such rent in the record-of-rights. The main object of section 28B being to secure, with a minimum of friction, materials for future legislation, we think that seven years will be a sufficient period during which to bar the enhancement of such rents, as the contemplated legislation is likely to be accomplished within that period.

22. *Clause 12 (section 30).*—We have, in order to secure simplicity of calculation, substituted 6¼ for 6 *per cent.* as the rate of interest payable on arrears of rent. The new percentage works out at one anna in the rupee.

23. *Clause 13 (section 31).*—This clause is new. Since it is proposed [*see* paragraph 15, *ante*] to amend section 10A so as to allow the sale of holdings for arrears of rent, it is unnecessary to allow the ejectment for arrears of any but non-occupancy raiyats; and clause 13 of the amended Bill revises section 31 of Bengal Act I of 1879 accordingly, section 66 (*1*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act being taken as a model. When arrears accrue in respect of a non-occupancy holding, we think the landlord should have a right either to sell the holding or to eject the raiyat.

24. *Clause 14 (section 32A).*—This clause is new. It authorises the ejectment of any raiyat who, after the commencement of the new law, uses the land comprised in his holding in a manner which renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy. The clause is based on section 25 (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, and is required to meet cases, as, for instance, those which have been frequent in Ranchi town, of raiyats transferring their holdings for building purposes.

25. *Clause 16 (section 34).*—We have recast this clause, and propose to repeal section 34 of Bengal Act I of 1879 altogether, and to substitute for it a new section, containing the following amendments:—

(*1*) transfers of tenures or portions thereof, by sale, gift, mortgage or exchange, are required to be registered, as well as transfers by succession or inheritance;

(*2*) the transferee himself, or his successor in title, is required to apply for registration;

(*3*) provision has been made, on the analogy of section 12 (*2*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, for the levy of a registration-fee by the landlord;

(*4*) the clauses as to the time when application for registration should be made have been struck out, it being provided instead that the transferee shall not be entitled to recover rent until he has applied for registration and paid the registration-fee;

(*5*) the clauses as to the Deputy Commissioner putting the landlord into possession of a tenure, on failure of the transferee to register a transfer, have been abandoned, since as a matter of practice such a procedure could not be worked by the Deputy Commissioner. It is considered preferable to debar the transferee from recovering rent until he applies for registration of a transfer and pays or tenders the requisite fee;

(*6*) it has been expressly declared that the section shall not validate unlawful transfers, and shall not affect the right of the landlord to resume a resumable tenure;

(*7*) it has also been expressly declared that the mere registration of a transfer shall not be deemed to imply the consent of the landlord to the transfer being made, and that the landlord shall not be bound by the terms or conditions of any transfer.

26. *Clause 19 (section 36A).*—As it is now proposed to abandon the present procedure for giving khas possession to a zamindar of a resumable tenure when the transferee fails to register his transfer, no distinction between resumable and permanent tenures in the matter of registration is needed, and so section

36A which appeared in clause 13 of the Bill as introduced has been struck out. Such of its provisions as it is necessary to retain have been embodied in the new section 34 introduced by clause 16 of the amended Bill.

27. The new section 36A, as to the annulment of incumbrances on the resumption of a resumable tenure, reproduces the Explanation to clause 2 (*f*) of the Bill as introduced, with the following substantive alterations :—

(*1*) in the opening clause of sub-section (*1*) the words "or permission" are added for greater security;

(*2*) we have struck out sub-clause (i) of the Explanation to clause 2 (*f*) of the Bill as introduced. It is contrary to the essence of a resumable tenure that the grantee should create an under-tenure, to be binding on the grantor of the tenure. Persons in whose favour such under-tenures are created are perfectly aware that the grantee of the tenure holds it subject to a right of resumption on the happening of some definite contingency, and that their rights must come to an end on the happening of such contingency. The sub-clause in question was taken from section 160 (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and the considerations which make the sub-clause applicable in Bengal generally do not apply in Chota Nagpur. The abandonment of sub-clause (i) necessitates the abandonment of sub-clause (ii), and the latter has accordingly also been struck out;

(*3*) in order to prevent holders of resumable tenures from being misled into thinking they have a right to minerals, we have inserted the words "under lawful authority" after "or wherein a mine has been sunk," in clause (*a*), and have added a sub-section to declare expressly that this clause shall not be construed to confer on such holders any right over minerals which they do not otherwise possess;

(*4*) we have inserted clauses to protect from annulment any right to hold terraced lands known locally as "korkar" and by other synonymous names, also any right to hold land occupied by a sacred grove, and any mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy;

(*5*) sub-clause (v) of the Explanation to clause 3 (*f*) of the Bill as introduced saved from annulment any right conferred on an occupancy raiyat to hold at a rent which was a fair and reasonable rent at the time the right was conferred. We are not in possession of facts sufficient to show that the clause is necessary, and we have struck it out.

28. *Clause 29 (section 88).*—Since it is proposed (*see* paragraph 15, *ante*) to amend section 10A so as to allow the sale of holdings for arrears of rent, we have, by the present clause, declared section 88 to apply to non-occupancy raiyats only.

Following clause 26 of the Bill, we have extended from 15 to 30 days the period within which payment will operate to stay the execution of a decree under section 88. We have also added a clause, based on section 66 (*3*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, authorising the Court, for special reasons, to extend this period of thirty days.

Lastly, we have, in order to embody the decision of the High Court in the case of Ram Narayan Singh *v.* Lala Roghunath Sahai, I. L. R., 22 Calc., 467, inserted the word "final" in section 88.

29. *Clause 30 (section 123).*—We have, at the suggestion of the Ranchi Bar, added words to make it clear that all the provisions of the Bengal Rent Recovery (Under-tenures) Act, 1865 (Ben. Act VIII of 1865), shall, as far as may be, apply to the sale of tenures, under Bengal Act I of 1879, for arrears of rent.

We have added words to make section 123 applicable to holdings. Since it is proposed (see paragraph 15, *ante*) to authorise the sale of raiyati holdings for arrears of rent, it is necessary to provide a procedure for effecting the sale, and the most convenient plan is to adopt the procedure for the sale of tenures.

We have added a proviso to empower the Commissioner to prohibit or stay the sale of any tenure or portion of a tenure. At present the sanction of the Commissioner to any such sale is needed. This we think needless to retain, but we would for administrative reasons give the Commissioner the power to prohibit or stay the sale of a tenure. The Commissioner has similar powers in respect of sales of tenures under the Code of Civil Procedure.

To bring the second proviso into harmony with clause 2 (*k*) as now amended, we have inserted the words "or his successor in title" after "grantor."

30. *Clause 32 (section 125).*—We have added a proviso, taken from section 278 of the Code of Civil Procedure, to declare that a claim by a third party alleging that he is in possession of a tenure which it is proposed to put up for sale shall not be inquired into if the Court considers that the claim was designedly or unnecessarily delayed. Such claims are now a fruitful source of delay, to obviate which this proviso is required.

Additions have been made to the earlier parts of section 125, in consequence of the extension (*see* paragraph 29, *ante*) of section 123 to the sale of holdings.

31. *Clause 34 (section 130A).*—We have altered section 130A so as to make it follow section 310A of the Code of Civil Procedure (Act XIV of 1882), embodying an amendment appearing in the pending Bill for the amendment of the Code.

32. *Clause 37 (section 135).*—We have altered this clause so as to declare that orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof shall be appealable to the Court to which an appeal from the decree itself would lie. Unless this is done confusion may result.

33. *Clause 38 (sections 136 and 140).*—Following clause 26 of the Bill, we have extended from 15 to 30 days the period for an appeal to the Deputy Commissioner.

34. *Clause 39 (section 144).*—We have added a clause to section 144 to declare that a second appeal shall lie to the High Court from any appellate decree passed by the Judicial Commissioner under Bengal Act I of 1879. This clause will restore the law as it was interpreted prior to the decision in Khedu Mahto *v.* Budhun Mahto [1900], I. L. R., 27 Calc., 508. As so many amendments are proposed by the present Bill, we consider it desirable that an opportunity should be afforded for obtaining a decision of the High Court on points of construction that may arise in the future working of the Act.

35. *Clause 40 (section 144A).*—This clause is new. It introduces a section, at the suggestion of the Judicial Commissioner, authorising that officer to transfer appeals to his own Court from the Court of the Deputy Commissioner. The new section will tend to lessen the chance of different orders being passed by appellate Courts in analogous cases.

36. *Clause 41 (sections 151 to 164).*—We understand that it is very necessary to have measures taken that will check the agitation which has for long disturbed the people, locally known as Mundaris, who inhabit certain parts of the Chota Nagpur Division. One of the chief causes of this agitation is the treatment which hitherto has been accorded to the khunt-kattidars, or descendants of the original clearers of the soil. We have had the advantage of hearing and examining the officer to whom has been entrusted the work of preparing a record-of-rights of the tract where these Mundaris are chiefly congregated, and in our opinion the sections we have embodied in the Bill with regard to this question will have the desired effect, as far as it is practicable to secure it.

The restrictions on transfer are what those most conversant with the nature of the tenancy recognize as being necessary.

Since the sale of these tenancies is to be forbidden, it is necessary in the interests of the landlord to provide for some summary method by which, in case the rent falls into arrear, the moveables of the debtors can quickly be attached. For this reason, and also with a view to hasten the disposal of claims and to

lessen the costs, we have suggested, with regard to those tenancies for which a record-of-rights has been prepared, the employment for the realization of arrears of rent of the procedure of the Certificate Act, subject to certain restrictions.

We have also considered it essential to provide that the entries in the record-of-rights shall be final and conclusive, so that confidence may thereby be restored in the minds of these people.

37. *Clause 43* (*Bengal Act IV of 1897, section 4*).—We have altered the words "legally assessable" to "fair and reasonable." The latter words will, we consider, provide a better standard for fixing the rent payable after commutation of predial conditions or services.

38. *Clause 44* (*Bengal Act IV of 1897, section 9A*).—This clause is new. It embodies a new section, the object of which is to save much expense to landlords and tenants, by providing for the concurrent preparation of the records-of-rights and the record and commutation of predial conditions or services.

39. We recommend that the Bill be passed as now amended.

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Calcutta, the 13th July, 1903.

THE CHOTA NAGPUR TENANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1903.

[AS AMENDED BY THE SELECT COMMITTEE.]

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BILL

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[AS AMENDED BY THE SELECT COMMITTEE]

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BILL

To amend the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act and the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act and the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897; Ben. Act I of 1879. Ben. Act IV of 1897.

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained, under section 5 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, to the provisions of this Act which affect Acts passed by the Governor General of India in Council; 55 & 56 Vict., c. 14.

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Short title, commencement and application.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903; and

(*2*) It shall come into force on such date as the Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Government of India, may, by notification in the Calcutta Gazette, appoint in this behalf. [*Cf.* Ben. Act IV 1897, s. 1 (*3*).]

(*3*) The provisions of this Act shall apply to all proceedings instituted after the commencement of this Act, and, so far as may be, to all cases pending in any Court or before any officer on the date of such commencement. [*Cf.* Act V of 1908, s. 2 (*3*).]

PART II.—AMENDMENT OF THE CHOTA NAGPUR LANDLORD AND TENANT PROCEDURE ACT. Ben. Act I of 1879.

Amendment of section 2 of Bengal Act I of 1879.

2. (*1*) In section 2 of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, at the end of the definition of "Deputy Collector" the words "and any Sub-Deputy Collector who is specially empowered by the Local Government to discharge the functions of a Deputy Collector under this Act" shall be inserted.

(*2*) At the end of the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"(*a*) 'bhagat bandha mortgage' means a transfer of the interest of a tenant in his tenancy, [*Cf.* Act IV of 1882, s. 58.]

for the purpose of securing the payment of money advanced or to be advanced by way of loan,

upon the condition that the loan, with all interest thereon, shall be deemed to be extinguished by the profits arising from the tenancy during the period of the mortgage;

"(*b*) 'Certificate Officer' means a Certificate Officer as defined in clause (*3*) of section 4 of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895; [*Cf.* Ben. Act VI of 1880, s. 3—"Certificate Officer."] Ben. Act I of 1895.

"(*c*) 'Deputy Commissioner' means the Deputy Commissioner of a district, and includes any Revenue-officer whom the Local Government may from time to time appoint, by name or in virtue of his office, to discharge any of the functions of a Deputy Commissioner under this Act; [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 3 (*16*).]

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"(*g*) 'holding' means a parcel or parcels of land held by a raiyat and forming the subject of a separate tenancy; [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 3 (*3*).]

"(*e*) 'landlord' means a person immediately under whom a tenant holds, and includes the Government; [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 3 (*4*).]

"(*f*) 'moveable property' includes standing crops;

"(*g*) 'mundari khunt-kattidar' means a mundari who has acquired a right to hold jungle land for the purpose of bringing suitable portions thereof under cultivation by himself or by male members of his family, and includes—

(*i*) the heirs male in the male line of any such mundari, when they are in possession of such land, and

(*ii*) as regards any portions of such land which have remained continuously in the possession of any such mundari and his descendants in the male line, such descendants;

"(*h*) 'registered' means registered under the Indian Registration Act, 1877; [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 3 (*15*).] III of 1877.

"(*j*) 'rent' includes also money recoverable under any enactment for the time being in force as if it was rent; [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 3 (*5*).]

"(*k*) 'resumable tenure' means a tenure which is held subject to the condition that it shall lapse to the estate of the grantor and be resumable by him or his successor in title—

(i) on failure of male heirs of the body of the original grantee in the male line, or

(ii) on the happening of any definite contingency other than that referred to in sub-clause (i);

"(*l*) 'tenant' means a person who holds land under another person and is, or but for a special contract would be, liable to pay rent for that land to that person; [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 3 (*3*).]

"(*m*) 'tenure' means the interest of a tenure-holder, and includes an under-tenure, but does not include a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy; [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 3 (*7*).]

"(*n*) 'tenure-holder' means primarily a person who has acquired from the zamindar, or from another tenure-holder, a right to hold land for the purpose of collecting rents or bringing it under cultivation by establishing tenants on it; and includes also the successors in interest of persons who have acquired such a right, and the holders of tenures entered in the register prepared under section 5 of the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, as confirmed under section 25 of that Act; but does not include a mundari khunt-kattidar; and [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 5 (*1*).] Ben. Act II of 1869.

"(*o*) 'raiyat' means primarily a person who has acquired a right to hold land for the purpose of cultivating it by himself, or by members of his family, or by hired servants, or with the aid of partners; and includes also the successors in interest of persons who have acquired such a right, but does not include a mundari khunt-kattidar. [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 5 (*2*).]

"*Explanation.*—Where a tenant of land has the right to bring it under cultivation, he shall be deemed to have acquired a right to hold it for the purpose of cultivation, notwithstanding that he uses it for the purpose of gathering the produce of it or of grazing cattle on it. [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 5 (*2*), *Expl.*]

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"A person shall not be deemed to be a raiyat unless he holds land either immediately under a proprietor or immediately under a tenure-holder or immediately under a mundari khunt-kattidar. [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 5 (3).]

"In determining whether a tenant is a tenure-holder or a raiyat, the Court shall have regard to local custom and to the purpose for which the right of tenancy was originally acquired." [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 5 (4).]

Addition to section 6.

3. To section 6 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act the following shall be added, namely:— Ben. Act I of 1879.

"Any land which a raiyat has from time to time received in exchange for land previously held by him shall, for the purpose of calculating, under this section, the period of twelve years, be deemed to be the same land as the land which he held before the exchange. [*Cf.* Act XI of 1898, s. 44, *Explan.* II.]

"Every raiyat who cultivates or holds land known as korkar, baiballa, khandwat, sajhwát, jalsasan or ariat shall have a right of occupancy in such land so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same, notwithstanding that he has not cultivated or held the land for a period of twelve years."

Insertion of new sections, 10A and 10B.

4. After section 10 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"10A. (*1*) No decree or order shall be passed by any Court for the sale of the right of a raiyat in his holding, nor shall any such right be sold in execution of any decree or order: [*Cf.* Act XI of 1898, ss. 46 (*f*), 70 (*f*).]

Restrictions on sale of raiyats' rights.

"Provided as follows:—

(*a*) any holding may be sold, in execution of a decree of a competent Court, to recover an arrear of rent which has accrued in respect of the holding; and

(*b*) nothing in this section shall affect the terms or conditions of any contract registered before the first day of January, 1903.

"*Explanation I.*—Where a holding is held under joint landlords, and a decree has been passed for the share of the rent due to one or more, but not all, of them, proviso (*a*) does not authorise the sale of the holding in execution of such decree.

"*Explanation II.*—Proviso (*b*) does not render valid any document which is otherwise illegal or invalid, or authorise a Court to take judicial cognizance of any such document.

"*Explanation III.*—This sub-section does not prevent the sale of a holding for the recovery, under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, of a loan granted for the benefit of the holding under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, or the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884. Ben. I of 1895. XIX of 1883. XII of 1884

"(*2*) When a holding is sold for an arrear of rent which has accrued in respect thereof, the rent shall be a first charge on the holding. [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 65.]

"10B. (*1*) No transfer by a raiyat of his right in his holding or any portion thereof, by mortgage or lease for any period exceeding five years, or by sale, gift or any other contract or agreement, shall be valid to any extent: [*Cf.* Act XI of 1898, ss. 46 (*f*), (*k*); 70 (*f*), (*h*).]

Restrictions on transfer of their rights by raiyats.

"Provided that a raiyat may enter into a bhagat bandha mortgage of his holding or any portion thereof for any period not exceeding seven years.

"(*2*) No transfer by a raiyat of his right in his holding or any portion thereof shall be binding on the landlord unless it is made with his consent in writing. [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 88.]

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"(3) No transfer in contravention of sub-section (1) or sub-section (2) shall be registered, or shall be in any way recognized or acted upon by any Court, whether in the exercise of civil, criminal or revenue jurisdiction.

"(4) At any time after the expiration of the period for which a raiyat has, under this section, transferred his right in his holding or any portion thereof, the Deputy Commissioner may, in his discretion, on the application of the raiyat, put the raiyat into possession of such holding or portion."

Amendment of section 11.

5. For section 11 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act the following shall be substituted, namely:— Ben. Act I of 1879.

"11. (1) A landlord who, except under any special enactment for the time being in force, levies from a tenant any money in excess of the rent legally payable, with interest thereon, or any rakumats or predial services to which he is not legally entitled, shall, on the application of the tenant, be liable, [*Cf.* Act XI of 1898, s. 10.]

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under the order of a Revenue-officer not below the rank of Deputy Commissioner, or under the order of any officer who may be specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf,

to pay as penalty such sum as such officer thinks fit, not exceeding two hundred rupees, or, when double the amount or value of what is so levied exceeds two hundred rupees, not exceeding double that amount or value.

"(2) Such sum shall be awarded to the tenant as compensation."

Amendment of section 12.

6. For section 12 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"12. (1) Every tenant who makes a payment on account of rent to his landlord shall be entitled to obtain forthwith from the landlord or his agent a signed receipt for the same, in a form prescribed by the Local Government from time to time by notification in the Calcutta Gazette. [*Cf.* Act III of 1885, ss. 56 (1), (2), (3), 58.]

Receipts for rent.

"(2) The landlord or his agent shall prepare and retain a counterfoil of the receipt, in a form prescribed as aforesaid.

"(3) If any landlord or his agent, without reasonable cause, fails to grant such a receipt or to prepare and retain such a counterfoil, then, on proof thereof, the Deputy Commissioner may, in a summary proceeding, by order, impose on the landlord a fine which may extend to fifty rupees in respect of each such failure; and may, in his discretion, award to the tenant, by way of compensation, such portion of the fine as the Deputy Commissioner may think fit.

"(4) If, in any suit or other proceeding under this Act or any other law, the Court or presiding officer (not being the Deputy Commissioner) finds that any landlord or agent has failed—

(a) to deliver to a tenant a receipt in the prescribed form for rent paid by the tenant, or,

(b) to prepare and retain a counterfoil in the prescribed form of a receipt delivered to a tenant as aforesaid,

such Court or officer shall inform the Deputy Commissioner."

Amendment of section 13.

7. (1) In section 13 of the said Act, for the words "or raiyat," wherever they occur, the words "raiyat or mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted.

(2) In the same section, after the words "entertain a suit" the words "or application" shall be inserted.

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(3) To the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"A deposit may be made under this section in either of the following cases, namely— [Cf. Act VIII of 1885, s. 61 (b), (c).]

(a) when an under-tenant, raiyat or mundari khunt-kattidar who is bound to pay money on account of rent has reason to believe, owing to a tender having been refused or a receipt withheld on a previous occasion, that the person to whom his rent is payable will not be willing to receive it and to grant him a receipt for it; or

(b) when the rent is payable to co-sharers jointly, and the tenant is unable to obtain the joint receipt of the co-sharers for the money, and no person has been empowered to receive the rent on their behalf."

Amendment of section 14.

8. (1) In section 14 of the said Act, for the words "or raiyat," in both places in which they occur, the words "raiyat or mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted.

(2) To the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"If no payment is made under this section before the expiration of three years from the date on which the deposit was made, the amount deposited may, in the absence of any order of a Civil Court to the contrary, be repaid to the depositor upon his application and on his returning the receipt given by the Deputy Commissioner." [Cf. Act VIII of 1885, s. 64 (3).]

Amendment of section 15.

9. In section 15 of the said Act, after the word "brought" the words "and no application for a certificate under section 155 shall be made" shall be inserted; and after the word "instituted" the words "or application made" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 17.

10. In section 17 of the said Act, for the words "or raiyat," in both places in which they occur, the words "raiyat or mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted.

Insertion of new sections, 28A and 28B.

11. After section 28 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"28A. When an order has been made, under any law for the time being in force, directing the preparation of a record-of-rights, then, notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing sections, the Deputy Commissioner shall not— [Cf. Act VIII of 1885, s. 111.]

Stay of proceedings before Deputy Commissioner during preparation of record-of-rights.

(a) where a settlement of land-revenue is being or is about to be made—until after the final publication of the record-of-rights, and

(b) where a settlement of land-revenue is not being made or is not about to be made—until three months after the final publication of the record-of-rights,

entertain any suit or application for the alteration of the rent or the determination of the status of any tenant in the area to which the record-of-rights applies.

"28B. (1) When the rent of a tenure or holding is entered in any such record-of-rights as finally published, then, notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing sections, [Cf. Act VIII of 1885, s. 113.]

Period for which rents as entered in record-of-rights are to remain unaltered

such rent shall not, except on the ground of a landlord's improvement or of a subsequent alteration in the area of the tenure or holding, be enhanced, in the case of a tenure or an occupancy-holding or the holding of an under-raiyat having occupancy-rights, for seven years, and, in the case of a non-occupancy

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holding or the holding of an under-raiyat not having occupancy rights, for five years;

and no such rent shall be reduced within the periods aforesaid save on the ground of alteration in the area of the holding or on the ground that the soil of the holding has, without the fault of the raiyat, become permanently deteriorated by a deposit of sand or other specific cause, sudden or gradual.

"(2) The said periods of seven years and five years shall be counted from the date of the final publication of the said record-of-rights."

Amendment of section 30.

12. In section 30 of the said Act, for the word "six" the words "six and a quarter" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 31.

13. For section 31 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"31. Where an arrear of rent remains due from a non-occupancy raiyat at the end of the Bengali year, where that year prevails, or at the end of the month of *Jeyt*, where the *Fasli* or *Wilâyati* year prevails, [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 66 (*1*)]

Ejectment of non-occupancy raiyat for arrears of rent.

the landlord may, whether he has obtained a decree for the recovery of the arrear or not, and whether he is entitled by the terms of any contract to eject the tenant for arrears or not, institute a suit to eject the raiyat."

Insertion of new section, 32A.

14. After section 32 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"32A. If any raiyat, after the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, uses the land comprised in his holding in a manner which renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy, he shall be liable to be ejected from the land, but only in execution of a decree or order passed under the provisions of this Act." [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 25 (*a*).]

Ejectment of raiyat for misuse of land.

Amendment of section 33.

15. In section 33 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, Ben Act I of 1879.

(*a*) for the words "or tenure," in the first two places in which they occur, the words "tenure or mundari khunt-kattidar tenancy" shall be substituted;

(*b*) for the words "or tenure," in the third place in which it occurs, the words "tenure or tenancy" shall be substituted; and

(*c*) for the words "or raiyat," wherever they occur, the words "raiyat or mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 34.

16. For section 34 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"34. (*1*) When any tenure or portion thereof is transferred by succession, inheritance, sale, gift, mortgage or exchange, the transferee or his successor in title shall cause the transfer to be registered in the sarishta of the zamindar or superior tenant to whom the rent of the tenure or portion is payable.

Registration of transfers of tenures.

"(*2*) Every zamindar or superior tenant shall, in the absence of sufficient reasons to the contrary, admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all such transfers.

"(*3*) Whenever any such transfer of a tenure or portion of a tenure is registered in the sarishta of the zamindar or superior [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 12 (*3*).]

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tenant, he shall be entitled to levy a registration-fee of the following amount, namely:—

(*a*) when rent is payable in respect of the tenure or portion—a fee of two *per centum* on the annual rent thereof: provided that no such fee shall be less than one rupee or more than one hundred rupees; and

(*b*) when rent is not payable in respect of the tenure or portion—a fee of two rupees.

"(*4*) When any such transfer has been made, the transferee or his successor in title shall not be entitled to recover, by suit or other proceeding, any rent payable to him as the holder of the tenure or portion until he has applied for the registration of the transfer and has paid the aforesaid registration-fee.

"(*5*) Nothing in this section shall be construed—

(*i*) to validate a transfer of any tenure or portion thereof which, by the terms upon which it is held, or by any law or any custom having the force of law, is not transferable, or

(*ii*) if a tenure is resumable, to affect the right of the zamindar or superior tenant to resume it.

"(*6*) The mere registration of a transfer, or the mere levy of a registration-fee, under this section, shall not be deemed to imply a consent to, or permission to make, the transfer, within the meaning of section 36A; and the zamindar or superior tenant shall not be bound by the terms or conditions of any such transfer.

Repeal of section 35.

17. Section 35 of the said Act is repealed.

Amendment of section 36.

18. (*1*) In section 36 of the said Act, for the words "the two last preceding sections," the word and figures "section 34" shall be substituted.

(*2*) In the same section, after the word "transferee" the words "or other person in actual possession of the tenure" shall be inserted.

Insertion of new section, 36A.

19. After the said section 36 the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"**36A.** (*1*) Upon the resumption of a resumable tenure, every lien, sub-tenancy, easement or other right or interest created, without the consent or permission of the grantor or his successor in interest, by the grantee or any of his successors, on the tenure, or in limitation of his own interest therein, shall be deemed to be annulled, except the following, namely:— [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, ss. 159 to 161.]

Annulment of incumbrances on resumption of resumable tenure.

(*a*) any lease of land whereupon a dwelling-house, manufactory or other permanent building has been erected, or a permanent garden, plantation, tank, canal, place of worship or burning or burying ground has been made, or wherein a mine has been sunk under lawful authority; [*Cf.* Act XI of 1859, s. 37, clause Fourthly.]

(*b*) any right of occupancy;

(*c*) any right to hold land known as korkar, baiballá, khandwat, sajhwat, jalsásan or ariat;

(*d*) any right to hold land occupied by a sacred grove; and

(*e*) any mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

"(*2*) Nothing in clause (*a*) shall be construed to confer on any grantee of a resumable tenure, or any of his successors, any right over minerals which he does not otherwise possess."

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(Part II.—Amendment of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act.—Clauses 20—29.)

Partial repeal of section 37.

20. The words "or on account of the refusal of receipts for rent paid," in clause (*2*) of section 37 of the said Act, are repealed.

Amendment of section 39.

21. (*1*) At the beginning of section 39 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"Subject to such rules (if any) as may from time to time be made by the Local Government in this behalf."

(*2*) In the same section, for the word and figures "or 33" the figures and word "33 or 154" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 44.

22. In section 44 of the said Act,—

(*a*) after the word "Suits" the words and figures "and applications under section 155" shall be inserted; and

(*b*) after the word "suit," in both places in which it occurs, the words "or application" shall be inserted.

Insertion of new section, 44A.

23. After the said section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

Successive suits or applications for recovery of rent.

"44A. Where a landlord has instituted a suit, or applied for a certificate under section 155, against a raiyat or a mundari khunt-kattidar, for the recovery of any rent of his tenancy, the landlord shall not institute another suit or apply for another such certificate against him for the recovery of any rent of that tenancy until after six months from the date of the institution or making of the previous suit or application." [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 147.]

Amendment of section 47.

24. In section 47 of the said Act, after the word "raiyat" the words "or mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 57.

25. In section 57 of the said Act,—

(*a*) for the words "or raiyat" the words "raiyat or mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted, and

(*b*) for the words "a dependent taluk or other transferable tenure which, as hereinafter provided," the words "a tenure or holding which" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 66.

26. In section 66 of the said Act, for the words "fifteen days," wherever they occur, the words "thirty days" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 82.

27. (*1*) In the first paragraph of section 82 of the said Act, for the word "suit" the words "suit or other proceeding under this Act" shall be substituted.

(*2*) At the end of the same section the words "or other proceeding as aforesaid" shall be added.

Amendment of section 87.

28. In section 87 of the said Act, for the words "or under-tenant," in both places in which they occur, the words under-tenant or mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 88.

29. (*1*) In section 88 of the said Act, before the word "raiyat," in both places in which it occurs, the words "non-occupancy" shall be inserted.

(*2*) In the same section, for the word "fifteen" the word "thirty" shall be substituted.

(*3*) In the same section, before the word "decree," where it last occurs, the word "final" shall be inserted. [See I. L. R., 22 Calc. 467.]

(*4*) To the same section the following shall be added namely:—

"The Court may, for special reasons, extend the period of thirty days mentioned in this section." [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 66 (*3*).]

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(Part II.—Amendment of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act.—Clauses 30—34.)

Amendment of section 123.

30. (*1*) For the first sentence of section 123 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"If the decree is for an arrear of rent in respect of a tenure or holding, the decree-holder may make application for the sale of such tenure or holding; and the tenure or holding may thereupon be brought to sale, in execution of the decree, according to the provisions for the sale of under-tenures contained in the Bengal Rent Recovery (Under-tenures) Act, 1865; and all the provisions of that Act shall, as far as may be, apply:

Ben. Act VIII of 1865.

Provided that the Commissioner may, by order, in any case in which he may consider it desirable so to do,—

(*a*) prohibit the sale of any tenure or portion thereof, or
(*b*) stay any such sale for any period specified in the order:

"Provided also that any sale of a resumable tenure under this section shall not affect the right of the grantor or his successor in title to resume such tenure, but shall be made subject to such right."

(*2*) In the last sentence of the said section for the words "an under-tenure" the words "the tenure or holding" shall be substituted.

Repeal of section 124.

31. Section 124 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act is repealed.

Ben Act I of 1879.

Amendment of section 125.

32. (*1*) In section 125 of the said Act, for the words and figures "any such under-tenure as is mentioned in section 123, or of the right and title of any person in an under-tenure of the nature described in section 124," the words "any tenure or holding" shall be substituted.

(*2*) In the same section, for the words "such under-tenure" the words "such tenure or holding" shall be substituted.

(*3*) Before the proviso in the same section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"Provided that no such inquiry shall be made where the Court considers that the claim was designedly or unnecessarily delayed."

[*Cf.* Act XIV of 1882, s. 278, prov.]

(*4*) Before the words "that no transfer," in the same section, the word "also" shall be inserted.

(*5*) In the same section, for the words "an under-tenure" the words "a tenure" shall be substituted.

Partial repeal sections 127 and 128.

33. The words and figures "if of the nature described in section 123 and not of the nature described in section 124," in section 127 of the said Act,

and the words "of a saleable under-tenure or of a tenure the right and title in which is saleable," in section 128 of the said Act,

are repealed.

Insertion of new section, 130A.

34. After section 130 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

[*Cf.* Act XIV of 1882, s. 310A.]

"130A. (*1*) When a tenure or holding has been sold for an arrear of rent due thereon, any person who owns the tenure or holding, or who has an interest therein under a title lawfully acquired before the sale, may, at any time within a period of thirty days from the date of the sale, apply to have the sale set aside on his depositing in Court,—

Application to set aside sale of tenure or holding.

(*a*) for payment to the purchaser, a sum equal to five *per centum* of the purchase money, and

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(*b*) for payment to the decree-holder, the amount specified in the proclamation of sale as that for the recovery of which the sale was ordered, less any amount which may, since the date of such proclamation and sale, have been received by the decree-holder.

"(*2*) If such deposits are made within the said period, the Court shall pass an order setting aside the sale, and the provisions of section 315 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply in the case of a sale so set aside." XIV of 1882.

Amendment of section 133. 35. In section 133 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, after the words "a Deputy Commissioner" the words "by general or special order" shall be inserted. Ben Act I of 1879.

Amendment of section 134. 36. In section 134 of the said Act, after the word "duties" the words "and the exercise of their powers" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 135. 37. (*1*) In section 135 of the said Act, before the words "shall be appealable to the Commissioner," the words and figures "and not being orders passed under section 119 or section 120" shall be inserted.

(*2*) At the end of the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"Orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof shall be appealable to the Court to which an appeal from the decree itself would lie."

Amendment of sections 136 and 140 38. In sections 136 and 140 of the said Act, for the word "fifteen," wherever it occurs, the word "thirty" shall be substituted.

Addition to section 144. 39. To section 144 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"A second appeal shall lie to the High Court, under Chapter XLII of the Code of Civil Procedure, from any appellate decree passed by the Judicial Commissioner under this Act." [See I. L. R., 27 Calc., 508.] XIV of 1882.

Insertion of new section, 144A. 40. After section 144 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"144A. Where, in analogous cases, some appeals have been presented to the Deputy Commissioner and others to the Judicial Commissioner, the Judicial Commissioner may, on the application of any of the parties, transfer to his own Court the appeals pending in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner."

Transfer of appeals from Deputy Commissioner to Judicial Commissioner

Insertion of new sections, 151 to 164. 41. After section 150 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"*Further provisions as to mundari khunt-kattidars.*

"151. Such of the preceding sections as are applicable to mundari khunt-kattidars shall, in their application to such kattidars and their tenancies, be read subject to the provisions of the following sections.

Application of preceding sections to mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

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(Part II.—Amendment of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act.—Clause 41.)

Restrictions on transfer of mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

"152. (*1*) No mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or portion thereof shall be transferable by sale, whether in execution of a decree or order of a Court or otherwise: [*Cf.* Ben. Act I of 1879, ss. 10A, 10B, 123, 128, Act XIV of 1882, s. 320.]

Provided that, when a decree or order has been made by any Court for the sale of any such tenancy or portion thereof, in satisfaction of a debt due under a mortgage (other than a usufructuary mortgage) which was registered before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, the sale may be made with the previous sanction of the Deputy Commissioner.

"(*2*) If the Deputy Commissioner refuses to sanction the sale of any such tenancy or portion thereof under the proviso to sub-section (*1*), he shall attach the land and make such arrangements as he may consider suitable for liquidating the debt.

"(*3*) No mortgage of a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid, except a bhagat bandha mortgage for a period not exceeding seven years.

"(*4*) No lease of a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid, except a lease of one or other of the following kinds, when granted in respect of land of a village or tola of a village owned by a group of joint mundari khunt-kattidars, namely:—

(*a*) mukarrari leases of uncultivated land, when granted to a mundari or a group of mundaris for the purpose of enabling the lessees or the male members of their families to bring suitable portions of the land under cultivation;

(*b*) leases of uncultivated land, when granted to a mundari cultivator to enable him to cultivate the land as a raiyat.

"(*5*) Where a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy is held by a group of mundari khunt-kattidars, no bhagat bandha mortgage or mukarrari lease of the tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid unless it is made with the consent of all the mundari khunt-kattidars.

"(*6*) No transfer of a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof, by any contract or agreement made otherwise than as provided in the foregoing sub-sections, shall be valid.

Ejectment of persons unlawfully obtaining possession of such tenancies.

"153. If any person, after the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, obtains possession of a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, or any portion thereof, in contravention of the provisions of section 152, the Deputy Commissioner may eject him therefrom; [*Cf.* Ben Act I of 1879, s. 10B (*f*).]

and no suit shall be maintainable in any Court in respect of such ejectment; but an appeal shall lie to the Commissioner, if presented within three months from the date of the ejectment, and his decision shall be final.

Enhancement of rent.

"154. (*1*) The rent of a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy may be enhanced only— [*Cf.* Ben. Act I of 1879, s. 19.]

(*a*) by an order of the Deputy Commissioner, and

(*b*) if it be shown before the Deputy Commissioner that the tenancy was created within a period of twenty years immediately preceding the presentation of the petition for enhancement.

"(*2*) An order of the Deputy Commissioner under sub-section (*1*) shall not enhance the rent of any such tenancy to an amount which would exceed one-half of the rent which would be payable for the land if it were held by a raiyat having a right of occupancy therein.

"(*3*) The provisions of sections 22 to 24 shall be applicable to proceedings for the enhancement of the rent of a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

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Recovery of arrears of rent under the certificate procedure, where there is a record-of-rights.

"155. (*1*) When an arrear of rent accrues in respect of a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy for which a record-of-rights has been prepared under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, or any other law for the time being in force, VIII of 1885.

no suit shall be maintainable in any Court for the recovery of the arrear; but the landlord may apply in writing to the Deputy Commissioner to make a certificate authorising the recovery thereof, with simple interest at six-and-a-quarter *per centum per annum*, under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895. [*Cf.* Ben Act VI of 1880, ss. 44A, 51A, 51B (*j*); Ben Act IX of 1880, s. 49.] Ben. Act I of 1895.

"(*2*) Upon receiving any such application, the Deputy Commissioner may, after making such inquiry and taking such evidence as he may consider necessary, make a certificate as aforesaid. [*Cf.* Ben. Act VI of 1880, s. 57C; Ben. Act IX of 1880, s. 49.]

"(*3*) The person in whose favour any such certificate is made shall be deemed to be the decree-holder for the amount mentioned in the certificate, and the person against whom the certificate is made shall be deemed to be the judgment-debtor for the said amount; and all proceedings taken by the Certificate Officer for the recovery of such amount shall be taken at the instance of the first-mentioned person, and at his cost and on his responsibility, and not otherwise.

"(*4*) Every such certificate shall have the same effect as a certificate made under section 7 of the said Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895; and the following portions of that Act shall be applicable, namely, the proviso to section 7, sub-section (*1*); section 9, sub-sections (*2*) and (*3*); section 10, sub-section (*1*); and sections 11 to 14, 18, 19, 22 and 24 to 33: Ben Act I of 1895.

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) a certificate made under this section may be enforced only by the attachment and sale of the moveable property of the person against whom the certificate is made, or by the attachment and realisation of rent or other debts due to him, or by execution against his person in the manner provided by this Act, or by any two or all of these processes; and

(*b*) no objection by any third person to the attachment or sale of crops shall be entertained except—

(*i*) an objection, by a mortgagee holding under a bhagat bandha mortgage, that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised;

(*ii*) an objection, by a lessee holding under a mukarari lease as described in section 152, clause (*a*), that the land in respect of which the arrear accrued is included in his lease, and that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised; or

(*iii*) an objection, by a cultivator, that he is in possession of the land in respect of which the arrear accrued, that the land is recorded in the record-of-rights as being in the possession of himself or of some person from whom he has lawfully acquired such possession, and that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised.

"(*5*) If no appeal is presented under section 32 of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, or if any such appeal is decided against the judgment-debtor, the certificate shall become absolute, and shall have the same force and effect as a final decree of a Civil Court. [*Cf.* Ben. Act I of 1895, s. 16.] Ben Act I of 1895.

"(*6*) Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the Deputy Commissioner may, in any case, by written order setting forth the reasons therefor, refuse to make a certificate as aforesaid, or stay for any specified period the execution of any certificate which has been made.

"(*7*) An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner from any order made under sub-section (*6*), if presented within one month from the date of the order; and his decision shall be final.

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"156. If, in the course of any proceedings under section 155, any question of title is raised which could, in the opinion of the Deputy Commissioner, more properly be determined by a Civil Court, the Deputy Commissioner shall refer such question to the principal Civil Court in the district for determination. [*Cf.* Ben Act VII of 1876, s. 55]

Reference of question of title to Civil Court.

"157. (*1*) When an arrear of rent accrues in respect of a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy for which no record-of-rights has been prepared, the landlord may institute a suit for the recovery of the arrear. [*Cf.* Ben Act I of 1879, s. 10A (*a*)]

Recovery of arrear of rent by suit where there is no record-of-rights.

"(*2*) A decree or order made in any such suit may be enforced only by the attachment and sale of the moveable property of the defendant, or by the attachment and realisation of rent or other debts due to him, or by execution against his person in the manner provided by this Act, or by any two or all of these processes

"158. Where a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy is held jointly by a group of khunt-kattidars,

Joinder of parties in proceedings under section 155 or 157.

and an objection to the making of a certificate under section 155, or to the execution thereof, or to the maintenance of a suit under section 157, is made on the ground that all the khunt-kattidars have not been made parties to the proceedings,

the objection shall not be entertained if it be shown that other khunt-kattidars could not be made parties without undue delay or expense.

"159. All mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies shall be so described in the record-of-rights prepared under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. VIII of 1885.

Entry of mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies in record of-rights.

"160. (*1*) At any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record-of-rights under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, section 103A, sub-section (*2*), a suit may be instituted before the Revenue-officer who prepared such record, by presenting a plaint on stamped paper, [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 106, as amended by Ben. Act I of 1903, s. 4.] VIII of 1885.

Decision of disputes regarding entries or omissions in record-of-rights.

for the decision of any dispute regarding any entry of a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or the incidents thereof in the record, or regarding any omission to enter such a tenancy or any incident thereof in the record;

and the Revenue-officer shall hear and decide the dispute.

"(*2*) In all such suits the Revenue-officer shall, subject to any rules made by the Local Government in this behalf, adopt the procedure laid down in this Act for the trial of suits; and his decision shall, subject to an appeal to the Commissioner under section 161, be final. [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 107 (*1*).]

"161. An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner from any decision of a Revenue Officer under section 160, if presented within three months from the date of the decision; and the decision of the Commissioner shall be final [*Cf.* Ben. Act II of 1869, ss. 14, 20]

Appeal against such decisions.

"162. Whenever a suit instituted under section 160 has been finally decided, a note of the decision shall be made in the record-of-rights, as finally published, by the Revenue-officer who prepared the record; and such note shall be considered as part of the record. [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 107 (*2*)]

Entry of decisions in record-of rights.

"163. When an order has been issued under section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in respect of any local area, estate, tenure or part thereof, no judgment, decree or order in any suit instituted thereafter shall be taken as evidence, [*Cf.* Ben. Act II of 1869, s. 24] VIII of 1885.

In preparing record-of-rights, judgments, &c., in suits not to be taken as evidence that tenancies are or are not mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

in any inquiry made by a Revenue-officer engaged in the preparation of a record-of-rights for such area, estate, tenure or part, under Chapter X of the said Act,

respecting any claim that any tenancy within that area, estate, tenure or part is or is not a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

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"164. When a record-of rights has been finally published under section 103A, sub-section (*2*), of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, or amended under section 162 of this Act, the entries therein relating to mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies shall be conclusive evidence of the nature and incidents of such tenancies; VIII of 1885.

Record of rights to be conclusive evidence on the question whether a tenancy is a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

and, if any tenancy in the area, estate or tenure for which the record-of rights was prepared has not been recorded therein as a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, no evidence shall be received in any Court to show that such tenancy is a mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy."

Amendment of Schedule C. 42. In Schedule C to the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, after the word "suit" the words "[*or, as the case may be*, make an application]" shall be inserted. Bon Act I of 1879.

PART III.—AMENDMENT OF THE CHOTA NAGPUR COMMUTATION ACT, 1897. Bon. Act IV of 1897.

Amendment of proviso to section 4 (*3*) of Bengal Act IV of 1897. 43. For the proviso to sub-section (*3*) of section 4 of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"Provided that the amount payable in commutation shall be so fixed that the total annual rent of the land, including such amount as aforesaid, shall not exceed the rent which would be fair and reasonable if the land were not held subject to any predial conditions or services"

Insertion of new section, 9A. 44. After section 9 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"9A. In every local area, estate, tenure or part thereof in which a survey is being made and a record-of-rights is being prepared under an order issued under section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, VIII of 1885.

Procedure where a survey and record-of-rights are being made under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

and in which a record of predial conditions or services is being prepared and a commutation thereof is being made under an order issued under section 5 of this Act,

the following provisions shall have effect, instead of those contained in sections 6 to 9 of this Act, namely:—

(*1*) The Revenue-officer shall, at the time of attesting the preliminary record, ascertain all the predial conditions or services to which, by ancient custom, the general body of tenants are liable, and the cash values of such services;

and shall prepare a statement, in such form as the Board of Revenue may from time to time prescribe, showing the conditions, services and values so ascertained.

(*2*) In calculating the cash value of such services the Revenue-officer shall be guided by the provisions of section 4, sub-section (*3*).

(*3*) The Revenue-officer shall enter in the khatian of each tenant the cash value of the predial conditions or services (if any) to which such tenant is liable, as ascertained under clause (*1*).

(*4*) If any tenant, by ancient custom, is liable to any predial conditions or services other than those to which the general body of tenants are liable, or is not liable to all the predial conditions or services to which the general body of tenants are liable, the Revenue-officer shall also specify in the khatian the predial conditions or services to which such tenant is liable.

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(*5*) The statement prepared under clause (*1*), and the entries in the khatian, shall be published in draft in the same manner and for the same period as the record-of-rights.

(*6*) Objections as to entries or omissions, in the statement or khatian, relating to predial conditions or services, may be made under the same conditions as objections to entries in or omissions from the record-of-rights, and shall be disposed of in the same manner as such objections.

(*7*) After the disposal of objections, the said statement, and the entries in the khatian relating to predial conditions or services, shall be finally published at the same time and in the same manner as the record-of-rights.

(*8*) At any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record-of-rights under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, section 103A, sub-section (*2*), a suit may be instituted before the Revenue-officer who prepared such record, by presenting a plaint on stamped paper, [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 106, as amended by Ben Act I of 1903, s. 4.] VIII of 1885.

for the decision of any dispute regarding any entry in the record relating to predial conditions or services, or regarding any omission to enter any such conditions or services in the record;

and the Revenue-officer shall hear and decide the dispute.

(*9*) In all such suits the Revenue-officer shall, subject to any rules made by the Local Government in this behalf, adopt the procedure laid down in this Act for the trial of suits; and his decision shall, subject to an appeal to the Commissioner under clause (*10*), be final. [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 107 (*1*).]

(*10*) An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner from any decision of a Revenue-officer under clause (*8*), if presented within three months from the date of the decision; and the decision of the Commissioner shall be final."

Insertion of new section, 12A.

45. After section 12 of the said Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897, the following shall be inserted, namely:— Ben Act IV of 1897.

"12A. No proceedings under this Act shall bar the right of any tenant or landlord to claim a reduction or enhancement of rent in accordance with law after such proceedings have been completed."

Saving of right to claim reduction or enhancement of rent.

CALCUTTA;
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Errata.

In paragraph 2, line 2 of Notice to Mariners No. 87, dated 7th March 1903, *for* "224 miles" *read* "22·4 miles."

In line 4 of Notice to Mariners No. 129, dated 21st April 1903, *for* "distance 3 feet" *read* "distance 3 miles."

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 246.

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BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong coast.

Kurnafulli river—Depth of water found in the channels.

The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the river channel by soundings taken on the 8th July and reduced to zero :—

	Ft.	In.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	12	0
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	10	6
Batten beacon on pillar on hill	11	0
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on ball and cross	16	0
Track No. 4—Guptakhali crossing—		
Triangle on diamond	17	0

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 247.

[First Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Tellicherry light—Character altered.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 135, dated 22nd April 1903, issued by this office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No 34 of 1903) that the alteration to the light at Tellicherry as described therein was carried out and the light exhibited on the 1st June 1903.

It shows a group of 6 occultations of about 3½ seconds separated by light of about 5 seconds and followed by light of about 14 seconds duration.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827; and India, West Coast, Kiziadruy to Cochin with the Laccadive Archipelago No. 2737.

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INDIA, EAST—Coromandel coast.

Negapatam light—Character altered.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 64, dated 17th February 1903, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 36 of 1903) that the alteration to the light at Negapatam as described therein was carried out and the light exhibited on the 1st July 1903.

The light shows a group of four occultations of about 4½ seconds separated by light of about 7 seconds and followed by light of about 21 seconds duration.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Indian Ocean, Bay of Bengal, No. 70; also Bay of Bengal, West Coast, Coast of Coromandel, sheet IV, Madras to Point Calimere, No. 71; and India (sheet 3), East Coast, Cape Comorin to Cocanada, No. 828.

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[First Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Cannanore light—Character altered.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 134, dated the 22nd April 1903, issued by this office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 37 of 1903)

that the alteration to the light at Cannanore as described therein was carried out and the light exhibited on the 1st July 1903.

The light shows a group of four occultations of about 5½ seconds separated by light of about 6 seconds and followed by light of about 20 seconds duration.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827; and India, West Coast, Viziadrug to Cochin with the Laccadive Archipelago, No. 2737.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 236.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—CANARA, SOUTH.

Malpe and Coondapoor—Lights extinguished.

THE Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given notice (No. 30 of 1903) that the lights at Malpe and Coondapoor were, as usual, extinguished on 1st June 1903 for monsoon months.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—India, West Coast, Viziadrug to Cochin, with the Laccadive Archipelago, No. 2737. India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 237.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Calicut light—Date of exhibition

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 196, dated the 8th June 1903, issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 33 of 1903) that the alteration to the light at Calicut as described therein was carried out on the 1st June 1903.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827: Also, sheet X, West Coast of India, Malabar Coast, from Mt. Dilly to Calicut, No. 747: Also, Indian Ocean, Bay of Bengal, Chart No. 70.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 238.

[Second Publication.]

AFRICA, EAST COAST—Kisimayu harbour.

Non-existence of Racoon shoal.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 454 of 1903) that the 2½ fathoms patch reported to exist in 1893 by H.M.S. *Racoon* in the entrance to Kisimayu harbour, about 4½ cables, N. 48° W. from Fawatu island white pillar, has been unsuccessfully searched for, the least depth obtained in the position being 4 fathoms.

This shoal was originally placed on the chart from a single cast of the lead got in H.M.S. *Racoon* when proceeding out of harbour. It has also been searched for by an Italian man-of-war without success, and it has now therefore been expunged from the Admiralty publications.

Approximate position, lat. 0° 23½′ S., long. 42° 32¾′ E.

(*Variation 5° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kisimayu bay, No. 860: Also Africa Pilot, Part III, 1897, page 533.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 239.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Alleppi road—Positions of light, &c.—Buoys.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 457 of 1903) that the undermentioned alterations have been made in the marks and buoys in Alleppi road:—

(*a*) The light (*revolving*) has been established in a light-house erected at a distance of about two-thirds of a cable N. 35° W. from the position formerly occupied by the flagstaff, which has been removed to the coast close to the pier.
Approximate position, lat. 9° 30′ N., long. 76° 18¾′ E.

(*b*) The northern port pillar (25 feet) has been moved 1½ cables N. 64° W. from its former position.

(*c*) The southern port pillar (25 feet) has been replaced by a white triangular beacon, erected at a distance of two-thirds of a cable N. 5° W. from the former position of the port pillar.

(*d*) The red conical buoy is situated about 2½ cables N. 45° E., and the black conical buoy about 1½ cables S. 6° E., from their respective positions as shown on the chart.

(*Variation nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Alleppi road on Chart No. 750: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 276; and West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 126.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 240.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Wusung bar—Fort buoy replaced by light-buoy.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 166, dated 18th May 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 459 of 1903) that Fort buoy, situated 5$\frac{2}{10}$ cables N. 80° E. from Wusung light-house, has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*: thus, light, *four seconds*; eclipse, *two seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 31° 23½′ N., long. 121° 30¾′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Wusung river, No. 1601: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 429.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 241.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG APPROACH.

North channel—Drinkwater Point buoy replaced by light and bell buoy.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners issued by this office, No. 345, dated 18th November 1901, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 460 of 1903) that Drinkwater Point buoy (red conical, surmounted by staff and ball), situated 10¼ miles S. 68° E. from Drinkwater Point light-house, North channel, Yang tse approach, has been replaced by a light and bell buoy, painted in black and red horizontal bands, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*: thus, light, *four seconds*; eclipse, *two seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 31° 24′ N., long. 122° 0′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kue Shan islands to the Yang tse No. 1199; Yang tse Kiang approach, No. 1602: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894 page 416; and Supplement, 1898, page 24.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 242.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Wusung bar—Alteration in lights and buoys.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 240, dated 3rd July 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 470 of 1903) that the undermentioned alterations have been made in the lights and buoys at the Wusung bar:—

(1) Wusung bar light (*fixed*) has been altered to show *white* from the coast to the northward to the bearing of S. 22° W., *green* from S. 22° W. to S. 65° W., *red* from S. 65° W. to the river bank southward of the light-house.

(2) A *red fixed* light has been established on a white pole surmounted by a disc, erected on the extremity of Prince's wharf eight-tenths of a cable N. 76° E. from Wusung bar light-house.

This *red* light in line S. 76° W. with the Wusung bar light leads over the deepest water on the outer bar, and the signals now given indicate the depth on this line.

(3) A black conical buoy, painted in red and black vertical stripes, and surmounted by a black ball, has been moored in a depth of 18 feet on the north-eastern edge of Wusung spit; from the buoy Wusung light-house bears S. 62° W., distant $10\frac{1}{10}$ cables.

(4) Fort light-buoy, exhibiting a *white occulting* light, has been moved about one cable S. 48° W. from its former position, and is now moored with Wusung light-house bearing S. 87° W., distant $4\frac{9}{10}$ cables.

Vessels anchoring outside should take up a berth well clear of the leading marks over the bar.

Approximate position, Wusung light-house, lat. 31° 23½′ N., long. 121° 30′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Wusung river, No. 1601: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 746, page 138; and China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 429.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 243.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Rajpuri Point—Red buoy, north side of "Whale Reef," removed.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 59 of 1903) that the red buoy on the north side of the "Whale Reef" off Rajpuri Point was removed for the south-west monsoon on the 1st June.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 244

[Second Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Rangoon river—Upper Western buoy shifted.

THE following Notice to Mariners (No. 61 of 1903), issued by the Bombay Government, is republished:—

Information dated 9th June 1903 has been received from the Commissioner of the Port of Rangoon that the Upper Western Buoy in the entrance to Rangoon River has been shifted W. by N. 2,800 feet and is now in 21 feet reduced.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 225.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Mangalore—Derelict removed.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 219, dated 20th June 1903, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 56 of 1903) that the derelict has been removed and towed into Mangalore.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 226.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Buoys between Alibag and Bhatkal removed for the south-west monsoon.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 189, dated 8th June 1903, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (57 of 1903) that the undermentioned buoys were removed from their positions on the dates noted against each:—

Alibag buoy	...	...	...	16th May 1903.
Bankot buoy	...	...	...	21st "
Ambulgud Reef	...	...	...	20th "
Chaldea Rock buoy	..	...	...	16th "
Malvan outer buoy	...	...	...	18th "
Johnstone Castle buoy		...	...	20th "
Vengurla Harbour buoys		...	...	21st "
Malvan Harbour buoys		...	...	17th "

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 227.

[Third Publication.]

PACIFIC OCEAN—HAWAIIAN OR SANDWICH ISLANDS.

Uniform system of buoyage adopted—Honolulu harbour—Buoyage altered.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 439 of 1903) that the uniform system of buoyage of the coasts of the United States has been extended to the Sandwich islands, and consequent thereon the buoyage of Honolulu harbour has been altered as follows:—

Eastern side of the channel.—No. 5 red conical buoy is now numbered No. 2, No. 3 red conical buoy No. 6, and No. 2 red conical buoy No. 8.

Western side of the channel.—No. 6 black pile buoy is now numbered No. 3, No. 7 black pile buoy has been established at a distance of 2½ cables S. 19° W. from the Harbour light (*red fixed*), No. 4 black pile buoy is now numbered No. 9, No. 3 black pile buoy No 11, No 2 black pile buoy No. 13, No. 1 black pile buoy No. 15, and No 17 black pile buoy has been established at a distance of one-tenth of a cable S. 42° E. from the Harbour light.

The note on the Chart has also been amended.

Approximate position, Harbour light, lat. 21° 18′ N., long. 157° 52′ W.

The United States Uniform System is—Approaching a channel from seaward all buoys on the starboard side of the channel are red and have even numbers, on the port side of the channel all buoys are black and have odd numbers.

Buoys with red and black horizontal stripes mark obstructions with channels on each side of them.

Buoys with black and white vertical stripes are fareway buoys, and should be passed closely to avoid danger.

(*Variation 10° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Honolulu harbour, No. 1378: Also, Pacific island, vol. III, 1900, page 230.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 228.

[Third Publication.]

AUSTRALIA, WEST—FREMANTLE APPROACH.

Buoys to be established—Information respecting Pilots, etc.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 190, dated 6th June 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 440 of 1903) that, on 1st August 1903, the undermentioned buoys will be established in the approach to Fremantle:—

(*a*) A red conical buoy will be moored about one cable to the northward of Roe reef off the north coast of Rottnest island, with Bathurst point lighthouse bearing S. 6° E., distant 11 cables, and the western extremity of North point S. 60° W. Approximate position, lat. 31° 58′ S., long. 115° 33′ E.

(*b*) A red conical buoy will be moored on the northern edge of Beagle rocks to the southward of the entrance to Swan river, with the lighthouse on the end of the south breakwater bearing N. 55° E., distant $2\frac{1}{10}$ cables, and the extremity of the North breakwater N. 27° W.

Also, that on the same date the following alterations will be made in the Pilot Service:—

The Pilot station on Bathurst point will be removed to the Telegraph and Signal station near Arthur's head.

The Pilot Signal station at Bathurst point lighthouse and the station at Thompson's bay and also the Pilot look-out station at the main lighthouse on Rottnest island have been discontinued. Vessels therefore requiring a pilot should make the signal for one to the signal station at the main lighthouse on Rottnest island, not to Bathurst point, as stated in the above-mentioned Notice, and proceed to the Pilot Boarding ground, which is about five miles to the eastward of Bathurst point, and there await the pilot sent from Fremantle.

In proceeding to the Pilots' Boarding ground vessels should not attempt to use the South passage, between Middle bank and Champion rock.

(*Variation 3° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Champion bay to Cape Naturaliste, No. 1033; Rottnest island to Warntoro' sound, No. 1058; Fremantle harbour, No. 1700: Also, Australia Directory, vol. III, 1895, pages 356, 362, 355, 356, 365; and Revised Supplement, 1902, page 43.

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CALCUTTA, *the 27th June 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 229.

[Third Publication.]

AFRICA, SOUTH—TABLE BAY.

Whale rock—Bell buoy established.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 441 of 1903) that a bell buoy has been moored in a depth of 13 fathoms half a mile N.W. by W. ½ W. from Whale rock with Robben island lighthouse bearing N. 37° E., distant 1¼ miles.

Approximate position, lat. 33° 50′ S., long. 18° 22½′ E.

Variation 29° Westerly in 1903.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Table bay to Cape Agulhas, No. 2082; Table bay to Donkin bay, No. 2091; Cape of Good Hope and False bay, No. 636; Table bay, No. 1920: Also, Africa Pilot, part II, 1901, page 324; part III, 1897, page 55.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 230.

[Third Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Queen Charlotte sound—Light established on Jackson head.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 443 of 1903) that on 21st April 1903, a *white fixed* light, unwatched, elevated 37 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 5 miles except between the bearing of N. 35° E., through north, and N. 5° W., where it is obscured by the land, would be established on the beacon on Jackson head at the entrance to Queen Charlotte sound.

Approximate position, lat. 40° 59½′ S., long. 174° 20½′ E.

(*Variation 15° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cook strait to cape Egmont, No. 2054; Cook strait, Nos. 695, 2684, 2685: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, page 280; and New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 204.

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CALCUTTA, *the 27th June 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 231.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA SEA—PALAWAN ISLAND, SOUTH-EAST ISLAND.

Dumaran island—Reef to the south-westward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 445 of 1903) of the existence of a coal reef, with apparently a depth of 3 or 4 fathoms over it, off the south-east coast of Palawan island, in a position from which High point bears N. 34° W., distant 8½ miles, and the south-eastern extremity of Dumaran island N. 49° E.

Approximate position, lat. 10° 16½′ N., long. 119° 38½′ E.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—China Sea, No. 2660b; Palawan island, No. 967: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, page 277.

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CALCUTTA, *the 27th June 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 252.

[Third Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—AUCKLAND.

Time signal reported unreliable.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 321, dated 7th November 1902, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 446 of 1903) that the time ball stated to be dropped from the yard arm of the Port Office flagstaff at Auckland, at noon, New Zealand Standard mean time, has been tested on several occasions and found to be unreliable, the errors ranging from 5 to 9 seconds. These errors were not published in the local newspapers. "Reported unreliable" has, therefore, been noted against this time signal.

Approximate position, lat. 36° 50¾′ S., long. 174° 46′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Auckland harbour, No. 1970; Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 55; and List of Time Signals, 1901, page 30.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 253.

[Third Publication.]

PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINES.

Mindoro island, north coast—Light established at Escarceo point.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 448 of 1903) that a *white fixed* light, visible in clear weather from a distance of 8 miles, has been established on Escarceo point, in the approach to port Galera.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 31¼′ N., long. 120° 59½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2577; Port Galera, on Chart No. 949: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, page 112; and Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 229.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 254.

[Third Publication.]

PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Simara island—Reef reported to the eastward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 449 of 1903) of the existence of a reef to the eastward of Simara island, in a position from which the north-eastern extremity of Simara (in line with Bantoncillo) bears N. 60° W., distant 2 miles, and southern extremity of the same island S. 62° W.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 49′ N., long. 122° 8′ E.

A sounding of 9 fathoms was obtained on this reef, but apparently the depth over it is not more than 4 fathoms.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 943; St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, &c., No. 2577; Also, Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 236.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 235.

[Third Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—South Island.

Foveaux strait—Rocks reported.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 450 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned rocks in Foveaux strait:—

a. A rock awash at low-water ordinary springs, between Half passage rock and Hazelburgh group, in a position from which the southern extremity of Half passage rock bears S. 70° E., distant 11¼ cables, and the eastern extremity of Bird island N. 22° W.

b. A rock on which the sea frequently breaks, situated about 1¼ miles S. 85° W. from Fife rock. The exact position of this rock has not yet been ascertained.

c. A patch locally known as South-east bank, with a depth of 12 fathoms over it at low-water springs, situated with Zero rock, North islands, bearing N. 87° W., distant 5 miles, and the north-western extremity of the Fancy group in line with mount Rakeahua S. 56° W.

Approximate position, lat. 45° 51′ S., long. 168° 22½′ E.

(*Variation 17° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Foveaux strait, &c., No. 2553; Ruapuke island on Chart No. 2533: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 308, 307.

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ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE METEOROLOGICAL REPORTER TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL FOR THE YEAR 1902-1903.

No. 1435T.—R.

The 7th July 1903.—The following is published for general information.

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE Bengal Meteorological Department was under my charge during the whole of the past official year, except between the dates November 4th and 17th, when Mr. V. H. Jackson officiated.

2. There has been no increase or decrease in the number of observatories under my direct control. There are 6 second-class and 39 third-class observatories and one voluntary observatory. The total number is 46.

There has been no change in the system of observations, the second-class observatories recording three sets of observations, viz., at 8 A.M., 10 A.M., and 4 P.M., and the third-class observatories recording observations at 8 A.M. only.

3. Automatic instruments recording pressure and temperature are in use at the following stations:—

Chittagong.	Puri.
Burdwan.	Cuttack.
Balasore.	

The last-named station commenced automatic registration from 23rd September 1902. The instruments were taken by my head clerk and put up under his personal supervision. A barograph and an anemograph are in use at Saugor Island.

4. The following table gives the names and distribution of these 46 observatories:—

Second-class Observatories.

Chittagong.	False Point.
Darbhanga.	Hazaribagh.
Darjeeling.	Saugor Island.

Third-class Observatories.

Arrah.	Jessore.
Balasore.	Krishnagar.
Bankura.	Malda.
Barisal.	Midnapore.
Berhampore.	Motihari.
Bhagalpur.	Muzaffarpur.
Bogra.	Mymensingh.
Burdwan.	Narayanganj.
Buxar.	Naya Dumka.
Chaibassa.	Noakhali.
Chapra.	Pamban (in Madras).
Comilla.	Patna.
Cuttack.	Puri.
Daltonganj.	Purnea.
Dehri.	Purulia.
Dinajpur.	Rampur Boalia.
Faridpur.	Ranchi.
Gaya.	Raniganj.
Jalpaiguri.	Rangpur.
Sirajganj.	

Voluntary Observatory.

Cooch Behar.

INSPECTION OF OBSERVATORIES.

5. A large number of observatories were inspected during the past year. The following table gives the names of the observatories that were inspected and the dates of inspection. Altogether 34 visits of inspection were made,

viz., 2 by Sir John Eliot, Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories; 6 by myself; 17 by Babu Jati Lal De, my head clerk; 5 by Mr. C. Gaetane, Sub-Inspector of Observatories, attached to the India Meteorological Office; 2 jointly by Sir John Eliot and Mr. Gaetane, and 2 by Babu Rakhal Das Chuckerbutty, officiating 2nd clerk of my office :—

No.	Station.	Date of inspection.	By whom inspected.
1	Darjeeling ...	13th February ...	Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.
2	Patna ...	15th „ ...	
3	Buxar ...	30th December ...	Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal.
4	Arrah ...	31st „ ...	
5	Gaya ...	1st & 2nd January ...	
6	Dehri ...	2nd & 3rd „ ...	
7	Daltonganj ...	4th & 5th „ ...	
8	Malda ...	15th to 17th „ ...	
9	Comilla ...	7th & 8th June ...	Head Clerk, Meteorological Office Bengal.
10	Faridpur ...	11th & 12th „ ...	
11	Cooch Behar ...	28th, 29th, & 30th July ...	
12	Rangpur ...	2nd August ...	
13	Jalpaiguri ...	3rd & 4th August ...	
14	Dinajpur ...	5th August ...	
15	Burdwan ...	26th „ ...	
16	Balasore ...	21st, 22nd, & 23rd Sept. ...	
17	Cuttack ...	24th & 25th September ...	
18	Puri ...	27th & 28th „ ...	
19	Motihari ...	14th, 15th, & 16th Dec. ...	
20	Muzaffarpur ...	17th December ...	
21	Darbhanga ...	18th & 19th December ...	
22	Chaibassa ...	8th & 9th March ...	
23	Purulia ...	10th & 11th „ ...	
24	Ranchi ...	13th, 14th, & 15th March.	
25	Hazaribagh ...	16th & 17th March ...	
26	Krishnagar ...	8th to 11th February ...	Jointly by Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories, and Sub-Inspector of Observatories.
27	Bogra ...	12th to 14th „ ...	
28	Pamban ...	Date not known.	Sub-Inspector of Observatories.
29	Dinajpur ...	16th & 17th February ...	
30	Purnea ...	18th February ...	
31	Patna ...	20th & 21st February ...	
32	Chapra ...	23rd & 24th „	
33	Barisal ...	8th to 10th March ...	Second clerk, Meteorological Office, Bengal.
34	Noakhali ...	12th & 13th „ ...	

RESULTS OF INSPECTION AND WORK AT OBSERVATORIES.

6. *2nd class observatories.*—Three out of the six second class observatories were inspected. *Darjeeling* was inspected by Sir John Eliot. The observations received from Darjeeling have been accurate throughout the year. *Darbhanga*, when inspected, was found to be in good condition, and the observations received from that station have been generally satisfactory. *Hazaribagh* at the time of inspection by my head clerk was found to be in a satisfactory condition. The work at Hazaribagh has been carefully done by Babu Nathu Lal, and the observations received during the past year, as in previous years, are trustworthy and accurate. Of the remaining three observatories which could not be inspected during the past year, *Saugor Island* and *False Point* continued to submit accurate observations, while the observations at *Chittagong* have not been so accurate.

7. *3rd class observatories.*—The 3rd class observatories generally were found to be in good condition. *Faridpur* requires special mention, for, according to the report of my head clerk, the observatory was in a most satisfactory condition at the time of his visit on 11th and 12th June, in charge of Babu Hara

Kanta Bose, 3rd teacher of the Local Zilla School who was appointed as observer by me when I visited the observatory on 26th January 1902. *Motihari* observatory, when visited by my head clerk, was found to be in a bad condition. The observer was unusually late in attendance, and the instruments seemed not to have been taken care of. The observations submitted by him previous to the date of inspection were not reliable, but since the inspection there have been fewer mistakes, and the returns, &c., have been received punctually. The instruments at *Barisal* were found by my second clerk at the time of his visit in good condition, but the observer was absent on the first day of inspection without making any arrangement for the record of observations at 8 A.M. on that date. The barometric observations prior to the visit of inspection, were doubtful. This was found to be due to wrong adjustment of the vernier by the observer. The observer was found to be careless in his work and was warned to be more careful in future. When I visited *Buxar*, I found that the observer was absent on leave. At the time of my head clerk's visit the observatory at *Rangpur* was not in a satisfactory condition. The work of observations was being carelessly done by a clerk of the Post-office, and the instruments seemed to have been neglected. The Postmaster who is the observer and is responsible for the condition of the observatory, was warned. *Pamban* was inspected by Mr. Gaetane. The observatory at *Purulia* was started in August 1899 and since then it had not been inspected. During the visit of inspection various defects of the instruments were remedied, and the observer received some necessary instructions. The observatory shed is situated in the Jail grounds in a well exposed site. The barometer is in the office room of the Superintendent of the Jail, the rain-gauge in close proximity to the shed, and the wind instruments are on the top of the jail gate wall. *Daltonganj* was, for the first time, inspected by me since the establishment of the observatory in April 1893. The following are extracts from my report of inspection :—

"The barometer is in a room in the Civil Hospital, in good light. The wind instruments, on the roof of the hospital, are freely exposed. The thermometer shed and rain-gauge are on a rising ground about half, or a third of, a mile from the hospital and 300 yards from the gate of the jail, which is the only building or obstruction of any kind in the neighbourhood. Exposure of all the instruments is good. The observer had never had any instruction except what he had picked up from the book of instructions, etc. His interpretation of the instructions was, as might have been expected, in some respects not what was intended. But he was willing and most anxious to do what would give satisfaction, and I think in several important respects there will be greater accuracy in the future. The readings of the barometer must be wrong for years past. The wind observations are not reliable. The thermometers and rain-gauge have been accurately observed I believe."

The mercury in the barometers at Daltonganj, Buxar, Purulia, and Ranchi was found to be exceedingly dirty, and was cleaned at the time of the inspection. The mercury of the barometers at Hazaribagh, Gaya, and Krishnagar was also cleaned.

Of the 3rd class observatories that could not be visited during the past year, accurate observations were received from *Berhampore*, *Jessore*, *Narayanganj*, and *Raniganj*, while the observers at the remaining stations have been more or less careless.

8. *Voluntary Observatory*:—The condition of the *Cooch Behar* Observatory at the time of the visit of my head clerk was very satisfactory, and the observations received have been accurate throughout the year.

9. Sir John Eliot, who visited Bogra, suggested the removal of the thermometer shed from its present position in the circuit-house compound to a site near the jail. The Public Works Department has been asked to effect the removal.

10. The question of removing the wind instruments of the Malda Observatory from the roof of the circuit-house (*vide* page 3 of my Administration Report for 1901-1902) was settled by me when I visited Malda. In consultation with Mr. B. De, Magistrate of Malda, it was arranged to fix the wind-vane and the anemometer on the roof of the cutchery building (the highest in the locality). The removal has since been effected.

11. During his visit to Puri my head clerk suggested the advisability of removing the wind instruments from the roof of the District Board's office, which is at some distance, to the roof of the newly-built Customs shed. The removal has since been effected.

12. The following observers were granted special awards by the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories for storm observations, etc., taken by them during the past year:—

Station.	Amount.	
	Rs.	A.
Burdwan	1	8
Jessore	1	0
Mymensingh ...	1	0
Saugor Island ...	9	8
Pamban	7	0

13. *Work at, and inspection of, Raingauge stations.*—The number of Raingauge stations on the 31st March 1903 was 374, *i.e*, eight more than on the corresponding date last year. Ten stations were started and two, viz., *Khiri* and *Chausa* were closed during the year.

14. The names of the stations started during the year are given in the following table:—

Station.	District.	Station.	District.
Khutona ...	Darbhanga.	Koderma ..	Hazaribagh.
Ludania ...		Gumla ...	Ranchi.
Athmalik ...	Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Subarnakhali ...	Mymensingh.
Hindol ...		Tanor ...	Rajshahi.
Boud ...		Siripur ...	Saran.

15. Generally speaking, the returns from the rain-registering stations were duly received, but there were a few stations as noted below, which sent the reports irregularly:—

Station.	District.	Station.	District.
Subarnakhali ...	Mymensingh.	Dharmsala ...	Cuttack.
Rajauli ...	Gaya.	Salipore	
Barkope ...	Sonthal Parganas.	Sadar ...	Muzaffarpur.
Bhagya ...		Agartala ...	Hill Tippera.
Nanibat ...		Ramchandrapur ...	Tippera.
Bhabua ...	Shahabad.	Daudkandi ...	
Sasaram ...		Kasba ...	
Mohania ...		Nasirnagar ...	

The co-operation of the District Officers has been requested with the view of obtaining prompt reports from these stations in future.

16. Four hundred and fifteen visits of inspection were made against 300 during 1901-1902 and 301 during 1900-1901. The total number of rain-gauges inspected was 232 against 177 in the previous year and 194 in the year 1900-1901. The reports received from the inspecting officers showed that the rain-guages were for the most part in good condition and the rainfall registers properly kept.

17. The following table shows the distribution of the 374 rainfall stations in the various districts in Bengal, as it stood on 31st March 1903, and the number of stations inspected in each district during the past year:—

District.	Number of rain-gauge stations.	Number of rain-gauge stations inspected	District.	Number of rain-gauge stations.	Number of rain-gauge stations inspected.
Burdwan	5	3	Chittagong	7	6
Birbhum	6	3	Chittagong Hill Tracts ...	3	2
Bankura	10	9	Patna	6	1
Midnapore	8	2	Gaya	10	9
Hooghly	3	1	Shahabad	12	9
Howrah	4	3	Saran	10	5
24-Parganas	9	6	Champaran	5	4
Nadia	5	1	Muzaffarpur	7	3
Murshidabad	9	3	Darbhanga	7	3
Jessore	5	4	Monghyr	10	4
Khulna	12	11	Bhagalpur	8	5
Rajshahi	7	4	Purnea	7	3
Dinajpur	13	13	Malda	4	3
Jalpaiguri	7	2	Sonthal Parganas ...	20	7
Darjeeling	6	3	Cuttack	8	3
Cooch Behar	5	2	Balasore	6	3
Rangpur	9	8	Puri	7	3
Bogra	4	4	Hazaribagh	7	4
Pabna	2	2	Ranchi	9	6
Dacca	5	5	Palamau	10	7
Mymensingh	10	4	Manbhum	7	6
Faridpur	3	2	Singhbhum	10	8
Backergunge	7	7	Orissa Tributary Mahals ...	15	9
Hill Tippera	1	*Nil*	Angul	5	5
Tippera	8	7	Tibet	1	*Nil*
Noakhali	7	5	Chota Nagpur Tributary States.	3	*Nil*

18. The system of supplying rain-gauges and measure glasses to the rain-registering officers in Bengal from the Meteorological Office, Bengal, by an arrangement mentioned in paragraph 17 of my Administration Report for 1899-1900, worked satisfactorily.

19. *Departmental Reports.*—The short annual report on the meteorology of Bengal for the year 1902, with two maps illustrating the actual and percentage rainfall, was prepared before the close of the past official year. (It was submitted to the Government of Bengal on 4th April 1903.)

20. The report on the meteorology of Bengal for the monsoon season of 1902 was prepared and submitted to the Government of Bengal on the 26th January 1903. The usual number of rainfall maps illustrating the distribution of rainfall over the Province, the district variation from the normal and the percentage variation from the normal for the monsoon period of 1902, were also prepared and submitted to Government with the monsoon summary.

21. The monthly rainfall table for Bengal and the meteorological table for Bengal and Assam, with a summary of the chief features of the weather of the month, was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* about the middle of every month.

22. The following annual rainfall tables were prepared and published in the *Calcutta Gazette*. They were for the period January to December:—

Table I—Showing the monthly and annual rainfall at 371 stations in Bengal for 1902.

Table II—Showing the monthly and annual average rainfall at 318 rainfall stations in Bengal.

Table III—Comparison table of the rainfall of 1902 at 318 rainfall stations in Bengal with averages of previous years.

Addenda to the rainfall table of the Province of Bengal for the year 1902.

23. Charts showing the distribution of actual rainfall, the variation from the normal and the percentage variation, were prepared and submitted monthly to the Government of Bengal during the period May to October 1902: and copies were sent to the Sanitary Commissioner.

24. The Bay of Bengal and Bengal daily weather report dealing with observations taken at 68 meteorological observatories, viz., 46 observatories under my direct control and 22 other stations in Assam, Burma, Madras and Ceylon, including the first-class observatory at Alipore, which is under the

administration of the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories, was published from 1st May to 31st October. The Bay of Bengal report, dealing with observations taken at 28 observatories round the coast of the Bay, was published during the rest of the year. Both the reports were published daily, including Sundays and holidays, and delivered to the subscribers in Calcutta between 12 and 2 o'clock the same day.

25. The daily flag signal message to Saugor Island and Elephant Point (Rangoon) and the daily weather telegram to the following officers were continued throughout the year:—

Port Officer, Akyab.
Ditto, Moulmein.
Ditto, Rangoon.
Ditto, Negapatam.
Ditto, Coconada.
Vice-Chairman, Port Commissioners, Rangoon.
Deputy Port Conservator, Madras.
Port Conservator, Cuddalore.
Ditto, Porto Novo.

26. The daily weather telegram was sent to the Port Officer, Chittagong, from 16th May to 16th November (inclusive). The telegram was also sent to the Port Conservator, Calingapatam regularly on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.

27. Warnings of expected storms and heavy rainfall were sent to—

The Superintending Engineer, Orissa Circle.
Ditto, Sone Circle.
The Executive Engineer, Cossye Division.
Ditto, Balasore do.
Ditto, Akhoyapada-Jajpur Division.
Ditto, Arrah Division.
Ditto, Buxar do.
Ditto, Eastern Sone Division.
The Sub-Engineer, Dehri Workshops Subdivision.
The Proof Officer, Balasore.
The Superintendent of Telegraphs, Madras Divison.
Ditto, Bengal do.
Ditto, East Coast Division.
Ditto, Madras Office.
The Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs, Madras Subdivision, Madras.
The Traffic Superintendent, East Coast Railway
The Engineer-in-Chief, Ditto,

28. Information of the occurrence of rainfall above one inch at Daltonganj was sent to the Sub-Engineer, Dehri Workshops

29. There was no addition or alteration in the code of storm signals.

30. The dates of the principal storms and barometric depressions occurring during the past year are given in the first of the two following tables, and the action taken in the matter of issuing storm warnings and hoisting storm signals is indicated in the second of these tables:—

Table giving a brief statement of the storms which affected the Bay of Bengal Coast during the year 1902-1903.

Number of storm.	Period of depression or storm.	Character of storm.	Coast affected.
1	May 5th and 6th ...	Cyclonic storm which was close to Diamond Island on the morning of the 5th May—the centre probably about midway between that station and the Andaman Islands Squally to stormy weather prevailed over the sea area to the south west of Diamond Island. During the following 24 hours, the storm became more extensive and moved in a north-easterly direction. The chief feature of the disturbance was the strong cyclonic winds, not only while the depression was over the sea, but until it had moved some distance inland. By the 6th the disturbance had almost ceased.	Burma and Arakan Coasts.

Number of storm.	Period of depression or storm.	Character of storm.	Coast affected.
2	July 4th to 6th ...	This disturbance began as a diffused depression about the 4th July, extending over the south of the Bay, and causing, if the reports from Diamond Island be accepted, very strong winds in the east of the Bay. The depression formed further south than is usual in July, and moving in a north-westerly direction, crossed the coast of the Circars on the 6th.	Burma and Circars Coasts.
3	July 13th to 16th ...	Barometric depression which formed over the north of the Bay on the 13th July and was moving slowly northwards up to the 15th, but thereafter it moved north-westward. On the 16th, the centre was between Midnapore and Chaibassa. This depression never attained to more than moderate depth near the centre, but there was a very steep gradient over the whole Bay area, and with it exceptionally strong winds and rough sea.	Bengal and Orissa Coasts.
4	August 22nd to 24th ...	There was a well marked depression over the area represented by Rangoon and Moulmein on the 22nd August. It continued to move north-westward, the central area being south-east from Akyab on the 23rd and close to the Orissa Coast on the 24th. When the centre was in the north-west angle of the Bay, there was a steep pressure gradient with strongish winds over the whole sea area On the 25th the depression was inland and over Chota Nagpur.	Ditt
5	August 31st and September 1st.	For several days, this disturbance was very slight and was shown as a wide diffused depression over the north of the Bay with light irregularly cyclonic winds at coast stations. On the 31st it was better defined. the central area was near the south coast of Orissa, and a steeper pressure gradient had developed over the south and centre of the Bay. The depression was still shallow, and the greatest defect was ·1 inch at False Point. On the 1st September the centre was still over the Bay, but it then moved rapidly westward.	Orissa Coast.
6	September 6th and 7th	This depression was only faintly outlined by the coast observations between the 3rd and 6th September and became well defined over the north-west angle of the Bay on the 6th, with a moderately steep gradient towards the south-east. From the north-west angle it moved slowly northwards into the central districts, and there it almost entirely filled up, with general heavy rain in Bengal Proper.	Ditto.
7	September 24th and 25th	This was a slight disturbance while over the north-west angle of the Bay, but developed inland. No special warning was required, and the chief feature was the heavy rainfall inland.	Bengal Coast.
8	October 20th to 22nd ..	Shallow depression which formed in the east of the Bay and was of brief duration. It caused some increase of wind at Burma stations, and on breaking up, a slight disturbance entered the north of the Bay, but had little influence on the general weather conditions over the Province	Orissa Coast.
9	October 28th to 30th ..	Shallow depression which crossed the Madras Coast between Madras and Cuddalore from the south-east The greatest deficiency in pressure was only ·1-inch, but the disturbance was remarkable, because of the exceptionally heavy rain which fell on the coast between Madras and Vizagapatam between the 28th and 30th September, and the strong winds between Masulipatam and Vizagapatam	Circars and Coromandel Coasts.
10	November 16th to 18th	Towards the south of the Bay conditions were almost continuously unsettled, with strong winds and rough sea, but no definite cyclonic disturbance developed. As usually happens under such circumstances, rainfall was of almost daily occurrence on the Madras Coast, and at times heavy rain fell, notably between the 17th and 21st November.	Ditto.
11	December 15th ..	Slight depression which crossed the Madras Coast from the Bay, moving in a westerly direction.	Ditto.

Table showing the action taken by the Bengal Meteorological Office in warning the coasts affected by the storms enumerated in the previous table.

Storm number.	Hoisting of storm signals.			Warning of ports by cautionary telegrams.	
	Ports ordered to hoist signals.	When hoisted.	When lowered.	Ports warned by cautionary telegrams.	Time and date of despatch of cautionary telegrams.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	.....	.....	.....	Tavoy ..	10-15 A.M. of 5th; 11-6 A.M. of 6th May.
				Mergui ...	Ditto ditto.
				Moulmein ...	10-7 A.M. and 2-16 P.M. of 5th; 10-45 A.M. of 6th May.
				Rangoon ..	Ditto ditto.
				Bassein ...	Ditto ditto.
				Akyab ...	Ditto ditto.
2	.....	.....	.....	Moulmein ...	11-35 A.M. of 8th; 10-10 A.M. of 9th July.
				Rangoon ...	Ditto ditto.
				Bassein ...	Ditto ditto.
				Chandbali ...	9-50 A.M. of 9th July.
				Balasore ...	Ditto.
				False Point ...	Ditto.
				Puri ...	Ditto.
				Gopalpur ...	11-45 A.M. of 8th; 10-10 A.M. of 9th July.
				Bimlipatam ..	Ditto ditto.
				Vizagapatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Cocanada ...	Ditto ditto.
				Masulipatam .	Ditto ditto.
				Madras ...	Ditto ditto.
				Negapatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Tuticorin ...	Ditto ditto.
				Pamban ...	Ditto ditto.
				Colombo ..	12-40 P.M. of 8th; 10-50 A.M. of 9th July.
3	Calcutta	11-25 A.M. of 15th July ..	11-10 A.M. of 16th July.	Calcutta ...	(a) 10-51 A.M. of 15th; (a) 10-35 A.M. of 16th July
	Budge-Budge ...	11 A.M. of ditto ...	11-30 A.M. of ditto.	Chandbali ...	10-36 A.M. of 14th; 10-3 A.M. of 15th; 10-16 A.M. of 16th July.
	Mud Point ...	10-33 A.M. of ditto ..	11-5 A.M. of ditto.	Balasore ...	Ditto ditto.
	Diamond Harbour	10-30 A.M. of ditto ...	11 A.M. of ditto.	False Point ...	10-36 A.M. of 14th July.
	Saugor Island ..	10-16 A.M. of ditto ..	11-10 A.M. of ditto.	Puri ...	Ditto ditto.
	Chandbali ...	10-20 A.M. of ditto ..	10-30 A.M. of ditto.	Gopalpur ...	Ditto ditto.
	Balasore ...	11-30 A.M. of ditto ...	12-30 P.M. of ditto.		
4	Calcutta ...	1 -25 P.M. of 23rd Aug. ..	11 P.M. of 24th Aug.	Calcutta ...	(a) 10-30 A.M. of 23rd; (b) 9 5 P.M. of 24th August.
	Budge-Budge ...	1 -45 P.M. of ditto ...	5 -50 A.M. of 25th Aug.	Chandbali ...	10-37 A.M. of 24th August.
	Mud Point ...	10-45 A.M. of ditto ...	10 30 P.M. of 24th Aug.	Balasore ..	Ditto ditto.
	Diamond Harbour	10-40 A.M. of ditto ...	10-15 P.M. of ditto.	False Point ...	Ditto ditto.
	Saugor Island ...	10-40 A.M. of ditto ..	10-10 P.M. of ditto.	Puri ...	Ditto ditto.
	Chandbali ...	10 A M. of ditto ..	9 -15 A.M. of 25th Aug.	Gopalpur ...	10-30 A.M. of 23rd Aug.
	Balasore ...	12-30 P.M. of ditto ...	7 A.M. of ditto.		
	False Point ...	11-42 A.M. of ditto ...	8 - 5 A.M. of ditto.		
	Puri ...	12- 3 P.M. of ditto ...	7 - 4 A.M. of ditto.		
5	.....	.....	.....	Chandbali ..	12-19 A.M. of 31st August.
				Balasore ...	Ditto ditto.
				False Point ...	Ditto ditto.
				Puri ...	Ditto ditto.
6	Chandbali ...	Noon of 6th Sept. ...	9 - 2 P.M. of 7th Sept.	Chandbali ...	10-20 A.M. of 6th; 10-12 A.M. of 7th September.
	Balasore	1 P.M. of ditto ...	1 P M. of 8th Sept.	Balasore ...	Ditto ditto.
	False Point ...	12-55 P.M. of ditto ...	9-10 P.M. of 7th Sept.	False Point ..	10-12 A.M. of 6th; 10-7 A.M. of 7th September.
	Puri	11-35 A.M. of ditto ...	6 P.M. of ditto.	Puri ..	Ditto ditto.
7	.....	.....	.....		No warning issued.
8	.....	.....	.....	Chandbali ...	10-15 A.M. of 20th; 10-21 A.M. of 21st; 10-7 A.M. of 22nd October.
				Balasore ...	Ditto ditto.
				False Point ...	Ditto ditto.
				Puri ..	Ditto ditto.
				Gopalpur ...	10-23 A.M. of 20th; 10-16 A.M. of 21st; 9-50 A.M. of 22nd October.
				Bimlipatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Vizagapatam ..	Ditto ditto.
				Cocanada ..	Ditto ditto.
				Masulipatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Akyab	10-27 A.M. of 21st; 10-10 A.M. of 22nd October.
				Chittagong ...	Ditto ditto.
				Gopalpur ...	10-43 A.M. of 28th; 10-38 A.M. of 29th; 10-37 A.M. of 30th October.
9	.....	.....	.....	Bimlipatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Vizagapatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Cocanada ...	Ditto ditto.
				Masulipatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Madras ...	Ditto ditto.
				Negapatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Tuticorin ...	Ditto ditto.
				Pamban ...	Ditto ditto.
				Gopalpur ..	10-50 A.M. of 16th; 11-3 A.M. of 17th; 11-3 A.M. of 18th November.
10	.....	.....	.....	Bimlipatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Vizagapatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Cocanada ...	Ditto ditto.
				Masulipatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Madras ...	Ditto ditto.
				Negapatam ..	Ditto ditto.
				Tuticorin ..	Ditto ditto.
				Pamban ...	Ditto ditto.
				Cocanada ...	10-27 A.M. of 15th December.
				Masulipatam	Ditto ditto.
11	.....	.....	.....	Madras ..	Ditto ditto.
				Negapatam ...	Ditto ditto.
				Tuticorin ...	Ditto ditto.
				Pamban ...	Ditto ditto.
				Colombo ...	Ditto ditto.

(a) To Port Officer, Calcutta; Deputy Director, Indian Marine, Kidderpore, and Deputy Port Conservator, Calcutta.
(b) To Port Officer, Calcutta.

31. The thanks of the Department are due to the tea and indigo planters, to the Moravian Missionaries at Pedong, and to the Chinese Commissioner of Customs at Yatung (in Tibet) who have kindly continued to send rainfall returns during the past year, to the Surveyor-General, Ceylon, for sending meteorological observations taken at Colombo and Trincomallee for the daily weather report, and to Messrs. Mackinnon Mackenzie & Company, Agents of the British India Steam Navigation Company, for allowing the commanders of their vessels to telegraph summaries of the weather experienced during their voyages.

32. *Office Establishment.*—The various members of my office establishment have given me full satisfaction as in former years. A considerable amount of extra work has been caused by the numerous applications for statistics in connection with the revision of the Imperial Gazetteer. In some cases the information required could not be supplied without a careful search of the records, in others averages had to be computed. In all cases, by working overtime, the information was supplied with the least possible delay.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 19th May 1903.

C. LITTLE,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 13th July 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·38, Kalna 3·72, Katwa 0·75, Raniganj 0·72. Weather overcast and hot. Transplantation of winter rice continues. Condition of *aus*, jute and sugarcane good. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of cattle good. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·21, Rampur Hât 1·59. Weather cloudy and hot. Fields and paddy seedlings are ready for transplantation. More rain is wanted. Sugarcane crop flourishing. Rice sells at 14 seers per rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar ·69, Vishnupur 2·87. More rain wanted for cultivation. Common rice sells at 12 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·06, Contai 1·35, Tamluk 0·70, Ghatal 1·62. Weather hot and cloudy. Ploughing and sowing retarded for want of sufficient rain. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Contai	13	0	
Tamluk	11	10	
Ghatal	11	8	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·98, Serampore 1·18, Arambagh 1·02. Prospect of standing crops fair. Transplantation of *aus* and winter paddy going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Serampore	10	9	
Arambagh	11	6	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·20. Weather seasonable. Sowing of autumn paddy still continues. Condition of jute and sugarcane fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice is selling at 11 seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·41, Barasat 5 05, Basirhat 2·23, Diamond Harbour 0·25. Weather hot and steamy. More rain wanted everywhere. State and prospects of crops fair. Transplantation of *aman* going on briskly. Common rice sells at 11¾ seers per rupee except in Basirhat, where it sells at 12½ seers. Condition of cattle good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·97, Kushtia 0·95, Meherpur 1·94, Chuadanga 2·06, Ranaghat report not received. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Ranaghat	Not reported.		
Chuadanga	11	8	
Kushtia	12	0	
Meherpur	12	4	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 3 62, Kandi 1·31, Jangipur 2 01. Weather seasonable. *Bhadoi* and jute lands being weeded. Prospect favourable Sugarcane thriving. More rain wanted for transplantation of winter rice seedlings. Cattle-disease reported from Mirzapur thana. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kandi	13	12	
Jangipur	14	0	
Lalbagh	Not reported.		

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·47, Jhenida 0·98, Magura 0·85, Narail 1·68, Bangaon 2·31. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospect of crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Salikha and Muhammadpur. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Bangaon	13	4	
Magura	12	0	
Jhenida	12	8	
Narail	12	5	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·09, Bagerhat 0·61, Satkhira 1·70. Weather seasonable, but more rain is wanted. Sowing of autumn rice completed. Prospect of jute favourable.

Transplantation of winter rice commenced in some places. Cattle-disease reported from Dumuria, Paikgachha and Kachua. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Bagerhat	13	0	
Satkhira	12	0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·97, Nator 2·14, Naugaon 1·57. Prospects of crops good. Transplantation of winter rice going on. Outturn of *til* expected to be 75 per cent. More rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice selling at 14 seers per rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 8·68; fall general, varying from 1·06 to 2·93. Weather cloudy in some places. The incessant rain has interfered with the growth of jute and has increased the difficulty of weeding. Condition of standing crops fair. Transplantation of winter rice going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at 13 seers per rupee.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 8·81, Alipur Duars 9·86. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter paddy going on. The rain is favourable to the crop. *Bhadoi* paddy and jute doing well. Common rice sells at 11½ seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·51. Weather unusually dry. *Hills*—Maize, potato, *phapar*, *kagni*, *chota marua*, *bhadoi* and winter rice doing well. *Terai*—Lands being ploughed for winter rice. Jute, *bhadoi* rice and sugarcane plants thriving fairly well. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Hills	10	0	per rupee.
Terai	12	0	

Maize sells at Darjeeling at 14 seers and at Kalimpong at 12 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 11·20; Gaibanda 10·42; Nilphamari 6·38; Kurigram 10·06. Weather rainy and hot. Transplantation of *aman* going on. *Bhadoi* progressing well. Water and fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	8	per rupee.
Nilphamari	12	0	
Kurigram	12	0	
Gaibanda	13	0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·47; fall general. Weather very hot and cloudy. Cultivation for winter rice continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·81; Sirajganj 3·59. General rain throughout. Weather cloudy and hot. Prospects of standing crops fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Autumn rice and *rabi til* thriving well. Common rice sells at 12 seers 6 chitaks a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·62; fall general. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of crops good. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 10·65, Jamalpur 7·39, Kishorganj 4·37, Netrokona 4·29, Tangail 4·25. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good, but jute has suffered in places by heavy rain. Transplantation of winter rice going on. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Kishorganj	14	0	
Tangail	11	4	
Jamalpur	14	8	
Netrokona	15	14	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·36, Goalundo 7·54, Madaripur 1·31. Weather seasonable. State and prospects of crops fair. Common rice sells at 10 seers a rupee. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease.

Backergunge.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·89; fall general. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice progressing. Prospects good. *Til* promises normal outturn. Cattle-disease reported from Pirojpur and Patuakhali subdivisions. Common rice sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·08, Brahmanbaria 3·14, Chandpur 1·21. Weather seasonable Prospects fair. Sowing of *aman* in Sadar and transplantation in Chandpur

continue. Reaping of jute commenced in Brahmanbaria. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Brahmanbaria	13	5	
Chandpur	13	0	

Noakhali.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·82, Feni 3·85. Weather seasonable. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers and at Feni at 14 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 0.83, Cox's Bazar 6·68. Cultivation of *aus* crop still going on. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice selling at 13¼ seers per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Rainfall 3·88. Weather hot. Sowing of winter paddy continue. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 11 seers per rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Bihar 0·33. Weather hot and cloudy. Rain urgently wanted. *Bhadoi* sowings are far below normal. Indian-corn germinated well but has withered in places for want of rain. Locusts appeared and caused slight damage in Barh and Bihar. Sugarcane looking well. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Patna	13	0	per rupee.
Barh	13	4	
Bihar	13	8	
Dinapore	13	8	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·58. Weather hot and rainy. Standing crops doing well. The rainfall of the last 24 hours has saved the *bhadoi* crops already on the ground which were in a very critical state having begun to wither. It will also facilitate sowings. The subdivisions have no doubt shared in it, although it occurred after despatch of their reports. Flights of locusts appeared in Jahanabad and Sadar, but no damage reported. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Average price of common rice is 13 seers per rupee.

Shahabad—Rainfall at Sadar 0·47, Buxar 0·08, Bhabhua 0·30, Sasaram 0·75, Dehri 0·25. Sowing of *Bhadoi* and paddy much retarded for want of rain. Some injury to sugarcane by locusts is reported from Buxar subdivision.

Saran.—Rainfall at Sadar ·16, Siwan ·80, Gopalganj 2·49. Weather very hot and cloudy. Standing crops doing well. Rain wanted. *Bhadoi* sowing and transplantation of paddy continue. Locusts appeared in a few villages and slightly damaged the *bhadoi* crops. A few case of cattle-disease reported from thana Manjhi and Chauki Ekma. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 and maize at 25 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Champaran.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·69, Bettiah 1·58. Transplantation of paddy in progress. Weeding continues. Prospects good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15½ and maize at 24 seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·26, Sitamarhi 2·51. Weather hot and cloudy occasionally. Sowing of paddy and *bhadoi* crops continues, but has been retarded to a certain extent for want of rain in Sadar and Hajipur subdivisions. Prospects are favourable except in the Hajipur subdivision, where more rain is urgently wanted for all crops. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers and maize at 24 seers a rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·87, Samastipur 0·49, Madhubani 2·22. Weather hot and cloudy. Sowing of paddy and *bhadoi* crops in progress. Transplantation of paddy is going on in low lands. *Makai* fields are being weeded. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Mohiuddinnagore outpost. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	14	9	per rupee.
Samastipur	16	0	
Madhubani	15	0	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar ·63, Begusarai ·20, Jamui ·98. Weather very hot and cloudy. Sugarcane doing well. Rain urgently required for sowing *bhadoi* and paddy crops. *Makai* somewhat injured by a swarm of locusts in Sadar and Begusarai subdivisions, but indigo north of Gandak suffered considerably. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers 6 chitaks and at subdivisions at 13½ seers per rupee.

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·17, Banka 0·89, Madhipur 0·60, Supaul 2·17. Weather cooler. Prospects of crops generally good, but more rain urgently needed in Sadar

and Banka where paddy seedlings are withering in places and transplantation is started. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows: —

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	13 14	per rupee.
Banka	14 6	
Madhipura	17 0	
Supaul	18 0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·00, Kishanganj 3·19, Araria 0·84, fall general. Weather hot and sultry. Indigo is being manufactured *Jute*, *bhadoi* and *aghani* paddy doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows: —

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	12 0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	13 0	
Araria	14 8	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·91, Chanchal ·30, Sibganj 1·62, Gajol ·86. Weather hot and cloudy Prospects of *bhadoi* and jute good. Sowing of winter rice still going on. Cattle-pox reported from Gomashtapur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee.

Santhal Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·20, Deoghar 0·18, Godda 0·89, Jamtara 0·59, Pakaur 5·31, Rajmahal 0·58. Weather hot. The extent of sowing of *bajra*, *mandua* and maize is about 60 per cent. on average. More rain is wanted in Deoghar and Jamtara State of indigo favourable. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·61; fall general. More rain wanted. *Beali* and *saradh* growing well Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15¼ seers at Sadar.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·58. Puddling and weeding of *beali* paddy continues at places. Paddy plants, sugarcane, *arhar*, and *bhadoi til* generally thriving, but more rain wanted. Early cotton being sown. Rice sells at 14½ and 15 seers at Sadar and Bhadrak respectively. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.

Angul.—Report not received.

Puri.—Rainfall 2·57. Weather hot, cloudy and rainy. Lands are being ploughed, manured and sown with winter rice. Paddy puddling has commenced at places. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Cotton being plucked from trees. *Dalua* is being harvested. Outturn expected to be 12 annas Lands are being ploughed and sown with *beali*, sugarcane leaves are being tied. Fodder and water-supply sufficient Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·90, Giridih 1·84; fall not general. Weather hot. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas. Sowings of autumn rice and maize going on. Fodder sufficient Water still scarce. Common rice sells at 11¾ seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·79. Weather cloudy. Standing crops doing well, but more rain is wanted. Cattle-disease reported from Ranchi and Gumla thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice is selling at Ranchi at 13 seers, and at Gumla at 16 seers per rupee.

Palamau.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·17. Agricultural operations have suffered greatly owing to cessation of rain till 12th, when 1·17 inches of rain fell. Cattle-disease continues. Fodder and water sufficient except in Ranka thana. Common rice sells at 15½ seers and *makai* at 18 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·44, Gobindpur 3·38. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. More rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Raghunathpur thana. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12 and at Gobindpur at 11 seers per rupee.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 1·79. More rain needed. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee at Sadar.

General Summary.—Rainfall continued to be general, and was heavy in parts of North and East Bengal, but lighter in other parts of the Province where more rain is required. Transplantation of winter rice continues. Early rice and jute generally doing well. Some places in Bihar were visited by locusts but the injury done was generally slight. Prospects fair Cattle-disease reported from eleven districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in 13 districts, has fallen in three and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 14th July 1903.

Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of June 1903

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29·574		
The average pressure of June from 44 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	29·547		
The highest pressure in the month	29 729	4th	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29·383	20th	16
The range of pressure	0·346		
	Hours		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	119·6		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	403·4		
	°		
The mean temperature of the month	86 9		
The average temperature of June from 20 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	84 5		
The highest temperature in the month	98 9	2nd	
The lowest temperature in the month	72·5	3rd	
The range of temperature during the month	26 4		
The mean daily range of temperature	15 8		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	23 1	2nd.	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	79		
The average humidity of June from 20 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	83		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	0·999		
The average vapour tension of June from 20 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	0·957		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	7·17		
The average cloud proportion of June from 26 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	7·02		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	10·70		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 52 feet above the ground)	9·78		
The average fall of June from 24 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	11·04		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	3·59	27th	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	11		
The average number of rainy days in June from 24 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	13		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	° 147·3		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures	53·3		
The greatest sun temperature	154·1	4th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	60·0	30th	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	76·8		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	1·7		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature	3·5	11th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	145 0		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	221·0	9th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	17·0	27th	1 to 2 p.m.

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—
N. 11, N.E. 12, E. 42, S.E. 103, S. 315, S.W. 191, W. 22, N.W. 14, Calm 10.

C. W. PEAKE,

for Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 13th July 1903.

Meteorological Report of the Province of

STATION OBSER

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Representative stations.	Air Pressure.					Wind.		Temperature.					
				Highest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Lowest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Mean, 8 A.M., reduced to 32°.	Mean reduced to sea level and constant gravity, Lat. 45°.	Variation from normal mean.	Mean direction at 8 A.M.	Mean velocity in miles daily.	Highest of month.	Lowest of month.	Mean daily maximum temperature	Mean daily minimum temperature.	Mean daily temperature.	Variation from normal mean.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Burdwan	29·646	29·538	29·590	29·566	+·018	S17°W	93	100·4	73·8	98·2	78·5	86·9	+0·2
			Raniganj	29·404	29·118	29·279	29·260	−·005	S45°E	30	105·2	73·4	d90·7	78·2	d797·6	0
		Birbhum	.....													
		Bankura	Bankura	29·423	29·133	29·292	29 538	+·002	S45°E	126	104·1	73·9	96·9	78·6	87·7	+0·5
		Midnapore	Midnapore	29·594	29·310	29·468	29·561	+·008	S 3°E	111	106·4	78·7	96 7	79·2	85·0	+1·1
		Hooghly	.....													
		Howrah	.....													
	Presidency	24-Parganas	Sangor Island	29·738	29·435	29·604	29·572	+·031	S 9°W	436	95·0	74·6	92·9	81·3	86·8	+0·7
		Calcutta	Calcutta	29·740	29·450	29·611	29·578	+·035	S 3°E	148	99·0	73·4	94·1	75·5	84 8	+1·5
		Nadia	Krishnagar	29 733	29·399	29·586	29·561	−·002	S25°E	100	96·8	71·5	93·8	78·1	85·9	+0·1
		Murshidabad	Berhampore	29·691	29·388	29·556	29·571	+·011	S18°E	99	99·3	71·3	92·7	77·6	85·2	−0·3
		Jessore	Jessore	29·746	29·467	29·600	29·580	+·011	S23°E	105	97·0	71·3	92·1	77·5	84·8	0·4
		Khulna	.....													
North Bengal.	Rajshahi	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	29·698	29·368	29·564	29·533	+·030	S14°E	e31	98·1	69·1	90 8	77·3	84 1	−0·3
		Dinajpur	Dinajpur	29·659	29·358	29·528	29·503	+·026	N85°E	95	94·8	69·8	88 6	75·9	82·3	−1·4
		Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	29·800	29·196	29 375	29·516	+·007	S77°E	33	93·9	73·1	89·0	75·6	82·4	+0·8
		Darjeeling	Darjeeling	23·042	23·638	23·938	—	+·003	S68°E	60	68·7	51·6	69·1	55·3	60·2	−0·5
		Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	29·647	29·333	29·515	29 027	—	S43°E	58	91·9	73·1	87 6	76·2	81·9	—
		Rangpur	Rangpur	29·677	29·356	29·542	29·619	+·029	S87°E	78	93·7	70·8	88·1	75·1	81·6	−0·5
		Bogra	Bogra	29·738	29·394	29·583	29·596	+·022	S72°E	97	94·2	71·7	88 4	76·1	82·3	−1·3
		Pabna	Sirajganj	29·763	29·405	29·610	29·608	+·038	S28°E	47	93·3	73·7	84·1	76·1	83·1	−0·8
East Bengal.	Dacca	Dacca	Narayanganj	29·771	29·418	29·042	29·616	+·038	S43°E	162	98·1	73·2	89·1	77·3	83 2	−0·3
		Mymensingh	Mymensingh	29·767	29·418	29·020	29·631	+·018	S36°E	94	92·2	71·1	86·1	75·7	81·0	−1·2
		Faridpur	Faridpur	29·746	29·410	29·613	29·605	+·010	S28°E	117	95·3	71·9	80·7	77·2	83·5	+0·2
		Backergunge	Barisal	29·785	29·477	29·651	29 609	+·017	S 6°E	118	96·3	73·6	89·6	77·5	83·6	+0·1
	Chittagong	Tippera	Comilla	29·706	29·460	29·661	29·635	+·026	S2°E	188	93·8	70·8	87·3	75·9	81·6	−0·8
		Noakhali	Noakhali	29 769	29·445	29 637	29·637	−·003	S41°E	175	92·2	69·9	87·7	77·3	82·5	+0·5
		Chittagong	Chittagong	29·728	29·419	29·602	29·636	+·005	S32°E	a206	91·5	71·1	87·8	76·8	82·3	+0·7
		Chittagong Hill Tracts	.....													
Bihar.	Patna	Patna	Bankipore	29·760	29·254	29·423	29·557	+·020	N81°E	238	108·0	73·3	93·7	78·8	87 3	−1 0
		Gaya	Gaya	29 813	29·072	29·2.8	29·531	+·006	N60°E	103	111·3	71·9	101 3	a1·4	91 3	+1·4
		Shahabad	Dehri	29·836	29·086	29·136	29 527	+·010	S66°E	154	110·9	73·0	101 9	81·0	91·5	+1·7
			Buxar	29·673	29·198	29·345	29·534	+ 018	S81°E	150	107·0	73·1	99·3	79·5	89·4	+0·6
			Arrah	29·588	29·249	29·410	29 550	+·015	N66°E	135	105·0	74·1	98·0	79·6	88·9	+0·2
	Patna	Saran	Chapra	29·683	29·336	29·514	29 547	−·004	S77°E	137	103·4	74·1	96 7	78·9	87 8	+0·1
		Champaran	Motihari	29·647	29·196	29·369	29·560	+·010	N85°E	146	99·4	69·9	90·4	78·8	83·1	−3·4
		Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	29·676	29·234	29·431	29·592	+·004	E	137	98 7	67·2	90·3	76 9	83·6	—
		Darbhanga	Darbhanga	29·649	29·251	e29·450	e29·586	+·022	S70°E	104	95·3	69 4	89·6	77·5	83·5	−3·5
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr	.....													
		Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	29·808	29·288	29·484	29·566	+·031	?	?	99·3	69 6	92·2	77·2	84·7	−0 8
		Purnea	Purnea	29·685	29·345	29·514	29·592	+·025	S35°E	94	96·2	69·6	90 4	a76 6	a83 5	−1 2
		Malda	Malda	29·678	29·369	29·536	29·580	−·015	S70°E	a154	97·1	71·5	90·8	76·8	83·8	−1·9
		Santhal Parganas	Naya Dumka	29·748	29·408	29·125	29·568	+·034	S58°E	a118	101·0	70·4	93·6	77·6	85·6	−0·8
Orissa.	Orissa	Cuttack	Cuttack	29·633	29·424	29·560	29·582	+·026	S45°W	100	103·4	73·3	98·1	79·8	88 0	+0·5
			False Point	29·728	29·479	29·623	29·585	+·021	S41°W	a313	100·5	73·1	91·3	79·7	85·5	+1·3
		Balasore	Balasore	29·694	29·427	29·578	29·569	+·015	S30°W	182	105·5	68·9	94·3	78·8	86·6	—
		Puri	Puri	29·738	29·492	29 630	29·591	+·015	S48°W	483	94·2	74 1	89·5	81·5	85·5	+0·9
			Gopalpur	29·755	29·503	29·638	29·608	+·031	S25°W	483	96·2	73·5	90 6	80·9	85·7	
Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh	27·715	27·463	27·615	29·540	+·016	S32°W	305	104·6	71·6	98·4	76·7	86·6	+3·4
		Ranchi	Ranchi	27·808	27·350	27·509	29·549	+ 011	S31°W	228	104 2	69·6	96·0	76·3	86·2	+3·3
		Palamau	Daltonganj	26·040	28·735	25·884	29·525	—	S59°W	115	113·6	74·0	104·3	81·3	92·8	—
		Manbhum	Purulia	28 911	28·634	28·789	29 542	—	S15°E	154	107·2	73·4	98 0	77·9	88·0	—
		Singhbhum	Chaibassa	28·986	28·690	28·845	29·544	+·014	S67°W	34	107·7	73·5	97 3	78 4	87·9	+0·3
Assam.	.....	Dibrugarh	Dibrugarh	29·643	29·403	29·554	29·667	—	N14°W	29	98·7	69 0	86·9	72 5	80·1	—
		Sibsagar	Sibsagar	29·607	29·313	29·304	29·633	+·013	N43°E	46	98·3	73 0	87·1	75·8	81·9	−1·4
		Tezpur	Tezpur	29·670	29·393	29·434	29·648	—	S67°E	73	97·2	73·4	88 0	75·8	81·9	—
		Kamrup	Gauhati	29·633	29·309	29·467	29·646	—	N51°E	30	94·0	74·0	87·8	75·8	81·7	—
		Goalpara	Dhubri	29·685	29·363	29 544	29·624	+·015	S87°E	130	91·7	71·7	85·9	75·2	80·5	−0·5
		Cachar	Silchar	29·724	29·435	29 609	29 602	+ 010	S45°E	47	97·6	72·6	88 8	76·2	82·4	−0·5
		Khasi and Jaintia Hills.	Shillong	25·115	24·830	25·007	—	—	S48°W	60	75 8	59·0	71 5	61 4	67·1	—
			Cherrapunji	25·660	25·393	25·532	—	—	S24°W	214	78·8	61·3	71·4	64·8	67·6	

(a) Mean of 29 days. | (d) Mean of 17 days

Bengal for the month of June 1903.

VATIONS.					DISTRICT OBSERVATIONS.										
HUMIDITY.		CLOUD.			RAINFALL—										
					If month,					Since 16th of May 1903.					
Mean, 8 A.M.	Variation from normal mean.	Mean cloud amount, 8 A.M.	Variation from normal mean, 8 A.M.	Rainfall.	Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Mean of district	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	DISTRICT.
81	+1	8·6	+1·2	8·98	7·60	10·15	−2·46	11·00	11·90	10 14	13 12	−2·98	13·40	15 17	Burdwan.
80	—	4·7	—	7 84											
					6·86	11 30	−4·44	10 36	13·22	8 75	14 08	−5·33	13 09	15·57	Birbhum.
		4·7	—	8·92	6·07	10 83	−4·76	9·20	11·86	8·18	13·58	−5·40	1. 60	15·02	Bankura.
79	—				7 46	10·25	−2 79	10·88	11·75	19 14	15 21	−3 07	13 76	15·87	Midnapore.
79	—	3·3	—	7·35	9·04	10 36	−1·31	11·00	13 15	13·08	13 43	−0·35	14·33	15·97	Hooghly.
					10·08	10·93	−0 27	11·00	13·17	13 61	13 80	−1·19	13 38	16·85	Howrah.
83	−5	6·7	−1·2	10·22	8·99	10 89	−1 90	13·57	13·50	11·21	13 59	−2·38	13·36	16 54	24-Parganas
					10·70	11 04	−0·34	11·00	13·38	11·93	13 99	−2·06	13 00	16 56	Calcutta.
83	−1	6 6	−0·9	10·70	10·33	9 99	+0·34	14·80	13·52	13·17	13·70	−0 53	13 80	17·16	Nadia.
87	—	6 6	—	10·48	11 21	10·14	+1·07	11·85	11·92	14 30	13 38	−0·92	16·26	16·11	Murshidabad.
87	+5	5·2	−0·1	9·11	14·89	11 89	+3·00	15·00	13 73	17·30	13 46	+1·33	20·00	18 33	Jessore.
86	+1	7·3	−1·4	13·79	13 63	13 76	−0·13	13·40	14 38	14 63	16·24	−1·61	17·20	13 56	Khulna.
85	—	5·6	—	10·40	10·09	10 51	+0·18	12·33	11·99	13·20	14·26	−0·46	15·23	16 59	Rajshahi.
89	—	6·3	—	15·94	13·43	13·78	−1 35	14·40	13 89	14·76	17·05	−2·29	19·06	14 77	Dinajpur.
87	—	5 1	—	27·61	29·05	26 66	+2·39	16·83	13 47	34·93	35·04	−0·71	25·20	25 61	Jalpaiguri.
94	+1	?	?	34 85	27·13	23 50	+4 53	21·00	19·03	31·24	28·29	+2·95	28·17	27 46	Darjeeling.
90	—	7·5	—	30·16	33·18	27 44	+6 46	15·20	17 91	46·61	36 02	+6·99	25·00	25 91	Cooch Behar.
90	—	7·8	—	19·58	23·23	17 06	+6·22	17·23	14·11	29·10	23 61	+4 49	23 63	20·42	Rangpur.
88	—	5·3	—	17·66	17·57	13·03	+4·54	13·75	13·39	19 86	17·05	+2·81	19·15	16·71	Bogra.
90	—	5·4	—	13·67	11·11	11 49	−0·38	13·00	13·63	13·16	15 93	−2·75	13 50	13 69	Patna.
91	+3	7·3	−0·8	13·69	16 83	13·04	+3·88	13·00	13·09	20·08	18·17	+1·91	23·40	20·56	Dacca.
90	—	9·1	—	35·64	27·11	17·90	+9·21	19 88	15·37	33·94	24 90	+8·14	26·38	21·79	Mymensingh.
89	—	6·4	—	10·78	12·27	13 37	−0·10	14·00	14·50	16·37	16·94	−0·27	19·00	19·27	Faridpur.
88	—	5·8	—	16·05	14·69	17·37	−2·68	13·29	10·76	17·19	22·38	−5·99	23·15	21 63	Backergunge.
89	—	7·4	—	29 29	18·81	14·68	+4·13	13·25	14·68	24·48	20·29	+4 19	22·96	20·27	Tippera.
86	—	5·7	—	28·17	24·27	23 20	+2·07	19·00	17·41	26·76	23 86	−1·09	21·50	21 96	Noakhali.
84	−4	5 5	−0 5	13·40	16 45	23·56	−5 11	17·29	17·76	20·9	20 71	−0·72	20 85	23·57	Chittagong.
					21·21	19 89	+1·32	20·00	19·87	24 51	26 99	−2 48	21·50	25·39	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
77	+4	4·8	−1·4	2·80	2·94	7 71	−4·77	5 33	7·89	3·20	6·95	−3·68	6·00	9·32	Patna.
77	+10	3·9	+1·6	2·97	2·60	6·53	−3·93	6·00	7 60	2·98	7·26	−4 48	6·03	8 61	Gaya
69	—	6·5	—	3·78											
69	—	4·2	—	4·76	3 59	6 45	−2·86	6·00	7 08	3·75	6·43	−2·68	6 45	8 80	Shahabad.
73	—	3·4	—	2 47											
(c)75	—	5·2	—	2·51	5·83	7·91	−2 08	5·33	7 49	6·41	8·71	−2·30	6·33	8·94	Saran.
86	—	5 6	—	11·37	13 37	9 34	+4·03	12 30	9·46	14 30	10·91	+3·39	14 50	11·99	Champaran.
86	—	5·3	—	8·71	7·74	7 41	+0·33	7·86	7·82	8·53	8·25	−0·72	9·00	9·35	Muzaffarpur.
88	+6	6 5	+1·1	13·08	10·84	7·47	+3·37	12·00	8·14	11·20	8 89	+2·41	13·00	10·03	Darbhanga.
					5·08	7·62	−2 59	8·20	8·55	5·49	8 85	−3·36	9·30	10·34	Monghyr.
84	—	6·7	—	6·73	9·51	8 31	+1 17	11·38	9·35	10 39	10·40	−0·02	13 00	11 94	Bhagalpur.
87	+1	6·6	0	11·39	11 93	13 69	−0 66	11·30	13·09	13 68	16·07	−2·39	15·29	15·79	Purnea.
86	—	7·6	—	11·98	9·74	10·11	−0·37	13·75	11·73	11·56	13 69	−1 54	15·25	15·10	Malda.
81	—	8·4	—	6·17	6·46	9·71	−3·25	9·32	11·76	7 58	11 35	−3 77	11·38	14 14	Santhal Parganas.
79	+5	6·9	+0 5	6·44	7·61	9·71	−2·10	8·13	10·39	9·66	12·97	−3·32	10·96	13·16	Cuttack
80	−4	7·3	+0 6	11·69											
77	—	5·0	—	7·68	7·76	9·10	−1·34	10·50	10·39	9·67	13·25	−3·58	13·33	14 11	Balasore.
86	—	6 6	—	4·31	5 38	8·22	−2·84	7·17	9·21	7·13	10·25	−3·13	9·00	11 31	Puri.
85	—	4·3	—	4·68											
86	−2	7·1	+0·1	3·40	3·26	8·43	−5·17	6·07	9·83	6 42	9·70	−3·28	9·00	11 93	Hazaribagh.
89	—	4·1	—	5·78	4 40	9 64	−5·24	8·00	11 26	6·33	10·25	−4·13	10·67	13·08	Ranchi.
89	—	3·6	—	3·60	2·80	6 80	−4·00	6·00	7·98	3·46	7·86	−4·19	7 38	9 37	Palamau.
78	—	4·3	—	6 93	5·70	9·50	−3·80	8·71	11·01	6 71	11·39	−4·68	9·79	13·68	Manbhum.
77	—	4·5	—	8·02	9·13	10·57	−1·43	10·60	11·96	11 46	13·07	−1·25	13 40	13 49	Singhbhum.
92	—	7·6	—	21·34											Dibrugarh.
88	+8	8·3	+0·8	30·14											Sibsagar.
91	—	7·7	—	14·16											Tezpur.
90	—	8·9	—	16 26											Kamrup.
91	+1	8·4	+1·0	30·11											Goalpara.
90	+9	8·6	+0·8	20 58											Cachar.
97	—	9·1	—	23·01											Khasi and Jaintia Hills.
96	—	9·3	—	109·77											

(c) Mean of 27 days.

Table of Rainfall recorded at statio

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL.	Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	Kalna ...	0·94	...	...	0·40	...	...	0·71	0·34	...	...	...	...	2·76	...	1·16	1·82	...	...	0·09	0·02
			Burdwan ...	...	...	0·05	...	1·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·38	...	...	1·69	1·56	0·75	0·04	0·01
			Katwa ...	0·18	...	0·13	...	1·63	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	0·39	...	0·44	0·35
			Raniganj ...	...	...	0·34	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	0·61	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	2·38	0·69	0·03	0·50
			Mankur ...	...	...	0·12	...	0·51	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	0·24	...	0·26	...	...
		Birbhum ...	Suri ...	...	...	0·01	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	0·08	0·15	...	...	0·30
			Hetampur ...	...	...	0·21	...	0·23	...	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	0·15	0·88	0·07	0·24	...
			Rampur Hat	0·06	...	0·31	0·14	1·40	...	...	0·74	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·34	...	0·19	0·86	0·06	1·70	...
			Bolpur ...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	0·23	0·22	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	0·41	0·12	0·40	0·04
			Murari ...	1·70	0·60	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	0·92	1·60	...
			Labpur ...	...	...	...	0·23	0·44	...	...	1·15	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·15	...	0·15	0·15	0·12	0·45	0·16
		Bankura ...	Bankura ...	...	...	0·06	0·03	0·04	...	0·08	...	...	0·91	0·75	...	...	2·75	...	...	...	...	0·05	...
			Vishnupur ...	...	...	0·37	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·66	...	...	0·04	...	1·18	...	...	...	...
			Maliara ...	...	...	0·53	...	0·19	...	0·10	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·53	1·43	...	0·20
			Khatra ...	...	...	...	0·96	0·08	...	...	...	...	2·20	0·71	...	...	0·91	...	0·27	...	...	...	...
			Indas ...	...	...	0·50	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	0·20	0·35	...	0·13
			Kotalpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Onda ...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	...	0·65	...	0·35	...	...	0·65	...	0·15	...	...	...	...
			Gangajalghati	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·34	0·37	...	...	0·23	...	...	0·86	...	0·38	0·54
			Raipur ...	...	...	...	0·73	...	...	...	...	...	1·23	0·51	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	0·22
			Sonamukhi ...	...	...	...	...	0·89	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	0·24
		Midnapore ...	Contai ...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·09	0·16	...	...	...	...	1·28	...	...	0·68	0·24
			Tamluk ...	...	...	0·33	...	0·46	...	0·79	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	0·09	...
			Midnapore ...	...	...	...	...	0·69	...	0·10	...	...	0·61	1·46	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·51	...	0·14	0·35
			Ghatal ...	...	...	0·90	0·27	1·27	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·36	...	...	0·47	...	...	...
			Kukrahaty ...	...	...	0·17	...	0·54	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	0·08	...	0·41	...	...	0·26	...
			Garhbeta ...	...	...	0·18	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·60	...	0·32	...	1·33	...	...	...	...	0·32
			Panskura ...	...	...	0·09	1·09	0·12	...	...	...	...	0.32	...	...	2·40	...	...	0·42	0·10	...	0·24	...
			Dantan ...	...	0·03	...	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	1·04	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·33	0·40
		Hooghly ...	Serampore ...	...	...	0·23	0·73	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·38	1·08	...	0·46	...
			Hooghly ...	...	...	...	0·26	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	1·09	...	0·12	...
			Arambagh (Jahanabad).	...	...	0·80	...	1·18	0·01	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	0·08
		Howrah ...	Howrah ...	...	...	...	...	1·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	2·18	0·06	0·24	...	...
			Mohesreka ...	...	...	0·30	0·05	1·09	0·02	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·06	...	0·95	0·18	...	0·15	...
			Ulubaria ...	...	...	0·42	...	1·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·55	0·59	...	0·90	...
			Amta ...	...	...	0·22	0·01	0·81	...	0·11	...	...	0·11	...	...	0·05	...	...	0·27	0·14	...	...	...
	Presidency.	24-Parganas ...	Saugor Island	...	...	0·02	...	0·53	...	...	...	...	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	1·15	...	...	0·40	0·70
			Diamond Harbour.	...	...	0·44	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	0·30	...	...	0·40	...
			Budge-Budge	...	...	0·46	...	1·40	...	...	0·34	...	...	...	...	0·32	0·03	...	1·16	0·09	...	1·68	...
			Canning Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·67	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·15	...	1·71	0·09	...	0·30	...
			Alipore (Obsy.)	...	...	0·01	...	1·21	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	2·55	0·26	...	0·07	0·13
			Barrackpore...	...	...	...	0·72	0·53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·09	0·92	...	0·34	...
			Dum-Dum ...	...	...	...	0·96	3·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·57	0·09	...	0·80	...
			Barasat ...	...	...	...	0·05	1·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·70	...	0·40	...
			Basirhat ...	0·21	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	0·14	0·59	...
		Nadia ...	Ranaghat ...	1·18	...	1·10	...	1·70	...	1·50	...	...	...	...	...	2·70	...	0·12	0·71	1·72	...	0·30	0·06
			Krishnagar ...	0·66	...	0·02	...	0·72	...	0·41	...	...	0·41	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·64	1·42	...	0·22	0·23
			Chuadanga ...	0·25	...	0·62	...	0·25	...	...	0·06	0·13	...	...	0·93	0·11	...	0·19	0·59	2·11	...	0·63	0·09
			Meherpur ...	1·74	...	0·48	...	0·12	...	...	0·06	0·14	...	...	0·54	0·02	...	...	0·45	1·08	...	1·08	0·15
			Kushtia ...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·22	0·07	...	0·45	...	1·22	...	...	...	0·60	1·70	...	1·01	0·12
		Murshidabad	Kandi ...	1·20	...	0·22	...	1·81	0·03	...	0·75	...	...	...	0·01	0·01	0·11	...	0·34	0·44	...	0·60	0·06
			Berhampore...	0·32	...	0·46	...	0·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	1·18	...	0·76	0·56	...	1·21	0·09
			Lalbagh ...	...	...	0·55	0·06	1·25	...	...	1·80	...	...	...	...	...	0·78	2·75	2·40	0·05	...	3·00	...
			Azimganj ...	0·19	...	0·16	0·10	0·53	...	...	1·78	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	1·95	0·32	0·03	1·27	...
			Jangipur ...	0·47	...	0·03	0·15	0·40	...	...	...	...	1·16	...	...	...	1·74	...	0·55	1·27	4·50	0·86	0·04
			Lalgola ...	...	...	1·40	0·50	0·55	1·42	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·05	...	...	...	0·55	1·02	0·35	0·72	...
			Akriganj ...	0·40	...	...	0·90	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·56	2·18	0·77	1·34	...	1·37
			Patkabari ...																				
			Dumkal ...	...	...	0·24	...	0·48	...	...	0·42	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·35	1·00	...	1·60	...
		Jessore ...	Narail ...	0·36	2·14	0·01	1·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·03	0·03	...	1·33	1·76	0·23	2·24	0·08	...
			Jessore ...	0·63	...	1·77	...	1·36	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	3·71	0·64	0·25	0·57	0·64
			Jhenida ...	0·50	0·22	...	0·43	0·35	...	0·56	1·25	3·50	...	1·70	0·20	...	...	...	1·22	1·37	...	1·54	...
			Magura ...	0·06	...	0·37	...	0·53	...	0·02	0·18	0·29	...	...	2·86	...	0·02	...	1·80	0·23	...	1·71	0·01
			Bangaon ...	0·41	...	0·21	...	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·07	...	...	...	0·40	...	0·12	0·40	0·14
		Khulna ...	Satkhira ...	...	0·30	0·40	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·15	0·23	1·30	0·78	...
			Bagerhat ...	0·23	...	...	0·09	0·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·78	...	...	0·05	2·80	...	0·45	1·87	...
			Khulna ...	0·31	...	0·27	...	1·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	1·26	...	...	2·70	0·20	0·90	0·65	1·84
			Kaliganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	...	...	...	...	2·36	0·68	0·23
			Nakipur ...	...	...	...	...	0·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·26	0·17
			Dumuria ...	0·03	0·50	...	...	1·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·32	0·10	...	...	1·66	0·31	0·59	1·00	0·87
			Rampal ...	...	...	0·03	1·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·47	0·50	...	...	4·05	...	0·39	0·70	0·15	0·05
			Kalaroa ...	1·90	...	...	...	0·33	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·28	1·87	0·01	0·28	0·04
			Paikgacha ...	1·55	...	...	...	0·53	...	0·57	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	0·95	0·85	1·50	0·80	...
			Mollahat ...	2·32	...	2·62	0·02	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	...	0·02	...	2·72	0·03	0·10	6·48	0·42
			Morelganj ...	0·41	...	...	0·11	0·21	...	...	1·43	...	...	...	3·04	...	...	0·30	1·50	...	0·05	3·38	1·06
			Tala ...	0·91	...	0·04	0·02	0·84	1·31	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	1·48	0·17	1·38	1·17	0·30
NORTH BENGAL.	Rajshahi.	Rajshahi ...	Boalia ...	0·06	0·10	0·52	0·02	1·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	2·42	0·42	0·09	2·73	0·07
			Nator ...	...	...	0·66	...	0·63	...	0·40	...	0·05	0·02	...	...	1·11	...	...	1·50	0·72	0·33	1·62	0·33
			Naugaon ...	0·67	0·52	0·85	0·33	...	0·29	...	0·40	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·38	1·91	1·66	3·51	0·15
			Lalpur ...	0·42	...	1·20	0·04	0·83	...	0·12	...	0·07	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	0·70	0·16	1·50	0·05
			Manda ...	...	1·26	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·36	1·20	2·40	0·07	0·80	0·70
			Mahadebpur	0·24	...	0·83	0·68	0·10	0·96	0·02	1·38	...	0·56	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	2·10	1·64	1·45	0·42
			Tanor ...								...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
		Dinajpur ...	*Nithpur* ...	1·25	...	0·28	0·09	...	0·20	...	...	0·14	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	0·62	0·91	0·60	1·02	0·77
			Nawabganj ...	0·78	...	2·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Not recorded.		
			Gangarampur	0·16	0·30	0·09	0·10	0·02	...	...	...	3·60	...	1·35	...	1·30	...	...	1·48	...	...	0·70	1·06
			Churaman ...	...	0·72	0·24	0·27	0·04	0·07	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	0·85	...	...	0·30	...	0·09	0·12	0·93
			Raiganj ...	...	0·71	0·18	0·38	0·36	0·08	...	...	0·63	...	0·30	...	0·67	...	0·08	0·03	...	...	0·90	1·37
			Dinajpur ...	...	0·57	0·45	0·45	0·80	...	...	...	1·36	0·06	1·36	...	2·72	...	...	0·87	0·01	...	0·06	1·48
			Balurghat ...	0·26	0·48	2·63	0·21	...	0·64	...	...	0·46	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	0·13	2·06	0·33	0·15	0·61
			Thakurgaon ...	...	0·43	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	1·25	...	1·73	...	2·54	1·43	...	...	...	...	1·52	0·32
			Ratabganj ...	...	1·50	0·28	...	1·73	...	...	...	1·40	...	1·30	0·70	3·30	...	0·90	0·22	...	0·30	...	1·10
			Ramganj ...	...	0·56	0·13	...	0·09	0·01	...	...	0·14	...	3·40	...	5·48	...	2·76	...	...	...	0·35	2·67
			Atwari ...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	...	...	0·22	0·61	1·33	...	0·40	...	1·80	...	...	0·81	0·11	...
			Birganj ...	...	0·57	0·19	...	0·87	0·01	...	...	0·82	...	2·13	...	4·95	...	0·52	0·10	...	0·11	0·57	0·95
			Parbatipur ...	...	0·38	0·17	...	0·95	0·01	...	...	0·10	0·25	2·90	...	0·22	...	...	0·23	...	...	0·41	1·59

Bengal in June 1903.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 30th June 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 30th June.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
...	...	...	0·61	0·07	0·56	1·38	0·62	0·16	1·02	13	11·18	12·56	9·98	2·76	15·33	13·02	Kalna ...	Burdwan.	Burdwan.	South-West Bengal.
...	...	...	0·23	...	1·05	0·48	0·34	0·10	0·19	11	12·71	5·98	10·16	1·62	12·14	13·45	Burdwan.			
...	...	...	0·46	0·22	0·08	0·26	0·56	...	0·05	10	11·70	4·68	9·99	1·63	8·80	12·89	Katwa.			
0·07	...	...	...	...	0·99	0·63	0·06	0·33	0·14	11	12·21	7·24	9·98	2·28	8·25	12·42	Raniganj.			
...	...	...	...	0·13	...	0·11	1·30	...	1·01	10	11·73	5·00	10·70	1·61	6·70	13·86	Mankur.			
...	...	...	0·02	0·81	...	1·53	0·47	...	0·37	8	12·12	4·29	13·40	1·53	5·81	17·26	Suri ...	Birbhum.		
...	...	...	0·19	0·31	...	1·61	0·42	...	...	11	12·08	5·12	10·68	1·61	6·07	13·08	Hetampur			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	1·55	...	0·48	11	12·07	8·07	10·62	1·70	10·79	12·98	Rampur Hât.			
...	...	...	...	0·05	0·25	0·75	3·38	...	1·04	12	11·40	7·67	10·30	3·38	9·37	13·58	Bolpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·06					12·92		11·40			14·17	Murari.			
...	...	...	0·07	0·01	0·37	0·89	4·02	0·18	...	13	12·71	8·61	11·41	4·02	10·69	13·45	Labpur			
0·07	...	...	...	...	0·95	0·54	0·78	0·09	1·22	8	11·80	8· 2	10·32	2·75	10·47	12·65	Bankura ..	Bankura.		
...	...	...	0·18	...	0·80	0·90	0·95	0·18	0·04	8	12·24	4·60	11·17	1·18	5·51	14·18	Vishnupur			
...	...	...	...	...	1·93	1·50	1·00	1·17	...	11	12·10	8·77	10·19	1·93	9·68	12·37	Maliara			
0·23	1·37	...	...	...	0·25	0·26	0·05	0·12	0·27	11	13·71	7·73	12·87	2·20	9·22	15·00	Khatra			
...	...	...	1·30	0·10	0·25	2·05	0·12	0·15	0·04	12	12·50	6·17	10·43	2·05	7·47	14·04	Indas.			
...	...	...	0·50	0·23	1·10	...	0·71	0·70	0·12	6	10·88	3·36	10·73	1·10	6·70	13·22	Kotalpur.			
...	...	...	...	0·10	1·54	0·18	0·40	...	...	9	11·19	4·61	9·80	1·54	7·36	11·99	Onda.			
...	...	...	...	...	1·22	1·24	0·38	0·28	...	11	10·63	6·94	11·35	1·24	7·75	13·94	Gangajalghati.			
...	0·75	...	...	...	0·42	...	1·28	...	...	8	11·67	5·63	11·44	1·28	11·70	15·25	Raipur.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·95	0·18	0·25	0·28	0·62	6	10·81	3·07	10·54	0·95	6·06	13·21	Sonamukhi.			
...	...	...	0·72	0·49	0·96	1·06	0·68	...	...	11	10·77	7·48	9·78	1·28	9·96	12·70	Contai ...	Midnapore.		
...	...	...	1·00	0·08	0·99	1·46	1·37	...	0·29	12	11·17	8·32	9·76	1·46	11·44	12·63	Tamluk.			
0·19	...	...	0·12	0·06	1·06	2·07	0·51	...	0·02	12	12·00	7·98	10·51	2·07	9·80	13·07	Midnapore.			
...	...	...	0·22	0·24	2·76	1·70	0·52	0·04	0·26	12	11·88	6·36	10·04	2·76	13·77	12·65	Ghatal			
0·07	...	...	0·24	0·41	1·51	0·36	0·71	0·23	...	11	12·15	5·65	10·12	1·51	7·37	13·80	Kukrahaty.			
...	...	...	...	0·71	...	1·10	0·55	0·65	...	11	11·27	7·45	11·18	1·32	11·34	14·58	Garhbeta.			
0·03	...	...	0·28	0·15	0·36	0·07	0·65	0·06	0·03	11	12·80	6·11	10·79	2·40	9·71	13·84	Panskura			
...	...	...	0·05	1·20	1·65		0·07	..	...	7	11·25	7·31	9·62	1·65	7·71	12·55	Dantan.			
...	...	...	0·14	0·06	1·38	1·48	1·28	0·34	2·02	12	12·18	11·61	9·96	2·28	14·64	12·67	Serampore	Hooghly.		
...	...	...	1·00	...	0·75	0·60	0·86	1·06	0·95	11	12·16	7·27	10·82	1·06	10·35	14·20	Hooghly.			
...	...	...	0·35	...	1·37	0·09	1·03	0·94	0·76	10	12·15	6·05	10·31	1·37	14·47	13·24	*Arambagh* (Jahanabad).			
...	...	0·73	...	0·43	0·73	3·96	0·28	0·05	1·25	9	12·65	11·31	11·41	3·96	13·08	14·01	Howrah ...	Howrah.		
...	...	...	0·97	0·48	2·53	0·85	2·27	0·61	0·19	12	12·81	10·96	10·10	2·53	13·65	13·06	Mohesreka			
...	...	...	0·68	0·63	0·33	1·45	0·70	0·45	0·50	12	14·30	9·72	11·29	1·58	13·71	14·33	Uluberia			
...	...	...	1·11	0·24	1·66	0·46	1·44	1·30	1·73	13	?	9·60	?	1·73	13·43	?	*Amta.*			
0·08	...	...	0·50	3·95	1·07	0·28	1·40	0·11	...	10	12·10	10·22	10·74	3·98	13·08	13·49	Saugor Island	24-Parganas.	Presidency.	
...	...	...	0·40	0·27	0·80	0·64	0·87	0·25	...	10	11·97	4·48	10·39	0·87	5·87	13·18	Diamond Harbour.			
...	...	...	0·69	0·29	0·28	1·25	0·87	0·50	0·34	13	?	6·60	?	1·08	12·34	?	*Budge-Budge.*			
0·75	...	0·15	...	0·84	1·21	0·11	1·04	0·30	...	12	13·53	7·34	11·72	1·71	10·30	15·14	Canning Town			
0·01	...	...	0·29	0·35	0·88	3·59	0·31	0·35	0·54	11	12·88	10·70	11·04	3·59	11·98	13·99	Alipore (Obsy).			
...	...	...	...	...	1·34	1·71	0·96	0·29	1·31	10	12·00	10·40	10·39	2·09	13·06	13·11	Barrackpore.			
...	...	...	1·41	0·14	0·24	3·40	0·14	0·14	1·72	11	12·34	15·73	11·95	3·82	10·83	14·11	Dum-Dum.			
0·22	...	...	0·05	0·31	0·48	3·06	0·27	0·23	0·91	11	12·36	8·26	10·28	3·06	9·89	13·17	Barasat.			
0·07	...	...	0·09	0·36	0·52	[illegible]	0·82	0·20	3·16	10	13·19	6·85	11·66	3·16	9·45	15·02	Basirhat.			
...	...	...	0·62	0·05	0·16	0·20	0·25	0·12	0·75	15	12·10	13·20	9·73	2·70	14·19	13·18	Ranaghat ...	Nadia.		
...	...	...	1·45	0·81	0·11	1·07	0·68	0·04	1·79	14	12·19	10·42	9·85	1·79	14·06	13·65	Krishnagar.			
...	...	...	0·67	0·53	0·22	0·39	0·08	0·23	0·21	16	12·35	8·41	9·50	2·11	12·23	13·61	Chuadanga.			
...	...	...	0·48	0·19	0·56	0·84	0·40	0·16	0·10	16	12·30	8·34	10·02	1·74	11·29	13·45	Meherpur			
...	...	...	0·67	...	1·54	1·70	0·90	0·18	...	13	13·58	11·16	10·83	1·82	14·10	15·20	Kushtia			
...	...	...	0·02	0·14	0·28	0·22	2·20	...	0·03	12	12·69	9·09	10·24	2·20	12·24	13·88	Kandi	Murshidabad		
...	...	...	0·21	...	0·21	1·39	1·32	0·45	0·15	14	12·00	9·11	9·76	1·39	11·10	12·96	Berhampore			
...	...	...	1·12	...	1·20	1·00	1·48	...	0·90	12	11·52	17·47	9·21	2·75	23·13	12·55	Lalbagh			
...	...	...	...	...	...	2·12	2·02	...	...	11	11·52	12·25	9·56	2·02	13·93	12·81	Azimganj.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·48	0·70	...	...	12	11·73	15·39	9·52	4·50	14·44	12·51	Jangipur.			
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...	...	...	...	...	0·17	1·15	1·70	0·06	...	11	12·64	11·24	11·63	2·18	16·14	15·70	Akriganj.			
											11·14		10·33			13·72	Patkabari.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·24	0·80	0·11	...	10	12·16	6·67	10·00	1·60	9·09	13·96	Dumkal.			
...	...	...	1·05	0·15	...	0·08	0·40	2·28	0·08	12	13·50	15·46	11·22	2·88	18·92	14·69	Narail ...	Jessore.		
...	...	0·09	2·24	0·05	0·32	0·12	2·44	0·27	0·25	14	14·55	15·79	13·17	3·71	20·19	17·14	Jessore.			
...	...	...	1·20	0·12	0·31	1·06	2·00	0·20	...	18	14·07	18·05	11·98	3·50	21·41	15·64	Jhenidah.			
...	...	0·30	0·30	0·24	0·14	0·50	0·89	0·36	1·28	16	13·00	11·29	11·76	2·86	15·33	16·65	Magura			
...	...	...	1·80	0·40	0·52	1·06	0·59	0·46	0·89	15	12·58	10·65	10·38	2·67	12·03	13·76	Bangaon.			
...	0·74	...	...	0·53	1·74	...	1·94	...	1·67	12	13·71	11·18	[illegible]	1·94	15·05	15·04	Satkhira ..	Khulna.		
2·24	...	0·56	2·09	0·04	0·13	0·22	0·22	0·11	0·22	14	15·60	13·82	13·47	2·09	15·91	18·20	Bagerhat			
...	...	...	2·05	0·74	0·10	0·44	0·70	...	0·40	16	15·52	15·60	12·94	2·05	16·72	16·06	Khulna			
...	...	...	1·65	...	1·65	...	4·00	...	1·45	8	?	12·64	?	4·00	17·94	?	*Kaliganj.*			
...	...	1·92	1·51	0·25	...	0·95	1·21	0·27	2·03	12	11·86	10·25	12·43	2·03	11·58	15·93	Nakipur			
...	...	...	2·02	0·26	0·69	...	1·65	...	1·02	14	?	13·84	?	2·22	16·13	?	*Dumaria.*			
...	2·10	0·37	0·25	0·50	0·40	0·06	...	2·10	...	13	16·20	13·04	12·19	4·06	14·59	15·99	Rampal			
...	...	...	1·36	0·34	1·17	0·15	0·75	0·30	0·57	14	?	9·76	?	1·37	14·32	?	*Kalaroa.*			
...	...	...	2·21	...	0·44	0·23	1·74	...	2·15	12	?	12·72	?	2·21	15·63	?	*Paikgacha.*			
0·02	0·63	0·50	...	...	0·02	0·01	0·07	..	0·10	12	?	12·41	?	2·73	17·31	?	*Mollahat.*			
...	...	1·29	0·19	0·74	0·79	0·51	0·19	0·05	1·12	16	?	16·06	?	3·35	21·37	?	*Morelganj.*			
...	...	...	0·36	0·17	1·02	0·44	2·00		3·22	15	?	15·34	?	3·53	17·02	?	*Tala.*			
...	...	...	...	...	0·52	0·53	0·90	0·49	...	10	12·38	10·19	10·70	2·73	13·98	14·08	Boalia .	Rajshahi	Rajshahi.	North Bengal.
0·31	0·95	...	...	...	0·97	0·51	0·21	0·02	0·07	11	11·77	6·86	10·78	1·56	13·38	15·12	Nator			
...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·40	0·72	1·03	...	16	12·82	13·52	12·15	3·65	17·73	16·06	Naugaon.			
...	...	...	...	...	1·15	0·80	0·12	...	...	11	10·58	8·14	8·46	1·80	[illegible]	12·79	Lalpur.			
0·15	...	...	...	0·04	0·40	1·80	...	...	...	9	11·35	9·79	9·07	2·40	10·93	12·21	Manda			
...	...	...	...	...	0·85	0·41	1·30	0·14	0·62	18	12·08	12·65	11·29	2·10	15·51	14·96	Mahadebpur.			
											?		?			?	*Tanor.*			
0·23	...	...	...	...	0·68	0·89	1·00	1·18	0·32	10	?	9·72	?	1·28	10·90	?	*Nithpur* ..	Dinajpur.		
											?		?			?	*Nawabganj.*			
...	...	...	...	0·59	0·45	0·70	0·80	...	0·84	15	?	13·70	?	3·60	14·70	?	*Gangarampur*			
...	0·12	0·73	...	...	0·39	0·54	0·68	...	...	12	11·07	6·26	11·32	0·93	7·69	14·30	Churaman.			
0·30	2·55	0·04	...	0·10	1·10	1·14	3·65	...	0·79	15	[illegible]	13·13	13·95	3·65	16·14	16·76	Raiganj.			
0·14	...	0·87	0·11	...	0·14	1·34	0·75	0·02	0·05	16	13·45	18·94	16·13	5·72	19·47	20·69	Dinajpur.			
...	...	0·37	...	0·36	0·26	1·55	1·02	...	...	18	13·94	11·93	11·32	2·06	13·59	15·24	Balurghat			
0·05	5·70	0·92	...	...	...	3·00	2·12	0·08	...	11	14·31	[illegible]	16·93	3·00	19·88	21·01	Thakurgaon			
0·09	3·53	0·74	...	...	0·30	1·35	2·60	...	0·63	17	?	23·72	?	2·70	24·39	?	*Setabganj.*			
...	0·30	0·07	...	...	0·51	2·53	4·08	...	0·07	18	?	25·55	?	5·48	29·26	?	*Ramganj.*			
...	2·81	...	...	...	...	5·11	2·52	0·16	0·70	18	?	13·96	?	5·11	18·41	?	*Atwari.*			
0·20	1·69	0·31	...	...	0·75	1·79	2·18	...	...	16	?	19·63	?	4·95	20·39	?	*Birganj.*			
...	...	0·70	0·04	...	0·31	3·72	3·05	0·70	...	17	?	16·79	?	3·95	20·30	?	*Parbatipur.*			

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
NORTH BENGAL—concluded.	Rajshahi—concluded.	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri ...	...	...	...	...	1·21	...	3 00	0·34	0·02	1·00	2·26	...	0·56	...	0·58	0·57	...	0·59	1·47	0·05
			Alipur Duar	..	0·09	...	...	0·31	0·13	0·20	...	0·01	1·76	4·20	...	0·52	...	2·31	0·23	0·49	2·07	3·60	...
			Falakata ...	0·40	...	0·10	...	0 30	...	0·60	...	...	1·50	1·81	0·02	0·21	...	1·00	0·30	...	0·40	1·18	..
			Debiganj ..	...	...	0·50	...	0·00	0·52	...	...	2·69	0·05	4·36	..	1·47	...	1·51	1·09	...	...	0·52	0·32
			Bhagatpur (*Nagrakatta*).	...	0·45	...	0·22	...	...	...	0·45	1·29	0·98	0·18	0·01	...	...	2·04	0·42	...	3·25	4·95	0·30
			Baxa ..	...	...	...	2·65	0·21	0·17	...	1·40	4·02	1·03	1·33	...	1·67	0·21	0 24	1·40	0·28	5·70	5·90	0·75
			Kalchini ..	...	...	...	1·31	...	...	...	0·50	1·03	5·62	...	...	0·08	0·35	0·46	0·39	0·68	2·65	0·50	0·39
		Darjeeling ...	Siliguri ...	...	...	...		0·50	...	...	1·20	0·01	0·75	0·90	...	1·78	0·58	0·22	0·27	0·30	0·14	2·38	2·95
			Darjeeling ...	0·40	0·13	1·13	0·31	1·96		...	0·03	0·07	0·11	0·14	1·07	...	0·05	0·29	0·16	0·81	0·73	1·06	2·04
			Kalimpong ...	0·98	0·75	0·59	...	0·09	0·08	...	..	...	0·15	0·94	0·27	0·02	0·16	0·04	0·33	1·19	1 30	...	2·50
			Mongpoo ...	0·93	0·10	0·89	...	0·06	...		0·31	...	1·06	2·14	2·45	0·26	0·13	0·15	0·90	1·15	4·63	0·15	1·64
			Kurseong ...	...	0·15	0·22	1·18	0·04	1·62	0·10	0·44	0 06	1·00	2·44	...	1·13	0·86	0·73	0·62	0·41	6·74	0·21	2·15
			Pedong ...	0·05	0·85	0·19	...	0·74	0·08	0·85	0·23	...	0·24	0·55	0·32	0·24	0·26	0·13	1·12	0·56	1·20	1·81	1·66
		Tibet ...	Yatung							0·15	0·16	0·26	0·65	0·05	0·04	0·03							
		Cooch Behar	Dinhatta ...	0·39	...	1·05	...	0·17	...	...	...	3·32	4·03	4·79	...	1·09	0·09	0·03	0·09	0·06	0·41	...	...
			Cooch Behar...	...	...	0·26	...	0·48	...	0·95	...	0·29	5·38	2·25	...	0·78	0·18	5·79	1·50	...	0·05	1·49	0·08
			Mekliganj ...	..		0·11	...	0 98		...	0·06	...	0·17	1·46	...	2·68	...	3·71	0·66	...	0·02	1·47	...
			Mathabhanga	0·56	0·03	0·35	...	1·22	0·01	...	...	0·31	2·22	3·10	...	1·31	0·08	2·61	0·37	...	0·06	1·30	0·06
			Fulbari ...	0·03	0·03	0·15	...	0·23	0·18	0·01	...	0·10	6·23	4·34	...	0·86	0·06	3·52	0·62	0·01	1·02	2·76	0·01
		Rangpur ...	Bhawaniganj (*Gaibanda*).	1 06	0·00	0·38	1·15	...	...	...	...	0·00	1·48	0·67	0·19	...	1·25	...	2·55	0·44	0·82	0·30	1·08
			Rangpur ...	0·05	0·41	0·31	0·25	0·17	0·16	0·01	...	0·85	0·01	2·93	...	0·07	0·54	...	1·02	0 18	0·24	0·10	0·39
			Peerganj ...	0·43	0·27	0·46	...	0·12	...	...	0 69	0·15	2·30	..	...	1·62	...	0·60	0·23	...	0·33	0·30	0·37
			Kurigaon	0·37	1·25	...		...	...	...	...	1·54	...	1·53	00·3	...		1·70	1·70	...	3·35	..	0·31
			Gobindganj ...	...	...	1·35	0·67		0·53	...	...	0·44	1·57	2·00	...	...	0·41	...	2·00	2·21	...	0·69	0·22
			Bagdogra (*Nilphamari*).	...	0·10	0·32	...	2·26	...	...	...	1·30	...	2·42	...	1·23	...	...	1·70	...	...	0·23	1·84
			Ulipur ...	2·60	0·42	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·88	0·45	2·53	...	1·05	2·65	...	2·95	0·35	0·53	0·23	0·08
			Sunderganj ...	1·00	0·15	...	...		...	...	...	...	0·32	2·75	...	0 25	2·36		4·25	...	...	1·41	0 50
			Saidpur	...	1·10	...	0·15	2·00	...	...	...	0·60	...	4·00	...	...	...	0 45	0·40	...	...	0·13	0·60
		Bogra .	Sherpur ...	1·07	...	0·77	0·60	...	1·18	...	...	...	1·79	0·81	0·16	...	...	...	2·56	1·25	2·21	0·45	1·06
			Nowkhilla ..	1·00	...	0·18	0·04	..	1·50	...		...	0·56	2·30	0·86	...	...	...	1·20	2·50	2·00	1·11	2·00
			Bogra ...	0·48	0·18	0·16	...	...	0·55	...	0·05	0·08	1·20	0·58	0·02	...	...	0·02	0·69	1·28	3·52	1·55	1·57
			Panchbibi ..	0·20	0·40	0·71	...	...	0·90	...	0·10	0·30	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	1·26	3·64	0 12	0 02	0·06
		Pabna .	Pabna ..	0·04	...	0 34	...	...	0·54	0·57	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·62	...	...	0·51	0·65	0·24	2·23	0·08
			Sirajganj ..	0·25	...	0·70	...	...		...	...	0·43	0·72	1·07	0·12	...	...	...	2·14	0·38	0 44	1·27	0·28
EAST BENGAL.	Dacca.	Dacca ..	Munshiganj...	2·03	0·06	1·26	0·10	0·22	...	0·07	0·06	..	0·40	...	0·11	0·08	0·04	...	1·76	1·46	0·39	2 33	1·28
			Dacca	0 42	...	2·79	...	1·96	...	...	...	0·19	0·38	...	0·43	0·03	0·03	...	2·39	0·67	0·13	2 35	1·34
			Narayanganj	0·73	0·08	0·61	...	0·67	...	..	...	0·16	2·05	...	2·45	0·08	0·04	...	2·89	1·96	1·03	1·63	1 46
			Manikganj ...	1·50	...	0 44		0·48	...	0·95	...	0·78	...	...	0·28	0·19	...	...	2·53	1·08	0·27	2·73	0·45
			Jaydebpur ...	1·10	...	0·20	0·60	0·26	2·50	...	...	1·50	0·20	...	0·50	0 10	...	...	1·80	0·25	0·35	3·20	1·26
		Mymensingh .	Kishoreganj	2·67	...	0·27	1·70	0·22	1·50	0·10	...	0·57	0·25	...	2·37	0·72	0·30	..	0·04	2·73	3·68	0·47	3·34
			Atia (*Tangail*)	1·40	0·24	1·64	0·57	...	0·75	...	...	0·60	0·04	...	...		0·11		2·18	0·95	1·92	0·56	0·04
			Mymensingh	1·90	0·12	0·15	0·76	0·07	0·53	...	...	0·16	0·02	3·80	0·51	0·37	0·11	0·29	0·23	3·62	10·36	1·07	3·60
			Jamalpur ...	0·10	...	...	1·23	...	0·85	...	...	...		2·41	...	...	...	...	0·36	1·19	2·96	0·51	1 11
			Netrakona ...	6·12	0·06	...	0·41	..	2·26		...	...	0·46	0·19	1·26	0·18	0·56	...	0·38	10·51	6·76	0·96	15·32
			Susarnakhali	0·20	0·37	...	...	2·56	0·07	...	...	...		...	0·48	...	...	...	0·34	0·65	3·72	1·66	·10
			Durgapur ...	3·40	...	...		...	1·50	...	...	0·69	1·10	0·80	2·10	1·00	0·20	...	0·60	3·60	3·60	1·50	2·50
			Sherpur Town	0·07	..	0·10	0·61	0·25	1·18	...	...	...	...	0·70	0·35	...	...	...	0·60	1·35	3·45	0·90	2·10
			Diwanganj ...		0·18	0·42	...	0·10	...	...	0·20	...	1·00	...	0·09	...	...	1·23	1·80	1 07	0·92	2·12	0·93
			Nalitabari ...	...	0·09	0·06	...	2·34	...	...	...	0·82	0·08	0·34	0·20	...	...	0·78	4·55	2·62	1·15	4·53	1·23
		Faridpur ..	Madaripur ...	...	0·75	1·26	...	0·16	...	...	...	0·06	0·25	...	0·00	0·07	...	...	0·80	1·24	0·11	0·67	1·90
			Faridpur ..	...	...	0·20	...	0·06	...	1 21	...	0·02	...	...	0·04	0·33	...	...	2·35	[illegible]	0·40	1·26	0·30
			Goalundo ..	...	...	0·12	...	1·87	...	1·10	...	...	...	...	1·38	0·08	0·10	0·25	2·26	1·57	0·59	1·50	0·31
		Backergunge	Patuakhali ...	0·22	...	...	0·18	1·20	...	..	0·10	...	...	0·40	0·65	0·90	1·32	0·17	0·08	0·02	1·22	0·98	0·62
			Pirojpur ...	0·04	...	0·08	0·03	1·57	...	0·45	..	0·80	0·04	...	0·98	...	0·02	0·20	1·71	0·25	0·23	1·00	0·87
			Barisal ...	..	0·18	0·65	0·33	0·91	...	0 51	0·61	0·90	...	...	0·25	0·04	0·47	0·18	1·06	0·58	0·66	4·40	0·73
			Gaurnadi ...	0·39	...	0·14	...	0·68	...	0·04	0·08	0·42	...	...	0·04	0·01	...	0·08	2·50	0·80	0·05	1·46	2·00
			Bhola ..	0·22	...	0·57	0·23	0·25	...	1·43	0·47	...	0·68	0·08	1·04	1·90	1·75	0·14	1·90	...	1·25	2·50	0·85
			Daulatkhan ...	...	0·90	1·45	0·05	0·56	...	0·47	0·42	...	0·15	...	0·84	2·23	0·76	0·18	0·16	...	0·96	5·10	0·76
			Bauphal ...	...	0·17	0·31	...	1·40	...	...	0·92	...	0·13	0·05	...	0·96	0·98	...	...	...	1·05	0·99	0·91
	Chittagong.	Hill Tippera .	Agartala ...																				
		Tippera ...	Comilla ..	3·10	0·47	2·66	...	...	...	1·77	0·08	0·69	0·40	...	0·65	...	0·18	0·06	0·70	0·80	3·60	1·32	3·28
			Chandpur ...	1·60	0·03	0·50	...	0·19	0·67	0·03	0·11	0·11	...	0·01	0·19	0·13	0·07	0·01	0·98	0·45	1·25	0·94	0·15
			Brahmanbaria	1·66	0·10	1·69	0·85		2·58	0·28	1·99		0·60		0·05	...	...	0·10	0·45	3·23	2·70	2·67	3·00
			Ramchandrapur.	...	0·50	0·10	0·60	0·20	...	...	..	0·20	0·30	0·20	...	...	...	0·50	0·60	0·20	0·90	0·10	...
			Nasirnagar ..	1·10		...	...	...	2·50		0·40	...	...	...	1·40	...	...	0·40	...	0·10	7·90	0·80	...
			Daudkandi ...	0·67	1·40	...	...	...	0·40	1·05	1·50	0·12	...	...	0·20	...	...	1·10	0·28	1·06	2·00	3·05	...
			Kasba ...	2·02	0·53	...	0·90	0·69	0·32	0·61	0·11	0·59	...	0·76	...	0·13		0·96	1·40	2·24	1·96	1·86	0·46
			Laksam ...	0·10	0·50	0·20	...	1·63	...	1·50	0·28	0·20	0·70	...	0·66	...	0·25	0·11	0·10	2·60	2·50	1·00	4·30
		Noakhali ..	Noakhali ...	...	1 28	0·05	1·10	0·04	0·20	0·33	0·14		0·10	...	0·03	2·08	5·25	0·06	0·22	0·06	0·79	7·90	2·28
			Fenny ...	...	1·26	0·03	...	...	...	1·23	...	1·69	0·11	...	0·12	0·14	5·09	0·58	0·11	0·90	1·13	2·04	3·63
			Harishpur ...	..	0·54		...	2·52		...	0·60	0·74	0·44	0·15	...	1·71	4·86	...	...	0·69	0·67	2·51	1·74
			Ramganj ...	0·74	1·02	0·25	0·60	...	0·17	0·05	...	0·67	0·15	0·05	0·09	0·09	0·39	0·06	1·90	1·75	0·80	1·86	0·81
			Chhagalnaya	0·51	...	...	...	...	..	1·69	0·24	2·55	0·37	...	0·45	0·29	3 84	0·26	...	0·87	2·62	2·38	2·79
			Hatya ...	...	0·45	...	...	1·60	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	..	2·91	3·31	0·74	...	0·17	0·58	2·04	1·96
			Lakhmipur ...	1·90	..	0·24	0·60	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	1·00	1·08	1·55	0·38	1·94	0·47	1·10	2·13	2·39
		Chittagong ...	Cox's Bazar ...	...	0·37	...	0·42	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·93	0·65	1·18	...	0·28	3·30	2·05	0·46
			Chittagong ...	...	0 82	0 03	0·14	0·50	...	...	..	0·45	...	...	...	0·54	2·77	0·05	...	0·23	1·58	4·46	1·11
			Kutubdia ...		0·60	...	...	1·34	...	...	0·07	..	...	...	...	0·64	2·05	...	...	0·00	1·04	2·80	3·05
			Satkania ...	1·82	...	0·23		0·41	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	..	0·41	...	..	..	0·08	1·02	1·91	1·36
			Kodala ...	0·44	0·10	...	0·38	0·24	1·30	0·70	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·60	0·15	0·09	0·07	1·94	4·15	1·33	...
			Fenua ...	1·11	0·60	..	1·40	0·02	1·00	0·06	0·09	0·14	...	...	0·52	2·31	0·03	0·12	0·08	0·70	4·90	0·60	0·15
			Mirsarai ...	...	1·25	0·18	...	0·20	...	0·96	0·04	0·60	0·25	...	...	0·56	5·40	0·08	0·11	0·70	1·33	4·10	2·54
		Chittagong Hill tracts.	Rangamati ...	...	0 68	0·50	...	0·56	...	1·00	0·30	...	0·30	...	0·24	0·59	0·60	0·40	0·11	...	3·98	3·68	[illegible]
			Bandarban ...	...	0·77	...	...	0·20	...	1·90	0·35	...	0·62	...	0·02	0·31	0·20	0·40	0·19	0·18	3·16	4·85	[illegible]
			Barkal ...	0·10	0·30	0·20	0·05	...	0·20	0·22	...	...	...	...	1·30	0·60	0·22	0·78	0·90	0·30	1·70	5·65	[illegible]

in Bengal in June 1903—*continued.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 30th June 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 30th June.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
0·30	3·30	0·06	...	...	1·24	5·50	8·82	6·05	...	15	18·66	30·38	25·23	8·82	37·44	32·54	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri.	Rajshahi—*concluded.*	North Bengal—*concluded.*
1·91	5·26	...	...	...	0·61	4·31	4·77	...	...	16	16·53	32·78	29·40	5·26	38·74	38·39	Alipur Duar.			
...	1·40	...	...	...	0·95	2·08	1·90	...	...	15	16·23	14·09	23·35	2·08	23·38	31·15	Falakata.			
...	3·65	0·51	...	...	0·10	2·46	1·97	0·02	...	14	15·80	22·63	19·73	4·36	26·63	25·94	Debiganj.			
2·00	...	0·20	0·30	0·36	0·95	3·20	11·00	0·10	0·50	20	20·75	33·00	21·90	11·00	38·60	33·63	Bhagatpur (*Nagrakatta*).			
2·64	0·55	...	...	...	2·40	3·16	6·27	...	0·43	21	22·75	48·39	39·27	6·27	44·71	52·21	Baxa.			
1·02	...	...	...	0·70	3·45	2·98	...	0·75	0·45	17	?	23·25	?	5·02	30·32	?	*Kalchini.*			
0·98	0·08	0·12	...	...	0·38	6·50	4·75	0·07	1·50	18	19·67	24·19	23·87	6·50	31·77	20·92	Siliguri ...	Darjeeling.		
1·24	0·02	1·95	...	0·03	0·81	6·61	3·29	0·14	0·03	20	20·81	24·85	23·49	6·61	31·10	28·24	Darjeeling.			
0·78	0·05	0·35	...	0·02	0·89	4·45	3·90	...	0·01	16	16·22	20·17	16·80	4·45	21·82	20·25	Kalimpong.			
1·01	0·23	1·55	...	...	1·46	7·82	2·72	0·17	0·02	22	18·84	31·81	23·61	7·82	34·85	29·19	Mongpoo.			
1·65	0·34	0·87	...	...	2·19	7·62	2·35	0·55	0·27	24	22·27	35·80	31·86	7·62	40·11	40·10	Kurseong.			
0·89	0·63	0·41	6·40	0·26	0·56	5·94	3·30	0·65	0·27	26	21·75	23·79	17·19	5·94	27·78	23·01	Pedong.			
0·71	0·25	0·01	0·23	0·40	1·95	2·46					17·00		7·17			9·60	Yatung ...	Tibet.		
...	4·52	0·99	...	...	1·26	6·43	8·47	0·04	...	18	18·09	37·24	26·70	8·47	50·51	36·46	Dinhatta	Cooch Behar.		
0·16	6·23	0·38	...	...	2·84	4·53	6·68	0·05	...	17	19·24	39·16	32·15	6·68	48·79	41·17	Cooch Behar			
...	1·24	0·60	...	0·30	0·22	3·46	2·53	...	...	14	18·60	20·09	25·81	3·71	29·46	33·83	Mekliganj.			
...	3·19	0·90	...	...	1·35	4·41	2·20	0·03	...	15	18·55	26·68	26·23	4·41	34·30	36·86	Mathabhanga.			
0·57	7·60	0·97	...	...	0·09	5·14	11·54	0·28	...	17	15·57	46·44	24·31	11·54	54·69	34·75	Pulbari.			
0·23	2·43	0·08	1·59	..	0·01	1·64	0·82	0·26	0·58	21	13·70	20·37	15·41	2·55	24·22	21·21	Bhawaniganj (*Gaibanda*)	Rangpur.		
0·10	0·98	1·03	0·11	...	...	3·97	5·41	0·09	..	19	15·61	19·58	20·01	5·41	26·17	24·64	Rangpur.			
1·38	2·86	...	1·37	...	0·22	3·12	1·95	0·08	1·25	20	14·09	20·06	14·69	3·12	23·97	19·29	Peerganj.			
...	2·56	0·30	...	...	0·22	2·35	3·35	0·63	...	14	15·84	20·89	22·34	3·35	29·63	30·87	Kurigaon.			
2·73	...	...	1·70	...	...	1·05	0·40	0·23	...	16	13·25	19·79	13·38	3·00	23·31	16·84	Gobindganj.			
...	2·48	...	...	...	0·37	0·66	1·80	—	...	15	16·58	17·25	21·43	2·48	25·83	28·48	Bardogra. (*Nilphamari*).			
0·25	3·41	3·14	...	...	0·24	3·25	3·89	0·31	0·40	20	15·13	29·05	17·30	3·89	35·20	26·44	Ulipur.			
0·92	7·04	1·48	...	...	...	3·88	3·04	1·34	0·57	16	10·76	31·19	12·89	7·04	36·45	19·58	Sunderganj.			
...	2·09	0·20	...	0·11	0·13	2·22	2·12	...	—	15	?	17·51	?	4·00	22·01	?	*Saidpur.*			
...	...	...	...	0·23	...	1·34	6·64	0·14	...	16	13·12	16·25	11·68	2·56	17·29	16·61	Sherpur ...	Bogra.		East Bengal.
...	...	...	0·45	...	0·07	1·65	2·45	...	...	14	13·76	20·45	13·92	2·90	22·97	17·81	Nowkhilla.			
0·12	...	...	...	...	0·20	3·46	0·20	1·55	...	16	14·35	17·08	14·45	3·52	22·67	19·40	Bogra.			
0·92	...	0·45	1·50	...	0·21	1·00	0·95	1·00	...	17	12·32	15·08	12·29	3·58	16·47	16·75	Panchbibi.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·72	1·46	0·03	0·37	...	12	13·94	8·75	11·41	2·23	11·58	15·43	Pabna ...	Pabna.		
0·44	...	...	...	0·19	0·26	1·35	2·05	0·84	...	15	13·22	13·47	11·57	2·14	14·78	16·42	Sirajganj.			
0·11	...	0·13	...	...	0·61	0·14	0·40	0·65	0·72	18	15·90	14·38	14·22	2·22	17·12	19·63	Munshiganj ...	Dacca.	Dacca.	
0·08	...	0·20	...	...	0·25	0·20	0·25	0·74	0·96	17	15·49	16·07	13·98	2·79	20·25	17·99	Dacca.			
0·11	...	0·22	...	...	0·24	0·23	...	1·56	1·46	18	15·20	20·84	13·76	2·86	23·79	18·65	Narayanganj.			
...	...	0·22	...	...	0·56	0·36	0·21	1·02	...	16	13·82	13·18	10·80	2·72	20·01	15·63	Manikganj.			
0·20	2·00	...	...	...	0·10	0·22	1·00	0·50	0·10	21	15·47	18·13	13·46	3·09	22·29	18·37	Jaydebpur.			
0·05	1·50	...	1·05	...	0·22	1·26	0·19	0·10	0·15	22	16·37	31·20	18·24	6·80	36·22	25·14	Kishorganj ...	Mymensingh.		
0·12	...	...	...	0·10	0·23	0·67	3·29	0·34	0·86	18	13·70	16·70	13·63	3·30	20·17	17·33	Atia (*Tangail*).			
0·29	1·19	0·74	0·61	...	0·31	0·23	1·67	1·46	0·43	25	18·19	35·64	19·40	10·86	41·62	26·44	Mymensingh.			
1·38	0·10	...	0·60	0·22	0·30	1·75	3·35	0·88	0·05	17	14·68	19·16	15·40	3·35	24·71	20·37	Jamalpur.			
2·54	2·65	0·75	0·06	...	0·57	0·16	0·97	0·99	0·08	20	13·33	44·64	22·41	10·51	52·76	31·36	Netrakona.			
...	0·29	...	...	...	1·10	1·70	...	...	.	12	12·46	14·16	13·77	3·72	15·66	17·73	Subarnakhali.			
2·20	0·09	0·30	...	0·20	0·60	0·65	1·20	1·00	0·50	22	17·20	29·55	27·32	2·80	30·19	30·87	Durgapur.			
1·05	0·30	0·10	0·83	...	...	1·72	4·60	0·84	0·07	18	15·30	21·57	16·06	4·60	25·54	21·86	Sherpur Town.			
1·05	0·09	1·02	...	...	1·50	1·25	.	0·64	1·10	17	12·87	18·02	16·67	3·58	23·80	24·36	Diwanganj.			
2·67	0·69	0·56	0·46	0·22	1·50	6·49	4·48	...	0·04	19	?	22·78	?	4·55	29·05	?	*Nalitabari.*			
...	...	2·79	0·06	0·10	0·20	0·09	0·17	0·20	...	14	15·67	10·98	12·83	2·79	12·35	16·37	Madaripur ...	Faridpur.		
...	...	0·90	...	...	0·92	0·43	0·52	1·47	...	12	14·25	10·78	12·75	2·35	16·92	17·81	Faridpur.			
...	...	...	...	0·10	0·25	2·05	1·05	0·80	...	16	15·63	15·10	11·83	3·28	20·71	16·44	Goalundo.			
0·44	0·03	...	...	0·39	0·60	0·65	0·30	1·84	0·31	19	17·48	18·69	19·87	1·84	13·93	24·67	Patuakhali ...	Backergunge.		
1·12	...	0·89	...	0·24	0·91	0·53	0·10	0·10	0·72	18	16·57	12·37	15·85	1·71	13·88	19·77	Pirojpur.			
...	...	0·28	...	0·02	0·49	0·76	0·45	1·27	0·27	20	16·23	15·24	16·27	4·40	18·63	20·74	Barisal.			
...	...	0·11	...	0·15	1·06	0·76	...	0·26	0·04	18	14·60	11·10	13·38	2·50	15·16	17·56	Gournadi.			
0·08	...	0·17	...	0·33	1·07	1·86	0·65	1·50	0·28	21	17·98	18·40	15·41	2·50	20·53	23·92	Bhola.			
0·08	...	0·21	...	0·30	1·87	0·87	0·72	0·70	0·74	21	18·66	19·95	22·53	5·15	22·67	29·11	Daulatkhan.			
0·19	...	0·26	...	0·04	1·94	1·61	...	1·09	0·65	16	15·33	13·41	15·95	1·94	15·60	21·22	Baupbal.			
											14·78		14·71			20·55	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera.	Chittagong.	
0·81	0·01	1·48	...	...	1·95	1·29	0·47	1·94	2·76	20	17·39	29·29	17·91	3·22	37·23	22·71	Comilla ...	Tippera.		
...	...	0·34	...	...	1·00	0·16	0·38	0·88	...	18	17·00	10·35	16·77	1·60	13·06	20·73	Chandpur.			
2·30	...	0·10	0·21	...	0·95	0·80	0·05	0·45	0·40	21	15·63	23·00	14·85	2·70	30·60	20·91	Brahmanbaria.			
...	0·30	0·20	0·18	0·20	...	...	0·10	...	...	17	13·07	8·70	11·76	1·30		16·42	Ramchandrapur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	13·87	13·79	13·37	7·00	20·91	20·53	Nasirnagar.			
...	0·60	...	...	1·20	1·20	0·20	...	...	1·20	17	14·00	16·28	13·45	3·08		17·64	Daudkandi.			
...	1·20	...	0·26	2·01	1·06	0·16	2·24	0·16	...	22	15·47	20·89	14·99	2·34	27·76	21·17	Kasba.			
1·50	...	0·49	...	...	2·11	1·50	1·60	1·11	4·86	23	12·80	20·51	10·41	4·20	22·66	21·05	Laksam.			
0·42	...	...	...	...	2·10	1·88	1·70	1·32	1·03	18	18·39	26·17	23·39	7·90	30·16	29·18	Noakhali ...	Noakhali.		
0·70	0·07	0·69	0·12	0·12	0·25	2·04	0·71	1·35	3·20	22	17·58	28·29	24·30	5·09	29·26	30·44	Fenny.			
0·06	...		...	0·90	0·22	0·53	1·19	2·37	0·51	18	17·83	23·21	24·88	4·76	25·95	31·27	Harishpur.			
	...	0·47	...	...	3·31	0·49	0·09	2·85	0·93	18	16·35	20·10	16·81	3·31	21·63	22·63	Ramganj.			
1·10	0·06	0·04	...	1·08	...	0·80	0·34	1·54	1·95	19	?	24·93	?	3·34	26·08	?	*Chhagalnaya.*			
1·28	...	0·13	0·17	3·40	...	0·61	0·60	1·01	1·55	18	?	23·01	?	3·31	25·96	?	*Hatya.*			
...	...	1·65	...	0·45	1·63	0·65	0·20	2·87	0·10	20	?	22·09	?	3·67	23·34	?	*Lakhmipur.*			
0·16	0·28	...	0·04	0·08	0·63	0·93	1·02	1·97	0·86	18	18·23	17·98	31·59	3·08	19·14	38·43	Cox's Bazar	Chittagong.		
0·01	1·37	...	0·12	0·38	0·09	0·07	0·30	4·77	0·35	16	16·74	19·58	22·80	4·77	22·19	24·64	Chittagong.			
0·03	0·40	...	0·12	0·05	0·01	1·15	0·14	3·05	0·40	15	16·53	18·24	23·07	3·05	25·91	31·43	Kutubdia.			
...	0·12	0·72	0·43	0·26	0·36	0·41	2·12	0·31	0·07	16	15·07	12·75	21·52	2·12	14·94	37·90	Satkania.			
0·26	0·16	0·49	0·25	0·11	0·42	0·40	2·07	0·72	0·05	20	17·61	17·03	15·94	4·15	19·84	23·73	Kodala.			
0·41	...	...	0·46	...	0·01	0·06	2·45	0·67	...	16	18·55	15·60	22·61	4·90	19·83	31·65	Fenua.			
0·41	...	...	...	0·40	0·05	0·29	0·25	1·56	2·41	20	17·63	24·30	23·36	5·40	24·97	31·04	Mirsarai.			
...	0·28	...	0·75	0·48	0·89	0·53	0·27	3·97	0·78	22	19·84	22·44	17·96	3·08	26·17	23·35	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.		
...	0·04	...	0·80	0·04	0·18	0·05	0·30	3·25	0·20	18	18·90	19·96	21·91	4·25	23·66	30·41	Bandarban.			
0·05	0·45	0·19	0·30	...	0·05	1·69	0·37	2·06	0·30	21	?	19·50	?	3·55	21·33	?	*Barkal.*			

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BIHAR.	Patna.	Patna ...	Patna ...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·63	...	...	0·24	...	...	0·36
			Dinapore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	...	0·16	0·20	0·07	...	0·25
			Bihar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·74	...	...	0·59	...	0·02	0·06
			Barh ...	...	...	0·53	...	1·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·86	...	...	...	...	...	0·35
			Bikram ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·05	...	0·24	...	0·06	0·04
			Hilsa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	0·06	...	0·15	...	0·20
			Islampur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	0·38	...	...	0·10	0·16
			Asthawan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	0·01	0·90	..	0·16	0·72
		Gaya ...	Aurangabad ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	0·19	0·20	0·17	0·48	...
			Gaya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·97	...	...	1·11	0·07	0·44	...
			Nawada ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	0·36	0·17	0·10	0·31
			Jahanabad ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·35	...	...	0·34	0·01	0·06	0·15
			Arwal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·15	...	...	0·25	0·03	0·55	
			Daudnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	0·07	...	0·52	0·19	0·09	0·18	...
			Sherghati ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·35	...	...	0·37	0·13	0·16	...
			Rajauli ...																				
			Pakri Barawan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·15
			Deo ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	...	...	0·20	...	0·40	...
		Shahabad ...	Buxar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	0·23	0·05	0·08	0·35	...
			Dehri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	0·36	0·19	...	0·98	...
			Bhabhua ...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	0·68	0·13	0·14	...	...
			Sasseram ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·06	...	1·11	0·35	...	...	...
			Arrah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		0·08	...	0·38	0·19	0·14	0·03	0·02
			Mohania ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	0·82	...	...	...	0·01
			Ageaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·70	...	...	0·73	...
			Ramnagar .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		0·60	0·15	0·70	...
			Koath ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·51	...	1·10	0·35	...	0·82	...
			Sikroul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	0·44	...	0·96	..	0·22	0·60	...
			Bassowan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	...	...	1·19	0·17	...	...	...
			Monoharpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	0·28	0·07	...	...	...
		Saran ...	Gopalganj ..	0·55	...	...	...	1·42	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·76	...	0·18	..	...	0·15	0·29
			Siwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·02	...	0·47	0·18	. .	...	0·53
			Ekma ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·25	...	...	...	0·15
			Chapra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	0·31	0·25	0·02	...	0·32
			Hathwa ...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	0·21	...	...	0·42	0·31
			Amnour	...	0·30	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	0·40	1·20	...
			Basantpur	0·21	...	...	1·85	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	...	0·50	...	0·33
			Darauli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	0·55	0·04	0·15	0·01	0·60
			Bhoreh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·90	...	0·35	0·05	...	...	..
			Sripur ...	0·40	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	0·49	...	0·12	0·02	0·08	0·21	0·37
		Champaran ...	Motihari	1·10	...	0·40	...	0·64	0·76	...	...	...	0·47	0·65	...	0·34	0·03	...	...	...	0·05	1·13	0·46
			Bettiah ..	1·05	...	...	...	1·53	0·72	...	...	...	0·12	0·85	0·10	0·09	1·00	...	0·01	..	0·04	1·18	1·29
			Bagaha ...	0·68	0·10	...	1·15	0·06	1·57	...	...	...	0·05	0·53	0·09	0·01	0·02	...	0·18	0·02	0·32	1·31	1·38
			Burnarwa ...	0·70	...	...	...	3·06	0·33	...	...	...	0·24	0·22	...	0·19	2·00	...		...	...	0·67	0·62
			Ramnagar ...	...	0·50	...	1·00	...	1·00	...	...	0·10	...	1·10	1·60	0·20	...	...	0·20	...	0·80	0·60	0·20
		Muzaffarpur ..	Sitamarhi	0·82	...	0·76	0·95		1·44	...	...	...	...	0·24	0·08	0·77	...	...	...	...	0·08	1·40	0·69
			Muzaffarpur	1·18	...	0·11	...	2·58	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·13	...	...	...	...	1·30	0·05	0·06	0·08	1·40
			Hajipur	...	...	0·19	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	..	0·04	0·02	...	0·16
			Paru	0·93	...	1·50	...	1·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	.	0·60	0·30	...	...	1·18
			Mahua ..	...	0·42	...	0·75		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	0·37	0·02	...	...	1·00	..
			Sheohar	0·72	0·40	...	0·14	0·80	.	...	...	...	0·62	...	...	1·61	...	...	...	...	2·10	...	0·12
			Pupri ..	0·62	.	0·15	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	[illegible]	0·31
		Darbhanga ...	Tajpur (Samastipur).	0·75	—	0·95	...	2·43	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	0·02	0·18	...	0·32	...	0·49	1·06
			Darbhanga ...	1·02	0·03	0·84	...	0·01	0·47	...	...	...	...	1·28	0·61	0·95	0·46	...	...	...	...	1·34	1·34
			Madhubani ...	0·85	0·06	0·28	...	0·03	0·35	...	...	...	0·74	0·13	0·15	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	1·66	0·47
			Bahera ...	0·75	—	0·93	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	0·08	0·90	0·30	3·03	0·86	...	...	...	...	1·50	0·74
			Roserha	1·20	...	0·38	...	3·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·35	...	0·30	0·45
			Khutauna ...	0·48	0·24	0·02	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	2·44	3·69	6·80	...	...	...	0·06	0·09
			Ledenea ...	0·09	0·24	—	...	5·35	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·19	0·35	6·00	...	...	...	0·14	0·07	..
			Lakhi ...	0·56	0·20	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·20	2·50	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	0·80
	Bhagalpur.	Monghyr ...	Begusarai ..	...	—	0·25	...	1·50	—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	0·08	...	0·23	0·85
			Monghyr ...	0·24	...	0·49	—	1·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	...	—	1·40
			Jamui ..	...	...	0·48	—	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	...	...	0·01	0·01	...	0·72
			Gogri ...	1·19	...	1·16	—	0·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·27	...	...	1·72	...	...	0·65
			Jamalpur	0·17		0·27		1·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	0·01	0·88
			Shaikhpura	...	0·25	...	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·50	...	...	1·15
			Chakai Bamda	...	...	...	—	1·58	...	0·07	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	0·15	...	...	0·76
			Chupreon ..	0·54	...	0·94	.	0·02	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·47	...	0·06	0·41	...	...	...	...	0·39	1·03
			Gidhour ...		...	0·27	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	..
			Kharagpur ...	...	...	0·54	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·56
		Bhagalpur ...	Madhipura .	1·08	0·65	..	...	1·11	..	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	1·30	0·13	0·14	—	...	...	2·95	1·85
			Bangaon (*Syfabad*).	0·86	...	0·53	...	0·02	1·22	...	...	...	...	1·05	0·08	0·66	0·48	...	—	...	...	0·56	0·70
			Supaul ...	1·46	0·10	0·15	...	...	0·62	...	...	...	...	...	1·28	2·90	0·53	0·28	...	...	...	3·05	0·88
			Pratapganj ...		0·30	0·07	...	...	0·92	...	...	...	0·30	0·30	0·08	2·53	0·10	1·30	—	...	0·39	0·07	0·05
			Bhagalpur ...	1·24	...	0·90	...	0·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·78	...	...	0·53	0·01	0·08	0·41
			Banka ..	...	...	0·80	0·30	0·43	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	0·50	0·10	0·14	0·51	0·21
			Colgong ...	0·47	...	0·80	...	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·82	0·52	0·05	0·10	0·30	...	0·12	1·29
			Bansi ...	...	...	0·72	...	0·75	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	2·15	...	...	...	0·35	—	...
		Purnea ...	Kishanganj ...	..	0·43	...	...	0·35	0·10	.	...	...	...	1·45	0·05	1·98	...	2·70	...	...	0·85	2·05	0·45
			Araria ..	0·30	.	...	...	...	...	0·83	..	...	0·45	0·40	...	1·50	...	1·25	...	...	...	0·90	0·30
			Purnea ...	0·76	0·16	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	0·14	0·92	0·47	...	...	3·09	0·45
			Gondwara (*Korah*).	0·86	1·05	...	0·64	0·11	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·04	1·20	0·45	0·50	...	...	0·03	0·05	0·27
			Barsoe	0·60	0·25	0·15	0·25	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20
			Forbesganj ..	...	...	...	..	...	1·12	...	...	...	0·20	0·85	...	0·30	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	0·25
			Kaliaganj .	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	..	...	...	...	3·00	0·14	...	...	...	...	1·00	1·00	1·00	...
		Malda ...	Malda ..	0·50	.	1·70	...	0·39	0·05	—	...	0·02	.	...	...	...	...	...	2·00	0·30	1·00	1·79	1·20
			Chanchal .	...	0·25	0·15	...	0·10	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	0·81		...	0·73	1·19
			Gajol ..	...	0·72	..	0·17	0·50	0·17	...	.	...	...	...	...	0·97	...	...	0·12	0·88	0·47	0·57	1·07
			Sibganj ...	0·01	...	0·64	0·08	0·56	0·08	0·18	0·54	. .	0·55	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	1·41	3·30	0·57	0·20
		Sonthal Parganas.	Rajmahal ..	.	0·92	1·13	...	0·72	...	...	...	...	0·37	...	...	0·06	0·56	0·61	2·15	0·16	0·48	0·11	1·27
			Godda ..	0·79	...	1·02	...	0·58	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	0·77	...	0·02	0·75	0·08	0·07	0·40
			Pakaur .	0·40	...	1·00	...	1·56	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	0·50	4·06	0·68	...
			Naya Dumka	...	...	0·25	...	0·48	...	...	0·64	0·57	...	...	...	0·06	0·20	...	0·06	0·66	0·07	0·55	0·05
			Deoghur	...	...	...	...	1·13	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·57	...	.	0·75	...		...
			Jamtara ..	.	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·15	0·02	...	0·27	...		0·01	1·18	0·05	0·19	0·18
			Mohagama ...	0·46	1·00	1·36	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	0·40	...	1·01	...	...	0·19
			Nanihat .	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	0·56	...	0·28	...

in Bengal in June 1903—*continued.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 30th June 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 30th June.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·92	...	...	...	5	7·81	2·30	7·76	0·92	2·47	8·97	Patna ...	Patna.	Patna.	BIHAR.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·91	...	...	0·01	5	7·77	3·21	7·98	1·91	3·31	9·03	Dinapore.			
0·05	0·44	...	...	...	0·30	0·29	...	...	...	5	7·58	2·40	7·01	0·74	2·98	8·74	Bihar.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·25	1·10	...	...	...	6	7·55	4·23	6·17	1·14	4·23	7·30	Barh			
...	0·63	...	...	...	...	0·46	0·11	0·07	1·72	6	8·93	3·53	8·70	1·72	3·53	10·11	Bikram.			
...	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	5	7·71	1·90	8·53	0·80	2·72	9·60	Hilsa.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·19	0·43	...	...	0·29	7	?	2·45	?	0·90	?	?	*Islampur.*			
0·20	0·25	...	...	...	0·62	0·35	...	0·19	...	8	?	3·53	?	0·90	?	?	*Asthawan.*			
0·59	...	0·50	...	...	0·17	1·21	...	0·29	0·13	11	7·53	4·06	6·33	1·21	4·06	7·23	Aurangabad...	Gaya.		
0·11	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·17	0·06	...	...	5	8·34	2·97	6·78	1·11	3·46	7·65	Gaya.			
0·06	0·01	...	0·03	...	0·04	0·43	0·01	...	0·01	6	7·57	1·74	6·93	0·43	1·83	8·02	Nawada.			
...	0·02	...	...	...	0·62	0·31	...	...	0·05	5	8·80	3·13	6·22	1·55	3·13	7·10	Jahanabad.			
0·03	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·30	0·15	...	...	5	7·47	2·51	5·82	1·15	2·51	6·80	Arwal.			
0·01	...	0·05	...	0·02	...	0·10	0·20	0·03	...	5	7·07	1·47	6·33	0·52	2·14	6·95	Daudnagar.			
0·06	...	0·02	...	...	...	0·11	...	0·16	0·05	6	7·47	3·41	6·46	2·35	4·27	7·06	Sherghati.			
											8·69		7·48			8·46	Rajauli.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·03	...	...	0·12	5	6·13	1·52	6·35	0·75	1·63	6·98	Pakri Barawan.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	0·20	0·90	0·40	7	?	4·35	?	1·50	4·35	?	*Deo.*			
...	...	...	...	...	0·03	3·95	0·10	0·12	0·02	5	8·06	4·76	5·44	3·95	5·23	5·94	Buxar ...	Shahabad.		
0·26	...	0·45	...	0·11	0·07	1·25	...	0·59	...	5	8·06	3·78	6·53	1·25	4·09	7·12	Dehri			
0·09	0·07	0·64	...	0·08	0·09	0·58	...	0·18	...	6	6·74	2·90	5·40	0·68	2·90	5·84	Bhabhua.			
0·26	...	0·38	...	0·11	...	0·11	...	0·17	...	5	7·71	3·55	5·02	1·11	3·55	6·17	Sasaram.			
...	0·64	...	...	...	...	0·55	...	...	0·65	6	7·90	2·67	6·95	0·65	3·13	8·00	Arrah.			
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0·08	...	...	...	...	0·05	1·75	0·04	...	...	4	8·11	3·37	7·18	1·76	3·37	7·40	Ramnagar.			
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...	...	0·23	...	0·16	...	1·12	0·92	0·26	...	7	7·89	3·20	6·90	1·12	3·80	7·00	Monoharpur.			
0·30	...	...	...	...	...	6·34	...	1·16	...	10	8·32	11·52	6·66	6·34	12·15	8·09	Gopalganj ...	Saran.		
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...	0·01	...	...	...	...	1·60	...	...	...	4	7·01	2·51	6·40	1·60	3·56	7·25	Chapra.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	2·16	...	...	...	5	?	3·05	?	2·16	4·54	?	*Hathwa.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	2·65	...	...	...	6	6·00	5·38	9·28	2·65	6·02	10·83	Amnour.			
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0·03	...	...	...	...	...	1·73	...	...	...	6	?	3·88	?	1·73	3·89	?	*Darauli.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	2·35	...	...	...	4	?	4·25	?	2·35	5·25	?	*Bhoreh.*			
0·08	...	...	...	...	...	4·30	...	0·30	...	7	?	6·77	?	4·30	8·48	?	*Sripur.*			
...	...	0·58	...	...	...	3·98	0·27	0·55	...	13	9·39	11·61	8·90	3·98	12·39	10·77	Motihari ...	Champaran.		
...	...	0·11	...	...	...	4·30	...	0·60	0·25	13	8·48	13·24	8·79	4·30	14·06	10·10	Bettiah.			
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0·31	...	...	...	...	...	4·54	...	2·07	0·02	12	9·13	15·07	8·27	4·54	15·46	9·45	Burhurwa.			
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...	...	0·32	...	...	0·30	2·58	1·66	...	0·47	12	9·17	12·03	8·79	2·58	12·61	10·32	Sitamarhi ...	Muzaffarpur.		
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...	...	2·00	...	...	...	3·42	0·24	0·40	...	12	7·27	12·67	7·31	3·42	13·14	8·63	Shiuhar.			
...	...	0·60	...	...	...	1·60	1·10	...	...	9	8·06	7·29	7·57	2·06	7·29	9·67	Pupri.			
...	...	0·12	...	...	0·06	2·34	0·09	...	...	9	8·23	8·83	7·45	2·43	9·40	8·63	Tajpur (Samastipur).	Darbhanga.		
...	0·11	1·07	...	...	0·02	2·63	0·54	...	0·36	14	8·43	13·06	7·66	2·63	13·30	9·01	Darbhanga.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·21	4·09	1·11	...	0·10	13	9·13	10·70	8·36	4·09	11·19	10·06	Madhubani.			
...	0·55	0·54	...	...	...	2·65	1·61	...	0·78	14	7·60	15·23	7·63	2·63	15·43	9·35	Bahera.			
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...	0·06	0·01	...	...	0·12	1·40	1·10	...	...	9	?	10·95	?	3·69	11·57	?	*Khutouna.*			
...	0·15	...	...	0·10	5·00	...	1·00	...	...	10	?	18·43	?	6·00	24·28	?	*Ledenea.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	3·00	2·30	...	0·10	10	?	9·40	?	3·00	10·30	?	Lakhi.			
0·25	...	...	...	...	0·48	0·41	...	...	...	8	8·45	4·84	6·79	1·50	5·86	7·92	Begusarai ...	Monghyr ...	Bhagalpur.	
...	...	...	0·05	...	0·54	1·45	0·03	...	...	7	8·39	5·99	7·01	1·45	6·25	8·67	Monghyr.			
0·13	0·11	...	...	...	0·10	0·71	...	0·20	...	9	8·87	3·44	7·34	0·73	4·46	8·30	Jamui.			
0·46	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6·87	9·05	7·48	2·27	9·05	9·80	Gogri.			
...	...	...	0·18	0·06	0·19	1·22	0·10	...	...	9	9·33	4·34	9·02	1·22	4·39	9·77	Jamalpur.			
0·26	...	0·10	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	8	6·90	3·69	7·45	1·15	4·01	8·62	Shaikhpura.			
0·30	...	...	...	...	0·32	3·83	0·16	...	...	8	11·63	7·47	10·82	3·83	8·84	11·60	Chakai Bamda			
...	...	...	0·63	...	0·25	0·91	1·04	...	0·03	11	7·63	6·87	5·85	1·04	7·31	7·18	Chupreon.			
0·35	0·45	...	...	...	0·05	0·55	...	0·28	...	7	8·50	2·70	7·10	0·55	2·98	8·15	Gidhour.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·71	...	...	6	9·67	2·40	7·62	0·96	4·10	8·31	Khargpur.			
...	0·96	...	...	...	...	2·42	3·60	...	...	12	9·52	16·56	8·21	3·60	17·26	10·74	Madhipura ...	Bhagalpur		
...	...	...	0·30	...	0·41	1·21	1·52	...	0·10	13	6·00	9·06	5·50	1·52	9·84	7·27	Bangaon (Sylabad).			
0·15	0·35	2·20	...	...	0·18	1·63	2·12	0·02	...	16	9·21	16·16	8·70	2·90	17·58	10·79	Sapaul.			
...	...	...	0·70	...	0·18	3·20	6·00	...	...	13	9·73	16·61	10·38	6·00	19·08	14·04	Pratapganj.			
...	...	...	0·25	...	0·06	0·16	0·59	...	...	9	9·90	6·73	8·28	1·78	8·28	9·99	Bhagalpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·10	0·38	...	...	13	10·06	4·38	8·06	0·90	4·75	9·69	Banka.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	1·20	...	...	11	9·60	6·08	8·71	1·20	6·34	11·28	Colgong.			
0·50	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·36	0·20	...	...	9	10·83	5·93	8·18	2·15	5·93	9·29	Banail.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	3·00	2·31	...	1·43	12	14·03	16·91	15·33	3·00	19·53	19·13	Kishanganj	Purnea.		
...	...	...	0·76	...	...	1·60	2·90	...	0·05	11	11·17	11·13	13·40	6·90	18·91	17·07	Araria.			
...	0·06	0·04	0·14	...	0·10	1·10	3·51	0·02	...	13	11·80	11·84	10·61	3·51	14·05	13·47	Purnea.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·41	...	0·76	0·30	13	9·27	9·64	9·31	1·96	9·69	12·77	Gondwara (*Korah*).			
...	...	1·36	...	...	0·70	1·05	...	...	0·30	11	12·25	7·40	11·74	1·00	7·40	14·13	Barsoe.			
...	0·30	...	...	...	0·86	3·30	1·66	...	...	10	11·80	9·73	11·06	3·30	11·98	15·16	Forbesganj.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	5·14	0·46	4·10	0·50	10	14·33	17·28	16·28	5·14	19·22	20·81	Kaliganj.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·53	0·47	1·69	...	0·37	13	12·16	11·02	9·89	3·00	14·22	12·20	Malda ...	Malda.		
0·12	...	0·14	...	...	0·04	0·74	1·32	0·69	0·03	13	11·54	6·03	11·09	1·64	6·12	14·64	Chanchal.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·38	1·15	0·80	...	...	13	11·73	6·42	9·55	1·15	10·30	12·41	Gajol.			
0·08	...	...	...	...	0·25	1·22	1·30	...	0·86	13	11·47	12·18	9·80	3·20	12·96	13·63	Sibganj.			
0·08	...	...	...	...	0·29	0·61	1·72	0·03	0·08	14	10·83	11·54	9·60	2·15	15·26	12·27	Rajmahal	Sonthal Parganas.		
0·12	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·07	0·94	...	...	8	10·67	4·29	7·90	1·03	5·31	10·16	Godda.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	0·41	...	0·56	11	12·73	9·74	10·70	4·06	11·42	13·78	Pakaur.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·44	0·30	1·21	...	0·39	11	12·02	6·17	9·76	1·21	8·02	13·13	Naya Dumka.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·42	...	...	6	10·77	3·54	8·45	1·13	4·10	10·16	Deoghur.			
0·23	...	...	0·25	...	0·81	0·40	0·30	...	0·01	10	11·64	4·13	9·45	1·18	5·13	11·43	Jamtara.			
...	...	[illegible]	...	...	...	...					?		?			?	*Mohagama.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·39	0·24	0·18	...	9	8·47	3·02	7·00	1·00	4·22	8·36	Nanihat.			

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BIHAR—*concld.*	Bhagalpur—*concld.*	Sonthal Parganas—*concld.*	Assenboni	...	0·25	...	0·35	...	0·54	0·18	0·67	...	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	0·13	0·15	0·50	...	...
			Katikund ...	...	...	0·09	...	1·06	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·36	...	0·06	0·62	1·50	1·30	...
			Madhupur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	...	...	...	0·70	0·30	...
			Sarwan ...	...	0·30	...	0·50	...	...	0·10	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	0·33	0·08	0·70	...	...
			Sarath ...	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·52	0·16	...	...
			Barkope ...	...	...	0·75	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bhagya ...	...	...	1·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·88	1·06	...	1·16	...
			Mohespore ...	1·49	...	1·62	1·44	0·78	...	...	...	...	1·15	...	...	0·12	...	0·22	...	1·16	1·48	0·14	...
			Hiranpur ...	...	0·88	...	0·73	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·05	...	0·23	3·06	0·40	...	0·15
			Barharwa ...	...	0·30	0·83	0·09	0·81	...	...	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	2·15	1·06	0·40	0·18
			Sahibganj ...	0·45	0·08	0·85	...	0·17	0·63	...	...	1·00	0·49	...	...	0·32	0·18	1·07	...	0·58	0·54	0·46	1·44
			Bario ...	0·91	...	1·22	0·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	1·48	0·24	0·89	0·59	...	0·15
ORISSA.	Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Jagatsingpur	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Banki ...	...	0·05	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·02	...	1·42	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·85
			Cuttack ...	0·43	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	1·02	...	...	1·37	...	...	...	...	0·76	0·02
			False Point ...	...	...	...	0·07	0·94	...	...	...	...	0·65	0·99	...	...	0·55	0·20	...	...	...	0·54	0·05
			Kendrapara ...	0·16	...	...	0·06	0·72	...	0·02	...	...	0·07	1·46	...	...	0·51	...	...	...	...	0·08	...
			Jajpur ...	0·82	1·00	...	0·17	0·79	...	...	0·96	...	...	1·72	...	...	0·82	...	...	...	...	0·04	...
			Dharmsala ...	0·70	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	1·89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	...	...
			Salepur ...	0·01	...	...	...	0·67	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	0·06	...
		Balasore	Akhyapada ...	0·12	0·41	...	0·14	1·43	...	0·07	...	...	0·15	1·23	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·74	0·02
			Chandbali ...	0·05	...	...	0·15	0·68	...	...	0·18	...	1·64	0·04	...	...	0·83	...	...	...	...	0·87	...
			Bhadrak .	...	0·60	...	0·12	0·14	...	...	0·16	...	1·45	0·08	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	0·40	2·27	0·30
			Soro ..	0·25	...	...	0·10	1·27	...	...	...	...	1·72	0·45	...	...	0·78	0·07	...	...	0·11	1·74	...
			Balasore ...	0·43	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	0·85	1·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·82	0·05
			Jellasore ...	...	...	...	0·75	0·08	...	...	...	...	1·96	1·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·75	...	1·75
		Angul ...	Angul ...	...	0·97	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	0·07	...	0·40	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	0·18
			Bissipara ..	0·09	...	...	...	...	0·62	...	0·15	...	...	0·25	...	1·85	0·02	0·02	...	...	...	0·52	0·08
			Chhendipada	...	0·47	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	0·43	...	1·58	...	...	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	2·16
			Tikerpara ...	...	...	...	0·72	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	...	...	0·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kumarkhola	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·14	0·31
		Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·10	0·34	0·23	0·34
			Kunjabongar	...	...	0·53	...	0·46	...	...	0·70	...	0·45	0·50	...	...	...	0·44	...	...	...	0·62	...
			Dhenkanal ...	...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·87	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	0·27	...
			Bausinga ...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	...	0·45	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·07
			Keonjhar ...	...	...	...	0·50	1·00	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...
			Anandpur ...	0·10	...	...	0·18	1·40	...	...	...	...	2·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	...
			Baripada ...	...	...	...	0·12	1·98	...	...	...	...	1·53	1·90	...	...	0·58	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·50
			Narsingpur ...	...	...	0·02	0·28	...	...	0·24	...	...	0·26	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·95	...	...	...	...
			Nayagarh ...	0·30	...	...	...	0·36	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·17	0·08
			Pal Lahara ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·60	...	0·03	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	1·28
			Ranpur ...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·30	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	0·27
			Talcher ...	...	0·42	...	...	0·07	...	0·06	...	...	...	0·48	...	...	1·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·61
			Athmalik ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·45	...	1·20	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Hindol ...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	1·13	...	...	0·64	0·08	...	1·30	...	...	0·17	...	...	0·30	...
			Boad ...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	1·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·76	0·06
		Puri ...	Puri ...	0·04	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	1·93	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	0·09
			Khurda ...	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	3·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·37
			Bhanpur ...	0·02	0·03	...	...	1·45	...	...	...	...	...	1·33	0·05	...	0·96	...	...	...	...	0·95	0·47
			Gop ...	0·30	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	0·96	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07
			Satpara ...	0·20	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	1·95	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	0·08
			Pipli ..	0·22	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	2·08	...	...	0·51	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Konas ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	3·10	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·30
CHOTA NAGPUR.	Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh ...	Pachamba (*Giridih*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·17	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	0·36
			Hazaribagh ...	...	1·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·03	0·61	0·02	...	...	0·11	...	0·45	...
			Barhi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	...	...	0·25	0·29	0·32	...
			Chatra .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	0·41	0·95	...	...
			Kharagdiha ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	1·20	0·10	0·16	0·11
			Ramgar ...	...	...	0·80	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	...	1·00	...	...	...	0·50	...	...
			Kodarma ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	1·55	...	...	0·91	0·01	2·04	...
		Ranchi ..	Lohardaga ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	0·27	...	0·20	0·14	...	...	0·15
			Ranchi ...	0·05	2·16	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13
			Silli ...	0·20	0·60	...	0·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	2·22	...	...	0·07	...	0·44	0·10
			Palkot ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·82	0·11	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	0·48
			Bano ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·87	0·62
			Tamar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	0·53	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40
			Kurdeg ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·70	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	0·87	0·66
			Gamla ...	...	0·32	...	...	...	0·48	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	1·09	1·12	...	...	...	...	0·10	...
			Chainpur ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chota Nagpur Tributary States.	Sirguja ...																				
			Jashpur ..	...	...	...	...	0·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·57	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·08	...
			Gangpur ..	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·66	...	0·97	2·30
		Palamau ...	Palamau (*Daltonganj*).	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	0·03	0·12	...	0·15	...	0·01	0·03	...	0·34	0·18
			Balumath ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30
			Hussainabad ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...
			Garhwa ...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...
			Mahuadanr ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Panki ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	0·86	0·86
			Latehar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...
			Nagarutari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ranka ...	0·20	0·10	...	...	...	0·08	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·16	0·22	0·26
			Chattarpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·45	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...
		Manbhum ...	Purulia ...	0·01	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	2·70	...	...	0·08	0·08	...	0·27	0·04	0·06	...
			Gobindpur ...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	0·36	...	0·30	0·04	...	...	0·42
			Raghunathpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·12	...	...	0·06	...	0·03	0·59	...	...	0·25
			Barahabhum	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·97	...	...	0·93	0·10	1·95	...	0·58	...	0·91
			Jhalda ...	0·49	0·02	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	0·30	...	0·10	...
			Chas ...	3·00	2·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·04	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	1·00	0·40	...	...
			Pandra ...	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·35	...	...	2·15	...	0·38	0·38
		Singhbhum ...	Chaibassa ...	0·02	0·74	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	...	0·72	0·84	...	...	0·74	0·06	0·06	0·10
			Chakradharpur	0·07	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·51	...	...	1·13	...	...	0·54	...	...	0·91	1·41
			Ghatsila ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·57	...	2·00	...	...	...	...	0·87	0·05
			Baharagura ...	...	0·05	...	0·63	1·85	...	...	...	...	0·02	1·49	...	...	...	0·16	...	0·59	...	1·03	0·12
			Gaalkura ...												Not recorded.								
			Kalikapur ...	0·56	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	1·14	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·46	1·10
			Manoharpur ...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·45	...
			Katbari ...	...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	1·40	...	...	0·07	...	...	0·24	...	...	0·34
			Seraikela ...	...	0·04	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	1·04	...	0·01	0·16	...	...	1·13	...	0·05	0·67
			Kharsawan ...	...	0·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	...	...	0·96	...	...	0·22	...	...	0·71

in Bengal in June 1903—*concluded.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 30th June 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 30th June.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
...	...	...	...	0·41	1·16	0·49	...	0·45	0·30	14	12·00	6·08	9·06	1·16	7·07	10·25	Assenboni ...	Sonthal Parganas—*concld.*	Bhagalpur—*concld.*	BIHAR—*concld.*
...	...	...	...	0·02	0·42	0·21	1·56	...	...	11	11·00	7·99	12·25	1·59	9·73	13·13	Katikund.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·30	...	0·50	7	11·86	5·10	10·23	1·30	5·30	11·66	Madhupur.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·38	0·37	0·10	...	...	11	13·07	4·14	11·30	0·98	4·58	11·89	Sarwan.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·71	0·07	...	...	6	13·00	2·31	9·67	0·71	3·74	10·85	Sarath.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	9·33	1·20	9·98	0·75	1·46	10·96	Barkope.			
0·74	...	...	...	...	0·75	1·26	...	...	...	7	8·43	8·99	9·24	1·88	8·99	10·28	Bhagya.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·68	0·09	0·30	...	10·94	13	11·00	11·61	10·35	1·02	13·39	11·83	Moheepur.			
...	...	...	...	0·15	0·40	1·60	...	...	...	10	?	7·87	?	2·06	8·65	?	*Hiranpur.*			
...	...	...	...	...	0·24	0·50	1·17	...	...	11	12·29	8·32	9·83	2·15	9·80	11·61	Barharwa.			
...	0·11	...	...	...	0·23	0·33	1·11	...	0·28	18	11·29	10·26	11·33	1·44	10·36	12·58	Sahibganj.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·59	0·14	2·18	...	...	11	?	8·47	?	2·18	8·66	?	*Bario.*			
...	...	...	0·23	1·50	...	0·05	0·65	...	2·00	6	8·57	5·78	7·75	2·00	6·90	8·99	Jagatsingpur	Cuttack.	Orissa.	ORISSA.
...	...	...	0·03	1·56	0·03	0·10	1·30	...	0·66	7	10·94	6·36	9·66	1·30	8·30	11·49	Banki.			
0·07	...	...	0·04	0·10	...	0·05	0·86	...	2·22	8	11·26	7·44	10·91	2·22	11·40	13·73	Cuttack.			
...	...	...	0·87	...	0·59	0·67	4·35	0·06	2·06	10	9·27	11·69	9·27	4·85	13·35	12·41	False Point.			
0·01	...	...	0·14	0·08	...	...	1·77	0·02	1·63	7	9·60	6·08	9·47	1·77	8·46	12·49	Kendrapara.			
0·10	...	...	0·04	0·10	...	0·52	1·58	0·01	0·25	12	11·07	8·96	9·91	1·72	11·55	13·37	Jajpur.			
...	...	0·04	1·13	...	0·48	1·23	...	0·26	...	7	10·67	6·34	10·11	1·30	7·21	14·15	Dharmsala.			
0·15	...	...	0·45	1·65	...	...	1·10	...	2·50	8	11·00	7·84	10·60	2·50	10·58	13·74	Salepur.			
0·09	...	...	...	0·10	0·08	0·22	1·70	0·01	0·10	10	11·88	5·89	9·28	1·70	9·75	13·83	Akhyapada ...	Balasore.		
0·13	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	0·83	...	...	9	9·57	5·28	8·28	1·44	8·52	11·29	Chandbali.			
0·35	...	...	...	0·05	0·19	0·24	2·06	0·01	0·25	14	11·30	8·96	9·58	2·27	11·11	13·15	Bhadrak.			
0·13	...	...	...	0·42	0·98	0·04	0·33	...	0·07	12	9·96	8·46	8·20	1·74	9·37	11·72	Soro			
0·95	...	...	...	0·74	0·07	...	0·15	...	0·90	9	11·00	6·67	10·37	1·73	7·21	13·56	Balasore.			
0·42	...	...	0·11	0·72	2·55	0·04	0·07	...	...	9	9·93	10·35	8·71	2·55	11·05	11·25	Jellasore.			
...	0·07	...	...	3·11	...	0·64	0·13	...	0·22	9	10·70	6·16	9·67	3·11	7·19	11·45	Angul ...	Angul.		
...	...	...	...	0·45	...	0·07	0·85	...	0·30	8	10·65	5·13	9·88	1·35	7·13	11·01	Bissipara.			
...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	0·10	...	...	8	?	6·84	?	2·16	8·37	?	*Chhendipada.*			
0·74	...	...	1·31	...	0·35	0·58	...	0·11	...	8	?	5·10	?	1·31	5·90	?	*Tikerpara.*			
...	...	...	1·06	0·10	...	...	...	0·26	...	5	?	2·40	?	1·06	4·75	?	*Kumarkhola.*			
...	...	...	...	0·46	...	0·25	0·37	...	0·60	10	10·60	4·15	9·02	1·30	5·16	11·39	Baramba ...	Orissa Tributary Mahals.		
...	...	...	...	1·03	...	1·05	0·15	...	0·37	11	9·74	6·46	8·89	1·05	6·80	10·43	Kunjabangarh			
...	...	...	...	2·13	...	0·07	0·20	...	0·38	7	12·15	5·61	10·48	2·13	7·19	12·46	Dhenkanal.			
...	...	...	...	0·16	...	0·04	0·18	...	1·64	7	?	3·47	?	1·64	5·58	?	*Baisinga.*			
...	...	...	0·10	...	0·40	0·37	...	...	...	7	10·67	4·37	6·78	1·00	6·77	7·99	Keonjhar.			
...	...	...	...	0·11	1·30	0·50	0·49	...	...	9	12·75	10·31	10·39	3·00	13·37	12·52	Anandapur.			
1·50	...	...	...	0·37	2·08	...	...	0·24	...	11	12·59	8·26	10·95	2·08	14·51	13·43	Baripada.			
0·16	...	...	0·35	...	0·30	0·22	...	...	...	9	11·36	3·37	9·14	0·95	5·21	10·28	Narsingpur.			
...	...	...	...	1·45	...	...	0·39	...	0·42	9	10·00	4·09	9·66	1·45	5·70	10·63	Nayagarh.			
0·06	...	...	...	0·49	...	...	0·20	...	0·20	6	11·46	4·61	12·05	1·93	5·90	12·92	Pal Lahera.			
...	...	...	...	2·37	...	0·62	0·54	...	0·17	9	10·63	5·15	10·03	2·37	6·96	10·94	Ranpur.			
...	...	...	...	2·26	...	0·36	0·51	...	1·47	8	11·40	7·64	9·59	2·26	9·80	11·21	Talcher.			
...	...	...	0·43	0·33	0·30	0·50	...	...	1·30	8	?	8·60	?	4·45	9·92	?	*Atmalik.*			
...	...	...	1·03	...	0·45	0·24	...	1·06	...	10	?	6·90	?	1·50	7·30	?	*Bamdol.*			
...	...	...	0·17	...	...	1·32	...	...	...	6	?	4·61	?	1·26	6·26	?	*Boad.*			
...	...	...	0·11	0·22	0·88	...	0·32	...	0·20	7	8·11	4·31	7·90	1·95	6·63	9·96	Puri	Puri.		
0·14	...	...	0·08	1·90	...	0·40	0·46	...	1·02	8	10·67	7·67	9·38	2·05	8·98	11·46	Khurda.			
0·06	...	...	0·02	0·42	...	...	...	...	0·20	5	9·41	4·27	8·34	1·45	3·76	9·34	Bhanpur.			
...	...	...	0·30	1·00	0·46	0·05	1·10	0·02	...	5	9·33	4·56	7·09	1·10	6·56	10·16	Gop.			
...	...	...	0·04	0·86	1·30	...	...	...	0·11	7	6·18	5·07	6·41	1·95	5·17	10·07	Satpara.			
...	...	...	0·21	0·38	0·04	...	0·03	...	1·42	8	9·60	6·09	8·22	2·63	10·46	10·82	Pipli.			
1·05	...	...	...	2·20	0·50	...	...	...	0·10	7	?	7·30	?	3·10	12·90	?	*Kanas.*			
0·48	...	...	...	...	0·41	0·37	0·11	...	0·01	7	11·63	2·37	8·79	0·46	2·57	10·33	Pachamba (*Giridih*).	Hazaribagh.	Chota Nagpur.	CHOTA NAGPUR.
0·07	...	...	...	...	0·29	0·34	0·25	...	...	7	11·19	3·40	8·78	1·39	3·70	10·07	Hazaribagh.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·29	0·33	...	...	...	6	9·00	2·43	7·03	0·75	3·31	8·13	Barhi.			
0·32	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	3	9·12	1·08	8·81	0·41	2·90	9·91	Chatra.			
0·10	0·03	...	...	0·30	1·30	0·56	...	...	...	9	10·07	4·84	8·96	1·30	8·54	10·85	Kharagdiha.			
...	0·30	...	...	1·30	...	0·40	0·30	0·20	0·10	11	8·07	6·61	8·19	1·30	7·30	9·31	Ramgarh.			
0·70	...	...	...	...	1·11	0·84	0·15	...	0·22	8	?	6·10	?	1·58	6·86	?	*Kodarma.*			
...	...	...	...	...	0·82	0·51	0·20	...	...	9	10·32	2·70	8·53	0·82	5·13	9·30	Lohardaga	Ranchi.		
...	...	0·12	...	...	0·78	0·49	0·59	...	...	8	12·47	4·86	8·16	2·16	7·46	9·77	Ranchi.			
0·15	...	...	...	...	1·20	0·45	0·30	0·02	0·35	15	5·79	7·67	8·87	2·22	9·37	10·28	Silli.			
0·50	1·40	...	0·65	0·15	0·33	0·24					11·57		11·63	1·40		12·35	Palkot.			
...	...	...	...	0·65	...	1·67	...	...	...	4	?	3·91	?	1·37	6·43	?	*Bano.*			
0·49	0·31	...	...	...	1·56	0·41	0·07	0·34	1·04	9	12·14	3·94	12·75	1·56	7·63	13·82	Tamar.			
0·79	...	...	0·73	3·17	1·10	0·67	...	...	...	10	?	7·11	?	3·17		?	*Kurdeg.*			
0·34	...	...	...	0·06	0·16	0·78	1·23	0·10	0·68	12	?	6·09	?	1·23	8·09	?	*Gomla.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	1	10·71	0·33	7·09	0·33	1·76	8·18	Chainpur.			
											9·32		10·10			10·83	Sirguja ...	Chota Nagpur Tributary States.		
0·16	...	...	0·41	0·71	3·17	0·20	...	...	0·20	9	11·79	6·30	11·36	3·17	8·50	12·34	Jashpur.			
...	...	...	0·57	1·57	0·39	0·18	0·11	...	...	10	10·37	7·03	9·85	2·30	8·15	10·76	Gangpur.			
0·01	0·24	0·84	...	0·22	0·18	0·87	...	0·01	...	9	8·48	2·60	6·10	0·84	3·38	6·91	Palamau (*Daltonganj*)	Palamau.		
...	...	...	...	0·50	1·12	...	...	...	0·60	6	9·37	3·32	8·50	1·12	4·40	9·39	Balumath.			
...	...	0·19	1·00	...	1·40	...	...	...	0·50	5	7·00	3·79	6·53	1·40	3·79	7·16	Husainabad.			
...	...	0·26	...	0·15	0·08	0·22	...	...	...	4	6·25	1·47	6·03	0·52	1·56	6·79	Garhwa.			
0·04	0·09	...	...	0·06	0·08	0·94	...	...	0·02	8	?	1·91	?	0·94	4·77	?	*Mahuadanr.*			
...	...	...	...	0·17	0·08	0·93	...	...	...	4	?	2·38	?	0·93	2·58	?	*Panki.*			
...	0·08	0·09	...	0·40	0·19	0·15	...	...	...	4	?	1·98	?	1·02	2·80	?	*Latehar.*			
...	...	0·37	...	0·12	0·37	1·24	...	0·04	...	4	?	2·14	?	1·24	2·14	?	*Nagarutari.*			
0·05	0·08	...	0·03	...	0·04	0·04	0·08	0·08	0·22	6	?	1·06	?	0·26	2·41	?	*Ranka.*			
...	...	0·28	...	1·64	0·11	0·96	...	...	...	6	?	3·07	?	1·64	3·07	?	*Chattarpur.*			
0·28	0·20	...	...	...	0·59	0·17	0·42	0·19	...	10	13·39	6·93	10·07	2·70	7·96	12·05	Purulia ...	Manbhum.		
0·21	...	...	...	...	1·22	0·21	0·26	...	0·21	9	10·71	4·53	9·46	1·22	5·09	10·22	Gobindpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	0·06	0·64	...	6	9·30	2·09	7·47	0·64	3·15	9·49	Raghunathpur.			
...	...	...	0·30	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	9	11·00	5·84	10·94	1·08	7·18	12·86	Barabhum.			
0·20	...	...	...	...	0·84	0·39	0·70	0·05	...	8	11·29	3·90	10·21	0·84	4·34	11·89	Jhalda.			
0·02	...	...	...	1·75	0·12	...	0·50	0·50	0·15	10	9·87	9·78	8·06	2·90	15·44	9·90	Chas.			
...	...	...	...	...	1·79	0·41	1·05	0·31	...	9	13·00	6·86	11·90	2·15	6·90	12·63	Pandra.			
1·18	...	...	0·04	0·17	1·30	...	0·45	0·02	0·78	12	11·39	7·35	8·41	1·30	8·06	10·06	Chaibassa.	Singhbhum.		
0·05	...	...	...	2·90	...	...	...	...	...	8	11·64	8·25	8·96	2·90	13·87	10·97	Chakradharpur			
0·49	...	...	...	1·03	1·34	0·15	0·20	0·30	0·21	10	11·27	7·08	10·68	2·00	8·60	13·16	Ghatsila.			
1·28	...	...	...	3·25	0·66	...	1·37	...	...	11	10·60	11·84	10·83	3·25	13·20	13·19	Baharagora.			
Not recorded.											11·38		8·85			10·58	Gaikura.			
0·56	...	...	...	...	4·08	0·34	0·16	0·67	0·76	12	16·35	10·43	15·68	4·08	13·90	18·14	Kalikapur.			
1·05	...	...	...	...	1·25	1·05	3·20	...	...	8	11·29	8·02	11·36	1·45	10·43	12·65	Monoharpur.			
0·46	...	...	...	0·07	1·06	...	1·06	...	0·98	6	?	6·15	?	1·49	9·72	?	*Kaibera.*			
1·13	0·01	...	...	...	3·94	...	0·70	...	0·14	9	?	9·21	?	2·94	11·40	?	*Seraikella.*			
1·52	...	...	...	...	10·54	0·37	0·53	0·05	1·05	6	?	17·10	?	10·84	19·49	?	*Kharsawan.*			

SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL AND RAINFALL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL, AND OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN ASSAM, FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1903.

In the west of Bihar and Chota Nagpur almost rainless weather prevailed during the first two weeks of June; in other parts of the Province throughout the month, and in the above western districts during the latter half, showers were of daily occurrence, with two periods of almost general heavy rainfall, more especially in the east. The first period of heavy rain began about the 16th in the east, and continued for four or five days in Assam and Bengal Proper. The cause of the rainfall is not apparent, but there was probably a depression developing over Bengal as pressure fell, during those days, from being more than ·1 inch above to about ·16 inch below the normal, the latter in East Bengal on the 20th and 21st.

The low-pressure area was slowly displaced southward over the north of the Bay, where, as compared with the normal, there was a very slight depression on the 23rd, but a brisk rise was general in the depression area on the following day, and the distribution had become practically normal.

On the 25th a shallow depression formed in South-West Bengal with a regular cyclonic arrangement of light winds. This depression, without intensifying, moved first in a north-westerly direction into Chota Nagpur, then recurved, and passing over the west of Bihar on the 27th broke up on reaching the Himalayas. During its northerly advance moderate rain fell in the western districts. The rainfall became more heavy after the recurving commenced on the 26th, and thereafter for two days very heavy rain fell in North Bengal. The heaviest falls in 24 hours during those days in North Bengal were 11 inches at Bhagatpur and Fulbari. On the 27th and 28th the majority of the stations in Jalpaiguri, Darjeeling, and Cooch Bihar districts reported from 2 to 6 inches.

Except during these two periods of general rainfall, when well-marked monsoon conditions prevailed, the weather was remarkable for the numerous thunderstorms to which the showers were due. These local storms not only caused a fair amount of rainfall in Bengal Proper and some of the western districts, but also almost continuous low temperature. Maximum temperature on an average for the month was 1° to 3° below the normal in North Bengal, the adjacent part of East Bengal, and the greater part of Bihar, the lowest temperatures being at Motihari and Darbhanga. Minimum temperature was below the normal by about 1° except in Chota Nagpur. Mean temperature was low in Assam, North Bengal, and Bihar, about normal in Lower Bengal, and high in Orissa and Chota Nagpur—by 2° in the latter.

Unusually settled weather prevailed over the Bay. No cyclonic storm formed over the sea, but a local storm of an exceptional character developed on the 11th in the south of Orissa. It appears to have been a disturbance of the thunderstorm class, though more widely extended than these usually are, with high pressure in the centre. In the early morning strong northerly winds with rough sea developed at Gopalpur, and the disturbance moving rapidly southward squally weather was experienced in the north of the Circars on the forenoon of the 11th and in the south of the Circars in the afternoon. By the morning of the 12th weather was again settled on that part of the coast, but pressure was still high at Coconada and Masulipatam.

On the 16th and 17th some disturbance occurred on the Madras coast, but there was no low-pressure area or cyclonic winds, and the only change was a sudden widespread fall of temperature.

At the beginning of the month pressure was high and rising in Bengal, and the distribution was uniform for the season. Light winds prevailed over the Bay except in the north-west angle; and showers were fairly general at inland stations. The rise of pressure continued for several days, but there was little change in the general weather conditions except that temperature was as much as 6° below the normal in parts of North Bengal and Bihar on the 2nd and 3rd and again on the 6th.

Rainfall was less general during the second week, temperature rose, and was considerably above the normal, especially in the western districts. Considerable oscillations in pressure occurred with some defect at times, but by the middle of the month conditions had become very similar to what prevailed at the beginning. Then the first general disturbance began. At first there was only a slight fall of pressure in the east on the 16th, with general rainfall in Bengal Proper and a rapid fall of temperature in the northern districts. Pressure continued to fall on the 17th and 18th—rapidly on the latter date, and on the 19th the area of lowest pressure was in the west of Bihar. During these days rainfall continued heavy in Bengal Proper. It extended slowly westward, and was most general in the western districts on the 20th and 21st.

Pressure was still low on the 20th, but it began to rise on the 21st. This rise continued until the 24th, when there was a normal distribution except in the east of the Bay, where there was a small defect.

On the 25th a rapid fall of pressure occurred in South-West Bengal, and the second disturbance of the month began. The shallow depression moved towards Chota Nagpur on the 25th, and was in the west of Bihar on the 26th. The pressure gradient was throughout not more than moderate over the Bay, and the strong winds were confined to the north-west angle. On the 27th Saugor Island reported 29 and Gopalpur 30 miles an hour.

Heavy rainfall was reported from the extreme north of the Province on the 27th The rapid rise of pressure which set in over the west of Bihar after the depression broke up caused a low-pressure area over the central districts with continued heavy rainfall in North Bengal. As the rising pressure advanced eastward, this low-pressure area disappeared, and by the 30th rainfall had, to a large extent, ceased.

Pressure was generally high during the early part of the month. Soon after the 15th, apparently in connection with the rainfall which about that date became general over Bengal, a brisk fall of pressure occurred, and for some days there was moderate defect.

The recovery, which was practically completed by the 24th, was immediately followed by the formation of a shallow depression over South-West Bengal. During the passage of this depression northwards over the western districts, pressure was again low in Bengal until the 27th, on which date a rapid rise began in Bihar and extended eastward over the Province. By the end of the month high pressure was again established over the whole area.

Owing to the high pressure during the first half of the month and the low pressure in the latter half, mean pressure for the whole month is normal or in slight excess. The greatest excess is ·03 inch in North Bengal and parts of East Bengal and Bihar.

Temperature was at times high in the western districts, and day readings were more frequently above than below the normal in Lower Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, and the west of Bihar. Mean maximum temperature for the month was, as already stated, above the normal by 1° or 2° except in North Bengal and the adjacent parts of Bihar and East Bengal. Mean minimum temperature was about 1° below the normal except in Chota Nagpur, where there was a small excess.

The mean variation from the normal in Chota Nagpur was an excess of 2°, in Orissa nearly 1°, and in South-West Bengal about half a degree. In North Bengal, Bihar, and Assam there was defect of between a half and one degree, and in East Bengal mean temperature was practically normal.

Rainfall was almost nil in the west of Bihar and Chota Nagpur during the first two weeks. With that exception showery weather was almost general throughout the month, and two periods of moderate to heavy rain in all parts of the Province occurred about the 16th and 25th. Rainfall was at times very heavy in the eastern districts, more especially in the extreme north-east, after the shallow depression filled up in Bihar on the 27th. Owing to the local character of the rainfall, except during those two periods, the total fall for the month was considerably below the normal in the western districts, while in the east of Bengal and in Assam there was a moderate excess.

North Bengal received 20·5 and East Bengal 19·7 inches—the former 2·8 and the latter 2·2 inches in excess. In South-West Bengal and Bihar defect was 1·6 inches, in Orissa 2·1 inches, and in Chota Nagpur 3·9 inches.

All the stations in Assam for which information has been received give excess amounts except Silchar, where there was a small defect. Sibsagar received more than double the normal, Shillong 9 inches excess, Dhubri 7 inches excess, and Gauhati 5 inches excess. At Cherapunjee the fall was 110 inches, the normal being 102.

The following table gives the rainfall of the various Divisions of Bengal in June and in each of the previous months of the present year as compared with the normal values for the same periods. The figures given represent the actual falls expressed as percentages of the normal falls :—

Meteorological Divisions.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Actual rainfall of first six months of 1903 expressed as a percentage of the normal fall for the period.
South-West Bengal	153	107	155	58	64	86	83
North Bengal ...	66	40	96	9	67	116	88
East Bengal ...	138	134	139	17	57	112	88
Bihar ...	31	62	42	44	43	80	67
Orissa ...	342	128	55	55	57	77	76
Chota Nagpur ...	176	96	58	148	98	58	76

The following table gives full data for the comparison of the actual and normal rainfall of the month of June in all districts in the Province:—

Percentage Table for June 1903.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for June.	Actual district rainfall for June 1903.	Percentage of actual to normal rainfall.	Percentage excess (+), defect (—).
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan ...	10·15	7·69	76	—24
	Birbhum ...	11·30	6·86	61	+39
	Bankura ...	10·83	6·07	56	—44
	Midnapore ...	10·25	7·46	73	—27
	Hooghly ...	10·36	9·04	87	—13
	Howrah ...	10·93	10·66	98	— 2
	24-Parganas ...	10·89	8·99	83	—17
	Calcutta ...	11·04	10·70	97	— 3
	Nadia ...	9·99	10·33	103	+ 3
	Murshidabad ...	10·14	11·21	111	+11
	Jessore ...	11·69	14·59	125	+25
	Khulna ...	12·74	12·62	99	+ 1
North Bengal ...	Rajshahi ...	10·51	10·69	102	+ 2
	Dinajpur ...	13·78	12·43	90	+10
	Jalpaiguri ...	26·66	29·05	109	+ 9
	Darjeeling ...	22·59	27·12	120	+20
	Cooch Behar ...	27·44	33·92	124	+24
	Rangpur ...	17·06	22·28	131	+31
	Bogra ...	12·83	17·37	135	+35
	Pabna ...	11·49	11·11	97	— 3
East Bengal ...	Dacca ...	12·64	16·52	131	+31
	Mymensingh ...	17·90	27·11	151	+51
	Faridpur ...	12·37	12·27	99	— 1
	Backergunge ...	17·37	14·69	85	—15
	Tippera ...	14·58	18·81	129	+29
	Noakhali ...	22·20	24·27	109	+ 9
	Chittagong ...	23·56	18·45	78	—22
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	19·89	21·21	107	+ 7
Bihar ...	Patna ...	7·71	2·94	38	—62
	Gaya ...	6·52	2·60	40	—60
	Shahabad ...	6·45	3·59	56	—44
	Saran ...	7·91	5·83	74	—26
	Champaran ...	9·34	13·37	143	+43
	Muzaffarpur ...	7·41	7·74	104	+ 4
	Darbhanga ...	7·47	10·84	145	+45
	Monghyr ...	7·62	5·03	66	—34
	Bhagalpur ...	8·34	9·51	114	+14
	Purnea ..	12·60	11·92	95	— 5
	Malda ...	10·11	9·74	96	— 4
	Sonthal Parganas ...	9·79	6·46	66	—34
Orissa ...	Cuttack ...	9·71	7·61	78	—22
	Balasore ...	9·10	7·76	85	—15
	Puri ...	8·22	5·38	65	—35
Chota Nagpur ...	Hazaribagh ...	8·43	3·26	39	—61
	Ranchi ...	9·64	4·40	46	—54
	Palamau ...	6·80	2·80	41	—59
	Manbhum ...	9·59	5·70	59	—41
	Singhbhum ...	10·57	9·11	86	—14

The following table gives the summary of the temperature and rainfall data of each of the seven meteorological divisions of the Province for the month of June 1903:—

Meteorological Divisions.	Temperature.						Rainfall							
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	Averages for month.			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month.	Of month.			Rainy days			Since 16th May 1903	
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day	Of mean of each day.		Average.	Normal average.	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal	106·4	71·2	94·5	78·6	86·6	+0·4	9·25	10·80	—1·55	11·55	13·39	—0·84	11·75	13·91
North Bengal	98·1	69·1	88·6	76·0	82·4	—0·6	20·53	17·77	+2·76	15·47	14·73	+0·76	25·38	23·94
East Bengal	98·3	69·9	88·2	76·8	82·5	—0·1	19·71	17·56	+2·15	18·11	16·12	+1·99	23·87	23·61
Bihar	111·3	66·9	94·6	78·3	86·4	—0·6	6·69	8·34	—1·66	8·78	9·13	—0·34	7·45	9·79
Orissa	106·5	68·9	92·4	80·1	86·3	+0·7	6·99	9·08	—2·09	8·55	10·06	—1·51	8·96	11·84
Chota Nagpur*	113·6	69·4	96·5	78·2	86·4	+2·0	5·31	9·22	—3·91	8·40	10·64	—2·24	6·97	10·69
Assam	97·6	60·0	87·3	75·4	81·4	—0·8								

* Purulia not included.

Meteorological Office, Bengal,
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Vital Statistics of the districts of Bengal for the month of May 1903.

Divisions.	Districts.	Population under registration.	Births.		Deaths.																Average of corresponding month of previous five years.		Remarks.
					Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injury.		Other causes.		Total of all causes.				
			Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Burdwan	Burdwan	1,532,475	4,057	31·92	328	2·52	104	·72	...	...	3,878	22·44	87	·60	4	·02	41	·24	667	5·16	4,104	32·04	3,987	23·28	
	Birbhum	902,280	2,751	36·48	22	·24	74	·96	...	...	1,364	17·04	7	·08	...	...	19	·24	412	5·40	1,818	24·12	1,629	21·60	
	Bankura	1,116,411	4,029	43·20	441	4·68	48	·48	...	...	1,991	21·36	41	·36	...	...	24	·24	667	7·32	3,232	34 68	2,238	24·00	
	Midnapore	2,789,114	7,343	31·56	291	1 20	460	1·92	...	...	3,658	15·60	116	·48	10	·03	46	·12	853	3·60	5,428	23·28	5,653	24 36	
	Hooghly, including Serampore.	1,040,282	1,966	22·68	175	1 92	19	·12	3	·02	1,844	21 00	194	2 04	26	·24	60	·60	320	3·72	2,640	30 12	2,309	26 40	
Presidency	Howrah	850,514	1,763	24·84	263	3·60	34	·36	63	·84	817	12·36	346	4·80	11	·12	37	·48	428	6·00	2,089	29·04	1,757	24·72	
	24-Parganas	2,078,369	5,357	30·72	480	2·64	67	·36	6	·02	2,406	13·80	126	·72	17	·09	63	·36	554	3·24	3,719	21 oo	3,134	18·00	
	Calcutta	847,796	983	13·80	269	3·72	3	·03	320	4·44	376	5·28	184	2 52	255	3·60	32	·36	581	5·76	2,080	29·36	2,259	32·04	
	Nadia	1,667,491	3,789	27·24	1,210	8·64	4	·02	...	...	3,955	28 44	17	12	...	...	73	·48	347	2·40	5,605	40 32	3,723	26·76	
	Murshidabad	1,333,184	3,861	34·68	68	·60	43	·36	...	...	2,787	25 08	2	·01	...	...	49	·36	328	2·88	3,277	29·40	2,704	24·24	
	Jessore	1,813,155	4,158	27 48	807	5·28	4	·02	...	...	3,614	23 88	3	·01	2	·01	67	·36	280	1 80	4,777	31·56	3,963	26·16	
	Khulna	1,268,043	2,963	28·32	580	5·64	...	...	...	...	1,407	13·41	27	·24	...	...	71	·60	525	4·92	2,619	25·02	2,390	22·80	
Rajshahi	Rajshahi	1,462,467	3,961	32·40	837	6·84	36	·24	...	...	3,954	32·40	8	·06	9	·07	67	·48	313	2 52	5,234	42 84	4,315	35·40	
	Dinajpur	1,567,080	4,282	32·76	144	1·08	30	·12	...	...	4,544	34·44	3	·01	1	·007	39	·24	202	1 44	4,923	37 68	4,580	34·80	
	Jalpaiguri	787,380	1 685	25·68	129	1·92	18	·24	...	...	2,303	35 04	53	·72	...	...	15	·12	42	·60	2,560	39·00	2,611	39 72	
	Darjeeling	240,117	624	30·00	1	·04	...	...	...	...	691	28 92	96	4 56	6	·24	3	·12	92	4·32	719	38 40	930	44·76	
	Rangpur	2,184,181	4,547	25·32	100	·48	180	·96	...	...	4,166	23·04	8	·03	...	...	23	·12	181	·96	4,658	25 92	4,942	27·48	
	Bogra	854,853	2,040	28·68	151	2·52	166	2 28	...	...	1,612	22 56	8	·10	...	...	40	·48	125	1·68	2,132	29·88	1,816	25·44	
	Pabna	1,420,461	3,296	27·24	423	3·60	22	1·68	...	...	3,465	29·16	22	·12	1	·008	63	·48	160	1·32	4,341	36·60	3,938	33·24	
Dacca	Dacca	2,640,523	5,575	26·52	702	3·12	144	·60	1	·003	4,131	18·12	196	·84	13	·04	63	·24	906	4·08	6,051	27 36	5,494	24·84	
	Mymensingh	3,915,068	8,272	25·32	2,017	6·12	72	·12	...	...	5,689	17 40	135	·36	5	·01	77	·12	923	2 76	8,916	27·24	7,948	24·36	
	Faridpur	1,937,646	4,629	28·68	413	2·52	1	·01	...	...	3,671	22 68	68	·36	...	...	66	·36	770	4 80	4,929	30·84	5,058	31·32	
	Backergunge	2,291,752	6,078	31·80	1,105	5·76	13	·08	...	...	5,347	18·48	47	·24	...	...	114	·48	1,714	8·88	6,540	31 20	5,907	30·84	
Chittagong	Tippera	2,117,991	4,960	26·40	228	1 20	48	·24	...	...	3,681	18·12	41	·12	14	·07	93	·48	546	3 00	3,615	20 64	4,024	22·80	
	Noakhali	1,141,728	2,218	33·72	96	·96	1	·009	...	...	2,023	21·24	16	·12	...	...	42	·48	247	2 52	2,429	25·44	2,385	35·52	
	Chittagong	1,553,250	4,139	36·60	836	7 32	...	...	...	...	2,362	25·32	57	·48	...	...	43	·36	132	1 08	3,920	34·68	3,281	29·04	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Patna	Patna	1,624,985	4,295	31·68	186	1·32	303	2·16	214	1·56	1,867	11·52	372	2 64	35	·24	85	·60	1,704	12 48	4,466	32·88	4,539	35·64	Not under registration.
	Gaya	2,089,933	6,254	36·60	76	·36	156	1 08	42	·24	4,219	24·48	61	·24	...	...	81	·36	726	4 20	5,320	31·32	4,996	29·04	
	Shahabad	1,963,696	4,966	30·48	549	3·24	84	·48	59	·36	4,780	29·16	16	·09	2	·01	84	·24	678	4 08	6,223	38·04	4,548	27·72	
	Saran	2,409,509	6,955	34 56	358	1·68	171	·84	408	1·92	4,451	20·16	396	1 80	48	·12	72	·24	2,611	12 96	8,085	40·20	6,746	33·48	
	Champaran	1,780,463	4,882	32 64	383	2·52	92	·60	...	...	3,713	24 84	13	·08	...	...	56	·36	899	6·00	5,155	34·44	4,615	30 84	
	Muzaffarpur	2,754,756	7,713	33·48	974	4·20	470	2·04	55	·12	6,211	27 00	96	·36	8	·02	103	·36	1,220	5·28	9,146	39·84	7,932	34·44	
	Darbhanga	2,912,611	7,404	30·48	786	3·12	84	·24	636	2·76	5,820	23·88	73	·24	...	...	117	·48	1,055	4·32	8,851	36·40	8,430	34·68	
Bhagalpur	Monghyr	2,068,804	5,319	30·84	388	2·16	185	·96	21	·12	3,690	21·72	15	·08	2	·01	60	·24	671	3·84	6,002	28 92	5,334	30 84	
	Bhagalpur	2,068,983	5,144	29·52	1,212	6 96	63	·36	2	·01	3,791	21 72	18	·09	1	·004	65	·36	455	2 52	5,613	32·16	5,878	33·72	
	Purnea	1,974,794	4,146	24·52	218	1·32	27	·12	...	...	4,749	30·36	3	·01	...	...	46	·24	116	·72	5,159	33·00	6,991	44·64	
	Malda	884,090	2,741	37·20	197	2·64	22	·24	...	...	2,263	30 60	14	·12	...	...	18	·24	228	3·00	2,742	37·32	2,065	27·96	
	Sonthal Parganas	1,809,737	5,455	36 12	224	1·44	535	3·48	...	...	3,014	19·92	26	·12	1	·006	51	·12	358	2 28	4,189	27·72	3,091	20·40	
Orissa	Cuttack	2,062,758	7,229	42·00	1,956	11 28	63	·36	...	...	1,683	9·72	536	3·00	55	24	118	·60	1,260	7·32	5,671	32·88	5,056	29·40	
	Balasore	1,071,197	4,107	45·96	623	6 96	29	·24	...	...	693	7·68	142	1·56	...	...	45	·48	950	10 56	2,482	27 72	2,570	28·68	
	Puri	1,017,284	3,362	39 60	1,805	21 24	45	·48	...	...	562	6 60	261	3·00	32	·36	55	·60	909	10·68	3,670	43·20	2,565	30·24	
	Angul and Khondmals	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh	1,177,961	2,853	29·24	69	·60	24	·24	...	...	1,797	18·24	21	·12	...	...	45	·36	493	4·92	2,449	24·84	2,486	25·32	Not under registration.
	Ranchi	1,147,925	4,206	42·48	...	...	41	·36	...	...	1,336	13·68	101	·96	4	·03	44	·36	821	8·28	2,367	23·88	2,305	29·20	
	Palamau	619,690	1,736	33·60	21	·36	107	2·04	...	...	1,066	21·00	10	·12	5	·09	22	·36	209	3·96	1,460	28·20	1,490	28·80	
	Manbhum	1,301,364	5,150	47 76	748	6 84	69	·60	...	...	2,261	20 76	35	·24	1	·008	19	·12	806	7 32	3,939	36·24	2,635	24·24	
	Singhbhum	613,579	1,670	32 64	149	2 64	65	1·20	...	...	756	14·76	22	·36	...	...	17	·24	124	2·40	1,124	21·96	1,014	19 80	
	Total	74,428,193	196,975	31·68	23,038	3·60	4,433	·60	188	·24	1,30,198	20·88	4,092	·60	568	·08	2,509	·36	28,656	4·56	195,388	31·44	178,469	28·68	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	204,691	33·00	15,489	2·40	3,854	·60	Data not available.		123,169	19·80	4,136	·60	Data not available.		2,906	·36	28,428	4·56	178,469	28·68	.....	.....	
	Difference + or —	.....	−7,716	−1·32	+7,539	+1·20	+399	Equal			+7,028	+1·08	−44	Equal			−397	Equal	+228	Equal	+16,919	+2·76	.....	.....	

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,
The 11th July 1903.

F. C. CLARKSON, MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of May 1903

Districts.	Towns.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.																AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS.		Remarks.
					CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURY.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.				
			Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Burdwan	1. Burdwan	35,022	29	9·94	11	3·72	...	...	...	...	3	10·56	6	2·04	...	...	...	...	10	3·30	58	19·80	74	25·32	
Bankura	2. Bankura	20,737	27	15 60	48	27 72	...	...	...	...	48	17·28	4	1·44	...	...	...	...	22	7·92	78	28·20	95	34 32	
Midnapore	3. Midnapore	33,140	76	27 48	2	·72	2	·72	...	...	81	20 76	13	5·28	3	1·20	3	1·20	10	4 08	106	43 20	130	53·04	
Hooghly	4. Hooghly and Chinsura	23,383	38	15·48	26	10 56	...	...	...	...	50	13·44	15	3·96	...	...	1	·24	6	1·56	106	28 56	138	35·52	
Howrah	5. Serampore	44,461	47	18 84	32	8 59	...	...	2	·48	180	13·68	101	7 68	11	·72	6	·36	116	8 76	606	46 08	448	34 08	
	6. Howrah	157,594	235	17 88	111	8 40	21	1·56	60	4·56	15	4·32	9	2 64	...	...	...	...	5	1 44	31	8 76	36	10·56	
24-Parganas	7. Cossipore-Chitpur	40,750	34	10·56	1	·24	...	...	...	...	11	3·96	5	1 80	...	...	1	·36	6	2 16	33	12·12	30	11 04	
	8. Maniktala	32,387	29	10·68	10	3·60	...	...	...	...	32	14·72	2	·84	...	...	...	...	2	·84	41	18 60	65	29 52	
	9. South Suburban	26,374	63	28·56	5	2·16	...	...	...	...	20	8·40	1	·36	...	...	4	1·68	2	·84	32	13 56	48	20 40	
	10. Garden Reach	28,311	30	12·72	5	2·04	...	...	...	...	34	15 96	5	2·28	...	...	...	...	27	12 72	161	47 04	72	33·96	
	11. Baraagore	25,433	24	11·28	29	13·68	...	...	6	2·76	21	10·56	1	·48	...	...	3	1·44	3	1·44	96	48 48	50	25 20	
	12. Naihati	23,783	18	9 00	68	34 32	...	...	...	...	24	11·04	7	3 84	...	...	...	...	5	2 76	32	17 76	Data not available.		
	13. Bhatpara	21,840	18	9 96	...	...	...	...	...	...	376	5 28	194	2 52	255	3·60	32	·36	58	8 16	2,020	28·56	2,369	33·04	
Calcutta	14. Calcutta	847,796	983	13·80	269	3·72	3	·03	320	4·44	66	32·16	...	...	...	...	1	·48	6	2 88	96	46 92	51	24·84	
Nadia	15. Krishnagar	24,847	47	22 92	23	11·16	...	...	...	...	58	25 80	4	1·68	...	...	...	...	9	3 96	77	34·32	51	22·68	
	16. Santipur	26,698	62	28·90	2	·84	4	1·68	...	...	61	30·00	...	...	...	...	1	·48	1	·48	65	30 96	49	24 00	
Murshidabad	17. Berhampore	24,397	49	19 56	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	25·56	1	·48	1	·48	...	...	7	3 84	71	41·04	52	28 80	
Rajshahi	18. Rampur Boalia	21,589	25	13·80	19	10·56	1	·48	...	...	23	12·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	13·92	32	16 56	
Pabna	19. Sirajganj	23,114	32	16 56	1	·48	...	...	...	...	101	13·32	20	2 64	...	...	5	·60	62	8 16	192	25·44	209	27·60	
Dacca	20. Dacca	20,542	181	23 88	4	·48	...	...	...	...	16	7 80	6	2·88	...	...	...	...	11	5·28	41	20·52	28	13 68	
	21. Narayanganj	24,472	38	18·60	9	4·32	...	...	...	...	24	12·96	2	1·08	...	...	...	...	5	2 64	55	29 76	48	25 92	
Chittagong	22. Chittagong	22,140	16	8 64	24	12·96	...	...	...	...	109	9·60	64	5 64	1	·08	7	·60	150	13·32	421	37 68	680	53·40	
Patna	23. Patna City	134,755	239	21·24	72	6·36	21	1·80	...	...	36	9·48	7	1·80	...	...	2	·48	64	17 04	111	29·52	104	27·60	
	24. Bihar	42,063	123	35·04	1	·24	1	·24	...	...	9	3·12	5	1 68	...	...	3	·96	24	8·52	69	24·48	89	31 68	
Gaya	25. Dinapore	33,699	54	19·00	...	...	10	3·48	18	6·36	125	21·00	21	3·84	...	...	4	·60	54	9·00	236	39 72	239	40 20	
	26. Gaya	71,284	145	24 36	6	·96	5	·84	19	3·12	17	4·32	6	1·44	...	...	...	...	8	2·04	58	9 84	109	28·32	
Shahabad	27. Arrah	46,170	5	1 296	..	...	4	·96	3	·72	73	36·96	...	...	...	...	2	·96	67	33·96	142	72 00	50	25·32	
Saran	28. Sasaram	23,644	99	50·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1 80	...	...	...	...	1	·24	71	18 48	83	21 60	171	44·64	
Champaran	29. Chapra	45,491	105	27·36	...	...	4	·96	...	...	58	28·08	1	·48	...	...	1	·48	20	9·60	80	38·76	83	40·32	
Muzaffarpur	30. Bettiah	24,696	23	11·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	10 68	9	2·28	8	2·04	2	·48	55	14 40	119	31·20	166	43·56	
	31. Muzaffarpur	45,617	56	23·56	...	...	1	·24	3	·72	46	23·68	8	4 44	...	...	...	...	44	24 60	140	78 48	93	52 08	
Darbhanga	32. Hajipur	21,378	36	31 32	12	6 72	...	...	30	16·80	34	9·12	16	2·88	...	...	2	·36	108	19·56	162	29 28	398	72 00	
Monghyr	33. Darbhanga	66,244	167	30 24	2	·36	...	...	...	...	30	12·96	9	·60	...	...	3	·96	35	11 64	139	43·08	188	52 80	
Bhagalpur	34. Monghyr	35,580	114	38 04	47	15·60	3	·96	...	...	36	13·56	8	1·20	...	...	...	...	32	8 16	153	24·12	174	27·48	
Cuttack	35. Bhagalpur	75,760	143	22 56	4	·60	1	·12	2	·24	38	8 74	5	1·08	...	...	1	·12	20	4 56	70	16 32	84	19·56	
Balasore	36. Cuttack	51,364	95	22 08	6	1 32	...	...	...	...	6	3·36	3	1 68	...	...	1	·48	19	10 80	30	17·16	41	23·52	
Puri	37. Balasore	40,580	46	26 40	1	·48	...	...	...	...	60	16 68	13	3·12	1	·24	2	·48	40	9 72	142	34 44	83	20·16	
Ranchi	38. Puri	47,531	42	10 20	17	4 08	...	...	...	...	11	5·04	...	...	...	...	2	·84	9	4 08	22	10 08	40	18·48	
	39. Ranchi	26,970	64	27 72	...	...	...	...	...	...															
	Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	3,441,962	3,719	18·24	867	4 20	81	·36	463	2·16	2,116	10·32	558	2·64	280	1·32	91	·36	1,753	8·32	6,309	30 48	6,686	32·76	
	Average of the corresponding six months of previous five years	.....	3,719	18 24	833	4·08	160	·72	Data not available.		2,433	11·88	611	3·00	Data not available.		111	·48	2,234	10 92	6,646	32·76	...	...	
	Difference + or −	.....	Equal		+14	+·12	−79	−·36			−323	−1·56	−53	−·36			−20	−·12	−491	−2·40	−477	−2·28	...	...	

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,
The 11th July 1903.

F. C. CLARKSON, *Major*, I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT (Per Maund) of Food-grains, Firewood,

No.	Marts.	Rice, best sort.	Common rice (*mota chaul*).	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).	Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).	Juar or cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).	Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).	Marua or ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).	Gram, chana, cholla, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).	Indian-corn or maize (*Zea Mays*).	Arhar dál or Thur Cadjan pea (*Cajanus Indicus*).	Linseed.	Mustard and rape seed.	Til or jinjili seed.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	5 5 2	3 13 0	3 10 0	2 6 7	2 8 2	2 10 2	...	2 10 2	2 3 6 (a)	4 2 4	6 6 6	4 13 2	4 8 4
2	Burdwan ...	4 5 1	3 4 10	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 8	...	3 3 9	...	4 8 5	...
3	Midnaporo	3 13 7 (b)	3 1 6	3 10 0 (c)	..	...	...	...	2 8 6	...	3 12 7	5 14 9	Black mustard 4 6 10 Rapeseed 4 7 9 (d)	3 12 0 (c)
4	Pabna ...	6 10 0	3 5 2	2 6 4	...	...	...	...	2 9 8	...	4 4 2	5 6 2	4 15 8	...
5	Rangpur ..	4 11 8	3 6 4	3 8 0	...	...	...	...	2 11 0	2 10 8	4 3 2	...	4 7 9	...
6	Dacca ...	4 0 4	3 2 10	2 14 2	2 2 9	...	...	...	3 2 3	...	3 5 10	...	...	...
7	Chittagong	...	3 1 7	...	...	...	...	...	3 6 5	..	4 5 5	...	4 5 11	...
8	Patna ...	3 9 2	3 1 11	2 5 3	1 14 9	White (b) 2 9 8 Raksa 1 7 7	...	1 15 3 (c)	1 14 5	1 10 9	2 4 5	5 2 2	4 0 2	5 0 1
9	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	3 1 1	2 13 3	1 14 9	...	...	1 11 1	2 0 1	1 11 2	2 12 0	...	...	...
10	Bhagalpur	3 13 0	3 3 2	2 13 1	1 15 4	...	...	...	2 1 8	1 13 7	3 5 0	6 4 0	Rapeseed 4 2 3 Mustard 4 0 1	...
11	Cuttack ...	4 2 2	2 9 11	2 15 10	...	...	...	...	2 3 9	...	2 3 4	...	4 4 0	4 2 5
12	Ranchi ...	4 5 3	2 11 3	4 6 10	2 13 4	...	...	...	2 11 8	...	5 11 4	6 5 5	4 3 1	...

(a) Average of prices returned for 21 fortnights only.
(b) Ditto ditto for 23 ditto.
(c) Ditto ditto for 2 ditto.
(d) Ditto ditto for 22 ditto.

Dept. of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal;
The 23rd June 1903.

etc., in the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the year ending 31st March 1903.

Sugar, raw.	Cotton, cleaned.	Jute.	Ghi (clarified butter).	Tobacco leaf.	Hides (cow).	Grass.	Straw.	Juar stalks.	Iron.	Firewood.	Salt.	MARTS.
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
					Per 100 pieces.						Panga.	
4 3 6	15 13 4	5 2 10	38 13 4	7 9 8	258 5 4	1 0 1	0 12 0	...	5 7 2	0 8 0	3 5 8	1. Calcutta.
3 12 4	18 12 4	...	30 9 0	...	...	..	0 9 4	...	...	0 7 8	Crushed. 3 3 8	2. Burdwan.
3 12 0	20 0 0	...	30 3 7	Madhukhali. (d) 5 10 5 Pulta. 7 3 11	Per piece— Uncleaned. 1 14 1 Cleaned 2 2 10	...	0 9 0	...	4 0 1	0 4 0	Panga. 3 7 2	3. Midnapore.
3 10 7	21 11 8	4 12 0 (a)	52 14 8	7 4 0	...	...	1 0 0	...	7 0 0	0 7 4	Panga. 3 11 6	4. Pabna.
4 6 0	...	4 5 4	34 13 4	9 15 4	...	0 2 6	0 7 0	...	7 0 0	0 5 0	Panga. 3 13 0	5. Rangpur.
4 12 11	...	4 9 10	40 6 8	7 4 0	Per maund. 23 12 8	0 4 3	...	...	5 2 11	0 5 2	Panga. 3 10 11	6. Dacca.
4 15 4	14 15 5	...	32 6 11 (b)	9 5 4	Per maund. 16 10 2	...	...	...	4 12 0	...	Panga. 3 6 6	7. Chittagong.
2 12 11	15 5 4	3 11 10	28 0 8	3 14 0	...	0 5 3	0 6 0 (f)	...	4 5 2	0 6 9	Panga. 3 10 3	8. Patna.
2 3 9	...	...	27 5 10	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	5 11 6	0 4 0	Panga. 3 15 9	9. Muzaffarpur.
2 12 2 (b)	17 12 3	...	32 1 4	6 14 2 (d)	...		...	...	4 15 8	0 5 7	Panga. 3 9 0	10. Bhagalpur.
4 4 4	20 12 4	...	34 3 0	4 4 2	Per maund. 25 0 0	0 8 0	0 7 3	...	4 3 11	0 4 1	Karkatch. 2 15 11	11. Cuttack.
3 10 11	19 14 6	...	32 1 1	9 15 8	Per piece. 1 9 4	0 4 0	0 6 2 (g)	...	5 10 3	0 4 0	Panga. 4 1 0	12. Ranchi.

(e) Average of prices returned for 4 fortnights only.
(f) Ditto ditto for 8 ditto.
(g) Ditto ditto for 18 ditto.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 5th to 11th July 1903

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1903.		°		Inches	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.	°	%			Inches.	
July	5th	155·9	5 0	29·563	87·6	94·1	12·1	82·0	82·8	1·069	81·3	84	SSW and S ...	74	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, o.
,,	6th	151 6	3 8	·574	86·0	92·2	12·2	80·0	82·1	1·046	80·6	85	SW, SSW and S	85	,,	Chiefly cloudy, o.
,,	7th	152·2	5·6	·587	87·9	92·5	11·6	80·9	83·4	1 086	81·3	83	SSW and S	162	,,	Chiefly cloudy.
,,	8th	146·1	6·1	·575	88·3	92·9	10·0	82·9	83·7	1·096	82 0	82	SSW ...	212	,,	Partially cloudy.
,,	9th	148·1	3·4	·528	87 8	93 2	9 8	83·4	83 1	1·071	81·3	82	SSW ...	238	,,	Chiefly cloudy.
,,	10th	151·2	1 8	·540	86·4	92 9	10·0	82·9	82·2	1·051	80 7	83	SSW, S & variable	153	,,	Chiefly cloudy, o, t, p, K.
,,	11th	140 0	0 7	·520	83·6	90 3	15 2	75·6	79·7	0·962	78·1	83	SW and ESE	59	,,	Chiefly cloudy, o.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·555
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29 552
	Hours	
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		25·9
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		93.9
The mean temperature of the seven days		86 7
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		84·0
The extreme variation of temperature		18·5
The maximum temperature		94·1
	Miles.	
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		15
	%	
The mean relative humidity		83
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		85
	Inches	
The total fall of rain from 5th to 11th July 1903		0·38
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		2·13
The total fall from 1st January to 11th July 1903		17·54
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		25·77

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, for... ly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direc...ions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. Rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 a.m. on that day.

o, overcast; t, thunder; p, passing temporary showers; K, strong wind.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 13th July 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 11th July 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 11th July 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 12th July 1902.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	160	34,216	496	367	40,750	508
Jute	8	3,660*	43	38	22,160†	246
Firewood	64	56,950	856	32	19,175	286
Other articles	515	1,05,565	1,268	635	1,64,920	1,919
Total ...	747	2,00,191	2,663	1,072	2,46,945	2,959

* Weight by canal measurement, 4,300 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 21,275 „

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Abstract of principal Commodities carried over the Bengal Central Railway, during the month of April 1903, as compared with the same month of previous year.

Articles.	1903.		1902.		Total.		Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	1903	1902.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	1		5	1	1	6		5
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	1,919		2,311	95	1,919	2,406		487
III.—Cotton—								
1. Raw	1	33		21	34	21	13	
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and yarn, European	40		46		40	46	3	
(b) Ditto, Indian								
(c) Piece-goods, European	151		168		151	168		17
(d) Ditto, Indian		1	1		1	1		
(e) Others								
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre								
V.—Drugs—								
1. Intoxicating, other than opium	1		1		1	1		
2. Non-intoxicating—								
(a) Medical preparations	1		2		1	2		1
(b) Others								
VI.—Dyes and Tans—								
1. Indigo								
2. Myrabolams								
3. Cutch								
4. Turmeric	2	80	1	80	82	81	1	
5 Alizarine and Aniline Dyes								
6. Al (Morinda Citrifolia)								
7. Tanning barks								
8. Others								
VII.—Fodder—								
1. Oilcake	158	15	125	7	173	132	41	
2. Hay, straw and grass	1				1		1	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	741	551	347	516	1,292	863	430	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—								
1. Wheat	5	63	8	90	68	98		
2. Rice in the husk	2	532	13	22	534	35	499	
3. Do. not in the husk								
4. Jawar and bajra	35	780	56	281	815	337	478	
5. Gram and pulse	30		28		30	28	2	
6. Wheat flour			1			1		1
7. Others								
X.—Hides and Skins—								
1. Hides of cattle—								
(a) Dressed or tanned	1	69	23		70	23	47	
(b) Raw								
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—								
(a) Dressed or tanned		9	2		9	2	7	
(b) Raw								
XI.—Horns		58	11		58	11	47	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.								
XIII.—Jute—								
1. Raw	28	385	15	963	385	963		578
2. Gunny-bags and cloth		3		3	31	18	13	
XIV.—Lac								
XV.—Leather—								
1. Unwrought								
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.								
XVI.—Liquors—								
1. Ale and beer								
2. Spirit of all kinds, including country spirit.								
3. Wine	6		3		6	3	3	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.								
XVII.—Metals—								
1. Copper, unwrought		3			3		3	
2. Brass, ditto								
3. Copper, wrought			5			5		5
4. Brass, ditto	7	3	55	5	10	63		53
5. Iron and steel—								
(a) Cast					1	1		
(b) Unwrought								
(c) Wrought	56	1	59		57	59	28	
(d) Manufactured	2		1		2	1	1	
6. Others	43	38	40	25	81	65	16	
XVIII.—Oils—								
1. Kerosine	190		174		190	174	16	
2. Castor	2				2		2	
3. Cocoanut	20		19		20	19	1	
4. Mustard and rape	125		97		125	97	28	
5. Others			1			1		1
XIX.—Oilseeds—								
1. Linseed		573		336	573	336	236	
2. Rape and mustard	236	276	249	68	506	317	189	
3. Til or jinjili								
4. Poppy								
5. Earthnuts								
6. Castor								
7. Others								
XX.—Opium			1			1		1
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	15		11		15	11	4	
XXII.—Provisions—								
1. Ghee	3		4		3	4		1
2. Dried fruits and nuts	1			2	1	2		1
3. Others	1	7	3	11	8	13		5

ARTICLES.	1903.		1902.		TOTAL.		Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	1903.	1902.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
XXIII.—Railway plant and rolling-stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—								
1. Locomotives, engines, and tenders, and parts thereof.								
2. Carriages and trucks, and parts thereof.								
3. Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates								
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.								
(c) Other sorts								
XXIV.—Salt	401		458		401	459		57
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1. Saltpetre	1		1		1	1		
2. Other saline substances	10		8		10	8	2	
XXVI.—Silk—								
1. Raw—								
(a) Foreign								
(b) Indian								
2. Silk piece-goods—								
(a) Foreign								
(b) Indian								
XXVII.—Spices—								
1. Betelnuts		312	5	146	312	151	161	
2. Pepper								
3. Ginger			2	3	18	5	13	
4. Chillies	13	6						
5. Cardamoms	1	48	5	67	49	72		23
6. Others								
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	577		95		577	95	482	
XXIX.—Sugar—								
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	54		49		54	49	5	
2. Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	60	340	28	428	400	456		56
(b) Gur, rab, molasses, jaggery, and other saccharine produce.	2	35	5	33	37	38		1
XXX.—Tea—								
1. Foreign								
2. Indian								
XXXI.—Tobacco—								
1. Unmanufactured	155	41	100	24	196	124	72	
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Cigars								
(b) Other sorts								
XXXII.—Wood—								
1. Timber, unwrought	44	44	180	25	88	205		117
2. Manufactures	8	17	10	8	25	18	7	
XXXIII.—Wool—								
1. Raw								
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs								
(b) Piece-goods, European ...								
(c) Ditto, Indian ...								
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.								
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise ...	435	326	435	165	761	600	161	
Total ...	5,623	4,642	5,906	3,427	10,265	8,693	3,012	1,440

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CALCUTTA, *the 9th July 1903.* *Chief Auditor and Accountant.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th June 1903 on 1,926·13 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	459,950	3,98,267 0 0	48,10,960 0	8,53,977 0 0a	20,536 0 0	12,81,780 0 0	112,272	172,420	284,692
Or per mile of railway	... ...	206 12 4	.....	443 5 10	15 5 4	665 7 6	... ...	... ...	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year	9,632,424*	98,55,304 0 0*	13,53,10,444 0†	2,34,40,735 0 0†	7,45,015 0 0‡	3,40,41,054 0 0	2,809,989§	4,454,596§	7,264,515
Total for 24½ weeks ...	10,092,374	1,02,53,571 0 0	14,01,21,413 0	2,42,94,712 0 0	7,75,451 0 0	3,53,23,734 0 0	2,922,261	4,626,946	7,549,207
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	479,594	4,05,901 0 4	50,74,497 30	8,57,338 6 3	33,907 3 5	13,27,146 10 0	109,036	195,013	304,049
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	212 2 5	.....	463 12 6	17 11 6	693 10 5	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 24½ weeks of previous year	9,908,564	93,76,407 3 1	14,25,23,159 30	2,54,16,600 15 11	6,19,735 5 9	3,54,12,743 8 9	2,659,765	5,115,150	7,774,915

(a) The decrease is chiefly in coal Traffic.
* Added No. of passengers 2,881 and deducted Rs. 13,085 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended
† Deducted Mds. 90,095 ,, added ,, 42,285 } 9th May 1903.
‡ Added ,, 8,129 }
§ Audited figures up to 9th May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*1,923·93	10 days of January ...	441,029	5,58,014	77,21,285	13,38,987	42,015	18,39,016	956	462,210	4 1 1
*1,923·93	Week ended 17th ,, ...	379,477	6,04,053	53,38,436	8,84,339	33,402	15,21,793	791	344,407	4 6 8
*1,926·13	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	415,930	5,36,307	53,68,940	8,62,148	34,899	14,33,414	744	338,041	4 6 4
*1,926·13	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	438,859	4,85,857	60,74,585	9,95,361	33,130	15,14,348	786	309,295	4 14 4
*1,926·13	,, ,, 7th Feb. ...	445,935	4,02,461	58,78,777	9,05,828	32,073	13,40,362	696	303,897	4 6 7
*1,926·13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	396,149	4,36,057	57,79,184	9,89,575	35,035	14,60,667	758	301,873	4 13 5
*1,926·13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	369,813	4,00,162	56,74,056	9,39,488	33,942	13,73,592	713	316,611	4 5 5
*1,926·13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	418,447	4,37,840	63,32,825	10,89,717	28,493	15,56,050	808	311,991	4 15 10
*1,926·13	,, ,, 7th March ...	424,741	4,71,537	62,06,661	10,55,589	31,304	15,58,380	809	312,587	4 14 0
*1,926·13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	369,011	4,14,837	56,97,607	9,03,038	30,973	13,48,848	700	308,580	4 5 11
*1,926·13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	386,027	4,09,069	55,66,772	9,57,065	28,388	13,95,123	724	306,996	4 8 9
*1,926·13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	376,545	4,52,335	61,29,123	10,42,752	32,348	15,27,435	793	305,707	4 15 11
*1,926·13	,, ,, 4th April ...	395,626	4,30,746	57,80,211	9,24,788	28,901	13,84,445	719	304,877	4 8 8
*1,926·13	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	383,232	3,65,366	53,17,578	10,38,743	29,860	14,33,969	744	296,530	4 13 5
*1,926·13	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	427,875	4,00,032	58,84,636	10,44,928	33,552	14,79,512	768	300,297	4 14 10
*1,926·13	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	411,399	3,94,486	59,27,067	10,51,493	34,553	14,80,512	769	301,059	4 14 8
*1,926·13	,, ,, 2nd May ...	432,113	3,61,747	60,08,789	11,25,395	37,141	15,24,980	792	309,960	4 14 9
*1,926·13	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	473,341	3,81,642	58,46,928	11,21,031	37,536	15,30,814	799	312,397	4 14 10
1,926·13	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	459,778	3,70,288	61,67,596	11,37,010	29,149	15,26,717	793	311,281	4 14 6
1,926·13	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	414,166	3,61,534	60,25,692	11,22,942	28,982	15,13,458	786	313,861	4 13 2
1,926·13	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	426,814	3,62,904	57,94,290	10,45,275	30,349	14,38,528	747	302,594	4 12 1
1,926·13	,, ,, 6th June ...	475,712	4,16,242	53,54,242	9,96,606	27,243	14,42,091	749	300,475	4 12 9
1,926·13	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	480,828	4,00,260	54,13,154	9,78,737	30,085	14,09,091	732	304,039	4 10 2
1,926·13	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	459,950	3,98,267	48,10,960	8,53,977	20,536	12,81,780	665	284,692	4 8 0
	Totals up to date ...	10,092,374	1,02,53,571	14,01,21,413	2,42,94,712	7,75,451	3,53,23,734	751	7,549,207	4 10 10

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,838·04	11 days of January ...	514,285	5,30,478	87,38,287	16,37,581	35,340	22,03,399	1,199	477,510	4 9 10
1,838·04	Week ended 18th ,, ...	372,313	3,44,787	50,37,625	9,42,291	22,393	13,09,471	712	301,302	4 5 6
1,838·04	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	364,471	3,57,440	62,64,836	10,66,158	27,348	14,50,946	789	313,092	4 10 8
1,838·04	,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	350,913	3,62,584	58,61,061	10,58,073	23,674	14,45,231	786	309,273	4 10 9
1,838·04	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	401,029	4,36,653	54,35,791	9,91,857	24,720	14,53,230	791	313,580	4 10 9
1,838·04	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	384,377	3,87,799	59,18,422	10,00,741	24,885	14,13,425	769	313,802	4 8 1
1,838·04	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	420,832	4,02,920	57,93,385	10,30,612	26,901	14,60,323	795	315,966	4 10 0
1,838·04	,, ,, 1st March ...	409,195	4,02,809	57,96,772	10,36,121	23,878	15,12,805	823	320,970	4 11 9
1,838·04	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	442,705	4,36,751	56,86,936	10,35,653	23,477	14,94,881	813	318,375	4 11 2
1,838·04	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	421,558	4,15,583	53,91,909	9,50,807	25,180	13,91,540	757	308,603	4 8 2
1,838·04	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	395,421	4,12,265	55,25,831	10,10,494	27,657	14,50,416	789	316,887	4 9 3
1,838·04	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	352,746	3,70,815	47,94,063	8,23,537	22,583	12,16,935	662	304,486	3 15 11
1,838·04	,, ,, 5th April ...	376,494	3,83,340	54,53,126	9,60,538	24,133	13,68,020	744	306,386	4 7 5
1,838·04	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	368,981	3,48,159	59,47,884	11,13,804	22,585	14,84,388	808	313,601	4 9 6
1,838·04	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	395,171	3,59,967	62,06,999	11,22,041	27,143	15,09,151	821	324,748	4 10 4
1,838·04	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	420,878	3,75,797	62,39,565	11,16,880	26,919	15,19,596	827	323,190	4 11 5
1,967·79	,, ,, 3rd May ...	419,780	3,84,357	64,19,420	11,57,200	25,208	15,66,662	853	328,806	4 12 3
1,838·29	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	471,948	3,82,051	65,19,006	11,33,036	25,151	15,41,240	809	332,720	4 9 11
1,838·29	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	444,014	3,60,445	61,51,670	11,23,099	30,980	15,31,133	803	331,174	4 10 0
1,838·29	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	435,833	3,54,444	62,34,787	10,88,732	24,972	14,68,148	770	324,978	4 8 8
1,908·29	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	408,324	3,63,357	62,22,611	10,43,984	23,790	14,31,131	751	319,526	4 7 8
1,906·29	,, ,, 7th June ...	413,405	4,00,745	60,66,113	10,56,321	21,776	14,78,844	776	323,552	4 9 1
1,912·28	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	435,348	3,92,071	61,02,063	9,68,601	24,100	13,84,832	724	318,185	4 5 8
1,913·28	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	479,594	4,05,901	50,74,498	8,57,338	33,907	13,27,146	694	304,049	4 5 10
	Totals up to date ...	9,908,564	93,76,407	14,25,23,160	2,54,16,601	6,19,735	3,54,12,743	775	7,774,915	4 8 11

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th June 1903 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	22,353	5,453 0 0	9,709 0	308 0 0	9 0 0	5,860 0 0	1,050	138	1,188
per mile of railway ...	.....	245 4 9	.....	17 14 6	0 6 6	263 9 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year	598,679*	1,53,972 0 0*	5,54,785 0†	19,473 0 0†	210 0 0	1,73,655 0 0	25,095§	3,450§	28,545
Total for 24½ weeks ...	621,032	1,59,425 0 0	5,64,554 0	19,871 0 0	219 0 0	1,79,515 0 0	26,145	3,588	29,733
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	26,909	6,635 6 7	21,892 20	460 14 0	4 1 9	7,100 6 4	1,066	102	1,198
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	298 7 9	.....	20 11 9	0 3 0	319 6 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 24½ weeks of previous year.	609,391	1,53,626 0 0	5,11,236 30	19,028 7 0	205 3 5	1,73,859 10 5	26,552	3,148	29,700

* Added No. of passengers 9,361 and Rs. 2,630 } on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 9th
† Do. Mds. 1,401 and ,, 9 } May 1903.
§ Audited figures up to 9th May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	10 days of January ...	28,612	7,149	27,557	1,065	11	8,225	371	1,716	4 13 0
*22·23	Week ended 17th ,, ...	20,434	4,086	23,146	739	13	5,077	235	1,188	4 12 5
*22·23	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	22,567	5,384	18,117	667	18	6,069	273	1,188	5 1 9
*22·23	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	22,874	5,441	20,919	873	7	6,321	284	1,188	5 5 2
*22·23	,, ,, 7th Feb. ...	23,497	6,107	18,438	755	10	6,872	309	1,188	5 13 7
*22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	26,285	6,487	23,046	804	7	7,298	328	1,188	6 2 3
*22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	23,377	5,578	30,373	1,121	12	6,711	302	1,188	5 10 5
*22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	38,077	10,755	27,045	881	4	11,640	524	1,474	7 14 4
*22·23	,, ,, 7th Mar....	26,320	6,708	21,181	712	6	7,426	334	1,188	6 4 0
*22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	26,846	6,640	21,680	849	11	7,500	338	1,188	6 5 2
*22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	23,893	5,913	21,053	998	8	6,919	311	1,188	5 13 2
*22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	22,950	5,586	75,553	1,655	12	7,553	340	1,188	6 5 9
*22·23	,, ,, 4th April ...	25,803	6,950	22,401	948	5	7,903	356	1,188	6 10 5
*22·23	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	37,408	10,956	24,150	927	8	11,891	535	1,276	9 5 1
*22·23	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	44,814	13,573	17,291	672	9	14,254	641	1,496	9 8 5
*22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	17,349	4,033	24,297	991	15	5,039	227	1,188	4 3 10
*22·23	,, ,, 2nd May ...	22,171	5,515	22,686	727	9	6,251	281	1,188	5 4 2
*22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	32,232	8,463	19,680	757	7	9,247	416	1,188	7 12 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	23,090	5,933	17,216	735	8	6,676	300	1,199	5 9 1
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	21,042	5,312	17,446	736	7	6,055	272	1,188	5 1 7
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	20,645	4,873	16,078	671	7	5,551	250	1,188	4 10 9
22·23	,, ,, 6th June...	22,533	5,640	15,103	877	8	6,525	293	1,188	5 5 10
22·23	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	23,760	5,711	15,470	593	9	6,313	284	1,188	5 5 0
22·23	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	21,353	5,453	9,709	398	9	5,860	264	1,188	4 14 11
	Totals up to date ...	621,032	1,59,425	564,554	19,671	219	1,79,515	335	29,733	6 0 7

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	11 days of January ...	31,035	7,209	32,336	1,354	16	8,579	381	1,914	4 6 11
22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	21,539	4,989	13,777	544	9	5,492	247	1,188	4 10 0
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	22,871	5,506	22,300	839	6	6,351	283	1,188	5 5 7
22·23	,, ,, 1st Feb. ..	20,860	4,872	20,234	778	3	5,653	254	1,188	4 12 2
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	20,347	4,911	21,300	807	12	5,730	258	1,188	4 13 6
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	20,433	4,869	19,756	807	5	5,681	256	1,188	4 12 7
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,757	6,789	23,420	874	10	7,673	345	1,188	6 7 4
22·23	,, ,, 1st March...	25,316	5,989	25,913	911	9	6,909	311	1,188	5 13 1
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	35,998	9,731	25,488	938	6	10,675	480	1,338	8 18 8
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	28,292	6,848	20,736	887	13	7,748	349	1,296	5 15 6
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	24,518	6,120	21,144	900	7	7,033	317	1,188	5 5 7
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	23,183	5,775	20,803	784	7	6,566	295	1,188	5 3 7
22·23	,, ,, 5th April ...	26,153	6,622	25,289	765	9	7,396	333	1,330	5 1 5
22·23	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	39,346	11,171	18,918	809	11	11,991	539	1,304	9 4 11
22·23	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	36,140	11,858	14,017	836	10	12,694	571	1,188	9 10 4
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	21,442	5,885	17,728	815	10	6,710	302	1,188	5 2 8
22·23	,, ,, 3rd May ...	22,813	5,404	19,810	724	8	6,136	276	1,188	5 13 4
22·23	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	25,311	6,292	14,036	630	7	6,929	313	1,188	5 15 5
22·23	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	23,747	5,349	14,882	535	8	5,892	265	1,188	4 15 3
22·23	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	22,337	5,602	38,080	1,131	5	6,739	303	1,188	5 10 7
22·23	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	20,326	4,813	24,387	770	11	5,594	251	1,188	4 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 7th June ...	19,732	4,906	25,000	602	9	5,577	276	1,188	4 11 1
22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	25,137	5,480	20,198	639	10	6,129	319	1,188	5 2 7
22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	26,909	6,635	21,892	461	4	7,100	319	1,188	5 15 7
	Totals up to date ...	6,09,391	1,53,626	5,11,237	19,029	205	1,73,860	316	29,700	5 13 1

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th June 1903 on 162·24 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	23,065	21,115 0 0	88,740 0	10,306 0 0	51 0 0	31,572 0 0	9,781	3,606	13,387
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	130 2 4	.....	63 14 4	0 5 0	194 5 8	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year	553,169*	5,45,650 0 0*	26,09,360 0†	2,96,729 0 0†	2,322 0 0‡	8,44,701 0 0	232,803§	1,02,485§	335,288
Total for 24½ weeks ...	576,234	5,66,765 0 0	26,98,100 0	3,07,035 0 0	2,373 0 0	8,76,233 0 0	242,584	1,06,091	348,675
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	26,537	22,705 6 10	1,12,790 30	12,659 1 0	44 4 0	35,408 11 10	8,704	4,983	13,687
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	139 15 8	.....	78 0 5	0 4 4	218 4 0	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 24½ weeks of previous year.	542,932	4,73,264 4 10	27,64,932 0	3,25,723 3 8	1,551 6 4	8,00,537 14 10	209,411	1,16,490	325,901

* Added No. of passengers 502 and Rs. 3,203
† Do. maunds 14,694 ,, deducted 728
‡ Deducted ,, 26
§ Audited figures up to 9th May 1903.

} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 9th May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·24	10 days of January ...	41,660	43,925	98,516	10,626	188	54,739	337	21,219	2 9 3
*162·24	Week ended 17th January ...	24,340	52,378	87,860	9,782	295	62,305	384	13,057	4 9 0
*162·24	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	24,431	34,511	1,06,707	13,438	321	48,310	298	15,748	3 1 1
*162·24	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	21,095	18,417	1,35,818	15,914	232	34,563	213	15,623	2 3 4
*162·24	,, ,, 7th Feb. ...	22,828	16,471	1,19,067	12,615	94	29,180	180	13,864	2 1 9
*162·24	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	19,196	18,590	1,06,407	14,047	51	32,688	201	14,127	2 5 0
*162·24	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	19,647	16,133	1,16,252	12,755	53	28,941	178	14,192	2 0 7
*162·24	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	20,873	16,847	1,34,603	14,314	70	31,231	193	13,546	2 4 7
*162·24	,, ,, 7th Mar. ...	21,799	18,054	1,20,160	13,440	63	31,557	194	14,352	1 12 7
*162·24	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	20,301	17,403	1,08,021	13,081	104	30,648	189	13,992	2 3 1
*162·24	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	24,251	25,254	1,30,977	13,675	77	39,006	240	14,685	2 10 6
*162·24	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	25,450	31,706	1,39,522	15,325	77	47,108	290	16,100	2 14 10
*162·24	,, ,, 4th April ...	24,961	25,971	91,341	12,783	92	38,816	239	15,011	2 7 9
*162·24	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	22,334	23,244	1,01,542	13,271	61	36,576	225	14,373	2 8 9
*162·24	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	20,135	26,726	71,535	10,405	67	37,198	229	13,962	2 10 8
*162·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	24,762	22,146	1,73,813	13,279	36	35,461	219	13,927	2 8 9
*162·24	,, ,, 2nd May ...	23,468	25,292	1,54,140	17,542	46	44,880	264	14,158	3 0 6
*162·24	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	21,441	21,825	1,05,090	12,112	51	33,988	209	13,814	2 7 4
162·24	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	23,806	19,961	99,442	10,774	85	30,820	190	13,844	2 3 7
162·24	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	22,128	17,409	108,191	11,585	74	29,068	179	13,955	2 1 4
162·24	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	22,270	18,574	1,07,016	12,089	72	30,735	189	13,815	2 3 7
162·24	,, ,, 6th June ...	25,300	20,229	1,03,936	11,679	62	31,970	197	13,068	2 7 2
162·24	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	25,443	19,604	99,564	12,258	51	31,913	197	13,553	2 5 8
162·24	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	23,065	21,115	88,740	10,306	51	31,532	194	13,387	2 5 8
	Totals up to date ...	576,234	5,66,765	26,98,106	3,07,095	2,373	8,76,233	221	348,675	2 8 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	11 days of January ...	25,007	20,571	1,55,491	18,783	66	39,420	243	18,248	2 2 7
162·24	Week ended 18th January ...	16,445	11,691	1,01,583	10,896	64	22,650	140	12,074	1 14 0
162·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	18,825	13,955	2,77,624	16,113	49	30,117	185	12,890	2 6 3
162·24	,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	19,322	16,695	1,13,113	11,008	70	27,763	171	12,313	2 4 1
162·24	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	18 762	16,526	87,205	10,926	70	27,522	170	12,202	2 4 1
162·24	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,477	15,861	2,82,758	15,004	61	30,926	191	12,613	2 7 3
162·24	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	22,267	17,153	1,93,081	16,088	93	33,334	205	11,997	2 12 5
162·24	,, ,, 1st March ...	22,775	18,683	1,71,585	14,391	77	33,151	204	11,750	2 13 1
162·24	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	23,825	19,523	94,365	11,710	95	31,328	193	12,504	2 8 1
162·24	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	22,944	25,092	1,35,608	11,414	83	36,589	218	13,182	2 10 2
162·24	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	21,916	21,852	1,35,923	15,579	66	37,597	230	14,068	2 8 6
162·24	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	22,083	24,283	1,44,747	16,558	45	40,886	252	15,126	2 11 8
162·24	,, ,, 5th April ...	25,317	25,509	2,30,615	12,979	90	38,578	238	14,143	2 11 8
162·24	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	21,023	21,051	1,10,624	12,766	83	33,900	209	13,688	2 7 8
162·24	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	20,155	19,142	1,13,127	11,867	50	31,059	191	13,906	2 4 5
162·24	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,072	22,823	1,16,617	13,989	44	36,856	227	14,417	2 8 10
162·24	,, ,, 3rd May ...	22,246	21,093	1,13,539	9,388	61	30,539	188	14,034	2 2 10
162·24	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	23,153	19,317	89,960	12,425	59	31,801	196	14,490	2 3 1
162·24	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	24,040	20,058	92,624	12,351	53	32,461	200	13,598	2 6 8
162·24	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	24,870	19,543	1,15,742	16,003	70	35,616	220	13,932	2 8 11
162·24	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	25,626	21,385	5,93,407	18,340	64	39,726	246	13,855	2 14 0
162·24	,, ,, 7th June ...	24,621	20,007	107,878	13,374	44	33,425	206	13,928	2 6 4
162·24	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	26,504	20,756	85,925	11,330	51	32,143	198	13,305	2 6 8
162·24	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	26,537	22,705	1,12,791	12,659	44	35,408	218	13,687*	2 9 5
	Totals up to date ...	542,932	4,73,264	27,64,932	3,25,723	1,551	8,00,537	201	325,901	2 7 4

* Audited figures.

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th June 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	14,608	6,619 0 0	30,383 0	2,506 0 0	54 0 0	9,179 0 0	1,681	836	2,717
Or per mile of railway	.....	84 0 8	.....	31 13 1	0 6 11	116 4 8	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year	851,153*	1,66,697 0 0*	13,11,019 0†	84,491 0 0†	703 0 0‡	2,51,891 0 0	43,219§	26,332§	69,561
Total for 24½ weeks ...	865,750	1,73,316 0 0	13,50,404* 0	86,997 0 0	757 0 0	2,61,050 0 0	45,100	27,168	72,268
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	15,005	6,957 5 2	46,079 20	2,327 5 0	17 5 9	9,301 15 11	1,958	1,370	3,328
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	88 5 4	.....	29 8 10	0 3 6	118 1 8	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 24½ weeks of previous year	340,582	1,73,869 1 7	13,02,334 10	80,979 1 0	816 15 6	2,54,367 2 1	47,496	25,415	72,943

* Added No. of passengers 4,111 and
† Do. Mds. 20,1t0 and
‡ Deducted
§ Audited figures up to 9th May 1903.

Rs. 1,461 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended
" 30 } 9th May 1903.
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1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*78·76	10 days of January	14,161	7,431	57,786	3,951	23	11,405	145	4,098	2 12 7
*78·76	Week ended 17th January ...	11,783	5,764	66,927	3,060	26	8,849	112	2,985	2 9 10
*78·76	" " 24th " ...	12,396	6,430	57,397	2,625	30	9,085	115	2,838	3 3 3
*78·76	" " 31st " ...	13,114	6,849	49,515	2,855	20	9,724	123	2,992	3 4 0
*78·76	" " 7th February	13,177	7,104	41,008	2,896	20	10,019	127	2,599	3 13 8
*78·76	" " 14th " ...	14,213	7,556	42,615	2,975	16	10,545	134	2,599	4 0 11
*78·76	" " 21st " ...	14,282	7,820	31,735	2,077	24	10,921	139	2,678	4 1 3
*78·76	" " 28th " ...	15,583	8,300	74,259	5,421	31	13,753	175	2,599	5 4 8
*78·76	" " 7th March ...	16,741	8,873	92,773	4,354	47	13,174	167	2,229	4 1 3
*78·76	" " 14th " ...	13,515	6,987	55,980	3,455	37	10,389	132	2,987	3 1 0
*78·76	" " 21st " ...	16,666	9,567	71,662	4,866	42	14,475	184	2,914	4 15 6
*78·76	" " 28th " ...	17,371	9,455	64,201	3,940	28	13,423	171	2,914	4 9 9
*78·76	" " 4th April ...	17,246	10,117	87,169	6,316	28	16,455	210	3,150	5 3 7
*78·76	" " 11th " ...	11,098	5,819	61,748	4,127	33	9,979	127	2,993	3 5 4
*78·76	" " 18th " ...	13,741	5,894	70,156	3,622	41	9,557	121	3,465	2 12 2
*78·76	" " 25th " ...	10,936	4,843	73,664	3,424	36	7,903	99	3,150	2 7 3
*78·76	" " 2nd May ...	14,140	6,944	86,867	4,091	30	10,365	132	3,150	3 4 3
*78·76	" " 9th " ...	15,855	8,492	80,396	3,735	33	12,250	156	2,914	4 3 3
78·76	" " 16th " ...	14,240	7,049	49,117	2,874	31	10,954	139	3,043	3 9 7
78·76	" " 23rd " ...	13,499	6,025	45,858	3,023	30	9,078	127	2,796	3 9 1
78·76	" " 30th " ...	15,136	6,910	37,698	2,743	30	9,683	123	2,894	3 5 6
78·76	" " 6th June ...	14,606	7,046	38,332	2,896	33	9,975	127	3,014	3 4 11
78·76	" " 13th " ...	15,378	6,765	35,560	2,363	34	9,142	116	2,756	3 5 1
78·76	" " 20th " ...	14,606	6,619	30,385	2,506	34	9,159	116	2,717	3 5 11
	Totals up to date ...	865,750	1,73,316	13,50,404	86,997	757	2,61,050	136	72,268	3 9 10

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	11 days of January	19,440	10,417	85,727	3,647	20	14,084	179	4,899	3 1 6
78·76	Week ended 18th January ...	11,389	5,439	34,382	2,697	19	8,154	104	2,835	2 14 9
78·76	" " 25th " ...	13,043	6,962	35,036	2,468	33	9,460	125	2,835	3 7 9
78·76	" " 1st February	12,345	6,246	33,970	2,178	9	8,435	107	3,150	2 10 10
78·76	" " 8th " ...	13,181	6,717	32,166	2,230	13	8,930	114	3,071	2 14 8
78·76	" " 15th " ...	12,217	6,804	30,694	2,138	17	8,954	114	2,836	3 2 6
78·76	" " 22nd " ...	14,735	8,160	33,706	2,476	20	10,656	135	2,992	3 9 0
78·76	" " 1st March ...	15,683	9,408	37,731	2,819	21	11,648	148	2,835	4 1 9
78·76	" " 8th " ...	14,492	8,578	50,923	3,579	26	12,183	155	2,678	4 7 7
78·76	" " 15th " ...	14,340	9,141	62,936	5,294	22	13,387	170	2,992	4 10 8
78·76	" " 22nd " ...	16,129	9,619	55,914	4,328	17	13,964	177	2,993	4 10 8
78·76	" " 29th " ...	13,451	8,179	53,316	4,833	25	13,037	163	3,071	3 15 9
78·76	" " 5th April ...	15,589	8,353	71,005	5,025	33	13,341	169	2,993	4 7 4
78·76	" " 12th " ...	15,155	7,531	62,600	4,619	24	12,174	155	2,835	4 4 8
78·76	" " 19th " ...	15,785	7,078	46,931	3,876	15	10,969	139	2,913	3 15 9
78·76	" " 26th " ...	13,271	5,757	35,963	4,013	22	9,771	124	3,071	3 3 11
78·76	" " 3rd May ...	12,705	5,750	35,753	4,105	20	9,874	126	3,150	3 2 8
78·76	" " 10th " ...	14,401	6,337	48,046	3,623	18	9,978	127	2,993	3 5 5
78·76	" " 17th " ...	14,037	6,084	50,037	3,449	21	9,554	121	2,993	3 5 1
78·76	" " 24th " ...	14,749	6,264	44,338	2,915	23	9,202	117	3,071	2 15 11
78·76	" " 31st " ...	13,920	6,080	21,133	3,834	20	9,934	126	2,756	3 9 7
78·76	" " 7th June ...	13,422	6,196	41,711	2,944	22	9,074	115	2,914	3 1 10
78·76	" " 14th " ...	13,109	5,853	41,628	2,706	22	8,571	110	3,071	2 13 2
78·76	" " 21st " ...	15,045	6,967	40,080	2,337	18	9,322	118	3,228	2 14 1
	Totals up to date ...	340,582	1,73,869	13,02,334	80,979	819	2,54,367	131	72,943	3 7 19

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 1,331 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for (a) the period on 1,331 miles open	375,890	(a)1,43,300	11,64,840	(b)1,26,930	(c)39,680	3,09,910	53,466	(d)58,351	111,817
Or per mile of railway	280·99	107·66	875·16	95·37	29·81	232·84	...	...	...
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year(e)	5,460,036	22,93,632	2,43,27,933	33,38,647	5,62,193	61,94,472	988,898	1,045,446	2,034,374
Total for the half year ...	5,834,570	24,36,932	2,54,92,773	34,65,577	6,01,873	65,04,382	1,042,294	1,103,797	2,146,091
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period (9 days) of previous year on 1,261 miles open	278,832	98,581	9,73,517	91,869	50,425	2,40,975	53,355	(f)43,280	96,635
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	221·13	78·18	771·86	72·85	39·99	191·02	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,075,827	21,79,620	2,22,47,218	30,33,146	6,23,369	58,36,141	1,065,647	960,109	2,025,756

(a) The increase occurred mainly under Local and Foreign Outward.
(b) The increase resulted from better Foreign Outwards bookings.
(c) Decrease was due to a special adjustment in the corresponding period of 1902.
(d) Includes 8,013 miles of Ballast Trains.
(e) Includes audited figures up to week ending 16th May 1903.
(f) Includes 9,710 miles of Ballast Trains.
(g) The period includes one day more than in 1902.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the period ended 30th June 1903 on 632 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	54,377	41,689 0 0	3,34,373 0	26,635 0 0	3,404 0 0	71,728 0 0	9,972	13,436	23,408
Or per mile of railway	87·42	67·02	520·02	41·42	5·29	113·73	16·03	20 90	36·93
For previous 25 weeks of half-year	948,299	5,90,846 0 0	50,89,302 0	3,41,541 0 0	47,227 0 0	9,79,616 0 0	177,514	237,173	414,687
Total for 26 weeks ...	1,002,676	6,32,537 0 0	54,23,575 0	3,68,176 0 0	50,631 0 0	10,51,344 0 0	187,486	250,609	438,095
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	44,073	31,495 0 0	1,03,616 0	14,438 0 0	32,525 0 0	78,458 0 0	8,281	7,652	15,933
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	78 98	56·44	175·98	24·51	55·22	136 17	14·84	13·99	27 83
Total to corresponding date of previous year	957,369	6,10,027 0 0	27,36,514 0	3,27,390 0 0	73,777 0 0	10,10,394 0 0	175,941	161,051	336,992

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for period ending 30th June 1903.			Receipts for period ending 30th June 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 30th June 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 30th June 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	71,728	113·78	589	78,456	136·17	643	5,00,846	...	589	4,77,092	...	23,754	.....

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(WORKED BY THE B. & N.-W. RAILWAY.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the period on 18 miles open	2,116	313	17,389	408	24	745	534	186	720
Or per mile of railway	117·55	17·39	966·06	22·67	1·33	41 39	...	...	...
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year(a)	48,518	10,850	4,37,097	11,433	604	22,887	7,645	4,829	12,474
Total for the half-year ...	50,634	11,163	4,55,086	11,841	628	23,632	8,179	5,015	13,194
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresp onding period (9 days) of previous year on 18 miles open	3,072	547	21,113	436	5	988	441	359	800
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	170·67	30·39	1,173·22	24·22	0·28	54·89	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	66,393	11,178	3,42,776	8,552	866	20,596	9,572	3,648	13,220

(a) Includes audited figures up to week ending 16th May 1903.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(WORKED BY THE B. & N.-W. RAILWAY.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the week ending 23rd May 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	2,558	405 2 2	26,642	855 3 0	13 1 0	973 6 2	313	191	504
Or per mile of railway ..	142·11	22 8 3	1,480·11	50 :3 6	0 11 7	54 1 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 19½ weeks of half-year	39,988	9,535 1 10	3,48,316	8,983 1 0	403 1 0	19,011 3 10	6,007	3,947	9,954
Total for 20½ weeks ...	42,456	9,940 4 0	3,74,960	9,838 4 0	306 2 0	19,984 10 0	6,320	4,138	10,458
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,389	357 15 0	17,843	324 10 6	7 14 0	690 7 6	369	135	504
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year ...	132·72	19 14 2	991·22	18 0 7	0 7 0	38 5 9	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	54·078	9,292 0 0	2,47,244	6,625 15 7	315 10 0	16,733 9 7	7,750	2,654	10,404

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING JULY 1903.

Date.	Day.	Madras time.	Remarks.
		H. M.	
22nd ...	Wednesday ...	7 0	Leave for Digha Ghat by special train from Bankipur.
		9 30	Arrive Chapra.
		12 30	Leave do.
		14 30	Arrive Siwan and drive to Hatwa (11 miles).
23rd ...	Thursday ...	7 0	Leave Hatwa and drive to Siwan.
		8 55	Do. Siwan (arrive Digha Ghat 12-0, cross river and change to East Indian Railway).
		13 0	Arrive Bankipore.

Date.	Day.	Madras time.	Remarks.
		H. M.	
24th ...	Friday ...	7 0	Leave Bankipore.
		11 0	Arrive Monghyr.
		16 35	Leave do.
		19 35	Arrive Sahebganj and go on board *Rhotas*.
25th ...	Saturday ...	16 0	Arrive Malda *viâ* Kalindi River.
26th ...	Sunday ...	...	Halt do.
27th ...	Monday ...	...	Visit ruins of Pandua.
28th ...	Tuesday ...	19 0	Arrive Murshidabad.
29th ...	Wednesday ...	15 30	Arrive Berhampur.
30th ...	Thursday ...	13 0	To Plassey, where a short stay will be made.
31st ...	Friday ...	18 0	Arrive Calcutta (Prinsep's Ghat).

Arrival at all stations (except Murshidabad and Calcutta) will be public; all departures will be private. The usual salute will be fired on His Honour's arrivals at and departure from Calcutta.

The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Throughout the tour—

Mrs. Bourdillon.
Mr. E. L. L. Hammond, I.C.S., *Private Secretary.*
Captain E. Harding-Newman, *A.-D.-C.*
The Commissioner of the Division in which His Honour is travelling.

From 24th July—

Colonel Whitwell, I.M.S.

From 28th July—

Hon'ble Mr. C. E. Buckland, C.I.E.
Hon'ble Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S.I., *Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

Letters and telegrams should be addressed to "Lieutenant-Governor's Camp, Bengal," and the name of a post town *should not be added.*

By order,

DARJEELING, *The 11th July 1903.*

E. L. L. HAMMOND, I.C.S.,
Offg. Private Secretary.

No. 3027A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2132A.D.—The 14th July 1903.*—Mr. S. E. Stinton, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Monghyr, is appointed to have charge of the Raniganj subdivision of the Burdwan district.
Monghyr
Burdwan.

No. 2137A.D.—The 15th July 1903.—Mr. C. H. Reid, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Champaran, is appointed to have charge of the Sasaram subdivision of the Shahabad district.
Champaran.
Shahabad.

No. 2141A.D.—The 15th July 1903.—Mr. Ambica Charan Sen, District and Sessions Judge, Bankura, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Midnapore, during the Civil Court vacation of September and October 1903. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. E. G. Drake-Brockman.
Bankura.
Midnapore.

No. 2858A.—The 17th July 1903.—Babu Amarendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Contai, Midnapore, held charge of that subdivision from the afternoon of the 24th April 1903 to the forenoon of the 1st May 1903.
Midnapore.

No. 2901A.—The 18th July 1903.—Mr. E. E. Forrester, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gaya, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of Faridpur, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Lokendra Nath Palit, or until further orders.

Gaya.
Faridpur.

No. 2904A.—The 18th July 1903.—Mr. D. H. Kingsford, Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca and Mymensingh, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Faridpur, during the Civil Court vacation in September and October next. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. Lokendra Nath Palit.

Dacca & Mymensingh.
Faridpur.

No. 2910A.—The 18th July 1903.—Mr. Kiran Chandra De, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Faridpur, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of Pabna, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Mohammad Yusuf, or until further orders.

Faridpur.
Pabna.

No. 2913A.—The 18th July 1903.—Mr. F. W. Ward, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kurseong, Darjeeling, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Faridpur.

Darjeeling.
Faridpur.

No. 2915A.—The 18th July 1903.—Kumar Gopendra Krishna Deb, District and Sessions Judge of Hooghly, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Pabna, during the Civil Court vacation in September and October next. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. Mohammad Yusuf.

Hooghly.
Pabna.

No. 2939A.—The 20th July 1903.—Mr. G. Milne, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Muzaffarpur, is appointed to have charge of the Dinapore subdivision of the Patna district.

Muzaffarpur.
Patna.

No. 2990A.—The 21st July 1903.—Mr. A. E. Harward, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of Rajshahi, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Syud Nurul Huda, or until further orders.

Ranchi.
Rajshahi.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3012A.—The 21st July 1903.*—Mr. Walter Lennox Harwood is appointed to be Quarter Master, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, in the 3rd (Cadet) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, with effect from the 4th July 1903, *vice* Honorary Lieutenant and Quarter Master E. R. McGrath.

POLICE.—*No. 2955A.—The 20th July 1903.*—In modification of the order of the 5th May 1903, Mr. H. B. St. Leger, Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, up to the 14th July 1903, inclusive.

Darjeeling.

No. 2958A.—The 20th July 1903.—Mr. H. B. St. Leger, Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, and Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, with effect from the 15th July 1903.

Darjeeling.

No. 2960A.—The 20th July 1903.—Mr. R. T. Dundas, Officiating Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 15th July 1903.

Calcutta.

No. 2986A.—The 21st July 1903.—Mr. R. F. Guise, Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Southern and Eastern Range, is appointed to act temporarily, in addition to his own duties, as Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, *vice* Mr. R. W. Carlyle, C.I.E., I.C.S., on leave.

Calcutta.

No. 3010A.—The 21st July 1903.—Mr. Harry Hayter Duff is appointed to be an Assistant Superintendent of Police of the second grade, with effect from the 27th July 1903, and is posted to Monghyr.

Monghyr.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 2929A.—The 20th July 1903.*—Babu Jugal Krishna Ray, Rural Sub-Registrar of Kaliachak, in the district of Malda, is appointed to act as Special Sub-Registrar of Malda, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ambika Prasanna Mozumdar, or until further orders.

Malda.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2968A.—The 20th July 1903.*—Babu Nalini Mohan Sanyal, Head Master, Rangpur Training School, is appointed to be Head Master of the Krishnagar Collegiate School, *vice* Babu Sagar Chandra Chakravarti, retired.

Rangpur.
Nadia.

No. 2970A.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Devendra Kumar Ray, M.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bogra (Class IV of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to be Head Master of the Rangpur Training School, *vice* Babu Nalini Mohan Sanyal, and substantively *pro tempore* to Class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service.

Bogra.
Rangpur.

No. 2974A.—The 21st July 1903.—Maulvi Muhammad Ibrahim, Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, is appointed to be Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, *vice* Babu Mathura Nath Chattopadhyaya, about to retire.

Chittagong & Dacca Divisions.

No. 2976A.—The 21st July 1903.—Maulvi Abdul Karim, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, is appointed to be Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Ibrahim.

Dacca & Chittagong Divisions.

No. 2978A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Kumud Bandhu Bose, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, is appointed to be Assistant Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Karim.

Burdwan & Dacca Divisions.

No. 2980A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Braja Ballabh Datta, Professor, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, is appointed to be Assistant Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, *vice* Babu Kumud Bandhu Bose.

Cuttack. Burdwan Division.

No. 2982A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Krishna Prasad De, M A., is appointed to be a Professor in the Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, *vice* Babu Braja Ballabh Datta, and substantively *pro tempore* to Class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service.

Cuttack.

No. 3019A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Bhagavati Sahay, Head Master, Patna Training School, is appointed to act as Assistant Inspector of Schools, Patna Division, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hari Das Banerjea, or until further orders.

Patna Division.

No. 3021A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Baladev Misra, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Patna (Class III of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Head Master of the Patna Training School, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Bhagavati Sahay, or until further orders.

Patna.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2947A.—The 20th July 1903.*—The services of the Revd. C. G. Stokoe, Junior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department, with effect from the 1st July 1903, or any subsequent date of relief.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2134A.D.—The 14th July 1903.*—Mr. E. H. Berthoud, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Raniganj, Burdwan, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and twenty-six days, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th August 1903, and special leave for the remaining period, under article 316 of the Regulations.

Burdwan.

No. 2135A.D.—The 15th July 1903.—Mr. J. T. Whitty, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sasaram, Shahabad, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th August 1903.

Shahabad.

No. 2898A.—The 18th July 1903.—Mr. Lokendra Nath Palit, District and Sessions Judge, Faridpur, is allowed leave from the 5th August 1903 to the 19th September 1903, both days inclusive, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Faridpur.

No. 2907A.—The 18th July 1903.—Mr. Mohammad Yusuf, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Pabna, is allowed leave from the afternoon of the 30th July 1903 to the afternoon of the 19th September 1903, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Pabna.

No 2988A.—The 21st July 1903.—Mr. Syud Nurul Huda, District and Sessions Judge, Rajshahi, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 6th August to the 19th September 1903, both days inclusive.

Rajshahi.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 2927A.—The 20th July 1903.*—Babu Ambika Prasanna Mozumdar, Special Sub-Registrar, Malda, is allowed leave for one month, under article 262 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd July 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Malda.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3017A.—The 21st July 1903.*—Babu Hari Das Banerjea, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Patna Division, is allowed leave for two months and twenty-seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Patna Division.

RESIGNATION.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2924A.—The 20th July 1903.*—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Dr. Cecil Silas Mead, of the Baptist Mission, of his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths, under Act VI of 1886, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2863A.—The 17th July 1903.*—Babu Syam Lal Gupta, Deputy Collector, Katwa, Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Burdwan.

No. 2962A.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Jotendra Nath Gupta, Deputy Collector, Palamau, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district

Palamau.

No. 3008A.—The 21st July 1903.—Mr. Jotindra Nath Roy, Deputy Collector, Supaul, Bhagalpur, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Bhagalpur.

The following orders are republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 6304G.—The 11th July 1903.—Mr. J. Cornes, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur, on being relieved by Mr J. F. Gruning, I.C.S., is posted temporarily to Dibrugarh as Assistant Commissioner.

No. 6341G.—The 15th July 1903.—Privilege leave of absence for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, is granted to Mr. B. C Basu, Assistant to the Director, Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Assam, with effect from the 24th July 1903, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 3307J.—The 17th July 1903.—The services of Babu Khettra Nath Datta, Munsif of Sylhet, now on leave, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal

No. 3309J.—The 17th July 1903.—Under the provisions of section 7 (1) of the Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, Babu Bhupal Chandra Ganguli is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Sylhet, to be stationed ordinarily at Sunamganj.

No. 3310J.—The 17th July 1903.—Under the provisions of section 25 of Act XII of 1887 (the Civil Courts Act), the Officiating Chief Commissioner confers upon Babu Bhupal Chandra Ganguli, Munsif of Sunamganj, the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the limits of the Sunamganj Munsifi.

No. 3311J.—The 17th July 1903.—Babu Jogendra Nath Ghosh (No. II), Munsif of Sunamganj, in the district of Sylhet, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at the sadar station.

No. 3312J.—The 17th July 1903.—Under the provisions of section 25 of Act XII of 1887 (the Civil Courts Act), the Officiating Chief Commissioner confers upon Babu Jogendra Nath Ghosh (No. II), Munsif of the sadar station of Sylhet, the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the limits of the Sadar Munsifi.

No. 3313J.—The 17th July 1903.—Under the provisions of section 19, sub-section (2) of Act XII of 1887 (the Civil Courts Act), the Officiating Chief Commissioner invests Babu Jogendra Nath Ghosh (No. II), Munsif of the sadar station of Sylhet, with powers to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the district of Sylhet.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION—No 2875A.

The 17th July 1903.—Mr. St. Quintin Byrne, District Superintendent of Police Hazaribagh, having passed an examination in the Oraon language, in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the Rules for the departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 28th May 1895, is authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 1,000.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No 1557T.R.—The 13th July 1903 —In lines 4 and 7 of Notification No. 1060T.R., dated the 15th June 1903, appointing Mr. G. M. Gregory, Factory Superintendent, Ghazipur, on long leave out of India, to be senior Factory Superintendent, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Owen, retired, and Mr. J. Christian, Officiating Factory Superintendent, Patna, to be senior Factory Superintendent, substantive *pro tempore*, during Mr. Gregory's absence on leave, published in Part I, page 829 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, *for* the word "afternoon" *read* "forenoon."

No. 1556T.R.—The 13th July 1903.—In Notification No. 1358T.R., dated the 2nd June 1903, published in Part I, page 895 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th July 1903, *for* "2nd June 1903" *read* "2nd July 1903."

No. 2177L R.—The 14th July 1903.—Whereas it is expedient that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included in estate Char Bhowa Khoiadagi *alias* Bangsi, bearing tauzi No. 1636, belonging to Government in the district of Noakhali :—

Noakhali.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*c*) and section 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by the Bengal Tenancy Amendment Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the said estate.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) The money rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or, if a produce rent, the fact that a produce rent is paid ;

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise ;

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which ; it increases ;

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

No. 2180L R.—The 18th July 1903.—Mr. H. McPherson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed privilege leave for two months and five days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st July 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 2190L R.—The 18th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the Notification No. 4357L.R, dated the 20th December 1901, published at page 1550, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th December 1901, ordering the survey and preparation of a record-of-rights, under section 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, in respect of Government estate Azimnagar Katra, tauzi No. 2781, in the district of Murshidabad, is hereby cancelled.

Murshidabad.

No. 2191L.R.—The 18th July 1903.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all the lands situated in the undermentioned villages of estate Azimnagar Katra, tauzi No. 2781, of the Murshidabad Collectorate, and that the boundaries thereof be demarcated on the said lands so to be surveyed :—

Murshidabad.

Names of villages.

Azimnagar Katra (Thak plan 16, pargana Asadnagore).
" nij Jaffraganj (Thak plan 18, ").
Jainpur Mat (Thak plan 37, pargana Kashipur).
Beel Mashla (" " 60, " ").
Nawda Mahesh Mirpur (Thak plan 10, pargana Kashipur).
" " Bahadurpur (Thak plan 13, " ").

No. 2192L.R.—The 18th July 1903.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. William Raha, Sub-Deputy Collector, to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey for the purpose of carrying out the survey and demarcation of the boundaries of the estate Azimnagar Katra, tauzi No. 2781, in the district of Murshidabad.

Murshidabad.

No. 2193L.R.—The 18th July 1903.—Maulvi Muhammad Choinuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purpose of survey and the preparation of record-of-rights in petty estates under settlement in that subdivision of the district. He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Government rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, with effect from the 1st May 1903, in respect of those estates.

Murshidabad.

No. 2194L.R.—The 18th July 1903.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, Maulvi Muhammad Choinuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey for the purpose of carrying out the survey and demarcation of boundaries of petty estates under survey in the subdivision of Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, with effect from 1st May 1903.

Murshidabad.

No. 2208L.R.—The 18th July 1903.—The following notification supersedes the notification bearing the same number and date published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th June 1903:—

Ranchi.

No. 917T.R.—The 5th June 1903.—Under the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (1) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, and extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, excepting the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 721, dated 9th February 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights be prepared in respect of all lands included within the external boundaries of thanas Tamar and Khunti, in the district of Ranchi.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, under-raiyat or other tenant, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.

(*e*) The rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*h*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*i*) The name of each landlord, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the lands cultivated by each landlord.

(*j*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

No. 2210(L.R.)—The 20th July 1903.—Mr. J. H. Taylor, Settlement Officer, Porahat Singhbhum, is granted privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Porahat. Singhbhum.

No. 2223L.R.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Surendra Nath Chakravarti, Deputy Collector employed on partition work in the district of Jessore, is allowed privilege leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th July 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Jessore.

No. 2209(Mis.)—The 20th July 1903.—Ram Das Hazra, late a muharrir of the Burdwan Collectorate, having been dismissed from Government service, is debarred from re-employment in any capacity under Government.

Burdwan

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1701.—The 21st July 1903.—THE following notification issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, is published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

No. 1162—38-4, dated Simla, the 13th July 1903.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture.

THE following draft of a notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 80 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883 (XXI of 1883), is published, as required by section 81 of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to

be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on or after the 11th August 1903.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date fixed aforesaid will be considered by the Governor-General in Council:—

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power conferred by section 80 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883 (XXI of 1883), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that in Schedule G, Scale No. 3 (B) of Miscellaneous Medical Stores, *showing the quantities to be supplied for one hundred emigrants*, of the rules as published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 94E., dated the 18th March 1886, and subsequently amended, after the entry relating to "Gutta-percha tissue" the following entries shall be inserted, namely:—

Sal Alembroth wool	...	3 lbs. ...	1½ lb.
„ „ lint	...	1 lb. ...	½ „
Boracic wool ...	...	2 lbs. ...	1 „
„ lint ...	...	1 lb. ...	½ „

No. 1702.—The 21st July 1903.—The following programme of the proposed visitation tour of the Most Reverend the Lord Bishop of Calcutta and Metropolitan in India and Ceylon is published for general information:—

Programme of the Lord Bishop of Calcutta's Visitation Tour in Behar, 1903.

Station.	Arrival.	Departure.
Calcutta	.....	Thursday, July 16th.
Rampur Hât	Thursday, July 16th ...	Friday, „ 17th.
Sahibgunge	Friday, „ 17th ...	Saturday, „ 18th.
Jamalpur	Saturday, „ 18th ...	Tuesday, „ 21st.
Somastipur	Tuesday, „ 21st ...	Wednesday, „ 22nd.
Darbhanga	Wednesday, „ 22nd ...	Friday, „ 24th.
Muzaffarpur	Friday, „ 24th ...	Thursday, „ 30th.
Motihari	Thursday, „ 30th ...	Monday, August 3rd.
Segauli	Monday, August 3rd ...	Tuesday, „ 4th.
Bettiah	Tuesday, „ 4th ...	Wednesday, „ 5th.
Chapra	Wednesday, „ 5th ...	Friday, „ 7th.
Bankipur	Friday, „ 7th ...	Monday, „ 10th.
Buxar	Monday, „ 10th ..	Tuesday, „ 11th.
Arrah	Tuesday, „ 11th ..	Wednesday, „ 12th.
Gaya	Wednesday, „ 12th ...	Friday, „ 14th.
Dinapur	Friday, „ 14th ...	Monday, „ 17th.
Calcutta	Tuesday, „ 18th ...	.....

Letters should, as a general rule, be sent to those stations where a Sunday is spent, the names of which are printed in italics.

Matters of routine requiring immediate attention will be attended to by the Venerable the Archdeacon of Calcutta, St. Thomas' Parsonage, Free School Street, Calcutta.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3183S.R.—The 21st July 1903.—Mr. R. C. Gupta, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Hazaribagh, *vice* Maulvi Syed Karam Hossein, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Hazaribagh.

No. 3197S.R.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Ananda Charan Guha, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax, in the district of Noakhali, *vice* Babu Nityananda Ghosh, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Noakhali.

No. 3201S.R.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Durga Das Mukerjee, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax, in the district of Dinajpur, *vice* Babu Jogendra Nath Chakravarti, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Dinajpur.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1729T.M.—The 14th July 1903.—The services of Captain S. Anderson, I.M.S., Officiating Superintendent of the Buxar Central Jail, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department, with effect from the 15th July 1903.

Buxar.

No. 1899Med.—The 17th July 1903.—Captain J. W. F. Rait, M.B., I.M.S., Officiating Second Surgeon, Presidency General Hospital, is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 13th June 1903, to act as First Surgeon of that institution, during the absence, on deputation, of Captain B. C. Oldham, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 1901Med.—The 17th July 1903.—Captain V. E. H. Lindesay, M.B., I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon of Manbhum, is appointed, with effect from the afternoon of the 12th June 1903, to act as Second Surgeon of the Presidency General Hospital, during the absence, on leave, of Captain L. Rogers, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Manbhum.

No. 1903Med.—The 17th July 1903.—Captain W. D. Hayward, M.B., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon of Jalpaiguri, is appointed, with effect from the afternoon of the 15th June 1903, to act as Civil Surgeon of Ranchi, during the absence, on deputation, of Lieutenant-Colonel R. R. H. Whitwell, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 1931Med.—The 20th July 1903.—Captain H. Innes, I.M.S., Officiating Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Northern Bengal Circle, is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 26th June 1903, to act as Civil Surgeon of Bhagalpur, during the absence, on deputation, of Captain C. R. Stevens, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Bhagalpur.

No. 1933Med.—The 20th July 1903.—Lieutenant J. Masson, I.M.S., is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 25th June 1903, to act as Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Northern Bengal Circle, during the absence, on deputation, of Captain B. R. Chatterton, I.M.S., or until further orders.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1715T.M.—The 14th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, in the exercise of the power conferred on him by section 66 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, to direct that the dispensary at Rajbari, situated in the district of Faridpur, shall be placed under the control and administration of the District Board of Faridpur.

Faridpur.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3028A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2846A.—The 17th July 1903.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Ghose, Subordinate Judge, Dinajpur, on leave, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Midnapore, *vice* Babu Mohim Chandra Ghose, about to retire, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Midnapore.

Dinajpur.
Midnapore.

No. 2848A.—The 17th July 1903.—Babu Akhoy Kumar Chatterji, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Dinajpur, is confirmed in that appointment.

Dinajpur.

No. 2850A.—The 17th July 1903.—Babu Hari Prasad Das, Subordinate Judge, Mymensingh, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Birbhum, *vice* Babu Bipradas Chatterji, about to retire, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Suri Munsifi.

Mymensingh.
Birbhum.

No. 2852A.—The 17th July 1903.—Babu Bihari Lal Banerjee, Subordinate Judge, Tippera, on leave, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge. Mymensingh, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Mymensingh, and with the powers conferred on District Judges under sections 344 to 359 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure, in regard to cases arising within the local limits of the Mymensingh district. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26 (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Mymensingh. He is further appointed to perform the functions of a Court under section 3, clause (*d*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, within the local limits of the district of Mymensingh.

Tippera. Mymensingh.

No. 2866A.—The 17th July 1903.—Babu Haripada Bandopadhya, Munsif of Phatikchari, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Cox's Bazar.

Chittagong.

No. 2868A.—The 17th July 1903.—Babu Kedar Nath Chaudhuri, Munsif of Cox's Bazar, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Phatikchari.

Chittagong.

No. 2984A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Chuni Lal Basu, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Midnapore, to be ordinarily stationed at Contai, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Gopal Krishna Ghose, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 2994A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Bidhu Bhusan Chakravarti, Munsif of Contai, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Burdwan, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Burdwan. He is also vested with powers under section 19 (2) of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the district of Burdwan.

Midnapore. Burdwan.

No. 2996A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Hari Lal Mukherjee, Munsif of Burdwan, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Midnapore, to be ordinarily stationed at Contai.

Burdwan. Midnapore.

No. 2998A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Nripendra Nath Sarkar, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Midnapore, to be ordinarily stationed at Contai, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hari Lal Mukherjee, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 2273J.D.—The 15th July 1903.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Bose is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Municipal Bench at Baduria, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 2550J.—The 20th July 1903.—Maulvi Syed Reazuddin Quazi is reappointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Bogra.

Bogra.

No. 2555J.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Beni Madhab Chakravarti is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Serampore Independent Bench, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 2568J.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Jagarnath Prasad is reappointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Revelganj, in the district of Saran.

Saran.

No. 2571J.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Ashutosh Mukerji is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Revelganj, in the district of Saran.

Saran.

LEAVE.

No. 3024A.—The 15th July 1903.—Babu Jotindra Mohan Bagchi, Additional Munsif of Begusarai, in the district of Bhagalpur, is allowed leave for four days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 18th June 1903.

Bhagalpur.

The 15th July 1903.—Babu Hari Lal Mukerjee, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Contai, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for thirty days, viz., seventeen days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Midnapore.

No. 3025A.—The 16th July 1903.—Babu Girindra Lal Roy, Munsif of Lakhmipur, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th July 1903, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

Noakhali

No. 3026A.—The 17th July 1903.—Babu Tara Pado Chatterjee, Registrar, Small Cause Court, and Munsif of Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 13th June 1903.

Dacca.

No. 2966A.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Ghose, Subordinate Judge, Dinajpur, is allowed leave for five days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 8th June 1903.

Dinajpur.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 2258J.D.—The 16th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Maulvi Mahamed Hossein of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Banka Independent Bench, in the district of Bhagalpur.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2660J.—The 20th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Lakshmi Narain Dutt of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

POWERS.

No. 1847A.D.—The 6th July 1903.—Babu Khetra Nath Dutta, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Nadia, to be ordinarily stationed at Kushtia, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Kushtia Munsifi.

Nadia.

No. 2873A.—The 17th July 1903.—Babu Nogendra Chunder Sen, Deputy Magistrate, Rangpur, is vested with powers under section 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Rangpur.

No. 2382A.—The 18th July 1903.—Babu Tara Prosonno Dass, Munsif of Chatra, in Chota Nagpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Chota Nagpur.

No. 2937A.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Shama Charan Mitter, Deputy Magistrate, Monghyr, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Monghyr.

No. 2992A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Ashutosh Bagchi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Siliguri, Darjeeling, is vested with the powers of a Munsif within the jurisdiction of the Kurseong thana and with the powers of a Small Cause Court Judge to try suits of value not exceeding Rs. 50 in the Kurseong subdivision.

Darjeeling.

No. 3000A.—The 21st July 1903.—The following officers are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.—

Mr. J. A. L. Swan,	Assistant Magistrate,	Saran.
„ W. D. R. Prentice,	ditto,	Meherpur, Nadia.
„ F. M. Luce,	ditto,	Bhagalpur.
„ C. H. Reid,	ditto,	Champaran.
„ S. E. Stinton,	ditto,	Monghyr.

No. 2274J.D.—The 15th July 1903.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Bose, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Municipal Bench at Baduria, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

24-Parganas.

No. 2551J.—The 20th July 1903.—Maulvi Syed Reazuddin Quazi, who has been reappointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Bogra.

Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Maulvi Syed Reazuddin Quazi, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Bogra, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 2556J.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Beni Madhab Chakravarti, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Serampore Independent Bench, in the district of Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Hooghly.

No. 2569J.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Jagarnath Prasad, who has been reappointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Revelganj, in the district of Saran, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Saran.

No. 2572J.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Ashutosh Mukerji, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Revelganj, in the district of Saran, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Saran.

No. 2662J.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Hira Lal Barman, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. He is also authorized to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the District Magistrate.

Burdwan.

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

[Third Publication.]

No. 1853J.D.—The 27th June 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of Bengal Act II of 1867 (an Act to provide for the punishment of public gambling and the keeping of common gaming-houses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend all the sections of that Act to the Nasirabad Municipality, with effect from the 1st August 1903.

Mymensingh

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2285½J.D.—The 15th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a latrine for the Cantonment Police outpost, in the cantonment in town Cuttack, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·8 pole of standard measurement, bounded on the north and west by cantonment outpost, on the south by cantonment metalled road, and on the east by lane belonging to Shaik Riajoodin, is required within the aforesaid cantonment.

Cuttack.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer (Irrigation Branch), Cuttack.

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2321J.D.—The 21st July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of quarters for the Police Inspector and the Second Officer of the Bhanga police-station, in the village of Sadardi, pargana Havili, zilla Faridpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 3 cottahs and 11 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Local Board road; on the east by a *halot*; on the south by the paddy land of Basiraddy and others; and on the west by the ditch of the Bhanga police-station compound, is required within the aforesaid village of Sadardi.

Faridpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Faridpur.

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT (JAILS).

No. 902P.D.—The 14th July 1903.—Babu Shiva Nandan Proshad Singh is re-appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Monghyr Jail.

Monghyr.

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 20th July 1903.

No. 102.—Babu Srish Chunder Chakravarti, Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, passed the Lower Standard examination in Urdu, held on the 6th July 1903.

No. 104.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following promotions in the Engineer Establishment, with effect from the dates specified :—

NAMES.	From—	To—	With effect from—	Nature of promotion.
Chakravarti, Srish Chunder ...	Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade.	Assistant Engineer, 1st grade.	6th July 1903	Permanent.
Sen Gupta, Madhusudan ...	Assistant Engineer, 1st grade.	Executive Engineer, 3rd grade.	24th June ,,	Temporary.
Pal, Saroda Sunder	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	30th ,, ,,	Ditto.
Huntingford, G. T.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	6th July ,,	Ditto.
Cross, L. D.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	7th ,, ,,	Ditto.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 20th July 1903.

No. 103.—Mr. R. C. Hodgson, Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, passed the Colloquial Examination in Hindustani, held on the 13th July 1903.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 21st July 1903.

No. 131L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Faridpur for constructing the 2nd section of the Madaripur-Bhurghata road, in the villages of Dhuasar and Maijpara, pargana Beermohan, zilla Faridpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 51 bighas of standard measurement, passing through the villages of Dhuasar and Maijpara, is required within the aforesaid villages.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Faridpur.

No. 132L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Faridpur for constructing the 3rd section of the Madaripur-Bhurghata road, in the villages of Beentilak and Gopalpur, pargana Beermohan, zilla Faridpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 17 cottahs 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows, are required within the aforesaid villages of Beentilak and Gopalpur.—

PLOT No. 1.

On the north and south by the lands of widow of Ram Kumer Chakravarty and Krisha Chandra Sen of Beentilak; on the east by the land of widow of Ram Kumer Chakravarty of Beentilak, and on the west by the land of Hara Nanda Dhar and others, and a khal.

PLOT No. 2.

On the north by the land of Basi Nagarchi of Gopalpur; on the south by the land of Ainudhi Kaji of Gopalpur; on the east by the land of Ainudhi Kaji of Gopalpur and Local Board old road (Gopalpur), and on the west by the land of Rajani Kantha Lasker of Maishpara and Local Board old road (in Gopalpur).

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Faridpur.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MILITARY.

The 21st July 1903.

No. 133M.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the purpose of building a rolling mill at the Gunpowder Factory, Ichapore, in the village of Ichapore, pargana Habi'ishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 27 bighas of standard measurement, bounded on the north and east by the remaining portions of land appertaining to estate No. 617, Ichapore, and on the west and south by the land belonging to Ichapore Gunpowder Factory, is required within the aforesaid village of Ichapore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Garrison Engineer, Barrackpore Military Works.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 21st July 1903.

No. 42.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for an inspection bungalow on the 20th mile of the Rupnarain left embankment, in the village of Shashati, pargana Mandalghat, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 7 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the jote land of Rajkrisna Maiti, south by khas patit land of the mahal, east by jote lands of Gobinda Sant and Gopal Khara, and west, by Roopnarain left embankment, is required within the aforesaid village of Shashati.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Cossye Division, Midnapore.

No. 43.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for an inspection bungalow at the end of the Damodar left embankment, near the junction of the Damodar and the Hooghly, in the village of Dhaja, pargana Mandalghat, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 7 bighas 7 cottahs and 15 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as under—

1ST PLOT.

On the North.—By jote land of Beni Madhab Mandal,
On the South.—By jote land of Thakur Das Gayen and khas patit land,
On the East.—By a khal (water passage),
On the West.—By jote land of Baikanta Das ;

2ND PLOT.

On the North.—By the above plot,
On the South.—By the Hooghly river,
On the East.—By khas patit land of the mahal,
On the West.—By Thakur Das Gayen's jote land,—

are required within the aforesaid village of Dhaja.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Cossye Division, Midnapur.

No. 44.—Notification.—In supersession of Bengal Government Notification No. 75 of 11th March 1901, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased, under the provisions of section 6 of the Canals Act. V (B.C.) of 1864, to fix the following rates and places at which tolls will be levied for the undermentioned Ranges of the "Midnapore Canal'

and on its branch, the Naraingar Distributary, from the 1st August 1903, until further orders:—

Schedule of Rates of Tolls to be charged on the Midnapore Canal.

Description.	Entering from the East.					Entering from the West.				
	At Uluberia for Range I from Ulubaria to Bansberia.	At Bansberia for Range II from Bansberia to Kantapukur.	At Dainan for Range III from Dainan to Panskura.	At Panskura for Range IV from Panskura to Balichak.	At Panskura or Kristanagar for Range V from Balichak or Kristanagar to Mohanpur.	At Mohanpur or Kristanagar for Range V from Mohanpur or Kristanagar to Balichak.	At Mohanpur or Kristanagar for Range IV from Balichak to Panskura.	At Panskura for Range III from Panskura to Dainan.	At Kantapukur for Range II from Kantapukur to Bansberia.	At Bansberia for Range I from Bansberia to Uluberia.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
Loaded vessels per 100 maunds.	0 6	0 8	0 10	0 12	0 12	0 12	0 12	0 10	0 8	0 6
Empty vessels per 100 maunds.	0 3	0 4	0 5	0 6	0 6	0 6	0 6	0 5	0 4	0 3
Timbers in rafts or loose per timber.	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 2
Piles in rafts or loose per 100 piles.	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0
Bamboos in floats per 100 bamboos.	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4

Vessels which enter the canal at Kantapukur Lock and do not proceed beyond 900 feet from that lock will be charged toll at the rate of 4 annas per 100 maunds.

Schedule of Rates of Tolls to be charged on the Naraingar Distributary.

Description.	Entering the Canal from the Distributary.	Entering the Distributary from the Canal.
	At Kristanagar.	At Kristanagar.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
Loaded vessels per 100 maunds	... 0 12	0 12
Empty vessels per 100 maunds	... 0 6	0 6
Timbers in rafts or loose per timber	... 0 2	0 2
Piles in rafts or loose per 100 piles	... 1 0	1 0
Bamboos in floats per 100 bamboos	... 0 4	0 4

[Second Publication.]

The 14th July 1903.

No. 41.—Notification.— In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 78 and 99 (*d*) of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following alteration in item 5 of the Schedule of Rates to be charged for water supplied from the Orissa Canals, as fixed in Notification No. 118, dated the 23rd May 1899, and subsequently modified in Notification No. 141, dated the 1st July 1902.

	Existing rate per man.		Proposed rate per man.	
	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.
Item 5—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June ...	3	8		
Item 5*—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June			3	4

* Note.—In the case of leases for a term of years which are in force at the rate of Rs. 1-8 per acre, the rate for the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June will remain Rs. 3-8 per acre.

[Sixth Publication.]

The 16th June 1903.

No. 35.—Notification.—It is hereby notified for general information [as required by section XII of Act V (B.C.) of 1864] that the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes, under the provisions of section XI of the same Act, to make the following rules in regard to the Madaripur bhil channel, as defined in this Department Notification No. 128, dated the 26th June 1900:—

1. Every vessel passing through the bhil channel shall stop at the prescribed toll station, as notified in the schedule of tolls for the purpose of determining the tolls payable.

2. For the purposes of these rules, vessels other than rafts, timbers, bamboos or other floating material shall be divided into two classes as below:—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build.

„ *II.*—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and such other square built boats as should, in the opinion of the Collector of tolls, be included.

3. The net tonnage of every vessel of class I, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of these rules, be determined by the following measurements:—

A.—The product of half the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches; the measurement of the breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting portions of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which tollage shall be charged shall be a simple multiple of 12½ maunds, rejecting any remainder, by which the maundage, calculated as above, may exceed such simple multiple.

4. For vessels in class II the tonnage shall be determined as follows:—

The tonnage of steamers shall be the registered tonnage as given in the certificate of survey of the steamer.

Tolls shall be levied on the actual weight of cargo carried on steamers, flats, barges and other vessels included in this class, as declared in the manifests.

5. Every vessel shall be furnished at the toll station with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the nature and weight of the cargo it contains, and the amount of toll charged, shall be entered.

6. This ticket may be demanded and checked by any navigation officer while the vessel is within the limits of the bhil channel, and must be kept on board and at hand for that purpose.

7. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed. Provided that the Collector of Tolls appointed under section VIII of the Act may at his discretion permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognized standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

8. The term "Navigation Officer," as used in Rule 6, shall include the Collector of Tolls appointed under section VIII of the Act and the officer or subordinate of the Public Works Department in charge of the subdivision or section within which the channels is situated.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 21st July 1903.

No. 128R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Military sidings of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Ichapore, pargana Habileeshuhar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 17 bighas 1 cottah and 3¼¾ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows, are required within the aforesaid village of Ichapore.

PLOT NO. 1.

On the North and East—By Eastern Bengal State Railway land.
On the South and West—By Ichapore village land.

PLOT NO. 2.

On the North—By Ichapore village land.
On the East—By Eastern Bengal State Railway land.
On the South—By Eastern Bengal State Railway land and Ichapore village land.
On the West—By land belonging to Military Factory.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate, or other minerals lying under the land except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (*f*), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land is available for inspection in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta District, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

No. 129R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that an additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for Refuge Siding at Khardaha, in the village of Khardaha, pargana

Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 3 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by land belonging to Bepin Behari Chowdhury, Sayla Dhara and Bhut Nath Dhara; on the east by land belonging to Bhut Nath Dhara, Hari Khettra Dhara, Darik Dhara and Hari Charan Ganguly; on the south by land belonging to Hari Charan Ganguly and Benode Behari Pramanik, and on the west by land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway, is required within the aforesaid village of Khardaha

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land is available for inspection in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta district, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

No. 130R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that an additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Refuge Siding at Agarpara, in the village of Basudebpur, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 9 cottahs 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by land belonging to Priya Nath Mittra, Surendra Nath Das, and Umesh Chandra Ray Choudhury, already declared for acquisition; on the east by land belongng to Surendra Nath Das, Umesh Chandra Ray Chowdhury and Saroda Prosad Banerjee, and that occupied by the Municipal road; on the south by land belonging to Saroda Prosad Banerjee, and on the west by land belonging to the Eastern Bengal State Railway, is required within the aforesaid village of Basudebpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land is available for inspection in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta district, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

No. 134R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a service line between Sinthee and Nowpara for the Kancoorgachi Chord and duplicating between Canal Junction and Kancoorgachi, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the villages of Sinthee and Nowpara, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 40 bighas of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Nowpara road, on the south by Sinthee road, on the east by the lands belonging to the villages of Sinthee and Nowpara, and on the west by the lands belonging to the Eastern Bengal State Railway, is required within the aforesaid villages of Sinthee and Nowapara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Eastern Bengal State Railway, Sealdah.

No. 135R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for gang hut at the 29th mile on the Eastern Section of the Eastern Bengal State Railway in the village of Bhabanipore, pargana Habilishahar, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs and 1 chitak of standard measurement, bounded on the north and south by the land belonging to Sham Lal Mandal, on the east by the land belonging to Hem Chundra Bhuttacharjee and on the west by the land belonging to the Eastern Bengal State Railway, is required within the aforesaid village of Bhabanipore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta Section, Eastern Bengal State Railway, Sealdah.

No. 136R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, viz., for watering arrangements at mile 78¾ on the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the village of Redma, pargana Palamau, zilla Palamau, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·34 acres, bounded on the north and south by the land of village Redma, on the east by the boundary of Daltonganj Station yard, and on the west by the boundary of the Barun-Daltonganj Railway brick-field at Redma, is required within the aforesaid village of Redma.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Gaya.

No. 137R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal Coal Company for the construction of a siding at mile 69¼ on the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the village of Paurma, pargana Palamau, zilla Palamau, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6·38 acres, bounded on the north and west by the land of village Paurwa, and on the south and east by the land of the Bengal Coal Company's siding, is required within the aforesaid village of Paurwa.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway at Gaya.

No. 138R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for rebuilding gate huts for existing level crossings on the main line, Tirhut State Railway, in the villages of Ramchandarpur, Bhatgawan, Chak Luqman, Bisrampur, Bhagwanpur Chak Sekho, pargana Saraisa, zilla Darbhanga, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four pieces of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 7 cottahs of local measurement, equivalent to 3 bighas 8 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

No.	North.	South.	East.	West.
1	Village road (Dagar)	Fields of Kashi Jha and Achai Lal Choudhry.	Bág of Gopal Chowdhry.	Railway lines.
2	Dagar ...	Fields of Keota Factory.	Fields of Keota Factory.	Ditto.
3	Do. ...	Bág of Tulsi ...	Bág of Tulsi ...	Ditto.
4	Dagar and field of Shyam Lall.	Field of Shyam Lall	Field of Shyam Lall	Ditto.

are required within the aforesaid villages of Ramchandarpur, Bhaitgawan, Chak Luqman, Bisrampur and Bhagwanpur Chak Sekho.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Darbhanga.

No. 139R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, viz., for a bund on the west side of the Barun-Daltonganj Railway at mile 77¼ in the village of Sadhua, pargana Palamau, zilla Palamau, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·12 acres, bounded on the north, south and west by the land of village of Sadhua, and on the east by the Barun-Daltonganj Railway main line land, is required within the aforesaid village of Sadhua.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Gaya.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 15th July 1903.

No. 86Marine.—Mr. W. H. Ridler, Junior Master Pilot, is permitted to retire from the service with effect from the forenoon of the 9th August 1903.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3029A.

No. 2128A.D.—The 14th July 1903.—Babu Akhil Kumar Chatterjee, Sub-Deputy Collector and Superintendent of Distillery, Shahabad, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Shahabad.

No. 2870A.—The 17th July 1903.—Mr. William Raha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, was employed at the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district, from the 27th April to the 29th April 1903, both days inclusive.

Murshidabad.

No. 2884.—The 18th July 1903.—Babu Surjya Kumar Guha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is transferred temporarily to the Madaripur subdivision of that district.

Faridpur.

No. 2886.—The 18th July 1903.—Maulvi Afzalur Rahaman, Sub-Deputy Collector, Madaripur, Faridpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Faridpur.

No. 2893A.—The 18th July 1903.—Babu Himangshu Nath Chakravarti, Sub-Deputy Collector, Araria, Purnea, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st August 1903.

Purnea.

No. 2895A.—The 18th July 1903.—Babu Shamshair Jang Bahadur, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is transferred to the Araria subdivision of the Purnea district.

Bhagalpur.
Purnea.

No. 2943A.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Suresh Chunder Chuckerbutty, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his settlement duties.

No. 3015A.—The 21st July 1903.—Babu Khettro Bhusan Prosad, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his settlement duties.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

No. 2931A.—The 20th July 1903.—Babu Dhanesh Chandra Sen is appointed to act as Rural Sub-Registrar of Kaliachak, in the district of Malda during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Jugal Krishna Ray, or until further orders.

Malda.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7294, dated Calcutta, the 18th July 1903.—Deputy Magistrate P. K. Karforma made over charge of the Khulna Jail to Assistant Surgeon Bepin Behary Sen Gupta on the forenoon of the 8th July 1903.

M. S. EMERSON,
for *Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.*

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2142D.—Dated Darjeeling, the 13th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Sarasi Lal Sircar, Additional Assistant Surgeon, Chemical Examiner's Department, is allowed privilege leave for one month under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may have availed himself of it.

S. H. BROWNE, M.D., COL., I.M.S.
Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU SURES CHANDRA DAS has been placed in charge of the Pabna Treasury from 4th July 1903 and authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

H C. WILLIAMS, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 12th July 1903.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU HARISH CHANDRA BANERJEE has been placed in charge of the Birbhum Treasury, *vice* Babu Ram Narayan Banerjee, granted furlough, and authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 17th July 1903.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

Dates of the 4th and 5th Criminal Sessions for the year 1903.

No. of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
Fourth Sessions ...	... Monday ...	... August 17.
Fifth ,, ...	... Ditto ...	... November 30.

By order,
J. G. APCAR,
Clerk of the Crown.

High Court, Crown Office, *the 9th day of July 1903.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 6th July 1903.—In modification of the orders of the 30th March 1903, Babu Sripati Mukherjea, B A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Shahabad (Class III), is allowed leave of absence for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th April 1903, combined with furlough for three months under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations.

The 12th July 1903.—Babu Nilmadhab Barik, B.A., Officiating Assistant Head Master, Bankura Zilla School (Class VII), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th June 1903.

The following arrangements are sanctioned for the performance of the absentee's duties:—

(1) Babu Mohes Chandra Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Master, Bankura Zilla School (Class VIII), to act as Assistant Head Master of the same institution, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Nilmadhab Barik.

(2) Babu Sashi Bhushan Bhattacherjea, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Bankura Zilla School, on a salary of Rs. 40 a month, to act in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nilmadhab Barik, or until further orders.

The 13th July 1903.—Babu Giriwardhari Lal, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Darbhanga (Class IV), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 7th May 1903.

The 17th July 1903.—Babu Bhuban Mohan Sen, Assistant Head Master of the Mymensingh Zilla School (Class V), having returned to duty on the 9th May 1903, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 7th May 1903 is cancelled.

The 21st July 1903.—Consequent on the appointment of Babu Beni Madhab Das, M.A., Assistant Head Master of the Chittagong Training School, to act as a Professor in the Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, the following arrangements are sanctioned:—

(1) Babu Atul Chandra Banerjea, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Dacca Training School (Class V), is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the Chittagong Training School, *vice* Babu Beni Madhab Das.

(2) Babu Bijoy Krishna Basu, M.A., Assistant Master, Dacca Training School (Class VI), to act as Assistant Head Master of the same institution, *vice* Babu Atul Chandra Banerjea

(3) Babu Akshoy Kumar Mukherjea, B.A, Assistant Head Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School (Class VII), to act as an Assistant Master in the Dacca Training School, *vice* Babu Bijoy Krishna Basu.

A. C. EDWARDS,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

ERRATUM.

IN the list of senior scholars for 1903, published in page 850, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 24th June 1903, *read*—

BHAGALPUR DIVISION.

Sailajapada Mukerjea ...	D. J. College, Monghyr	Presidency College ...	B Course,
	for—		
Jagadhar Prasad ..	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.	A Course.

C. W. PEAKE,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MUHAMMADANS FOR 1903.

NAME OF SCHOLAR.	Name of the institution from which he appeared.	Where made tenable.	Value of scholarship.
1	2	3	4
	Mohsin Senior Scholarships.		
			Rs.
1. Shaikh Masharraf Ullah	Calcutta Madrasah ..	Presidency College ...	16
2. Syed Hassan Askeri ...	Patna College	.....	14
3. Talim Uddin Ahammad Tarique-ul-Alam.	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Presidency College ...	14
4. Lehazuddin Sardar ...	B. M. Institution, Barisal ...	B. M. Institution, Barisal ...	12
5. Abdur Rahim ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Presidency College ...	12
	Government Special Scholarships of the value of Rs. 10.		
1. Syed Abu Taher ...	Hooghly College ...	Hooghly College ...	10
2. Syed Mahbubar Rahman	Dacca College	Presidency College ...	10
3. Muhammad Kasim Ali ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Ditto ...	10
4. Abdur Rahman ...	Dacca College	Ditto ...	10
5. Dabiruddin Ahmad ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Medical College ...	10
6. Syed Mohamed Ahsan ...	Patna College	Patna College	10
7. Majibal Ahmad ...	Victoria College, Comilla ...	Dacca College	10
8. Qamarut Tauhid ...	Patna College	Patna College	10
9. Abdul Jalil	D. J. College, Monghyr ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.	10
10. Abdur Raschid Khan ..	Dacca College	Dacca College	10
	Government Special Senior Scholarships of the value of Rs. 7.		
1. Abul Hassan ...	D. J. College, Monghyr ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.	7
2. Shaikh Ranjan Ali ...	B. B. College, Muzaffarpur ...	B. B. College, Muzaffarpur ...	7
3. Muhammad Abdul Hafeez	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Presidency College ...	7
4. Shaikh Osman Ali ...	Burdwan Raj College ...	Ripon College	7
5. Adil Uzzaman ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Presidency College ...	7
6. Saleh Ahmed ...	Chittagong College ...	Ditto ...	7
7. Lutf Ahmed Khan Chaudhuri.	Jagganath College ...	Ditto ...	7
8. Muhammad Ismail Huq Biswas.	Albert College	.....	7
9. Syed Mohamed Abdul Wahed.	Burdwan Raj College ...	Ditto ...	7
10. Abdul Hasim ...	Chittagong College ...	Ditto ...	7
	ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS.		
	Syed Kazi Reza Hossain Scholarship.		
1. Mohammad Safiuddin ...	Patna College	Patna College	11
	Darbhanga Raj Scholarships.		
1. Faizur Rahman ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	St. Xavier's College ...	10
2. Sheikh Azimuddin ...	Ditto ...	Presidency College ...	10

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C. W. PEAKE,
Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MUHAMMADANS FOR 1903.

Name of Scholar.	Name of institution from which he appeared.	Kind of Scholarship or prize awarded.	Where made tenable.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
1. Muhammad Abul Ahsan...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Mohsin Junior Scholarship of Rs. 10.	Calcutta Madrasah.	
2. Ali Akbar	Ditto ...	Ditto. ...	Ditto.	
3. Abdul Masid Khan ...	Dacca Madrasah ...	Mohsin Junior Scholarship of Rs. 8.	.....	
4. Muhammad Tamisuddin	Rajshahi Collegiate School.	Ditto ...	Calcutta Madrasah.	
5. Fazlur Rahman ...	Comilla Zilla School ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
6. Muhammad Adel ...	Braja Mohan Institution, Barisal.	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
7. Kazi Aboo Said ...	Okerse High School ...	Ditto ...	Burdwan Raj College	
8. Muhammad Yakub ...	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.	Ditto ...	Ditto.	

Endowed Scholarships.

1. Ali Muhammad ...	Calcutta Madrasah ..	Amir-i-Kabir's Madrasah Scholarship of Rs. 10.	Calcutta Madrasah	
2. Abdul Quayoum ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
3. Wali-ul-Islam ...	Ditto ...	Syed Ali Khan's Scholarship of Rs. 10.	Ditto ...	For one year only, and the Amir-i-Kabir's continuation Scholarship in the second year.
4. Abdul Hafeez ...	Patna Collegiate School	Syed Lootf Ali Khan's Scholarship of Rs. 8.	Patna College.	
5. Mehdi Hosaen ...	Ditto	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
6. Syed Nasr Hossein ...	Gaya, Sahebganj School	Amir-i-Kabir's Continuation Scholarship of Rs. 10	Calcutta Madrasah ...	For one year only.

Government Special Scholarships.

1. Maniruddin Ahmad ...	Amla Sudderpur School	Government Special Scholarship of Rs. 7.	Hooghly College.	
2. Muhammad Zahurul Huq	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.	Ditto ...	B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.	
3. Ataruddin Ahmad ...	Malda Zilla School ...	Ditto ...	Calcutta Madrasah.	
4. Syed Fazal Hassan ...	Bankipur A. S School ...	Ditto ...	Patna College.	
5. Abdul Huq ...	Muzaffarpur Zilla School	Ditto ...	Bhumihar Brahman College.	
6. Muhammad Karim Buksh	Barisal Zilla School ...	Ditto ..	B. M. Institution, Barisal.	
7. Rehan Ali ...	Puttiya High School ...	Ditto ...	Chittagong College.	
8. Abu Wazzafer ...	Gaibanda High School ...	Ditto ...	Calcutta Madrasah.	
9. Syed Abdur Rahman II ...	Bankipur A. S. School ...	Ditto ...	Patna College.	
10. Abdul Wahid ...	Gaibanda High School .	Ditto ...	Calcutta Madrasah.	
11. Muhammad Lutfur Rahman.	Basirhat High School ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
12. Muhammad Yasin ...	Shahazadpur High School	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
13. Erfanuddin Ahmad ...	Noakhali Zilla School ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
14. Muhammad Rahmatullah	Arrah K. J. Academy ...	Ditto ...	Patna College.	
15. Abdul Rahman I ...	Bankipur A. S. School ...	Ditto ..	Ditto.	
16. Muhammad Abu Zafar ...	Muzaffarpur Zilla School	Ditto ...	Bhumihar Brahman College.	
17. Abdur Rashid ...	Chittagong Collegiate School.	Ditto ...	Dacca College.	
18. Farrukh Ahmad ...	Ramgati Raozan Ramdhan Institution.	Ditto ...	Chittagong College.	
19. Syed Muhammad Jamil	Bankipur A. S. School ...	Ditto ...	Patna College.	
20. K. M. Taqui ...	Bihar H. C. School ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.	

Prizes awarded to Muhammadan students in 1903.

1. Aminuddin Khan ...	Gaibanda High School	Prince Jehan Kadir's prize of Rs. 20.	.....
2. Haran Ali Biswas ...	Faridpur Zilla School ...	Nawab Zainul Abedin's prize of Rs 20.	.....
3. Muhammad Nazir Ahmed	Muzaffarpur Zilla School	Muhammadan Literary Society's prize of Rs. 20.	.....
4. Latfar Rahman ...	Bhola High School ...	Ditto ...	.....
5. Mafizuddin Ahmed ...	Bindhubasini School, Tangail.	Sahibzada Rahimuddin's prize of Rs. 20.	.....

JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MUHAMMADANS FOR 1903—*concluded.*

NAME OF SCHOLAR.	Name of institution from which he appeared.	Kind of scholarship or prize awarded.	Where made tenable.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5
Prizes awarded to Muhammadan students in 1903—concluded.				
6. Muhammad Abdul Ali ...	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.	Sahibzada Rahimuddin's prize of Rs. 20.	.....	
7. Ali Hassan ...	Darjeeling High School	Kasim Arif's prize of Rs. 20.	.....	
8. Syed Altaful Ali Chaudhuri.	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Abey Ahmed's prize of Rs. 20.	.....	
9. Abdur Rahim ...	Nawab Sir Abdul Ghani's Free School, Dacca.	Abdul Karim Sherazi's prize of Rs. 12.	.....	
10. Shaikh Asiruddin	Balasore Zilla School ...	Sahebzada Nasiruddin's prize of Rs. 12.	.....	
Government Special Scholarships for aborigines.				
1. Jola Hansdh ...	Pakur H. E. School ...	Government Special Scholarship of Rs. 8 for aborigines.	.....	With the privilege of free tuition in a Government college.
2. Laurentius Barla ...	G. M. High English School, Ranchi.	Ditto ditto ...	.....	Ditto.

CALCUTTA,

The 20th July 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,

Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

Entrance examination.

A TEST-EXAMINATION of private students and school-masters for admission to the ensuing Entrance examination will be held at the office of the Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, 12 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th December 1903. Such candidates only as reside in any of the districts of the Presidency Division, including Calcutta, will be admitted to the examination.

2. Candidates who do not appear from any school, *i.e.*, who have not attended any school since the 1st of September next preceding the examination, will be treated as private students. They will be required to furnish satisfactory proof that they have not read in any school from that date. They must also produce certificates of conduct and progress in studies from the authorities of the last school where they read, or, in the case of those who have not been in any school for more than a year, from some other reliable authorities. The transfer certificates granted to them by the authorities of the schools in which they studied last, or the Registrar's receipt for the fee paid in the case of those candidates who previously appeared at the Entrance examination, must be submitted in original along with the application for permission to appear at the test-examination.

3. *Bonâ-fide* teachers employed in any of the schools in the Presidency Division may be admitted to the examination if they can produce certificates of service and character from their employers, or from the Deputy Inspector of the district concerned.

4. Each candidate should submit to this Office, not later than the 15th November 1903, his application for admission to the test-examination, stating the following particulars:—

(1) Age, (2) residence, (3) father's name, (4) second language besides English, and (5) whether he appeared at any previous Entrance examination.

5. The admission-fee for the examination is Rs. 4 for each candidate, and is to be remitted with the application within the prescribed date, after which a fine of Rs. 2 is to be imposed for each week's delay.

6. No private student will be admitted to the test-examination unless accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to this Office.

7. Candidates who are sent up by this Office must appear at the Calcutta Examination Centre.

8. Those who reside at a distance from Calcutta may, with special permission, present themselves at the test-examination held by the head-master of the nearest zilla or Government high school within the Presidency Division on condition that they appear at the centre selected by the candidates from that institution. The head-master of such school is hereby authorised to sign the applications, which must afterwards be countersigned by the undersigned. The fees and fines paid by these candidates as per paragraph 5 above should be utilized in meeting the cost of the examination.

9. The Entrance examination in 1904 will be held on the 7th March 1904 and the following days.

10. Applications and fees for admission to the examination must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 25th January 1904.

F.A. and B.A. examinations.

Deputy Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors, and *bonâ-fide* teachers of English schools in the Presidency Division who have served as such for full two academical years, or for six months in the case of those who were admitted to a former examination of the same class, will be admitted to the above examinations on production of certificates of character and length of service (with dates) from their employers. *Their applications must reach this Office on or before the 8th January 1904.*

2. Candidates for the B.A examination must send their F.A. Certificates, and candidates for the F.A. examination, their Entrance Certificates.

3. Candidates should carefully read the printed form of application and supply all the informations required by the University, including the Registrar's receipt in the case of those school-masters who were admitted to a previous examination of the same class.

4. The F.A. and B A. examinations in 1904 will be held on the 21st March 1904 and the following days.

5. Applications with the countersignature of the undersigned and fees for admission to the above examinations must be sent to the *office of the Registrar on or before the 6th February 1904* by the candidates direct.

12 DALHOUSIE SQUARE, CALCUTTA; *The 7th July 1903.*

P. MUKERJI,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 5629B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 3rd August 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of ...	2,000
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of ...	2,000
Total ...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th August 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 8th August 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 18th August 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Wednesday, 2nd September 1903...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 12th October „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 2nd November „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	8,000	8,000	16,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 29th June 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the general election held on Wednesday, the 15th April 1903, under the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the following gentlemen were duly elected as Commissioners of the Midnapore Municipality in the district of Midnapore:—

Ward No. I ...	Babu Anukul Chandra Mukerjee. „ Debdas Karan.
„ No. II ...	Babu Raghu Nath Das. „ Jogendra Nath Haldar.
„ No. III ...	Babu Kedar Nath Mitra. „ Durga Das Rakhit.
„ No. IV ...	Babu Kali Pada Hazra. „ Srinibash Guin.
„ No. V ...	Babu Pyari Lal Dutt. „ Kumud Chandra Ghose.
„ No. VI ...	Babu Khirode Nath Banerjee. „ Mohendra Nath Das.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVISION, CHINSURA, *the 14th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, under rule 26 of the election Rules, for general information that, at the general election held on the 25th May 1903, the gentlemen named below have, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, been elected as Commissioners of the Comilla Municipality, in the district of Tippera:—

Ward A.

1. Babu Sarat Chandra Basu, Dewan to the Raja of Hill Tippera.
2. Syed Abdul Jabbar, Zamindar.
3. Babu Satish Chandra Roy, Zamindar.
4. „ Ananga Mohon Naha, Pleader.

Ward B.

1. Babu Kailash Chandra Dutt, Government Pleader.
2. Babu Probodh Chandra Ray, Zamindar.
3. „ Akhil Chandra Dutt, Pleader.

Ward C.

1. Maulvi Amir Ali, Pleader.
2. Babu Guru Dayal Singha, Merchant.

Ward D.

1. Munshi Altapali, Mukhtear.
2. Munshi Ali Ahmed, Zamindar.
3. Babu Kailash Chandra Das, Mukhtear.

C. J. S. FAULDER, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 14th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Nadia Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the seventh general election held on the 23rd May 1903:—

Ward No. I	...	Babu Mohendra Nath Bagchi. „ Satis Chandra Gupta. „ Benode Lal Goswami. „ Ram Nath Bhattacharja. „ Jotindra Mohan Goswami.
„ „ II	...	„ Chandra Bhusan Gupta. „ Baroda Kanta Bhattacharja. „ Ram Das Mukerjea.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Ranaghat Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the seventh general election held on the 23rd May 1903:—

Ward No. I	...	Babu Nogendra Nath Pal Chowdhury. „ Mohendra Nath Pramanik.
„ „ II	...	„ Ram Gopal Munshi. „ Krishna Chandra Ghatak.
„ „ III	...	„ Kali Kumar Mullik. „ Banamali Banerjee.
„ „ IV	...	„ Bhuban Mohan Mitra. „ Nogendra Nath Mukerjee.
„ „ V	...	„ Ganga Charan Ghose. „ Sarat Chandra Pramanik.
„ „ VI	...	„ Hemendra Nath Pal Chowdhury. „ Horendra Nath Pal Chowdhury.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held in Ward No. II of the English Bazar Municipality, in the district of Malda, on Friday, the 18th September 1903, to elect a Municipal Commissioner in the place of Babu Srish Chandra Chatterjee, deceased.

SAKHAWAT HOSSAIN, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 16th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Kumarkhali Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the seventh general election held on the 23rd May 1903:—

Ward No.	I	... Babu Nafar Chandra Kundu. „ Mukunda Lal Kundu.
„ „	II	... Mahomed Bosiruddin Biswas. Babu Kedar Nath Mazumdar. „ Rajani Kanta Lahiri.
„ „	III	... Babu Abinash Chandra Mazumdar. „ Ram Gopal Shaha.
„ „	IV	... Mahomed Yakub Mea.
„ „	V	... Babu Rajani Kanta Kundu. „ Joggeswar Chakravarti.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the seventh general election of the Commissioners of the Raniganj Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, under the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, will be held on Saturday, the 22nd August 1903.

N. BAGCHI, *Pers. Asstt.*, for *Commissioner on tour.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 20th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality in the district of 24-Parganas at the seventh general election held on the 23rd May 1903:—

Ward No.	I	...	Babu Roma Nath Chatterjee.
„	II	...	„ Tarak Nath Banerjee.
„	III	...	„ Jogendra Nath Roy.
„	V	...	„ Rajendra Nath Banerjee.
„	VI	...	„ Jogesh Chandra Chatterjee.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 21st July 1903.*

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 1903.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PORT BLAIR.

Simla, the 15th July 1903.

No. 517.—Mr. H. H. Duff, Officiating 6th Assistant Superintendent, Port Blair, is granted privilege leave for two months and four days, with effect from the 23rd May 1903.

JUDICIAL.

The 16th July 1903.

No. 1272.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Stephen, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 4th August 1903.

POLICE.

The 15th July 1903.

No. 606.—The services of Mr. H. H. Duff, Officiating 6th Assistant Superintendent, Port Blair, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the date of the expiry of the privilege leave granted to him in the Home Department Notification No. 517, dated the 15th July 1903.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 17th July 1903.

No. 299.—The Most Reverend the Lord Bishop of Calcutta has granted Mr. A. M. Dunne, Registrar of the Diocese of Calcutta, leave for four months, with effect from the 10th July 1903, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 300.—The Most Reverend the Lord Bishop of Calcutta has appointed Mr. Arthur Caspersz, Barrister-at-Law, to officiate as Registrar of the Diocese of Calcutta during the absence on leave of Mr. A. M. Dunne.

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 17th July 1903.

No. 4325-P.—Mr. E. N. Baker, C.S.I., Officiating Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 10th of May 1903.

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Depy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 17th July 1903.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 730.—Second-Lieutenant Collis Paul Chater, supernumerary list, resigns his commission, with effect from the 5th June 1903.

3rd (Cadet) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 731.—Captain James Clarke Watson resigns his commission, with effect from th 23rd May 1903.

Lieutenant George Edward Marklew to be Captain, with effect from the 1st June 1903, *vice* Milsted, promoted.

Lieutenant Frederick Charles Dorret Little resigns his commission, with effect from the 22nd May 1903.

Lieutenant Walter George Kelly to be Captain, with effect from the 1st June 1903, *vice* Stokes, promoted.

Second-Lieutenant Lawrence Robert Potter to be Lieutenant, with effect from the 1st June 1903, *vice* Kelly, promoted.

Second-Lieutenant Armenda Joseph Phillips to be Lieutenant, with effect from the 1st June 1903, *vice* Marklew, promoted.

Eastern Bengal Volunteer Rifles.

No. 734.—Lieutenant George Gordon resigns his commission, with effect from the 26th June 1903.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 1903.

PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1701T.M.—The 14th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Araria Local Board, in the district of Purnea, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the said section, to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Araria to be the Chairman of that Local Board.

Purnea.

No. 1707T.M.—The 14th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Kazi Ataul Hoque to be a member of the Khulna Local Board, in the district of Khulna, *vice* Munshi Taher Sardar, resigned.

Khulna

No. 1718T.M.—The 14th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Bally Municipality, in the district of Howrah, of Mr. H. K. Bamber to be their Chairman.

Howrah.

No. 1721T.M.—The 14th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Budge-Budge Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

24-Parganas.

Mr. C. O. Manuel.
„ W. Webber.
„ S. C. Sethna.
„ A. E. Pundt.
Mr. C. Street.
„ A. E. Pyster.
Babu Rasik Lal Ghose.
„ Ananda Mohan Ghose.
Babu Kristo Prasanna Mandal.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, under section 23 of the Act, Mr. R. Duncan to be the Chairman of the Municipality.

No. 1723T.M.—The 14th July 1903.—Whereas a Notification No. 1528T.M., dated the 2nd September 1902, was published at page 168, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor, to revise the boundaries of the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, so as to include within its limits the following areas, and whereas no valid objection has been raised to the proposal within six weeks from the date of the publication of the above Notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 9A (2) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884 as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Jamalpur Municipality made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to revise the boundaries of the said Municipality as proposed.

Monghyr.

I.—BOUNDARIES OF AREA TO BE INCLUDED IN THE MUNICIPALITY.

On the north.—The area to the north of the present municipal northern limits to a line drawn from a point 150 feet north of the centre of the East Indian Railway tunnel to 1 mile 2 furlongs post on the East Indian Railway, Monghyr branch line, to a pillar placed near the Government road 360 feet north of the Indrook road. This area includes the villages of Chota Assiokpur, Bara Assiokpur, and Chota Dowlatpur.

Villages of Chota Assiokpur, Bara Assiokpur, and Chota Dowlatpur.

On the west.—The area to the west of the present municipal western limits to a line 15 feet east of the centre of the Government road from the pillar 360 feet north of the Indrook road to the Bedasi *talao*. This includes a part of village of Alipur (the other half is at present within municipal limits).

Part of village of Alipur.

On the south.—The area to the south of the present municipal limits by a line drawn through East Indian Railway mile post 299 near bridge No. 26 at right angles to the line from the hill meeting a line drawn parallel with the East Indian Railway main line at a distance of 5,700 feet, which joins the Bedasi *talao*. This includes the villages of Faridpur, Phulkah, Ramchunderpur, Neemah, and Gararitolah.

Villages of Faridpur, Phulkah, Ramchunderpur, Neemah, and Gararitolah.

On the east.—The area between the present municipal limit up to the foot of the Jamalpur hills from the line drawn at right angles to mile post No. 299 up to the pillar erected 150 feet north of the centre of the East Indian Railway tunnel except where it follows the East Indian Railway land and boundary pillars.

II. The revised boundaries of the Municipality after the inclusion of the above areas will be as follows:—

On the north.—From a point 360 feet north of the junction of the road leading to Indrook and 15 feet east of centre of the Government road leading to Dharara from Monghyr, to the 1¼ mile post on Monghyr, East Indian Railway branch, and from there to a point at the foot of the hills 150 feet north of the entrance to the tunnel

On the east.—From the entrance to the tunnel along the foot of the Sonthali range of hills, except that portion of the hills occupied by the East Indian Railway Company on the hills themselves.

On the south.—A line running at right angles to the East Indian Railway mile post No. 299 north of East Indian Railway bridge No. 26, and the same line running one mile west of the railway line, when it joins the western boundary line 4,900 feet south of the Bedasi *talao* parallel with Railway line.

On the west.—From the point 4,900 feet south of the Bedasi tank to the point 360 feet north of the junction of the road leading to Indrook by a line 15 feet east of the centre of the Government road everywhere except south of the Bedasi *talao*, where the line runs parallel with the railway line.

No. 1741T.M.—The 14th July 1903.—Whereas a Notification No. 304T.M., dated the 2nd May 1903, was published at pages 85 and 86, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, of the 6th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to sanction the imposition by the Commissioners of the Deoghur Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas of a rate on the annual value of holdings, under clause (*b*), section 85 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, in wards Nos. II, III and IV of the Municipality in lieu of the tax on persons according to their circumstances and property at present in force in those wards, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 35 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Deoghur Municipality made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 1743T.M.—The 14th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Debendra Chandra Mukerji to be a member of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Dacca, *vice* Rai Kali Prasanna Ghosh Bahadur, resigned.

Dacca.

No. 1751T.M.—The 14th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Santipur Municipality, in the district of Nadia, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of Part X of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Nadia.

No. 1753T.M.—The 15th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under clause (*c*) of section 6 of the Bengal Ferries Act I of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to establish in thana Bhola within the Dakhin Shahbazpur subdivision of the district of Backergunge, a new public ferry over the Ilsha river between mauzas Balia and Char Chandra Prasad.

Backergunge.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 35 of the aforesaid Act, to direct that the ferry named above shall be managed by the District Board of Backergunge, and that all the proceeds of the said ferry and all fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof, shall be paid into the District Fund, with effect from the date of this notification.

No. 1759T.M.—The 15th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Debhatta Municipality, in the district of Khulna :—

Khulna.

Babu Hriday Mohan Bose.	Dr. Shyama Kanta Bhattacharjee.
„ Narendra Nath Mazumdar.	Babu Lal Behari Dutt.
„ Amrita Lal Ghose.	„ Surendra Nath Ghose.
„ Sailendra Nath Bose.	„ Phani Bhusan Mandal.
„ Saroda Prasanna Ghose.	„ Tarak Nath Pal.
„ Sudhir Chandra Sarkar.	„ Pran Krishna Bhattacharjee.

No. 1761T.M.—The 15th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Kandi to be *ex-officio* Chairman of the Kandi Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad.

Murshidabad.

No. 1764T.M.—The 15th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Bolai Lal Chatterjee to be a Commissioner of the Kamarhati Municipality, in the district of 24-Parganas, *vice* Babu Nilratan Adhikari, resigned.

24-Parganas.

No 1780T.M.—The 15th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Khulna Municipality, in the district of Khulna :—

Khulna.

The Senior Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Khulna ... } *Ex-officio.*
The Civil Surgeon of Khulna ... ... }
Babu Bepin Behary Sen.
„ Debendra Nath Sen.
„ Mohendra Nath Banerjee.
„ Kunja Behary Chakravarty.
„ Ram Lal Ghose.
„ Amrita Lal Raha.
„ Hari Das Chatterjee.
„ Umes Chandra Das.
„ Abinash Chandra Roy.
„ Janaki Nath Guha.
„ Fani Bhusan Neogi.
Revd. J. W. Thomas.
Kazi Ataul Haq.

No. 1785T.M.—The 17th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Taki Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

24-Parganas.

Babu Nil Ratan Ray Chaudhury. | Babu Behari Lal Chaudhury.
Babu Lalit Mohan Ray Chaudhury.

No. 1832L.S.-G.—The 17th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the District Board of Palamau:—

Palamau.

The Senior Deputy Collector ... ...
The District Superintendent of Police ... ... *Ex-officio.*
The Civil Medical Officer .. ...
The Deputy Inspector of Schools ... ...

Raja Bhagwat Deyal Singh. | Rai Dirgaj Deo Bahadur.
Rai Gobinda Prosad Singh Bahadur. | Babu Bhuban Mohan Baral.
Rai Krishnabaksh Rai Bahadur. | Mr. S. C. Dey.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased, under section 22 of the Act, to appoint the Deputy Commissioner of Palamau to be Chairman of the District Board.

No. 1838M.—The 17th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Jagdispur Municipality, in the district of Shahabad:—

Shahabad.

Mr. Earnest Mylne. | Mr. A. C. Fox.
Maulvi Mohamed Umar Khan.

No. 1840M.—The 17th July 1903.—Whereas a Notification No. 631T.M., dated the 16th May 1903, was published at page 96, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, of the 20th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of section 236 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to the Kishanganj Municipality in the district of Purnea, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Kishanganj Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said Municipality.

Purnea

No. 1843M.—The 17th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Berhampore Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad:—

Murshidabad.

The Civil Surgeon ... ... *Ex-officio.*
The District Engineer ... ...

Mr. E. A. Murphy, M.A. | Babu Durga Sankar Bhattacharji.
Babu Kamakhya Prosad Ganguli. | „ Purna Chandra Chatterjee.
„ Charu Krishna Mazumdar. | Mr. J. G. Malcolm.

No. 1845M.—The 17th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Uttarpara Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, of Babu Narendra Nath Mukerjee to be their Chairman.

Hooghly.

No. 1847M.—The 17th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Baruipur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

24-Parganas

Babu Brajendra Kumar Roy Chaudhuri. | Babu Pran Krishna Ghose.
Munshi Baharulla.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint, under section 23 of the Act, Babu Durgadas Roy Chaudhuri to be Chairman of the Municipality.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1853M.—The 17th July 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 641, sub-section (*2*), of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend to the town of Howrah the portions of that Act which are set forth in the annexure to this notification, subject to the modifications and restrictions shown in antique type in that annexure.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ANNEXURE.

Portions of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, extended to the town of Howrah, with modifications and restrictions shown in antique type.

CHAPTER I.—PRELIMINARY.

3. For the purposes of this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,— Definitions.

(*3*) "building-line" means a line (in rear of the street alignment) up to which the main wall of a building abutting on a street may lawfully extend; "Building-line."

(*5*) "bustee" means an area containing land occupied by or for the purposes of any collection of huts— "Bustee."

(*a*) standing on a plot of land not less than ten cottahs in area and bearing one number in the assessment-book, or

(*b*) standing on two or more plots of land which are adjacent to one another and exceed in the aggregate one bigha in area;

(*11*) the expression "cubical extent," when used with reference to the measurement of a building, means the space contained within the external surfaces of its walls and roof and the upper surface of the floor of its lowest or only storey; "Cubical extent."

(*13*) "depôt" means a place where bulky articles are stored, whether for sale or otherwise, in quantities exceeding fifty maunds; "Depôt."

(*14*) "domestic building" includes a dwelling-house and any other masonry building which is neither a warehouse, nor a "public building" as defined in this section, nor a place exclusively used for private worship; "Domestic building."

(*16*) "drain" includes a sewer, a house-drain, a drain of any other description, a tunnel, a culvert, a ditch, a channel and any other device for carrying off sullage, sewage, offensive matter, polluted water, rain-water or sub-soil water; "Drain."

(*18*) "dwelling-house" means a masonry building constructed, used or adapted to be used wholly or principally for human habitation; "Dwelling-house."

(*22*) "hut" means any building no material portion of which above the plinth level is constructed of masonry; "Hut."

(*25*) "masonry building" means any building other than a hut; "Masonry building."

(*26*) "municipal drain" means a drain vested in the Commissioners; "Municipal drain."

(*30*) "occupier" means any person for the time being paying, or liable to pay, to the owner the rent or any portion of the rent of the land or building in respect of which the word is used, and includes an owner living in his own house or hut; "Occupier."

(*31*) "offensive matter" means dung, dirt, putrid or putrifying substances, and filth of any kind which is not included in "sewage" as defined in this section; "Offensive matter."

(*32*) "owner" includes the person for the time being receiving the rent of any land or building or of any part of any land or building, whether on his own account or as agent or trustee for any person or society or for any religious or charitable purpose, or who would so receive the same if the land, building or part thereof were let to a tenant; "Owner."

(*33*) "party-wall" means a wall forming part of a building and used or constructed to be used for the support and separation of adjoining buildings belonging to different owners or constructed or adapted to be occupied by different persons; "Party-wall."

(*35*) "private street" means any street, road, square, court, alley, passage or riding path which is not a "public street" as defined in this section, but does not include a pathway made by the owner of a building on his own land to secure access to, or the convenient use of, such building; "Private street."

(*36*) "public building" means a masonry building constructed, used or adapted to be used— "Public building."

(*a*) as a place of public worship, or as a school, college or place of instruction (not being a dwelling-house so used), or as a hospital, workhouse, public theatre, public hall, public concert room, public ball-room, public lecture-room, public library or public exhibition room, or as a public place of assembly, or

(*b*) for any other public purpose, or

(c) as an hotel, lodging-house, home, refuge or shelter, where the building exceeds in cubical extent two hundred and fifty thousand cubic feet or has sleeping accommodation for more than one hundred persons;

"Public street." (37) "public street" means any street, road, square, court, alley, passage or riding path, whether a thoroughfare or not, over which the public have a right of way,

and includes—

(a) the roadway over any public bridge or causeway,

(b) the footway attached to any such street, public bridge (other than the Howrah bridge) or causeway, and

(c) the drains attached to any such street, public bridge or causeway,

and, where there is no drain attached to any such street, shall be deemed to include also, unless the contrary is shown, all land up to the outer wall of the premises abutting on the street, or, if a street alignment has been fixed, then up to such alignment;

"Re-erect." (39) the expression "re-erect," when used with reference to a building, includes—

(a) the re-construction of a building after more than one-half its cubical extent has been taken down or burnt down or has fallen down,

(b) the conversion of one or more huts or temporary structures into a masonry building, and

(c) the conversion into a place for human habitation of any building not originally constructed for human habitation:

Explanation.—Clause (a) applies whether the re-construction takes place (after the date of this notification) entirely at the same time or by instalments at different times, and whether more than half the cubical extent has (after the date of this notification) been taken down or burnt down, or has fallen down, at the same time or at different times:

"Rubbish." (41) "rubbish" means dust, ashes, broken bricks, mortar, broken glass, kitchen or stable refuse, and refuse of any kind which is not "offensive matter" as defined in this section;

"Service-privy." (42) "service-privy" means a privy which is cleansed by hand, but does not include a bath-room used as a privy;

"Sewage." (43) "sewage" means night-soil and other contents of privies, urinals, cesspools or drains;

"Street." (46) "street" means a public or private street; and

"Street alignment." (47) "street alignment" means a line dividing the land comprised in and forming part of a street from the adjoining land.

Power to decide whether land is a bustee. 4. The Chairman may decide whether any particular land is or is not a "bustee" . . . . . as defined in section 3, and his decision shall be final.

CHAPTER II.—MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES.

Delegation of certain of Chairman's functions to Municipal officers. 18. (1) The Chairman may, by general or special order in writing, delegate to the Vice-Chairman, the Engineer or the Secretary any of the Chairman's powers, duties or functions under this Notification or any rule or bye-law . . . . . made hereunder, except those conferred . . . . upon . . . . him by . . . . section 633.

Provided as follows:—

. . . . . .

(c) when the Chairman by any order made under this section delegates to any municipal officer any power or duty which is exercisable or is required to be performed subject to the approval or with the sanction of the Municipal Commissioners in meeting, the Chairman shall send a copy of such order to the Municipal Commissioners in meeting.

(2) The exercise or discharge by any municipal officer of any powers, duties or functions delegated to him under sub-section (1) shall be subject to such conditions and limitations (if any) as may be prescribed in the said order, and also to control and revision by the Chairman.

CHAPTER XXIV.—BUILDINGS.

Use of building sites, and erection and re-erection of masonry buildings. 363. After the date of this notification, no piece of land shall be used as a site for the erection of a building, and no masonry building shall be erected or re-erected, otherwise than in accordance with the provisions of this Chapter and Schedule XVII, and any orders, rules or bye-laws made under this Act, relating to the use of building sites or the erection or re-erection of masonry buildings, as the case may be.

Masonry Buildings.

Power to regulate future erection of certain classes of buildings in particular streets or localities. 367. (1) The Commissioners in meeting may give public notice of their intention to declare—

(a) that, in any streets or portions of streets specified in the notice,—

(i) continuous building will be allowed, subject to the provisions of this Act relating to continuous building, or

(*b*) that, in any localities specified in the notice, the erection of only detached buildings will be allowed, subject to the provisions of this Act relating to detached buildings.

(*2*) No objections to any such declaration shall be received after a period of three months from the publication of such notice.

(*3*) The Commissioners in meeting shall consider all objections received within the said period, and ..... may prepare a declaration relating to the streets or localities referred to in the notice and submit the declaration to the Local Government, together with the said objections (if any) and their report upon them.

(*4*) The Local Government, after considering the said objections (if any), may confirm the declaration, and before doing so may modify it, but not so as to extend its effect.

(*5*) When any such declaration has been so confirmed, it shall be published in the Calcutta Gazette and shall take effect from the date of such publication.

(*6*) No person shall erect or re-erect any building in contravention of any such declaration.

Application for permission to erect or re-erect a masonry building.

370. (*1*) Every person who intends to erect or re-erect a masonry building shall send to the Chairman—

(*a*) an application for approval of the site, together with a site-plan of the land, and

(*b*) an application for permission to execute the work, together with a plan of the building, complete elevations and sections of the work, and a specification of the work.

(*2*) Every document referred to in sub-section (*1*) shall contain the particulars and be prepared in the manner prescribed in this behalf in Schedule XVII.

Permission to erect or re-erect masonry building not to be given unless and until site approved.

371. Permission to erect or re-erect a masonry building shall not be given unless and until the Chairman has approved the site on an application sent to him under section 370.

Work not to be commenced unless and until permission given.

372. The erection or re-erection of a masonry building shall not be commenced unless and until the Chairman has granted written permission for the execution of the work on an application sent to him under section 370.

Approval of site when to be given or refused.

373. Within thirty days after the receipt of any application made under section 370 for approval of a site, or of any information or further information required under Schedule XVII, or within fifteen days after the Chairman has been satisfied that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken to the approval of the site, the Chairman shall, by written order, either approve the site or refuse, on one or more of the grounds mentioned in section 377, to approve the site:

Provided that the making of such order shall not in any case be delayed for more than thirty days after the Chairman has received all the information which he considers necessary to enable him to deal finally with the said application.

Permission to execute work when to be given or refused.

374. Within thirty days after the receipt of any application made under section 370 for permission to execute any work, or of any information or documents or further information or documents required under Schedule XVII, or within fifteen days after the Chairman has been satisfied that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken to the grant of permission to execute the work, the Chairman shall, by written order, either grant permission to execute the work, or refuse, on one or more of the grounds mentioned in section 377 or section 378, to grant such permission:

Provided that the said period of thirty days shall not, in any of the cases mentioned in this section, begin to run until the site has been approved under section 373:

Provided also that the making of such order shall not in any case be delayed for more than thirty days after the Chairman has received all the information which he considers necessary to enable him to deal finally with the said application.

Record of reasons, and appeal, when approval or permission refused.

375. (*1*) Whenever the Chairman refuses to approve a building-site for a masonry building, or to grant permission to erect or re-erect a masonry building, he shall state specifically the grounds for such refusal, and the applicant may appeal to the Commissioners in meeting against such refusal.

(*2*) The decision of the Commissioners in meeting shall be final.

(*3*) If the Commissioners in meeting reject any such appeal, they shall, by written order, specifically state the grounds for such rejection.

Reference to Commissioners in meeting if Chairman delays grant or refusal of approval or permission.

376. (*1*) If, within the period prescribed by section 373 or section 374, as the case may be, the Chairman has neither given nor refused his approval of a building-site, or his permission to execute any work, as the case may be, the Commissioners in meeting shall be bound, on the written request of the applicant, to determine, by written order, immediately on the expiration of such period, whether such approval or permission should be given or not

(2) If the Commissioners in meeting do not, within fifteen days from the receipt of such written request, determine whether such approval or permission should be given or not, such approval or permission shall be deemed to have been given; and the applicant may proceed to execute the work, but not so as to contravene any of the provisions of this Act or any rules or bye-laws made hereunder.

Grounds on which approval of site for, or permission to erect or re-erect, a masonry building may be refused.

377. The only grounds on which approval of a site for the erection or re-erection of a masonry building, or permission to erect or re-erect a masonry building, may be refused are the following, namely:—

(1) that the work, or any of the particulars comprised in the site-plan, building-plan, elevations, sections or specification would contravene some specified provision of this Act or some specified order, rule or bye-law made hereunder;

(2) that the application for such permission does not contain the particulars or is not prepared in the manner prescribed in Schedule XVII;

(3) that any of the documents referred to in section 370 have not been signed as prescribed in the said Schedule;

(4) that any information or documents required by the Chairman under the said Schedule has or have not been duly furnished; or

(5) that the applicant has not satisfied the Chairman that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken, on any of the grounds hereinbefore in this section mentioned, to the grant of the said approval or permission.

Special powers for suspending or granting permission to erect a masonry building or convert huts, etc., into a masonry building.

378. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 377,—

(a) if any street shown in the site-plan is an intended private street, the Chairman may at his discretion refuse to grant permission to erect a masonry building or to convert one or more huts or temporary structures into a masonry building until the street is commenced or completed, and

(b) the Chairman may for special reasons grant permission to erect a masonry building, or to convert one or more huts or temporary structures into a masonry building, on any site without reference to its position in relation to any street.

Lapse of permission, if not acted upon within one year.

379. If the erection or re-erection of any masonry building is not commenced within one year after the date on which permission was given to execute the work, the work shall not be commenced until a fresh application has been made and a fresh permission granted under this Chapter.

Notice before commencing work.

380. Not less than three days before any person commences to erect or re-erect a masonry building, the owner of the building shall send to the Engineer a written notice specifying the date on which it is proposed to commence the work.

Notice after completion of work.

381. Within one month after the erection or re-erection of a masonry building has been completed, the owner shall send to the Engineer a written notice of the fact.

Inspection by Chairman.

382. The Chairman may, at any time during the erection or re-erection of any masonry building, or within one month after the receipt of the notice sent under section 381 with respect to any masonry building, inspect such building without giving previous notice of his intention so to do.

Powers of Chairman on making inspection.

383. (1) If, on making any such inspection, the Chairman finds that the building is being or has been constructed—

(a) otherwise than in accordance with the plans thereof which he has approved, or

(b) in such a way as to contravene any of the provisions of this Act or any rules or bye-laws made under this Act, he may, by written notice, require the owner of the building either—

(i) to make such alterations as may be specified in the notice with the object of bringing the work into conformity with the said plans or provisions, or

(ii) to appear before him and show cause why such alterations should not be made.

(2) If such owner does not appear and show cause as aforesaid, he shall be bound to make the alterations specified in such notice.

(3) If such owner appears and shows cause as aforesaid, the Chairman shall, after hearing him, cancel the notice issued under sub-section (1), or confirm the same subject to such modifications, if any, as he may think fit.

(4) An appeal shall lie to the Commissioners in meeting from any requisition made under sub-section (1) or order passed under sub-section (3) for the alteration of a building, and their decision shall be final.

Application of Act to alterations of, and additions to, masonry buildings.

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391. (1) Without the consent of the Chairman, no person shall make any alteration of, or addition to, any masonry building in such manner that when so altered or added to the building will, by reason of such alteration or addition, not be in conformity with the provisions of this Chapter or Schedule XVII, or any orders, rules or bye-laws made under this Act, relating to the erection of masonry buildings.

(2) Every alteration of, or addition to, a masonry building, and any other work made or done for any purpose in, to, or upon a masonry building, shall, so far as regards such alteration, addition or other work, be subject to the provisions of this Chapter and Schedule XVII, and any orders, rules or bye-laws made under this Act, relating to the erection of masonry buildings:

Provided as follows:—

(a) none of the said provisions, orders, rules or bye-laws shall apply in the case of a necessary repair not affecting the position or dimensions of a building;

(b) sections 370 to 383 . . . . . shall not apply in the case of any alteration of, or addition to, a building unless one or more of the works referred to in rule 52 of Schedule XVII is or are undertaken;

(c) provisional permission to proceed with any of the works referred to in the said rule 52 may be granted in the cases and subject to the conditions prescribed in this behalf in the said Schedule XVII.

(3) If any question arises as to whether any alteration, addition or other work is a necessary repair not affecting the position or dimensions of a building, the matter shall be referred to the Chairman, whose decision shall be final.

Exemptions.

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393. The following buildings shall be exempted from this Chapter, that is to say—

(a) any building erected and used, or intended to be erected and used, exclusively for the purpose of a plant-house, summer-house (not being a dwelling-house), poultry-house or aviary, provided the building be wholly detached from, and situated at a distance of at least ten feet from, the nearest adjacent building, and

(b) any building erected or intended to be erected by, or with the sanction of, the Chairman for use solely as a temporary hospital for the reception and treatment of persons suffering from any dangerous disease.

CHAPTER XXX.—DEMOLITION, ALTERATION AND STOPPING OF WORK.

Demolition or alteration of building work unlawfully commenced, carried on or completed.

449. If the Commissioners in meeting are satisfied—

(1) that the erection or re-erection of any masonry building—

(a) has been commenced without obtaining the permission of the Chairman, or (where an appeal or reference has been made to the Commissioners in meeting) in contravention of any orders passed by the Commissioners, or

(b) is being carried on or has been completed otherwise than in accordance with the particulars on which such permission or orders was or were based, or

(c) is being carried on or has been completed in breach of any provision contained in this Act or in any rules or bye-laws made hereunder, or of any direction or requisition lawfully given or made under this Act or such rules or bye-laws, or

(2) that any alterations required by any notice issued under section 383 have not been duly made, or

(3) that any alteration of, or addition to, any masonry building, or any other work made or done for any purpose in, to, or upon any masonry building, has been commenced or is being carried on or has been completed in breach of section 391 . . . . . ,

the Commissioners in meeting may apply to a Magistrate, and such Magistrate may make an order—

(i) directing that the work done, or so much of the same as has been unlawfully executed, be demolished by the owner of the building or altered by him to the satisfaction of the Commissioners in meeting, as the case may require, or

(ii) directing that the work done, or so much of the same as has been unlawfully executed, be demolished or altered by the Chairman at the expense of the owner of the building:

Provided that the Magistrate shall not make any such order without giving the owner and occupier full opportunity of adducing evidence and of being heard in defence.

Power of Chairman to stop progress of building work unlawfully commenced or carried on.

451. (*1*) In any case in which the erection or re-erection of a masonry building, or any other work referred to in section 449, has been unlawfully commenced or is being unlawfully carried on, the Chairman may, by written notice, require the person carrying on the work to stop the same, pending the decision of a Magistrate on an application to be made to him under that section.

(*2*) If any work be carried on upon any premises in contravention of a notice issued under sub-section (*1*), any person directing or carrying on such work may, under the orders of the Chairman, be removed from the premises by any police officer.

Demolition and fine cumulative.

452. When any person is liable to be directed to demolish work and to pay a fine under this Act, both those directions may be given at the discretion of the Magistrate.

CHAPTER XLIII.—BYE-LAWS and RULES . . . . .

Powers of Commissioners in meeting for making bye-laws.

559. The Commissioners in meeting may make bye-laws—

(*23*) regulating the use of land as sites for the erection of buildings;

(*24*) regulating the erection and re-erection of masonry buildings;

(*25*) regulating the making of alterations in, and additions to, masonry buildings;

(*55*) generally, for carrying out the provisions and intentions of this Act.

Penalties for breach of bye-laws.

561. In making a bye-law under section 559, the Commissioners in meeting may provide that a breach of it shall be punishable—

(*a*) with fine which may extend to twenty rupees, and, in the case of a continuing breach, with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach, or

(*b*) with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the breach continues after receipt of written notice from the Chairman to discontinue the breach.

Powers for making bye-laws and rules exercisable from time to time.

564. Any power conferred by this Act for making bye-laws or rules . . . may be exercised from time to time as occasion requires.

Conditions precedent to the making of bye-laws.

565. The power to make bye-laws under this Act is subject to the condition of the bye-laws being made after previous publication, and to the following further conditions, namely:—

(*a*) a draft of the bye-laws shall be published in the Calcutta Gazette and in local newspapers;

(*b*) such draft shall not be further proceeded with until after the expiration of a period of one month from such publication, or such longer period as the Commissioners in meeting may appoint;

(*c*) for one month at least during such period, a printed copy of such draft shall be kept at the municipal office for public inspection, and every person shall be permitted at any reasonable time to peruse the same, free of charge;

(*d*) printed copies of such draft shall be delivered to any person requiring the same, on payment of such fee, not exceeding two annas for each copy, as may be prescribed by the Chairman

Bye-laws to be subject to sanction.

566. (*1*) No bye-law made by the Commissioners in meeting under this Act shall have any validity unless and until it is . . . . . sanctioned by the Local Government.

(*2*) Before . . . . sanctioning any such bye-law, ... the Local Government . . . . . may modify it.

Power to make rules for the amendment of Schedule XVII.

567. (*1*) The Local Government may make rules to regulate any of the matters referred to in section 363, and may, by such rules, alter, add to, or cancel any of the rules contained in Schedule XVII . . . .

(*3*) All references in this Act to Schedule XVII shall be construed as referring to such Schedule as for the time being amended in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) . . . .

Conditions precedent to the making of rules.

568. (*1*) The power to make rules under any section of this Act is subject to the condition of the rules being made after previous publication.

(*3*) The power to make rules under . . . . . section 567 is also subject to the following further conditions, namely:—

(*a*) a draft of the rules shall be published in the Calcutta Gazette and forwarded to the Commissioners in meeting for their opinion;

(*b*) such draft shall not be further proceeded with until six weeks after such publication or until such later date as the Local Government may appoint.

Publication of bye-laws and rules in Gazette.

570. When any bye-law or rule . . . has been made under this Act and . . . . . duly sanctioned, it shall be published in the Calcutta Gazette, and such publication shall be conclusive proof that the bye-law or rule . . . . has been duly made.

Printing and sale of copies of bye-laws and rules.

571. (*1*) The Chairman shall cause all bye-laws and rules . . . from time to time in force to be printed, and shall cause printed copies thereof to be delivered to any applicant on payment of a fee of two annas for each copy.

(*2*) Notice of the fact of copies of bye-laws and rules . . . being obtainable at the said price, and of the place where and the person from whom the same are obtainable, shall be given by the Chairman from time to time by advertisement in local newspapers.

Exhibition of bye-laws and rules on boards.

572. (*1*) Boards, with the bye-laws and rules . . . . . printed thereon or with printed copies of the bye-laws and rules . . . . . affixed thereto, shall be hung or affixed in some conspicuous part of the municipal office and in such places of public resort, markets, slaughter-houses and other places affected thereby as the Chairman thinks fit, and the said boards shall from time to time be renewed by the Chairman.

(*2*) No municipal officer or servant shall prevent the inspection by any person at any reasonable time of any board provided by the Chairman under sub-section (*1*).

(*3*) No person shall, without lawful authority, destroy, pull down, injure or deface any such board.

Power of Local Government to cancel bye-laws and rules.

573. (*1*) If the Local Government is at any time of opinion that any bye-law or rule . . . . . made under this Act by the Commissioners in meeting should be cancelled, either wholly or in part, it shall cause the reasons for such opinion to be communicated to the Commissioners, and shall prescribe a reasonable period within which the Commissioners in meeting may make any representation with regard thereto which they may think fit.

(*2*) After receipt and consideration of any such representation, or, if in the meantime no such representation is received, after the expiry of the prescribed period, the Local Government may, at any time, by notification in the Calcutta Gazette, cancel such bye-law or rule . . . . , either wholly or in part:

Provided that no bye-law or rule . . . . shall be cancelled in part only if, within the period aforesaid, the Commissioners in meeting have objected to a partial cancellation thereof.

(*3*) The cancellation of a bye-law or rule . . . . under sub-section (*2*) shall take effect from such date as the Local Government may in the said notification direct, or, if no such date is specified, then from the date of the publication of the said notification in the Calcutta Gazette, except as to anything done or suffered or omitted to be done before such date.

(*4*) The said notification shall also be published in local newspapers.

CHAPTER XLIV.—PENALTIES.

574. Whoever—

Certain offences punishable with fine.

(*a*) contravenes any provision of any of the clauses of this Act mentioned in the first column of the following table; or

(*c*) fails to comply with any . . . . requisition lawfully made upon him under any of the said clauses . . . . . ,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to the amount mentioned in that behalf in the third column of the said table.

Explanation.—The entries in the second column of the following table, headed "Subject," are not intended as definitions of the offences described in the clauses mentioned in the first column, or even as abstracts of those clauses, but are inserted merely as references to the subject of the clause, the number of which is given in the first column.

1	2	3
Clauses.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.
Section 380	Sending written notice to Engineer before commencing to erect or re-erect a masonry building.	Fifty rupees.
Section 381	Sending written notice to Engineer after completion of erection or re-erection of masonry building.	One hundred rupees.
Section 451, sub-section (*1*)	Requisition to stop work pending decision of Magistrate.	One hundred rupees.
Section 572, sub-section (*2*)	Preventing inspection of board showing bye-laws or rules	Fifty rupees.
Section 572, sub-section (*3*)	Destroying, &c., board showing bye-laws or rules	Ten rupees.
Section 622, sub-section (*3*)	Occupier to afford facilities to owner for complying with Act, rules, bye-laws . . . and requisitions.	Fifty rupees.

Continuing offences in certain cases punishable after a first conviction with a daily fine.

575. Whoever, after having been convicted of—

(*a*) contravening any provision of any of the clauses of this Act mentioned in the first column of the following table; or

(*c*) failing to comply with any . . . . . requisition lawfully made upon him under any of the said clauses . . . .,

continues to contravene the said provision or to neglect to comply with the said direction or requisition, as the case may be,

shall be punished, for each day after the first during which he continues so to offend, with fine which may extend to the amount mentioned in that behalf in the third column of the said table.

Explanation.—The entries in the second column of the following table, headed "Subject," are not intended as definitions of the offences described in the clauses mentioned in the first column, or even as abstracts of those clauses, but are inserted merely as references to the subject of the clause, the number of which is given in the first column.

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Clauses.	Subject.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Section 451, sub-section (*l*)	Requisition to stop work pending decision of Magistrate.	Twenty rupees.
Section 622, sub-section (*f*)	Occupier to afford facilities to owner for complying with Act, rules, bye-laws . . . . and requisitions.	Twenty rupees.

Fine for unlawfully commencing, carrying on or completing building work.

579. If the erection or re-erection of any masonry building—

(*a*) is commenced without obtaining the permission of the Chairman, or (where an appeal or reference has been made to the Commissioners in meeting) in contravention of any orders passed by the Commissioners, or

(*b*) is carried on or completed otherwise than in accordance with the particulars on which such permission or orders was or were based, or

(*c*) is carried on or completed in breach of any provision contained in this Act or in any rules or bye-laws made hereunder, or of any direction or requisition lawfully given or made under this Act or such rules or bye-laws, or

if any alterations required by any notice issued under section 383 be not duly made, or

if any alteration of, or addition to, any masonry building, or any other work made or done for any purpose in, to, or upon any masonry building, is commenced, carried on or completed in breach of section 391, ...

the owner of the building shall be liable to fine which may extend . . . . to five hundred rupees . . . . and to further fine which may extend . . . to one hundred rupees . . . . for each day during which the offence is continued after the first day.

Fine for disobedience of direction for demolition or alteration where building work unlawfully commenced, carried on or completed.

580. If any person to whom a direction to demolish or alter work is given under clause (*i*) of section 449 fails to obey the same, he shall be liable to fine which may extend . . . . to five hundred rupees . . . and to further fine which may extend . . . to one hundred rupees . . . for each day during which he so fails after the first day.

Fine for putting masonry building to other than declared use.

582. When a masonry building has been erected, re-erected, altered or added to after a statement has been made, under rule 31 . . . of Schedule XVII, that it was intended to use the building or any part thereof for any of the purposes specified in that rule, then any person putting the building or such part thereof to any use other than that so stated shall be liable,—

(*a*) . . . . . to fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, and to further fine which may extend to one hundred rupees for every day after the first during which he continues such use . . .

Fine for using masonry building for carrying on offensive trade without previous declaration.

583. When a masonry building has been erected, re-erected, altered or added to under this Act without any statement having been made, under rule 31 . . . . . of Schedule XVII, that it was intended to use the building or any part thereof for any of the purposes specified in that rule, then any person using the building or any part thereof for any of those purposes shall be liable,—

(*a*) . . . . to fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, and to further fine which may extend to one hundred rupees for every day after the first during which he continues such use . . .

Penalty for removing mark.

585. Any person who, in contravention of . . . . section 648 . . . . removes any mark shall be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months.

CHAPTER XLV.—PROCEDURE.

. . . *Service of notices, &c.*

Service how to be effected on owner or occupier of premises.

593. When any notice . . . . or other document is required by this Act, or by any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder, to be served upon or issued or presented to any person as owner or occupier of any building or land—

(*i*) if the building or land has been numbered under the Municipal Act for the time being in force, it shall not be necessary to name the owner or occupier in the document, and

(*ii*) the service, issue or presentation thereof shall be effected—

(*a*) by giving or tendering such document to the owner or occupier or, if there be more than one owner or occupier, to any one of the owners or occupiers of such building or land; or,

(*b*) if the owner or occupier is not found, by giving or tendering such document to some adult male member or servant of the family of the owner or occupier or of any one of the owners or occupiers . . .

Powers of Entry.

Power of entry to inspect, survey or execute work.

595. The Chairman may enter into or upon any building or land, with or without assistants or workmen, in order to make any inspection, survey, measurement . . . or inquiry or execute any work which is authorized by this Act or by any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder, or which it is necessary, for any of the purposes or in pursuance of any of the provisions of this Act or of any such rule or bye-law . . . to make or execute:

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) . . . no such entry shall be made between sunset and sunrise;

(*b*) . . . no dwelling-house, and no public building or hut which is used as dwelling-place, shall be so entered, unless with the consent of the occupier thereof without giving the said occupier at least twenty-four hours' previous written notice of the intention to make such entry;

(*c*) sufficient notice shall in every instance be given, even when any premises may otherwise be entered without notice, to enable the inmates of any apartment appropriated to females to remove to some part of the premises where their privacy need not be disturbed;

(*d*) due regard shall always be had, so far as may be compatible with the exigencies of the purpose for which the entry is made, to the social and religious usages of the occupants of the premises entered.

Power of entry on lands adjacent to works.

596. (*1*) The Chairman may enter upon any land adjoining or within one hundred yards of any works authorised by this Act, or any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder, for the purpose of depositing upon such land any soil, gravel, sand, lime, bricks, stone or other materials, or of obtaining access to such works, or for any other purpose connected with the carrying on of such works.

(*2*) The Chairman shall, before entering upon any land under sub-section (*1*), give the owner and occupier three days' previous written notice of his intention to make such entry, and of the purpose thereof, and shall, if so required by the owner or occupier, set apart by sufficient fences so much of the land as may be required for the purposes mentioned in or referred to in the said sub-section.

(*3*) The Chairman shall not be bound to make any payment, tender or deposit before entering upon any land under sub-section (*1*), but shall do as little damage as may be, and shall pay compensation out of the Municipal Fund to the owner and occupier of the land for such entry and for any temporary damage that may be done in consequence thereof, and shall also pay compensation out of the Municipal Fund to the said owner for any permanent damage resulting therefrom.

(*4*) If such owner or occupier is dissatisfied with the amount of compensation paid to him by the Chairman, he may appeal to the Commissioners in meeting, whose decision shall be final.

Enforcement of orders to execute work, &c.

Time for complying with requisition or order, and power to enforce requisition or order in default of person directed.

597. (*1*) When any requisition or order is made under this Act, or under any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder, by written notice issued by any municipal authority or by any municipal officer empowered . . . . in this behalf, a reasonable period shall be prescribed in such notice for carrying such requisition or order into effect.

(*2*) If . . . such requisition or order or any portion thereof is not complied with within the period so prescribed, the Chairman may, subject to the provisions of sections 598, 599 and 600, take such measures, or cause such work to be executed or such things to be done, as may, in his opinion, be necessary for giving due effect to the requisition or order so made; and, unless it is in this Act otherwise expressly provided, the expenses thereof shall be paid by the person or by any one of the persons to whom such requisition or order was addressed.

(*3*) The Chairman may take any measure, execute any work or cause any thing to be done under this section whether or not the person who has failed to comply with the requisition or order is liable to punishment or has been prosecuted or sentenced to any punishment or such failure.

Submission of objections to complying with notice

598. (1) When any notice referred to in section 597 has been served on any person, he may send to the authority or officer by whom it was issued a written objection setting forth any reasons which he may desire to urge for the withdrawal or modification of the notice.

(2) If any such objection be sent in time to admit of orders being passed upon it before the expiration of the period prescribed in the notice, the execution of the work may be postponed until the authority or officer by whom the notice was issued has passed orders on the objection.

(3) If any such objection be sent in time to admit of the objector being heard in person before the expiration of the period prescribed in the notice, he shall be entitled to be so heard, and the objection shall be considered in his presence, at a time to be fixed by notice issued in this behalf.

Power to require estimate of expenses of work.

599. (1) Instead of sending an objection under section 598, or at the time of sending such an objection, any person on whom a notice referred to in section 597 has been served may apply to the authority or officer by whom the notice was issued for an estimate of the expenses which would be incurred if the notice were enforced by a municipal authority; and, on receipt of such an application, the said authority or officer shall supply such estimate.

(2) If the said authority or officer fails to supply such estimate, not more than five rupees shall be charged to the said person for any work executed by a municipal authority by way of enforcing the said notice.

Reference of objections to Commissioners in meeting

600. (1) If any estimate supplied under section 599 exceeds three hundred rupees, no work shall be executed by a municipal authority as aforesaid until the expiration of ten days from the date on which the estimate was so supplied.

(2) Within a period of seven days from the said date, the said person may apply in writing to have his objections to the execution of the work or to the estimated cost of the work determined by the Commissioners in meeting; and, if such application be made within the said period, no work shall be executed by any municipal authority by way of enforcing the said notice until the Commissioners in meeting have disposed of such objections.

Recovery of expenses.

Expenses to be payable on demand and recoverable under the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884.

602. (1) Whenever under this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder the expenses of any work executed or of any measure taken or thing done by or under the order of any municipal authority, any Magistrate, or any municipal officer empowered . . . in this behalf are payable by any person, the same shall be payable on demand.

(2) If not paid on demand, the said expenses shall be recoverable by the Chairman, subject to the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 616, by distress and sale of the moveable property of the defaulter in the manner provided by sections 121 to 128 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884. III of 1884.

Apportionment of expenses between owners or occupiers.

603. (1) If the said expenses are payable by more than one owner, and the names of all such owners are entered in the assessment-book, the Chairman may apportion the expenses among such owners.

(2) If the said expenses are payable by more than one occupier, and all such occupiers are known, the Chairman may apportion the expenses among such occupiers.

Recovery from occupier of expenses payable by owner.

604. If the said expenses are due in respect of some work executed or thing done to upon or in connection with, some building or land, or of some measure taken with respect to some building or land, and the defaulter is the owner of such building or land, the amount thereof may be demanded from any person who at any time before the said expenses have been paid occupies the said building or land under the said owner; and, in the event of the said person failing to pay the same, they may be recovered by distress and sale of the moveable property of the said person in the manner provided by sections 121 to 128 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884: III of 1884.

Provided as follows:—

(a) unless the said person neglects or refuses, after request by the Chairman, truly to disclose the amount of the rent payable by him in respect of the said building or land and the name and address of the person to whom the same is payable, the said person shall not be liable to pay on account of the said expenses any larger sum than, up to the time of demand, is payable by him to the owner on account of rent of the said building or land; but it shall rest upon the said person to prove that the amount of the expenses demanded from him is in excess of the sum payable by him to the owner;

(b) the said person shall be entitled to credit in account with the owner for any sum paid by or recovered from him on account of the said expenses;

(c) nothing in the foregoing provisions of this section shall affect any agreement made between the said person and the owner of the building or land in his occupation respecting the payment of the expenses of any such work, thing or measure as aforesaid.

Power to accept agreement for payment of expenses in instalments.

605. Instead of recovering any such expenses as aforesaid in any manner hereinbefore provided, the Chairman may, if he thinks fit, and with the approval of the Commissioners in meeting, take an agreement, from the person liable for the payment thereof, to pay the same in instalments of such amounts and at such intervals as will secure the payment of the whole amount due, with interest thereon at the rate of six *per centum per annum*, within a period of not more than five years.

Recovery of instalments due under section 605.

610. Any instalment payable under section 605 .... which is not paid when the same becomes due may be recovered by the Chairman by distress and sale, in the manner provided by sections 121 to 128 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, of the moveable property of the person by whom it is due.

III of 1884.

Execution of work by occupier in default of owner, and deduction of expenses from rent.

611. Whenever the owner of any building or land fails to execute any work which he is required to execute under this Act or under any rule or bye-law .... made hereunder, the occupier, if any, of such building or land may, with the approval of the Chairman, execute the said work, and he shall be entitled to recover from the owner the reasonable expenses incurred by him in so doing, and may deduct the amount thereof from the rent which from time to time becomes due by him to the owner.

Recovery from owner of cost of work executed by or in default of occupier.

612. When any work is executed by the occupier of any building or land on the requisition of any municipal authority, or

when the cost of any work executed by any municipal authority is recovered from such occupier,

then, if the Chairman certifies that the expenses of such work, or such cost, as the case may be, ought to be borne by the owner of the building or land, the said occupier may deduct the amount thereof from the rent payable to such owner, or may recover the same from him in any Court of competent jurisdiction.

Relief to agents and trustees.

613. (*1*) When any person, by reason of his receiving the rent of immoveable property as agent or trustee, or of his being as agent or trustee the person who would receive the rent if the property were let to a tenant, would, under this Act, be bound to discharge any obligation imposed by this Act or any rule or bye-law .... made hereunder on the owner of the property and for the discharge of which money is required, he shall not be bound to discharge the obligation unless he has, or but for his own improper act or default might have had, in his hands funds belonging to the owner sufficient for the purpose.

(*2*) The burden of proving the facts entitling an agent or trustee to relief under this section shall lie on him.

(*3*) When any agent or trustee has claimed and established his right to relief under this section, the Commissioners at a meeting may give him notice to apply to the discharge of such obligation as aforesaid the first moneys which shall come to his hands on behalf or for the use of the owner; and should he fail to comply with such notice he shall be deemed to be personally liable to discharge such obligation.

Recovery of Expenses or Compensation in case of Dispute.

Reference by Chairman to Civil Court in certain cases.

616 (*1*) If, when the Chairman demands payment of any expenses under section 602, his right to demand the same or the amount of the demand is disputed, the Chairman shall refer the case for the determination of the Court of Small Causes or other Civil Court competent to try such case and having jurisdiction in the town of Howrah.

(*2*) The Chairman shall, pending the decision on any such reference, defer further proceedings for the recovery of the sum claimed by him, and shall, after the decision, proceed to recover only such amount, if any, as is thereby declared to be due.

Application to Civil Court in other cases.

617. Where, in any case not provided for by section 616, any municipal authority or person is required by or under this Act or any rule or bye-law .... made hereunder to pay any expenses or any compensation, the amount to be so paid, and, if necessary, the apportionment of the same, shall, in case of dispute, be determined, except as is otherwise provided in .... section 596, ... by a Court referred to in section 616, on application being made to it for this purpose at any time within one year from the date when such expenses or compensation first became claimable.

Recovery of sum ascertained under section 617 to be due.

618. If the amount of any expenses or compensation ascertained by any Court in accordance with section 617 is not paid on demand by the person liable to pay the same, it shall be recoverable as if the same were due under a decree of that Court.

Power to sue.

619. Instead of proceeding in any manner hereinbefore prescribed for the recovery of any expenses or compensation of which the amount due has been ascertained as hereinbefore provided, or after such proceedings have been taken unsuccessfully or with only partial success, the sum due or the balance of the sum due, as the case may be, may be recovered by suit brought in any Court of competent jurisdiction against the person liable for the same.

Limitation of time for appeal.

Limitation of time for appeal.

621. In any case in which no time is prescribed by the foregoing provisions of this Act for the presentation of an appeal allowed thereunder, such appeal, subject to the provisions of section 5 of the Indian Limitation Act, 1877, must be presented within thirty days after the date of the order or proceeding against which the appeal is made. XV of 1877.

Obstruction of owner by occupier.

Application to Small Cause Court by owner when occupier prevents his complying with Act, etc.

622. (*1*) If the owner of any building or land is prevented by the occupier thereof from complying with

any provision of this Act or any rule or bye-law .... made hereunder, or

any requisition made hereunder or under any such rule or bye-law ...,

in respect of such building or land,

the owner may apply to ..... the Court of Small Causes of Howrah.

(*2*) The said Court, on receipt of any such application, may make a written order requiring the occupier of the building or land to afford all reasonable facilities to the owner for complying with the said provision or requisition, and may also, if it thinks fit, direct that the costs of such application and order be paid by the occupier.

(*3*) After eight days from the date of any such order, it shall be incumbent on the said occupier to afford all such reasonable facilities to the owner for the purpose aforesaid as may be prescribed in the said order; and, in the event of his continued refusal so to do, the owner shall be discharged, during the continuance of such refusal, from any liability which he would otherwise incur by reason of his failure to comply with the said provision or requisition.

Proceedings before Civil Courts.

General powers and procedure of Small Cause Court.

623. (*1*) For the purposes of any inquiry or proceeding under this Act, the Court of Small Causes may summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses and compel them to give evidence and compel the production of documents, by the same means and, as far as is possible, in the same manner as is provided by ..... the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887 ....; and in all matters relating to any such inquiry or proceeding the said Court shall be guided generally by the provisions of .... the said Provincial Small Cause Courts Act ..., so far as the same are applicable. IX of 1887.

(*2*) If, in any such inquiry or proceeding, the person against whom the complaint or application has been made fails to appear, notwithstanding that he has been duly summoned for this purpose, the said Court may hear and determine the case in his absence.

(*3*) The costs of every such inquiry or proceeding, as determined by the said Court, shall be payable by such parties and in such proportions as the said Court may direct, and the amount thereof shall, if necessary, be recoverable as if the same were due under a decree of the Court.

Fees in proceedings before Civil Courts.

624. (*1*) The Local Government may, by notification in the Calcutta Gazette, prescribe what fee, if any, shall be paid—

(*a*) on any application ... or reference made under this Act to a Civil Court; and

(*b*) previous to the issue, in any inquiry or proceeding of any such Court under this Act, of any summons or other process:

Provided that the fees, if any, prescribed under clause (*a*) shall not, in cases in which the value of the claim or subject-matter is capable of being estimated in money, exceed the fees at the time being levied, under the provisions of the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882, in cases in which the value of the claim or subject-matter is of like amount. XV of 1882.

(*2*) The Local Government may, by a like notification, determine by what person any fee prescribed under clause (*a*) shall be payable.

(*3*) No application ... or reference shall be received by any Civil Court until the fee, if any, prescribed therefor under clause (*a*) has been paid:

Provided that the Court may, whenever it thinks fit, receive an application ... or reference made by or on behalf of a poor person, and may issue process on behalf of any such person, without payment or on part payment of the fees prescribed under this section.

Re-payment of half-fees on settlement before hearing.

625. Whenever any application ... or reference made to a Civil Court under this Act is settled by agreement of the parties before the hearing, half the amount of all fees paid up to that time shall be repaid by the said Court to the parties by whom the same have respectively been paid.

Proceedings before Magistrates.

Cognizance of offences.

629. All offences against this Act, or against any rule or bye-law ... made hereunder, ... committed within .... Howrah shall be cognizable by a Magistrate having jurisdiction in Howrah; and such Magistrate shall not be deemed to be incapable of taking cognizance of any such offence ..... by reason only of his being liable to pay any municipal rate

or other tax or of his being benefited by the Municipal Funds to the credit of which any fine imposed by him will be payable.

Power to hear c in absence of accu when summoned appear.

630. If any person summoned to appear before a Magistrate to answer a charge of an offence against this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . . made hereunder fails to appear at the time and place mentioned in the summons, the Magistrate may, if service of the summons is proved to his satisfaction and if no sufficient cause is shown for the non-appearance of such person, hear and determine the case in his absence.

Limitation of ti for prosecution.

631. (*1*) No person shall be liable to punishment for any offence against this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder, unless complaint of such offence is made before a Magistrate within three months . . . . next after the commission of such offence.

Legal Proceedings.

Powers of Chairma as to institution, &c. of legal proceedings and obtaining legal advice.

633. The Chairman may, subject to the control of the Commissioners in meeting,—

(*a*) institute, defend or withdraw from legal proceedings under this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . . made hereunder;

(*b*) compound any offence against this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder which, under any law for the time being in force, may lawfully be compounded;

(*c*) admit, compromise or withdraw any claim made under this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . . made hereunder; and

(*d*) obtain such legal advice and assistance as he may from time to time think it necessary or expedient to obtain, or as he may be desired by the Commissioners in meeting to obtain, for any of the purposes referred to in the foregoing clauses of this section, or for securing the lawful exercise or discharge of any power or duty vesting in or imposed upon any municipal authority, officer or servant.

Notice, limitation and tender of amends in suit against municipal authority, &c.

634. (*1*) No suit shall be instituted against any municipal authority, officer or servant, or any person acting under the direction of any municipal authority, officer or servant, in respect of any act purporting to be done under this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder, until the expiration of one month next after written notice has been delivered or left at the municipal office or the place of abode of such officer, servant or person, stating the cause of action and the name and place of abode of the intending plaintiff; and the plaint must contain a statement that such notice has been so delivered or left.

(*2*) Every such suit must be commenced within three months next after the accrual of the right to sue.

(*3*) If any authority or person to whom any notice is given under sub-section (*1*) tenders sufficient amends to the plaintiff before the suit is instituted, the suit shall be dismissed.

(*4*) If no such tender be made, the defendant may pay into Court such sum of money as it or he thinks fit, and thereupon such proceedings shall be had as in other cases in which defendants are allowed to pay money into Court.

(*5*) Nothing in the foregoing sub-sections shall apply to any suit instituted under section 54 of the Specific Relief Act, 1877. 1 of 1877.

Indemnity to municipal authorities, etc.

635. No suit shall be maintainable against any municipal authority, officer or servant, or any person acting under the direction of any municipal authority, officer or servant, or of a Magistrate, in respect of anything lawfully and in good faith and with due care and attention done under this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . . made hereunder.

CHAPTER XLVI.—SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS.

Police.

Co-operation of the Police.

643. (*1*) The District Superintendent of Police and his subordinates shall be bound—

(*a*) to co-operate with the Chairman for carrying into effect and enforcing the provisions of this Act . . . . and,

(*b*) on the order of a Magistrate, to assist the municipal authorities in carrying out any order made by a Magistrate under this Act for the demolition of a building.

(*2*) It shall be the duty of every police-officer in Howrah—

(*i*) to communicate without delay to the proper municipal officer any information which he receives of a design to commit or of the commission of any offence against this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . . made hereunder, and

(*ii*) to assist the Chairman or any municipal officer or servant reasonably demanding his aid for the lawful exercise of any power vesting in the Chairman or in such municipal officer or servant under this Act or any such rule or bye-law . . . .

Arrest of offenders.

644. (1) Every police-officer shall arrest any person who commits, in his view, any offence against this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder, if the name and address of such person be unknown to him, and if such person, on demand, declines to give his name and address or gives a name or address which such officer has reason to believe to be false.

(2) No person so arrested shall be detained in custody after his true name and address are ascertained or, without the order of a Magistrate, for any longer time, not exceeding at the most twenty-four hours from the arrest, than is necessary for bringing him before a Magistrate.

(3) On the written application of the Chairman or the Vice Chairman, any police-officer above the rank of constable shall arrest any person who obstructs any municipal officer or servant in the exercise of any of the powers conferred by this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder.

Miscellaneous.

Who to be deemed owner or occupier where there are gradations of owners or occupiers.

645. Whenever any right is conferred or duty imposed by or under this Act on the owner or occupier of any premises, and, in consequence of there being gradations of owners or occupiers, doubt arises as to who is the owner or occupier entitled to exercise such right or bound to perform such duty, the Chairman may, after due inquiry, determine from time to time which of such owners or occupiers shall be deemed to be so entitled or bound.

Prohibition of removal of mark.

648. No person shall remove any mark set up for the purpose of indicating any level or direction necessary to the execution of works authorised by this Act or any rule or bye-law . . . made hereunder.

SCHEDULE XVII.

RULES AS TO THE USE OF BUILDING-SITES AND THE EXECUTION OF BUILDING-WORK.

[*See sections 363, 370, 373, 374, 377, ... 391, 567, 582 and 583.*]

Part I.—Building-sites.

Conditions as to use of building-sites.

1. No piece of land shall be used as a site for the erection of a building—

(1) if the building is to abut on a street, unless the site is of such a shape that the face of the building can be made parallel to the line of the street, or as nearly parallel to the said line as the Chairman may consider practicable; and,

(2) if the site is within thirty feet of a tank, unless the owner satisfies the Engineer that he will take such order as will prevent any risk of the domestic drainage of the building passing into the tank; and

(3) if the building to be erected is a public building, a dwelling-house or a hut,—

(a) unless the site is certified by the Engineer to be dry and well drained or to be capable of being well drained, and

(b) if the site is a filled-up tank, or has been filled up with or used for depositing rubbish, offensive matter or sewage, unless the site was so filled up or last so used more than five years previously, and unless the Chairman has examined the site and granted a certificate to the effect that it is, from a sanitary point of view, fit to be built upon.

Parts II and III.—Masonry *Buildings.*

Height.

2. (1) If a masonry building is situated at the side of any street to which the Commissioners in meeting may declare this rule to apply, no portion of the building shall intersect any of a series of imaginary lines drawn across the street at an angle of forty-five degrees with the plane of the ground, such lines being drawn from the street alignment on the side of the street which is the more remote from the building in question, at the level of the pavement or of the centre of the street.

Explanation.—If a building be placed at the edge of the street, its height must not exceed the width of the street; but, if the building or one or more of its storeys be set back, the height of the building may be increased, subject to the condition that no portion of the building, after the height is increased, intersects any of the aforesaid lines.

(2) In the case of any masonry building which is re-erected in a street, in existence at the date of this notification, which is less than twenty-five feet wide, the angle at which the lines referred to in sub-rule (1) are to be drawn shall be fifty-six-and-a-half degrees instead of forty-five degrees.

(3) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-rule (1) or sub-rule (2), the Commissioners in meeting may, by order published in the Calcutta Gazette, declare that, in any street in existence at the date of this notification which is specified in the order, the erection of two-storeyed masonry buildings not exceeding twenty-eight feet in height will be permitted without complying with the requirements of those sub-rules.

(4) If a masonry building is situated on a corner plot, so as to abut upon more than one street, the height of the building shall be regulated by the wider of such streets so far as it will abut or abuts upon such wider street, and also so far as it will abut or abuts upon the narrower of such streets to a distance of forty feet from the wider street.

Level of floor.

3. The floor or lowest floor of every masonry building erected or re-erected from the ground-level must be constructed at such level as will admit of—

(a) the construction of a drain sufficient for the effectual drainage of the building and placed at such level as will admit of the drainage being led into some municipal sewer at the time existing or projected, and

(b) the provision of the requisite communication with some sewer into which the drainage may lawfully be discharged, at a point in the upper half of such sewer, or with some other means of drainage into which the drainage may lawfully be discharged.

Building over municipal drain.

4. A masonry building shall not be placed over any municipal drain, except with the written consent of the Chairman.

Passage for access to building from street.

5. Where only detached buildings are allowed, the passage affording access to a masonry building from the street must be at least eight feet wide .....

Distance between building line and street alignment.

6. (1) In any street, laid out after the date of this notification, to which the Commissioners in meeting may declare this rule to apply, and in which continuous building is allowed, the distance between the building line and the street alignment shall not be less than four feet.

(2) Subject to the approval of the Chairman, an open verandah may be erected upon the space between such line and alignment.

Foundation.

7. (1) Except with the sanction of the Chairman, the foundation of a masonry building must rest on solid ground.

(2) The spread of the foundation must be such that the pressure on the soil, ... shall not be greater than one ton on the square foot.

(3) The levels of the foundation must be such as the Chairman may consider satisfactory.

Plinth.

8. The plinth of a masonry building must be at least two feet above the level of the centre of the nearest street.

Footings for walls.

9. Every wall of a masonry building must be constructed so as to rest upon proper footings having regular offsets and a horizontal spread on each side of the wall of not less than one-half the height of the footings, unless an adjoining wall interferes, in which case the footings may, subject to the provisions of sub-rule (2) of rule 7, be omitted, where that wall adjoins.

Outer walls.

10. The outer walls of a masonry building must be constructed of brick or some other hard and incombustible substance.

Bonding of walls.

11. All walls of a masonry building must be properly bonded.

Walls in building of more than one storey.

13. If a masonry building exceeds one storey in height,—

(a) every wall must be solidly put together with—

(i) good cement, or

(ii) good lime, or

(iii) mortar compounded with good cement and sand or other suitable material, or

(iv) mortar compounded with good lime and sand or other suitable material;

(b) the proportions of the materials forming such mortar must be such as are approved by the Chairman;

(*c*) no part of any wall, other than a cornice or moulding, shall overhang any part of a wall underneath it; and

(*d*) every wall must be of such thickness as the Chairman may consider necessary to ensure safety, regard being had to the height of the building, the materials of which it is constructed, and the purpose for which it is intended to use it.

Beams and girders.

15. (*1*) All beams and girders in a masonry building must be supported by a breadth of brick-work, stone or other solid substance sufficient to secure their stability.

(*2*) The bearing of a beam or girder on a wall shall not, without the sanction of the Chairman, be less than three-fourths of the thickness of the wall.

Part IV.—Dwelling-houses and other domestic buildings.

Proportion of site for dwelling-house which may be built upon.

17. The total area covered by all the buildings (including verandahs) on any site used for a dwelling-house shall not exceed two-thirds of the total area of the site, except with the sanction of the Chairman.

Open space in rear of building.

22. (*1*) Except in localities where the erection of only detached buildings is allowed, there must be in the rear of every domestic building an open space extending along the entire width of the building and belonging exclusively to the building, unless the back of the building abuts on an open square or the like, of not less than twenty feet in width, which is dedicated to public use and is consequently not likely to be built upon.

(*2*) The minimum distance across such space from every part of the building to the boundary line, or (if the boundary is a wall) the inner edge of the boundary wall, of the land or building immediately opposite such part, shall be six feet.

Relaxation of rule 22 in case of irregular site.

23. If any person desires to erect a domestic building in a street laid out before the date of this notification upon a site which, before the date of this notification, was occupied by a domestic building, and the site is of such a nature that it is impracticable to provide an open space in the rear of the building of the dimensions prescribed by rule 22, the Chairman may relax the provisions of that rule:

Provided that—

(*a*) such open space shall be left as the Chairman may consider practicable, having regard to all the circumstances of the case, and

(*b*) not more than two-thirds of the total area of the site shall be occupied by masonry buildings or verandahs.

Open space at sides of building.

24. (*1*) Except in localities where the erection of only detached buildings is allowed, if either side of a domestic building is not attached to the adjacent building, and if such side does not abut on an open square or the like which is dedicated to public use and is consequently not likely to be built upon, there must be between the buildings an open space extending along the entire length of such side and belonging exclusively to the said domestic building.

(*2*) The minimum distance across such space from every part of the said domestic building to the boundary line, or (if the boundary is a wall) the inner edge of the boundary wall, of the land or building immediately opposite such part, shall be four feet.

Interior courtyards and outward open spaces to be raised.

25. (*1*) Every interior courtyard and every open space prescribed by rule 22 or rule 24 must be raised at least one foot above the level of the centre of the nearest street, so as to admit of easy drainage into the street.

Further provisions as to dwelling houses in bustees.

27. The following further provisions shall have effect in the case of dwelling-houses in bustees, that is to say—

(*a*) the owner of the land in a bustee on which a dwelling-house is to be erected must give up all land which may be required so as to leave a space of at least eighteen feet in front of and along the entire length of the boundary line of the premises;

(*b*) all land so given up shall vest in the Commissioners, and the owner shall receive reasonable compensation therefor out of the Municipal Fund.

Part VI.—Applications for approval of sites for, and for permission to erect or re-erect, masonry buildings.

Application for approval of site for erection or re-erection of masonry building.

30. (*1*) Every application for approval of a site for a masonry building must be written on a printed form (to be supplied by the Chairman free of charge), and must state the position of the site, the number assigned to it in the assessment-book, its dimensions, and such other particulars as may be prescribed by the Chairman.

(*2*) The site-plan sent with such an application must be drawn to a scale of not less than one-fiftieth of an inch to a foot, must be sent in duplicate and must show—

(*a*) the boundaries of the site;
(*b*) the position of the site in relation to neighbouring streets;
(*c*) the name of the street in which the building is proposed to be situated;
(*d*) the position of the building in relation to—
  (i) the boundaries of the site,
  (ii) all adjacent streets, buildings and premises within a distance of forty feet of the site, and
  (iii) (if there is no street within a distance of forty feet of the site) some existing or projected street . . . .;
(*e*) the means of access to the building from the street;
(*f*) the position and approximate height of all other buildings within forty feet of the site;
(*g*) the position, form, dimensions and ventilation of privies, urinals, drains, cesspools, stables, cattle-sheds, cow-houses, wells, and other appurtenances of the building, and the inclination of such drains;
(*h*) free passage or way in front of the building;
(*i*) space to be left about the building to secure a free circulation of air, admission of light, and access for scavenging purposes;
(*k*) the width and level of the street (if any) in front, and of the street (if any) at the rear, of the building; and
(*l*) such other particulars as may be prescribed by the Chairman.

Application to be sent and particulars furnished by person intending to erect or re-erect a masonry building.

31. (*1*) Every application for permission to erect or re-erect a masonry building must be written on a printed form (to be supplied by the Chairman free of charge), and must state the description of the building, its dimensions, and such other particulars as may be prescribed by the Chairman.

(*2*) The plan of the building and the elevations and sections accompanying such an application must be neatly and accurately drawn to a scale of not less than one-eighth of an inch to a foot, and must be sent in duplicate, and the said plan must show—

(*a*) the levels and width of the foundation of the building;
(*b*) the level of the lowest floor of the building; and
(*c*) the level of all courtyards and open spaces in the building or premises, and the plinth-level of buildings with reference to the level at the centre of the nearest street.

(*3*) The specification accompanying such an application must comprise full information as to the following particulars, namely:—

(i) the materials and method of construction to be used for external walls, party walls, foundations, roofs, floors, fireplaces and chimneys;
(ii) the manner in which roof-and house drainage and the surface drainage of land will be disposed of;
(iii) the manner, if any, in which it is proposed to pave the courtyards and open spaces in the building or premises, and the slope to which the surface is to be made in each case;
(iv) the means of access that will be available to scavengers to get to service privies;
(v) the purpose for which it is intended to use the building; and
(vi) if the building is intended to be used as a dwelling-house for two or more families, or as a place for carrying on any trade or business in which more than twenty people may be employed, or as a place of public resort,—the means of ingress and egress.

Explanation to clause (v).—If it is intended to use the building or any part thereof for any of the following purposes, namely—

melting tallow;
boiling offal or blood;
skinning or disembowelling animals;
as a soap-house, oil-boiling-house or dyeing-house
as a tannery, a slaughter-house, or a kiln for making bricks, pottery, tiles or lime

as a manufactory or place of business from which offensive or unwholesome smells may arise;

as a yard or depot for trade in hay, straw, wood, thatching-grass, jute or other dangerously inflammable material;

as a store-house for kerosine, petroleum, naphtha or any inflammable oil or spirit;

as a shop for the sale of meat;

as a place for the storage of rags or bones, or both;

as a lodging-house or a serai; or

as a stable, cattle-shed or cow-house,

the fact must be expressly stated.

Option to bend such applications together.

32. An application for approval of a site for, and an application for permission to erect or re-erect, a masonry building may, if the applicant so desires, be sent together.

Signature of plans, elevations and sections.

33. (*1*) The plans, elevations and sections referred to in section 370 must be signed clearly and in a prominent place by the owner of the building.

(*2*) If the said documents have been prepared by an Architect or an Engineer, they may be signed by him as well as by the owner.

Formulation of requirements and objections.

34. (*1*) All information and documents which it may be found necessary to require, and all objections which it may be found necessary to make, before deciding whether a site should be approved for a masonry building, or whether permission to erect or re-erect a masonry building should be given, shall be respectively required and made in one requisition, and the applicant shall be apprised thereof at the earliest possible date.

(*2*) Within thirty days after the receipt of any application under section 370 for approval of a site, the Chairman may require the applicant—

(*a*) to furnish him with any information on matters referred to in that section which has not already been given in the documents received thereunder, or

(*b*) to satisfy him that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken, on any of the grounds mentioned in section 377, to the approval of the site.

(*3*) Within thirty days after the receipt of any application under section 370 for permission to execute work, the Chairman may require the applicant—

(*i*) to furnish him with any information on matters referred to in that section which has not already been given in the documents received thereunder, or with any document prescribed by that section which has not been sent in; or

(*ii*) to satisfy him that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken on any of the grounds mentioned in section 377, to the grant of permission to execute the work.

(*4*) If any information or documents required under sub-rule (*2*) or sub-rule (*3*) is or are, in the opinion of the Chairman, incomplete or defective, he may, within thirty days after the receipt of the same, require further information or documents to be furnished.

(*5*) If any requisition made under sub-rule (*2*), sub-rule (*3*) or sub-rule (*4*) is not complied with within three months, the application received under section 370 shall be deemed not to have been made.

Chairman to sign approved plans.

35. When the Chairman has approved any site-plan or given permission to execute any work, he, or the Vice-Chairman, if authorised by the Chairman so to do, shall sign such site-plan or the approved plans of the work, as the case may be.

Part IX.—Application of rules to alterations of, and additions to, masonry buildings.

Relaxation of rule 2.

50. In applying rule 2 in the case of an alteration of, or addition to, any masonry building which was erected before the date of this notification, the angle at which the lines referred to in sub-rule (*1*) of that rule are to be drawn shall be fifty-six-and-a-half degrees instead of forty-five degrees;

Provided that nothing contained in this rule shall authorise any addition to a building which would make it higher than any building which, at the date of this notification, is standing on the same site.

Restriction on application of rule 27.

51. Rule 27 shall not be applied in the case of any dwelling-house which is being altered or added to, unless the front of the house is being enlarged.

Restriction on application of rules 30 to 35

52. (*1*) Rules 30 to 35 . . . . . shall not be applied in the case of any alteration of, or addition to, a masonry building unless one or more of the following works is or are undertaken, namely:—

(*a*) the construction of a roof or an external or party wall,

(*b*) any repairs to the building which involve the reconstruction of a masonry wall, a lift-shaft or a chimney after the same has been entirely or in great part demolished.

(*c*) the closing of any door or window in an external wall,
(*d*) the construction of an internal wall or partition,
(*e*) any other alteration of the internal arrangements of a building which effects an alteration of its courtyard or courtyards or its drain age, ventilation or sanitary arrangements, or which affects its security,
(*f*) the addition of any building, room, out-house or other structure,
(*g*) the roofing of any space between one or more walls and buildings,
(*h*) the conversion into more than one place for human habitation of a building originally constructed as one such place,
(*j*) the conversion of two or more places of human habitation into a greater number of such places,
(*k*) the alteration of a building for the purpose of effecting a partition amongst joint-owners.

(*2*) In the case referred to in clause (*g*) of sub-rule (*1*), the said rules 30 to 35 . . . . . shall apply only as regards the structure which is formed by roofing a space, and not as regards adjoining buildings.

Grant of provisional permission to proceed with work in cases of urgency.

53. (*1*) If, in any case of urgency arising from causes beyond his own control, any person desires to undertake without delay any of the works referred to in rule 52, he may send to the Chairman an application for provisional permission to proceed with the work.

(*2*) Such application must contain an explanation of the urgency and a general description of the work proposed to be undertaken.

(*3*) Within a period of three days after the receipt of any such application, the Chairman shall, by written order, either grant or refuse to grant provisional permission to proceed with the work.

(*4*) If, within the said period of three days, the Chairman has neither granted nor refused to grant such provisional permission, the same shall be deemed to have been granted.

(*5*) Whenever such provisional permission is granted, and in any case provided for by sub-rule (*4*), the applicant must, within fifteen days, send to the Chairman a regular application for permission to execute the work; and, if he fails to do so, the provisional permission shall be deemed to be withdrawn.

Jessore.

No. 1871L.S.-G.—The 17th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Dharani Dhar Bhattacharjee to be a member of the Bongaon Local Board, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Babu Jnan Chandra Choudhury, resigned.

Midnapore.

No. 1873L.S.-G.—The 17th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the Rules framed under section 138 (*a*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to fix Saturday, the 5th September 1903, as the date for holding a bye-election under section 19 of the Act in thana Ghatal in the district of Midnapore, for the purpose of filling the vacancy in the representation of that thana on the Local Board of Ghatal caused by the death of Babu Ambika Charan Banerjee.

Midnapore.

No. 1875L.S.-G.—The 17th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Tamluk Local Board, in the district of Midnapore, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Fakir Chandra Bose to be their Chairman.

Balasore.

No. 1888M.—The 18th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Balasore Municipality, in the district of Balasore, of Mr. W. Egerton, I.C.S., to be their Chairman.

Midnapore.

No. 1890M.—The 18th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Midnapore Municipality, in the district of Midnapore:—

The Civil Surgeon of Midnapore ... ... *Ex-officio.*
Mr. K. B. Dutt. | Babu Koylash Chandra Ghose.
Revd. J. H. Oxrieder. | Maulvi Mazharal Haque.
Syed Shahsiauddin Abdul Hossain.

No. 1892M.—The 18th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Syed Mohamad Qayam Hassain to be a Commissioner of the Daudnagar Municipality, in the district of Gaya, *vice* Maulvi Abbas Ali, deceased.

Gaya.

No. 1894M.—The 18th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Satkhira Municipality, in the district of Khulna :—

Khulna.

Babu Srinath Chatterjee, B.A.	Dr. Abdul Wajed Khan Chowdhury.
„ Brojendra Nath Ghose.	Babu Ashutosh Bose.

No. 1896L.S.-G.—The 18th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Midnapore, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Raghu Nath Das to be their Chairman.

Midnapore.

No. 1909M.—The 20th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Birnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of sections 254 to 260A and 274 of Part VI as well as the provisions of Part X of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Nadia.

No. 1911M.—The 20th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Bansberia Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, of Babu Satindra Deb Rai Mohasay to be their Chairman.

Hooghly.

No. 1913M.—The 20th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Muktagacha Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, of Babu Jagat Kishore Acharjya Choudhury to be their Chairman.

Mymensingh.

No. 1915L.S.-G.—The 20th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Cuttack to be the Chairman of the Cuttack District Board.

Cuttack.

No. 1916L.S.-G.—The 21st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Puri to be the Chairman of the Puri District Board.

Puri.

No. 1917L S.-G.—The 21st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Saran to be the Chairman of the Saran District Board.

Saran.

No. 1918L.S.-G.—The 21st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Champaran to be the Chairman of the Champaran District Board.

Champaran.

No. 1919L.S.-G.—The 21st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Darbhanga to be the Chairman of the Darbhanga District Board.

Darbhanga.

No. 1941M.—The 21st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Cuttack Municipality, in the district of Cuttack, of Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Zorab, I.M.S. (Retired List), to be their Chairman.

Cuttack.

No. 1943M.—The 21st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Rampur Boalia Municipality, in the district of Rajshahi, of Babu Bhuban Mohan Moitra to be their Chairman.

Rajshahi.

No. 1945M.—The 21st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Dacca Municipality of Khajeh Mahamed Yousuff to be their Chairman during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. T. Rankin, I. C. S.

Dacca.

No. 1947M.—The 21st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Comilla Municipality, in the district of Tippera:—

Tippera.

The Civil Surgeon of Tippera ... *Ex-officio.*

Mr. H. M. Weathral.	Rajkumar Navadvip Chandra Deb Barman.
„ P. J. DeLanney.	Rai Sasi Bhusan Dutta Bahadur.

Syad Hossain Haidar Choudhuri.

No. 1951M.—The 21st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

24-Parganas.

Babu Upendra Nath Mitra, B.A., B.L.	Babu Kali Das Bose.
„ Ram Prau Bhattacharji, M.A.	„ Harish Chandra Kaviratna.
„ Akhoy Kumar Mukherji, M.B.	„ Gyan Chandra Bhattacharji.

No. 1953M.—The 21st July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Nawabgunge Municipality, in the district of Maldah, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of sections 220, 221, 222, 223, 223A, 224 to 231 inclusive, 233, 234, 235, 249, 250, 251, 251A, 251B, 251C, 251D, 266, 268, 269, 270 clauses (1), (2) and (3), 272 and 273 clause (1) of Part VI of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Maldah.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1834L.S.-G.—The 17th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Backergunge District Board for a public purpose, viz., for constructing a ferryshed on the north bank of the Kacha river, in the village of Umedpur, pargana Shelimabad, zilla Backergunge, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land 30 feet in length and 30 feet in breadth, measuring, more or less, 1 cottah 4 chitaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north, east and south by Asaruddy Bepari's Gola land, and on the west by Sutharhata khal.

Backergunge.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Backergunge.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1849M.—The 17th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor, of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Serampore Municipality, for a public purpose, viz., for a night-soil depôt, in the village of Bahir Serampore, pargana Baro, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less

Hooghly.

3 cottahs of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north by a drain and Doctor bagan lane, on the east and south by the lands of Gokul Mal, and on the west by the land of Guiram Dass.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1905M.—The 20th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Tamluk Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for constructing a road on the southern and western sides of the Ramsagar tank in the village of Parbatipur, pargana Tamluk, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 4 chitaks of standard measurement are required. The plots of land are bounded as follows:—

Midnapore.

PLOT No. 1—*1 cottah 12 chitaks.*—On the north by a drain, on the south by a tank of Rakhal Das Mukherjee, on the east by road, and on the west by *kala* land of Manmatha Nath Dutta and Kali Pada Ghose.

PLOT No. 2—*8 chitaks.*—On the north by Ramsagar tank, on the south by *kala* land of Haradhan Pradhan, on the east by *kala* land of Municipality, and on the west by *bastu* land of Haradhan Pradhan.

A plan of the plots of land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Collector of Tamluk.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or share of estates in the district of Bhagalpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th of August 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Names of estate, thana and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
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Bhagalpur Collectorate, the 17th July 1903.

A. N. MORRELY, Collector.

APPENDIX XXX.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Tippera, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on the 25th day of July 1903, corresponding with the 10th Sraban 1310 Fasli, at the Collector's office, Comilla.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Tippera ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Ratanpur.	10	West ...	3 1 2	1 0 1	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Barapara. *South*— *East*— *West*—Nababali and others.
2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10	East ...	3 6 3	1 0 17	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Barapara. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Shaha Gasi and others. *West*—Railway land.
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Barapara.	10	West ...	12 10 10	4 0 23	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Ratanpur. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Baktar Gasi.
4	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10	East ...	26 9 13	8 3 1	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Ratanpur. *East*—Ali Mahmed and others. *West*—Railway land.
	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Durgapur.	10	West ...	2 13 13	0 3 22	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*— *East*— *West*—Khal and Ramsundar Pal.
6	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10	East ...	4 4 3	1 1 22	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— *East*—Afjal Das, Amjad Das. *West*—Railway land.
7	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	West ...	3 11 0	1 3 13	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Ram Sundar Pal. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Khal and Ram Sundar Pal.
8	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	11 10 4	3 3 9	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Kamal Pal. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Ainddi and others. *West*—Railway land.
9	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	West	5 3 0	1 3 6	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— *East*—Railway land. *West*—Kamal Pal.
10	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	0 10 7	0 0 28	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— *East*—Akbarali. *West*—Railway land.
11	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	West ...	4 16 1	1 2 4	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Khal. *South*—Tank. *East*—Kamal Pal. *West*—Railway land.
12	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	2 18 4	0 3 21	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Tank. *East*—Kamal Pal and Akbarali. *West*—Railway land.
13	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Sreenibash.	11	West ...	7 18 11	2 2 19	District Board road.	0 0 6	.....	*North*—Kasinagar. *South*—Khal. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Nagar Chand and others.
14	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	10 1 9	3 1 13	District Board.	0 0 6	.....	*North*—Kasinagar. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Kamal Pal and others. *West*—Railway land.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
15	Tippera ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasinagar.	11	West ...	1 5 15	0 1 29	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Road. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ganga Das and Nagar Das Nath.
16	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11	East ...	1 3 10	0 1 23	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Road. *East*—Basarat Ali. *West*—Railway land.
17	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasinagar *alias* Barachar.	12	West ...	3 15 0	0 3 25	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Kasipur. *South*—, *East*— } Railway land. *West*—Ratan Gazi and others.
18	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12	East ...	1 16 5	0 2 16	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Kasipur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Basarat Ali. *West*—Railway land.
19	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasipur.	12	West ...	11 7 14	3 3 3	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Durgapur. *South*—Kasinagar. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Jdhor Gazi.
20	Ditto ...	Ditto ..	12	East ...	11 9 6	3 3 6	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Durgapur. *South*—Kasinagar. *East*—Goura Gazi. *West*—Railway land.
21	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Durgapur.	12	West ..	3 19 2	1 1 9	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Kasipur. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ram Gopal Gope and Dulal Mahamed.
22	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12	East ...	4 1	1 1 16	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Kasipur. *East*—Ram Gopal Gope and Amir Mahmed. *West*—Railway land.
23	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12	West ...	3 2 13	1 0 6	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— *East*— } Railway land.
24	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12	East ...	3 6 5	1 0 15	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— } Railway land. *East*—Alabaddi and Dulal Gazi. *West*—Railway land.

The 27th May 1903.

R. C. DAS, *for* Collector.

Notification of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, that the under mentioned tenures or shares of tenures in estate Kothdes, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th July 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and all other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

No. of tenure.	Name of tenure, mahal, and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole tenure. Rent.	Cess.	Whether the whole tenure is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share. Rent.	Cess.	If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrears due from it. Rent.	Cess.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it. Rent.	Cess.	Remarks.
1	2	3		4	5	6	7		8		9		10
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
65 / 66	Mauza Bhagabatipur Makadami, pargana Kothdes.	907	48 3 6	Whole ...	...	Mahant Raghunundan Ramanuj Das and others.	.....	.....	4 1 4	23 1 9	.....	.....	April 1903.
90 / 91	Mauza Biswanathpur Makadami, pargana Kothdes.	1,299	55 0 0	.....	Kt. 0p. 7g. 1k. 2kr.	Gadadhar Pa.ne and others.	517 3 8	37 11 0	.....	.....	160 2 0	7 5 1	Ditto.
266 / 274	Mauza Pampalo Makadami, pargana Kothdes.	1,036	66 0 0	.....	Kt. 12p. 2k. 1kr. 12b.	Chaudhury Chandrasikhar Das and others.	779 1 5	41 3 6	.....	.....	317 2 8	18 8 8	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 20th June 1903.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, Collector.

APPENDIX XXX.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Tippera, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on the 25th day of July 1903, corresponding with the 10th Sraban 1310 Fasli, at the Collector's Office, Comilla.

The purchasers of the several plots of lands will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the Railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Lot Consecutive No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Tippera ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kasinagar.	13	West ...	11 12 0	3 2 29	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Sriballavpur. *South*—} Railway land. *East*—} *West*—Rajjabali and others.
2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	13	East ...	11 7 8	3 3 1	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Sriballavpur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Rajjabali and others. *West*—Railway land.
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Sriballavpur.	13	West ...	3 6 3	1 2 20	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Lakhipur. *South*—Kashinagar. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ram Kumar Gope and others.
4	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	13	East ...	12 19 3	4 1 5	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Lakhipur. *South*—Kashinagar. *East*—Ram Kumar Gope and others. *West*—Railway land.
5	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Lakhipur.	13	West ...	0 13 3	0 0 33	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Sriballavpur. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Samiuddi and Rajaddi.
6	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	13	East ...	0 13 11	0 0 36	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Sriballavpur. *East*—Isopali. *West*—Railway land.
7	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Daiara.	14	West ...	1 11 5	0 2 3	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*—} Railway land. *East*—} *West*—Baharuddi.
8	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ...	5 2 14	1 2 32	District Board road.	0 1 12	.....	*North*—Lot No. 10 and Alimia. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Alimia and others. *West*—Railway land.
9	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	West ...	0 19 11	0 1 13	.....	.....	.....	*North*—} Tank. *South*—} *East*—Railway land. *West*—Baharuddi.
10	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ...	9 12 12	3 0 30	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Jangalia Saoratoli. *South*—Lot No. 8 and Alimia. *East*—Jamiruddi. *West*—Railway land.
11	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	West ...	5 2 14	1 2 32	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Jangalia Saoratoli. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Chand Gazi and others.
12	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Jangalia Saoratoli.	14	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*—Jangalia Saoratoli. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Hachan Ali.
13	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	Do. ...	2 10 15	0 3 15	.....	.....	.....	*North*—} Tank. *South*—} *East*—Railway land. *West*—Umedali and others.
14	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ...	12 2 12	4 0 2	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Daiara. *East*—Abdul and others. *West*—Railway land.
15	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	West ...	0 12 12	0 0 34	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Chand Gazi.

Lot Consecutive No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
16	Tippera ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Jangalia Saoratoli.	14	West ...	2 2 8	0 2 33	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Shaktola. *South*— *East*— Railway land. *West*—Maidhor Gazi and Umed Ali.
17	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ...	1 14 7	0 2 11	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Shaktola. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Abdul and Mahamud Raja. *West*—Railway land.
18	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Shaktola.	14	West ...	1 6 4	0 1 29	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Jangalia Saora oli. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Akramali.
19	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	14	East ...	0 17 5	0 1 6	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Jangalia Saoratoli. *East*—Charu. *West*—Railway land.
20	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	West ...	14 1 13	4 2 25	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Tank. *South*— *East*— Railway land. *West*—Abjal and others.
21	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	East ...	13 3 9	6 0 2	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Govindpur. *South*—Railway land. *East*—Afzal and others. *West*—Railway land.
22	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	West ...	0 16 7	0 1 3	.....	.....	.....	*North*— *South*— Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Amudali and others.
23	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	Do. ...	4 3 9	1 1 21	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Daulatpur. *South*—Tank. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Abbachali and others.
24	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Gobindpur.	15	East ...	1 19 9	0 2 25	District Board road.	0 0 31	.....	*North*—Daulatpur. *South*—Shaktola. *East*—Abbachali *West*—Railway land.
25	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Kandirpur *alias* Doulatpur.	15	Do. ...	8 6 10	2 3 1	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Umedali Bhuian and Lot No. 26. *South*—Govindpur. *East*—Charu. *West*—Railway land.
26	Ditto ...	Pargana Meherkul, mauza Doulatpur	15	West ...	2 9 14	0 3 13	District Board road.	0 0 26	.....	*North*—Umedali Bhuan. *South*—Shaktola. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Umedali Bhuian.
27	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	Do. ...	7 5 7	2 1 25	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Ram Dulal Dupi. *East*—Railway land. *West*—Ram Dulal Dupi and Umed Ali.
28	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	15	Do. ...	4 6 6	1 1 22	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *South*—Lot No. 25 and Umed Ali Bhuian. *East*—Umed Ali and others. *West*—Railway land.

The 27th May 1903.

R. C. Das, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the district of Palamau, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon on the 31st of July 1903, corresponding to the 25th Sawan 1310 Fasli at Daltonganj.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavation on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway fencing or plough the land closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of the sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the order of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of land in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from the sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reason for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Palamau	Palamau, Kormatappa Kote	78	East side of the railway line.	2 9 8	1·84	.....		As per column 9.	*North* } *South* } Kerma and. *East* } *West*—Railway compound.

Daltonganj, the 25th May 1903. SARAT CH. SEN GUPTA, Depy Collr. in charge, *for* Depy. Commr. of Palamau.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the village of Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona, at 12 o'clock noon, on the 20th August 1903, corresponding with 3rd Bhadra 1310, Bengali era.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset prices, which have been fixed by the Collector. The purchaser of these estates will be considered as the proprietor of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him permanently free of rent.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
		A. R. P.		
2706	Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	0 0 7	Will be sold revenue free.	
2707	Ditto, ditto ...	0 0 21		

Ghatal, the 7th July 1903. AHMAD, Subdivisional Officer.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estate in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th August 1903 at noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Permanently-settled estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
537	Shakarpura, pargana Pharkia.	1,096 4 0	Whole	....	Mossamat Jainti Kumri and others.	.....	300 0 0	.....
815	Sihanwan, pargana Malki (Sihanwan Karari in revenue-roll).	1,120 7 0	...	Ijmali share, excluding separate accounts No.— Rs. A. P. 2. Chothroo Singh ... 113 0 0 3. Kali Prosad ... 213 6 0 5. Kharag Singh 5 4 0 6. Fazal Rahman, *alias* Sagirudin ... .. 2 5 0 7. Goomani Rai ... 4 6 0 8. Mahesh Singh, &c. ... ... 46 9 0 9. Bhim Singh, &c. 9 10 0 10. Jhandoo Singh, &c. ... ... 74 7 0 11. Bhagwan Pershad, receiver of estate Suja .. 31 15 0 12. Birjbehari Singh, &c ... ... 26 4 0 13. Gannoo Singh and others . 79 0 0 14. Rohi Chandhri, &c. ... ... 17 14 0 Total ... 630 0 0	Mossamat Raghunatho Kumri, &c.	500 7 0	.....	213 13 6
1072	Batkunthpur, Khanjehanpur, pargana Bhusari.	1,193 3 0	...	Ijmali share consisting of Batkunthpur, 11a. 7g. 8c. 4dt 5kt. 18r 2p and Khanjehanpur, 12a. 19g. 11k. 2dt. 2k. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Abunasar Jelaludin, Manager of Mossamat Girjabati Kumri and others.	987 14 0	... .	23 4 7
1078	Taluka Siripur, pargana Bhusari.	3,503 6 0	... ..	6a. 16g. 0c. 7dt. 10kt. ijmali share All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Ram Lagan Sahu and others.	1,491 0 0		157 14 3
1166	Qasba Sheikhdih and Hetampur, pargana Musjidpur.	1,026 5 0	.....	Ijmali share consisting of— A. G. Sheikhdih ... ... 16 0 Hetampur .. ... 12 5 All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Turant Lal, &c. ...	946 9 0	.....	195 10 3
1889	Arasi Tikarampur, pargana Monghyr.	3,072 6 0	Whole ...	... ..	Mahanth Staram Dass, Mahanth Mahabir Dass (minor) under guardianship of Mahanth Staram Dass.		576 2 0	. ..
4430	Sihanwan Diara Gangharar, pargana Malki.	2,881 8 0	...	2a. 15g. 3c. 1kt. 1dt. 8r. ijmali share. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Ramtahal Singh, &c.	503 4 0	..	13 12 0
7922	Parihara Hari Singh Patti Mossamat Jainti Kumri, pargana Balia.	1,719 5 0	Whole ...	..	Mossamat Jainti Kumri.		420 12 3	... .
				Temporarily-settled estates.				
1321	Arasi Jagdispur Karari, pargana Surajgarha.	1,173 3 0	.....	12 annas ijmali share— All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Udwant Singh and others.	997 8 0	.....	63 6 3
1360	Agar Tappa Saronja, pargana Pharkia.	1,711 10 0	Whole ..	.....	Rambahadur Singh, &c.	.....	97 13 3	.....
1402	Bhawanandpur *alias* Ramdeori, pargana Malki.	10 680 15 0	Do. ...	...	Jagatdhar Narain Pershad, minor, under the guardianship of his mother Mossamat Tribeni Kumri.	.....	5,340 8 0	.. .
1433	Akbarpur Karari, pargana Malki.	1,536 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Udwant Singh and others.	.... .	137 9 0	.....

Monghyr Collectorate, the 14th/15th July 1903.

F. P. DIXON, Offg. Collector.

List of documents lying unclaimed in the Calcutta Registry Office and in the Calcutta Joint Sub-Registry Office which will be destroyed under section 85 of Act III of 1877, if not taken delivery of within one month from date.

Serial No.	Names of Parties.		Nature of document.	Number of document in register.	Book.	Volume.	Page.	Date of	
	Claimant.	Executant.						Completion of registration.	Refusal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
								1900.	
1	Regina Gasper	W. A. Bonnand and others ...	Lease	59	1	59	1	18th January	
2	Sewdut Ray	W. Forries and another ...	Surrender of lease.	136	I	25	10	7th February	
3	T. D. Raili	T. J. Waite and another ...	Lease ...	641	I	26	121	2nd June	
4	Priya Nath Mukherji	Buchi Bariwali	Mortgage .	684	I	15	77	8th ,,	
5	John Day	J. W. Mathews and another	Lease ...	787	I	16	111	5th July	
6	Umasundari Bewa	Paran Chandra Biswas and others.	Sale	1020	I	42	102	14th August	
7	Baimab Charan Gunin .	Lashmimani Dasi	Mortgage	1100	I	31	121	3rd September	
8	Ramnarayan Gorye and others.	Ramnarayan Gorye and others	Partition ...	1191	I	19	118	20th December	
9	Sarat Chandra Datta .	Banku Behari Chatterji ..	Release ...	1940	I	37	168	12th October	
10	Kumar Narendra Nath Mitra	Kumar Manmatha Nath Mitra	Sale ...	1257	I	37	269	13th ,,	
11	Dr. Lawrence Fernandez ...	F. C. Hoff and others	Lease ...	1312	I	33	156	27th ,,	
12	Mrs. C. G. Bulloch	C. Burne and another	Do. ...	1314	I	37	167	27th ,,	
13	V. Harvey	G. E. Marklew and another ...	Do. ...	1379	I	27	181	14th November	
14	E. A. Arakie	A. Grossman and others ...	Do. ...	1380	I	38	195	14th ,,	
15	Syedah Majidah Begum .	Syed Abdul Hossain, M.D. ...	Do. ...	1494	I	49	198	8th December	
16	Mrs. R. Banerji and others ...	Saikh Sultan	Do. ...	1515	I	16	183	13th ,,	
17	Adolf Rosdol	Adolle Most	Power of attorney.	116	IV	1	43	25th April	
18	Charu Chandra Mitra ..	Mrs. Kate Peters	Bond ...	120	IV	5	48	19th ,,	
19	Ditto ...	Mrs. Kate Peters and another	Do. ...	121	IV	6	53	19th ,,	
20	S. M. Fakhiruddin Saheb ...	Abdul Khaliq and others ...	Sale ...	167	IV	2	85	6th June.	1900.
21	Maulvi Abdul Ahed	Munshi Golam Hasain ...	Do. ..	P. 56 for 1900	.	...	...	.....	24th March.
22	Hira Lal Johury	B. G. Jones and another ...	Lease	P. 256 for 1899	...	...	...		23rd August.
23	Jugal Kissore Agarwalla and others.	Golabary Company, Limited, and others.	Do. ...	P. 205 for 1899	...	..	...	... .	25th April.
24	Anukul Chandra Mukherji ...	Hamidan-nesa Bewa	Mortgage ...	P 105 for 1900	...	...	...	.....	20th September.
25	Annapurna Devi	Kinnison Jute Mills Company, Limited.	Lease	P. 22 for 1900	..	...	...	.. .	6th June.

Registered at the Calcutta Joint Sub-Registry Office.

								1900.	
1	Bisessur Nath	Teloo Gopaljee	Lease ...	88	I	4	91	20th February.	
2	A. S. Abraham	A. J. S. Joseph	Do. ...	234	I	1	261	17th March.	
3	Purusottam Sivji	Gobind Nath Misser	Do. ...	235	I	6	92	21st ,,	
4	Sasimukhi Devi	Kali Nath Chakrabartti ..	Release ...	682	I	15	43	18th May.	
5	Saikh Aminuddin	Serifuddin Khan	Mortgage ...	823	I	13	240	18th June.	
6	Musaher Hosen	Saikh Sukurmiah	Sale ...	951	I	18	75	29th ,,	
7	Rahman Khan	Batulan Bibi	Do. ...	1279	I	23	62	23rd August.	
8	Mollajan Bibi	Abdur Razak	Do. ...	1340	I	24	99	3rd September.	
9	Ramchandra Sing	Rahamat Khan	Lease ...	1443	I	25	231	20th ,,	
10	Dayamayi Bewa	Uma Charan De	Do. ...	1842	I	32	179	21st December.	
11	Ram Nath Marwari	Abdul Aji and others	Do. ..	1864	I	35	26	22nd ,,	
12	Mani Law Shaw	Satya Ch. Mandal	Receipt ...	1703	I	27	282	18th January.	
13	Jaygopal Dutt	Reni Madhab Pal Casudhuri...	Bond ...	5	IV	1	101	7th February.	
14	Raghunath Shaw	Shaik Chandmiah	Do. ...	40	IV	3	62	17th March.	
15	Gopal Chandra Pal	Rajani Kanta Banerji ...	Sale ..	46	IV	2	68	20th ,,	
16	Munsi Hedait Ali	Syed Talal Hosein Khan, *alias* Jan Saheb.	Agreement ...	128	IV	2	193	5th May.	
17	Dr. Golam Saidar	Khatun Kobra, *alias* Fatima Bibi.	Release	182	IV	1	298	9th July.	
18	Shaik Habib Miah ...	Shaik Isoof	Bond and agreement.	234	IV	3	186	20th August.	
19	Amrita Lal Mukherji	Asvini Kumar Chattopadhya ...	Indemnity bond.	326	IV	4	184	14th December.	
20	Bihari Lal Bose	Mati Lal Patra	Mortgage ...	.....	...	...	...	.....	1900. 4th October.
21	Sarat Ch. Ray	Jadu Nath Ray	Ditto ...	.. ..	...	...	...	.....	1st February.
22	Amarendra Nath Chatterji and others.	Phulchand Agarwala	Lease	.. .	.	...	...	... .	19th June.
23	Kisori Mohan Ray	Jogendra Nandini Dasi and others.	Agreement and further charge.		...	.	...	.....	1st February.
24	Shaik Maqbul	Rangini Bibi and another .	Sale ...	.....	...	...	...	.....	1st August.
25	Johora Begam	Mani Lal Saha	Lease ..	.....	...	..	...	.....	31st ,,
26	Braja Lal Ray	Bhokesi Dasi	Deposit of title deeds.	.	...	...	...	.....	17th October.
27	Guru Das Bose	Naba Kumari Debi	Release ..	.....	.	...	...	.....	14th November.
28	Broja Lal Ray Chaudhuri ...	Ram Prasad Nayek	Lease ...	.....	...	...	...	.....	4th July.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st July 1903.

B. L. CHANDRA,
Registrar of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER the provisions of Rule XX, Part I of the rules for the care and use of Government cemetries the following monuments having become ruinous will be treated at the next repairs in such manner as the officer in charge of the cemetery may decide to be necessary for the maintenance of the cemetery in decent order, unless any person will undertake to bear the cost of repairs, cemetery at Jessore:—

Consecutive No.	Name of Deceased.	Year of Death.	Remarks.
1	.....	...	Tile-work on top, cement pointing and sand-plaster.
2	Francis Thomas ...	1833	Pucka masonry, soorky beaten plaster and sand-plaster.
3	Gregory Herktols ...	...	Dismantling masonry, pucka masonry, sand-plaster, whitewash and new cornice.
4	Mary Adelaide ...	1845	Sand-plaster in patches.
5	William Edmund ...	1840	Sand-plaster and whitewashing.
6	John Willian Baldwin ...	...	Sand-rubbing and whitewashing.
7	Manuel Thomas ...	1834	Soorky beaten plaster, pucka masonry, soorky rubbing, cornice and whitewash.
8	Joseph Nicholas Thomas ...	1852	Pucka masonry, cement plaster.
9	George Scott ..	1844	Pucka masonry, sand-plaster and white-washing.
10	.....	...	Sand-rubbing, pucka masonry, whitewash changing face glass.
11	... ..		Only whitewashing.
12	John Robbert Carruthers ...	1831	Sand-plaster, petty mason's works and cornice.
13	John Donald ...	1872	Pucka masonry, soorky plaster and white-wash.
14	Harriette Catharine ...	...	Sand plaster and whitewashing.
15	.....	..	.. ...
16	.....	...	Filling up joints with cement, raising and resetting stones.
17	.....	...	Cement plaster in patches.
18	Bertrand Charles Abadie ...	1860	Pucka masonry, cement plaster, whitewashing and moudling cornice.
19	A. W. Baylis	1873	Sand plaster, whitewash, moulding cornice, pucka masonry.
20	.....	...	Pucka masonry, sand plaster, whitewash.
21	.....	...	Soorky beaten plaster, sand plaster, crack-repairing, sand-rubbing and whitewashing.
22	.....	....	Sand-rubbing, sand plaster, moulding cornice and whitewashing.
23	.....	...	Pucka masonry, sand plaster, whitewash.
24	.....	...	Ditto ditto.
25	.....	...	Soorky beaten plaster, sand plaster, sand-rubbing, whitewashing.
26	.....	...	Pucka masonry, sand plaster, soorky plaster and whitewashing.
27	.....	...	Ditto ditto.
28	... ..	...	Sand plaster, whitewashing and soorky plaster.
29	.....	...	Ditto ditto.
30	John Howard	1828	Ditto ditto.
31	Emma Hellen ...	1824	Pucka masonry, soorky plaster, sand-rubbing and whitewash.
32	Jane	1842	Soorky beaten plaster.
33	Charley L. Dyson ...	1889	Whitewashing only.
34	Guy	1885	Sand-rubbing, whitewashing.
35	.....	...	Sand plaster, whitewashing, soorky plaster, pucka masonry.
36	.....	...	Sand plaster, whitewashing.
37	V. Burgh	1833	Soorky beaten plaster, sand-rubbing, sand plaster and whitewashing.
38	Jane Ancelina Johnstone ...	1894	Sand plaster, pucka masonry and whitewashing.
39	James Thomas Macdonald ...	1867	Ditto, whitewashing and petty mason's work.

Consecutive. No.	NAME OF DECEASED.	Year of Death.	REMARKS.
40	Norman Alexander Cowan ...	1866	Soorky plaster, sand-rubbing and white-washing.
41	Henry James Barchard ...	1846	Sand plaster, whitewashing and moulding cornice.
42	.....	...	Soorky plaster, pucka masonry, sand plaster and whitewashing.
43	.....	...	Sand plaster, pucka masonry and whitewashing.
44	Henryetta Barry ...	1855	Sand plaster and whitewashing required.

J. T. BABONEAU, *Magistrate.*

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th August 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
211	Gaurinagar, pargana Bagowan.	Rs. A. P. 1,189 2 0		14a. 2g. 1c. 2kag share ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ganga Mani Brahmanya	Rs. A. P. 1,040 7 9	... ..	Rs. A. P. 1 14 9

Nadia Collectorate, the 9th July 1903

KEDAR NATH MUKERJI, Deputy Collector in charge.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 14th July 1903.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 70,68,703 10 10	1,70,11,578	9	6
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 99,42,874 14 8			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	7,70,23,200	4	10
Bank Post Bills, &c.	4,60,050	10	9
Sundries	17,74,634	0	2
Rupees ...	12,84,19,463	9	8

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,41,48,913	0	0
Other authorised investments	46,72,099	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	2,74,88,801	8	2
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	1,81,32,177	9	6
Bills discounted and purchased	1,66,04,423	6	11
Balances with other Banks	7,14,837	4	0
Bullion	1,263	9	7
Dead Stock *	18,08,515	11	9
Stamps	12,928	15	6
Sundries	11,82,194	14	9
	8,47,61,155	0	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... ... Rs. 2,02,91,556 9 8			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ,, 2,33,66,751 15 5	4,36,58,308	9	1
Rupees ...	12,84,19,463	9	

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,16,100 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 3,10,305 0 0
Rs. 4,26,405 0 0

By order of the Directors,

H. F. FRESHWATER,
Offg. Chief Accountant.

A. M. LINDSAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 45·35.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 16th July 1903.

(763—1)

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th July 1903.

PARTICULARS.	2½ per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—				GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1893-94.	Of 1900-1901.	Total.	Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1878.	Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.		
Balance of 26th June 1903	1,27,47,600	1,72,05,100	11,37,90,900	2,61,01,200	1,27,61,100	100	20,99,600	17,19,55,100	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	... 29,500	34,500		18,48,13,534
ADD—																				
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....		.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to July 1903 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....		...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 11th July 1903	10,000	12,900	18,700	2,900	5,500	.....	1,000	65,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....		75,200
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th July 1903 ...	.....	6,100	2,99,100	3,300	.....	.....	.....	3,08,500	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....		3,08,500
	1,27,57,600	1,72,23,200	11,41,08,700	2,61,32,600	1,27,66,600	100	21,00,600	17,23,31,800	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	... 29,500	34,500		18,51,97,234
DEDUCT—																				
Amount written off in the London registers ...	.....	98,200	11,42,400	2,91,400	2,500	.....	.....	15,31,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....		15,31,500
Balance on 15th July 1903	1,27,57,600	1,71,25,000	11,29,66,300	2,58,41,200	1,27,64,100	100	21,00,600	17,08,00,300	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	... 29,500	34,500		18,36,65,734

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th May 1903—Enfaced from India 11,189 lakhs; retransferred from London 10,693 lakhs.
" 16th May 1903 " 31st " " " " " 1 lakh " " " 1 lakh.
" 1st June " " 15th June " " " " " 1 " " " " 3 lakhs.
" 16th " " " 30th " " " " " 1 " " " " 6 "
" 1st July " " 15th July " " " " " 4 lakhs " " " 15 "

11,196 " 10,713 "

Balance against India 483 "

E. HILDRETH,
Superintendent.

A. M. LINDSAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 17th July 1903.

(765—1)

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION.

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1	Pound tin	Rs.	16,	or, post	free,	Rs.	16-8	
½	"	"	"	8	"	"	"	"	8-6.
¼	"	"	"	4	"	"	"	"	4-6.

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans. 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12 This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

Wanted

AT once by the District Board, Ranchi, a Sub-Overseer on a pay of Rs. 35 *plus* Rs. 15 horse allowance per mensem. The post is permanent. Candidates must be qualified under rule 7 (3) (*a*) of the Notification No. 3334L S.-G., Part IX, dated the 20th December 1901.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned by the 31st of July 1903.

A. E. HARWARD,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Ranchi.

Ranchi, the 9th July 1903. (724—2)

Wanted

AN Accountant and Head Clerk for two years for the office of the District Engineer, Saran, on a salary of Rs. 80 per month with prospect of being made permanent. No one need apply who has not passed the Accountantship Examination prescribed in the Public Works Department Code, Volume I, paragraph 242, and Appendix 2 (Eighth Edition), and has no experience of office work.

2. An Assistant Accountant and Cashier for the same office on a salary of Rs. 30 rising to Rs. 40 by biennial increments of Rs. 2.

3. Also a Correspondence Clerk. Salary Rs. 35 rising to Rs. 45 by biennial increments of Rs. 2.

Applications in applicants' own handwriting with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 28th July 1903.

J. F. GRAHAM,
Chairman, District Board, Saran.

Chapra, the 10th July 1903. (726—2)

SARAT CHANDRA LAHIRI intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court. (719—4—600)

BABU UDAY KUMAR DAS. B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (725—4—599)

NAGENDRA NATH GHOSE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court. (766—4—608)

WANTED two Apprentices for the Office of the Magistrate-Collector of Bogra. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination and cannot write a good hand. Copies of certificates of age and of moral character from the institution to which the candidates were last educated or from some responsible officer of Government should be furnished. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 26th July 1903.

RAMENDRA KRISHNA DEV, Collector.

Bogra Collectorate, the 3rd July 1903.

WANTED an Overseer for the Serampore Municipality. Must hold at least the qualifications of a Sub-Overseer in the Public Works Department; active and able to ride.

Pay according to ability. The pay of the present incumbent is Rs. 50 per mensem *plus* Rs. 15, conveyance allowance.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned on or before the 25th July 1903.

KISORILAL GOSWAMI, Chairman.

Serampore, the 9th July 1903. (716—2)

WANTED a Sub-Inspector of Schools for the District Board of Manbhum on a salary of Rs. 50 a month with travelling allowances at the rates specified in the Civil Service Regulations. The candidate should be qualified under the rules laid down in the Government Notification No. 486T.G., dated 2nd September 1899, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Applications, with necessary certificates, should reach the undersigned on or before the 25th July 1903.

SARAT CHANDRA SEN, Vice-Chairman.

Purulia, the 8th July 1903. (723—2)

WANTED a Second Clerk for the Deputy Commissioner's English Office, Palamau, on a salary of Rs. 30 a month with prospects of increase to Rs. 35. None need apply who have not passed at least the Entrance examination and have not experience in office work. The vacancy is at present for one year only, but there is every likelihood that the appointment will be a permanent one.

Applications with copies of testimonials should reach this office on or before the 30th instant.

JATINDRA NATH GUPTA, Deputy Collector,
for Deputy Commissioner.

Deputy Commr.'s Office, Palamau, the 15th July 1903.

Wanted

BY the District Board of Pabna a Sub-Inspector of Schools on a pay of Rs 50 per month with travelling allowance according to the Civil Service Regulations. Candidates must have the qualifications laid down by Government for such appointments. A Muhammadan will have preference.

Applications will be received up to the 28th July 1903.

A. H. CLAYTON, Chairman.

Pabna, the 10th July 1903. (758—1)

Notice.

CANDIDATES are invited for the post of the Accountant, Rangpur Treasury, on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 per month by annual increments of Rs. 2. The post has now fallen vacant for six months with every prospect of its being permanently vacant after that period. None need apply who has had no experience in the Treasury Accounts. Copies of testimonials are to be submitted with the application. Applications will be received up to the 31st July 1903.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Rangpur, the 3rd July 1903.

Corporation of Calcutta.

Declaration published under section 367 (5) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899 after confirmation by the Local Government.

THE Corporation of Calcutta hereby declare, having previously given notice of their intention so to declare, no objection having been received within three months from the publication of such notice and having received the report of the General Committee, that in all the streets and roads of Wards 7 and 12 the elevation and construction of the frontage of all masonry buildings thereafter erected or re-erected shall, in respect of their architectural features, be such as the General Committee may consider suitable to the locality.

R. T. GREER, Chairman.

Municipal Office, the 16th July 1903. (764—1)

Bank of Bengal.

NOTICE.

THE Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors and Shareholders of the Bank of Bengal will be held at the Bank on Monday, the 3rd proximo, at 10-15 A.M., for the transaction of the following business:—

I.—To receive the Directors' Report and the Audited Accounts up to 30th June 1903.

II.—To elect two Directors in the room of Mr. W. R. T. Aitken and Mr. J. C. Shorrock, who go out by rotation, but who are eligible for re-election.

III.—To elect two Auditors and to fix their remuneration.

By order of the Directors,

A. M. LINDSAY, Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, the 16th July 1903. (762—1)

Howrah Mills Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-sixth Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Share holders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 9 Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, the 14th August 1903, at 12 45 P.M., to receive the Directors' Report, pass the audited accounts to 30th June 1903, declare a dividend, and transact any other business that may be brought forward

Dividend warrants will be made out in favour of shareholders whose names are in the Company's books on the 30th July 1903.

The Share Transfer Register of the Company will be closed from Friday, the 31st July, to Friday, the 14th August 1903, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

ERNSTHAUSEN, LTD., Managing Agents.

Calcutta, the 17th July 1903. (768—3—609)

Sale of valuable Taluqs at Muzaffarpur and house at Burrabazar, Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION OF SALE.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court, Calcutta, in his sale-room in the said Court on Saturday, the 25th July 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon pursuant to the orders of the said Court made in suit No. 102 of 1899 (Baboo Rajaram and another *versus* Bissonath Prosad Mahata, Rameswur Narain Mahata and Purmessur Narain Mahata) and dated, respectively, the 18th November 1902 and 12th June 1903, the undermentioned immoveable properties belonging to the defendants:—

Lot No. 1.—All that lakhraj or revenue-free taluqs known as Baryarpore, Baryarpore Rudder, Atmapore, Bhuthna, Bazidpore, Pholadpore, together with all dependencies appertaining to Mahal Sunkersa, tappa Bhatsala, pargana Bisara, registration district Muzaffarpur and sub-district Muzaffarpur and Paru, thana Muzaffarpur and Paru, and being No. 6190., in the lakhiraj register of the Collector. The area is stated in the Decree in this suit to be 8295 acres 3 roods and 16 poles.

Lot No. 2.—No. 65 Banstolla Street in Calcutta, being a three-storied brick-built dwelling-house with the piece of land on part whereof the same is erected or built containing by estimation 16 cottahs 11 chitaks and 35 square feet more or less, being holding No. 54, block No XVIII, North Division, paying an annual rent of Rs. 2-15-3 to the Collector of Calcutta, and bounded on the south by Banstolla Street, on the east partly by the premises No. 64 Banstolla Street and partly by the temple of Poreshnathji, on the north by a narrow lane, and on the west by the premises No. 66 Banstolla Street.

Lot No. 2 is subject to a prior mortgage particulars of which are given in the abstract of title.

The abstracts of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of Messrs. Fox and Mandal, Solicitors for the plaintiffs, at No. 12 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, and will be produced at the sale.

Further particulars as to the properties may be had on application to Messrs. Fox and Mandal.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Fox and Mandal, Plaintiffs' Attorneys, High Court Original Side, the 17th July 1903.

(767—1—607)

Notification of sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court at Calcutta, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 1st day of August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and order of the said Court made in suit No. 34 of 1901 (Shaik Ebrahim *versus* Kadohonnessa Bibee), and dated, respectively, the 21st day of February 1902 and the 10th day of February 1903, the following property belonging to the defendant:—

All that 10 cottahs 5 chitaks and 9 square feet of land at No. 26 Taltolla Bazar Street, now No. 9-2 Gardner's Lane, in holding No. 230, block No. 2, South Division, in the town of Calcutta, and paying an annual revenue of Rs 2 1-3 to the Collectorate of Calcutta, and which was bounded formerly on the north by the land No. 29 Taltolla Bazar Street and the pucca one-storied building of Maulvi Majid, but at present partly by the premises No. 29 Taltolla Bazar Street and partly by municipal filled-up drain, on the east formerly by pucca building, No. 9-1 Gardner's Lane, and the rawati land, and one-storied building of Maulvi Doyan Mall, but at present partly by premises No. 9-1 Gardner's Lane and partly by premises Nos. 16 and 17 Serang's Lane, on the south by public road and the said pucca one-storied building, No. 9-1 Gardner's Lane, but at present by Gardner's Lane, and on the west partly by premises No. 9-3 Gardner's Lane and partly by premises No. 29 Taltolla Bazar Street and partly by Gardner's Lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar or at the office of Babu Gour Hari Mukherjee, Attorney for the plaintiff, at No. 4 Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Younan and Mukherjee, plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, the 16th day of June 1903.

(715—1—606)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to the decree and an order of the Calcutta High Court, made in suit No. 624 of 1901 (Poolin Behary Dutt *versus* Chadra Shetty Nagayya), and dated, respectively, the 2nd December 1901 and 22nd December 1902, by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 8th day of August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon—

All that upper-roomed brick-built premises No. 2 Kisto Laha's Lane, Holding No. 138 in Block No. VII, South Division of the town of Calcutta, containing by estimation 3 cottahs and 8 chitaks and 28 square feet, more or less, and paying an annual Government revenue of Re. 0-10-6 to the Collector of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by a public drain (now filled up), on the south partly by Kisto Laha's Lane and partly by the premises of Surrosothy Goopty, on the east partly by the tenanted land of Ramrutton Thacoor and partly by Surrosothy Goopty's house, and on the west by Thacoor Dass Mookerjee's house.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar or at No. 2 Hastings Street in the office of Babu Aushutosh Dhur, Attorney-at-Law, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

A. T. Dhur, Plaintiff's Attorney, No. 2 Hastings Strreet.

High Court, Original Side, the 22nd May 1903. (700—1—598)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree and order of the Calcutta High Court, Original Jurisdiction, made in suit No. 646 of 1901, wherein Jogini Mohan Chatterji is the plaintiff and Hemanginee Devi and another are the defendants, dated, respectively, the 30th January 1902 and 5th February 1903, by the Registrar of the said Court in its Original Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house, on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the following property belonging to the defendant, viz. :—

Lot No. 1.—No. 28 Haro Lall Mitter's Street (a one-storied, brick-built dwelling-house, formerly No. 24 Doorga Charan Mukherjee's Street), Bagbazar, Sootanooty, in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta, with land thereunto belonging, containing by measurement 13 cottahs 3 chitaks 26 square feet, and bounded on the north by Doorga Charan Mukherjee's Street, on the east by Haro Lall Mitter's Street, on the south partly by the house of Raj Chunder Bose and partly by the house of Debender Chunder Mukerjee, and on the west partly by the Thakurbari of the idol Radha Romonjee and partly by the land formerly belonging to Basanta Kumar Bonnerjee, but now belonging to Rakhal Chunder Dey.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar and at No. 1 Old Post Office Street, the office of Babu M. M. Chatterji, Attorney for the plaintiff, on any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

W. R FINK, Registrar.

M. M. Chatterji, plaintiff's Attorney.

Calcutta High Court, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, the 1st day of July 1903. (756—1—611)

Bank of Calcutta, Limited.

THE Ordinary Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Bank Office on Wednesday, the 5th August 1903, at noon, to receive the Directors' Report and the Accounts for the half-year ended 30th June 1903.

The Bank's Share Transfer Book will be closed from 21st July till 5th August 1903, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

J. C. SPEIRS,
Acting Agent.

Calcutta, the 18th July 1903. (717—1—610)

Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 014743 of the 3½ per cent. of 1893-1894 for Rs. 100, originally standing in the name of Shamsagor Mookerjee, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made, or the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

SHAMSAGOR MOOKERJEE, Utarparah, district Hooghly.

Utarparah, the 18th June 1903. (662—3—589)

In the Court of the Second Subordinate Judge of Muzaffarpur.

TITLE CASE No. 20 OF 1903.

Mahanth Siva Narain Dass, plaintiff, *versus* Secretary of State for India in Council and others, defendants.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 30 OF THE CIVIL PROCEDURE CODE.

WHEREAS Mahanth Siva Narain Dass, of village Busuara, pargana Hati, district Darbhanga, has brought a suit against the Secretary of State for India and others, making the inhabitants of villages Bhowara, Sherpurhati and Sumhuara, pargana Hati, district Darbhanga, defendants, for declaration of his right to a *band* in village Busuara, pargana Hati, district Darbhanga, and for damages on account of loss caused by the cutting of the said *band* and for restoring the same to its original condition, praying for perpetual injunction restraining the defendants from cutting the same or otherwise interfering with the same in future, in the Court of the Second Subordinate Judge, Muzaffarpur, being suit No. 20 of 1903; and whereas the following persons have been selected to represent the rest of the inhabitants of Mozas Bhowara, Sumhpara, and Sherpurhati, aforesaid, to wit, Koski Jha, Sant Lall Misser, Lall Gobind Sing of Sherpurhati, pargana Hati, district Darbhanga, Babu Lall Rout, Bhekha Rout, Rondi Rout, Jhumak Rout of Bhowara, pargana Hati, district Darbhanga, and Chatter Sing and Bunsi Sing of Sumhuara, pargana Hati, district Darbhanga, notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern to appear and show cause, if any, why such representation should not be permitted till the 7th of August 1903, which is fixed for the settlement of issues in the said suit.

PURNO CHANDRA DE,
Offg. Subordinate Judge.

Muzaffarpur, the 17th July 1903. (798—1)

ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE.

In the Second Court of the Subordinate Judge of Backergunge at Barisal.

OTHER EXECUTION CASE No. 41 OF 1903.

Gobinda Mohan Dass and others, decree-holders, *versus* Guru Charon Saha and others, judgment-debtors.

THE right, title and interest of the following properties will be sold by auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at 12 o'clock noon, on the 20th day of July 1903, at the ordinary sale place at Barisal for the realisation of Rs. 8,187-2 annas only:—

Three annas 10 gundas' share of taluq Bejoyram Saha, at an annual rental of Rs. 2,872, bearing tauzi No. 837 of the Khulna Collectorate, situate in mauzas Chak Chandipur, Badarpur, Kholpatua, Shikshmaraboonia, Chak Charbalepur and Chak Kalaron, etc.

A. N. MAJUMDAR, Subordinate Judge.

Barisal, the 13th July 1903. (759—1)

In the 3rd Court of the Subordinate Judge of Patna.

PRESENT:

Babu Jogendra Nath Deb, Rai Bahadur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 52 OF 1903.

Babu Thamman Lal *alias* Bodha Babu, of mahalla Kuche Bara, in the Patna city, decree-holder, *versus* Babus Mathura Prasad Singh, Janki Prasad Singh and Ram Rachheya Prasad Singh of mauza Bishunpur Pandooi, pargana Ikkil, district Gaya, judgment-debtors.

THE following properties of the above-named judgment-debtors shall be sold for recovery of Rs. 10,010-15-9 by the Nazir of the District Judge of Patna in the sale room of that Court on the 17th August 1903 at 12 o'clock noon:—

No. 1.—Twelve annas' proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in mauza Shekhopur Indant, *urf* Mayi, pargana Beswak, district Patna, bearing tauzi No. 230 and sadar jama Rs. 1,067-11-9—valued at Rs 5,000.

No. 2.—Fourteen annas 2½ dams' proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in mauza Shekhopur Indant, *urf* Kauria Bigha, pargana Beswak, district Patna, bearing tauzi No. 232 and sadar jama Rs. 80-4-3—valued at Rs. 1,000.

JOGENDRA NATH DEB, Sub-Judge, 3rd Court, Patna.

Bankipur, the 15th July 1903. (770—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Isaac Saul Saul, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 24th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Hirendra Nath Dutt, Attorney. (730—2)

In the matter of Beni Madhub Bannerjee, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 22nd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Manuel and Agurwallah, Attorneys. (731—2)

In the matter of Brojodullov Sing, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 30th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Troyluckho Nath Bose, Attorney. (732—2)

In the matter of Ram Deb Augurwallah, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 19th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Sarut Kumar Sirkar, Attorney. (733—2)

In the matter of NETYE CHAND CHUNDER, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 17th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Prannath Paul, Attorney. (734—2)

In the matter of EDWARD HANSON, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 15th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (735—2)

In the matter of SARODA PROSAD BANNERJEE, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of June last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of the adjudication of the said insolvent.

Preonath Sen, Attorney. (736—2)

In the matter of RAJARAM and RAMCOOMAR, insolvents.

On Thursday, the 25th day of June last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day the said insolvents be discharged personally as well as to their after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvents at the time of the filing of their petition for relief.

Sasi Sekhar Banerjee, Attorney. (737—2)

Chief Clerk's Office, the 13th day of July 1903.

In the matter of HORACE GABRIEL HEIMAN, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 29th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. A. Smith, Attorney. (771—2)

In the matter of DONALD MALCOLM GASPER, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 6th day of July instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (772—2)

In the matter of ALEXANDER DEMETRIUS KYRILLOS, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 8th day of July instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (773—2)

In the matter of PULIN BEHARY BISWAS, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 28th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. D. Dutt and Gupta, Attorneys. (774—2)

In the matter of MOTTY LALL, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 30th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. S. Bannerjee, Attorney. (775—2)

In the matter of AMRITA LALL BOSE, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Anil Nath Bose, Attorney. (776—2)

In the matter of MADHUBRAM GUNRATEE, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 13th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said

insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Radhika Nath Ganguly, Attorney. (777—2)

In the matter of GIRENDRA KUMAR BOSE and RAJENDRA KUMAR BOSE, insolvents.

On Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvents in person. (778—2)

In the matter of FRANCIS ARTHUR ARRIDGE, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. A. Longmuir, Attorney. (779—2)

In the matter of SAIK DHOLU SERANG, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Prannauth Paul, Attorney. (780—2)

In the matter of KANAYE LALL AUGURWALLAH, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 28th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Sen, Attorney. (781—2)

In the matter of JOHN CHARLES MORLAND SKINNER, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 6th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (782—2)

In the matter of GEORGE ARGYRIOS GEORGIADI, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of June last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of an against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (783—2)

In the matter of CHOYTUN CHURN COONDOO, BANI MADHAB COONDOO, ABHOY CHURN COONDOO, AKSHAY KUMAR COONDOO and KORALI CHURN KUNDU, insolvents.

On Monday, the 25th day of May last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said insolvents be discharged personally as well as to their after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvents at the time of the adjudication of the said insolvents.

N. C. Bose, Attorney. (784—2)

In the matter of SARODA PROSAD BONNERJEE, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 3rd day of March last, by an order of this Court, the said insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, as to all persons named in his Schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

P. N. Sen, Attorney.

Morgan & Co., Attorneys. (785—1)

In the matter of DONALD MALCOLM GASPER, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 27th day of July instant, at the hour of half-past 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid."

Insolvent in person. (786—1)

In the matter of SREENATH SETT, PURNA CHUNDER SET, DAMODAR SETT, and HARIPADO SETT, insolvents.

On Saturday, the 13th day of June last, it was specially ordered that this matter be set down for hearing on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, with liberty to the said insolvents at the said hearing to apply that the order of adjudication made in this matter on the 10th day of June 1898 be annulled, and that the vesting order made thereon be discharged.

N. C. Roy, Attorney.

A. K. Thakur, Attorney.

Bonnerjee and Haldar, Attorneys. (787—1)

In the matter of HORACE GABRIEL HEIMAN, of No. 162, Lower Circular Road, in the town of Calcutta, at present an Assistant in the employ of the Great Eastern Hotel Company, Limited, of Nos. 1 to 3, Old Court House Street, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 29th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

C. A. Smith, Attorney. (788—1)

In the matter of DONALD MALCOLM GASPER, residing at the Marlborough Hotel, No. 41, Bentinck Street, in the town of Calcutta, unemployed, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the

6th day of July instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (789—1)

In the matter of ALEXANDER DEMETRIUS KYRILLOS residing at No. 3, Council House Street, in Calcutta and carrying on business as a Hotel Proprietor at No. 3, Council House Street aforesaid, and lately carrying on busines as a dealer in cigarettes at No. 3, Council House Street, aforesaid, a trader, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 8th day of July instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (790—1)

In the matter of PULIN BEHARY BISWAS, residing at No. 20, Brojo Doolal Street, in Calcutta, a gomastah in the employ of the Central India Lime Stone Company at No. 45, Strand Road, in Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 28th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. D. Dutt and Gupta, Attorneys. (791—1)

In the matter of AMRITA LAL BOSE, residing at No. 2 Ram Mohan Saha's Lane, in the town of Calcutta without any employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 11th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Anilnath Bose, Attorney. (792—1)

In the matter of MADHUBRAM GUZRATEE, formerly carried on business in piece-goods at Nos 27, Puggyaputty, and 49, Banstolla Street, under the name, style and firm of Madan Lal Luchminarain, and afterwards Madhubram Guzratee Luchminarain, late of No. 8, Shib Kristo Dawn's Lane, Jorasanko, in the town of Calcutta, but now a prisoner in the Presidency Jail, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 13th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Radhica Nath Ganguly, Attorney. (793—1)

In the matter of GIRINDRA KUMAR BOSE, late a clerk in the service of MRS. R. E. MORGAN, and at present no employment, and RAJENDRA KUMAR BOSE, at present no employment, both at present residing at No. 13, Labootollah Lane, in the town of Calcutta, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvents in person. (794—1)

In the matter of FRANCIS ARTHUR ARRIDGE, a European British subject in the employ of the East Indian Railway Company, Assistant Station Master at the Howrah Station in Bengal, residing at No. 2, Fenwick's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

J. A. Longmuir, Attorneys. (795—1)

In the matter of SHAIK DHOLU SERANG, residing at No. 26, Market Street, in the town of Calcutta, and employed as a serang on board a steamer attached to the Calcutta Custom Houses, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Prannauth Paul, Attorney. (796—1)

In the matter of JOHN CHARLES MORLAND SKINNER, of No. 11-1, Marquis Street, in the town of Calcutta, latley attached to the Bengal Pilot Service, and for the past three years out of employ, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 6th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 20th day of July 1903. (797—1)

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 17th July 1903.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings.		Remarks.
		Ft.	in.	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	7	3	
	Thence to Geriah ...	8	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	7	0	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	4	0	Berhampore.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	3	3	Mirzapore.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	4	6	Bhorurbati.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	8	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	7	0	Akriganj.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	7	0	Kholsagari.
	Thence to Patkabari	8	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	7	6	Jatpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	5	0	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	5	3	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	4	6	Dharmodaha.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	5	3	Kadipur.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	7	0	Mahesahpur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengunj and Hanskhali ...	7	0	Ganja.

insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Radhika Nath Ganguly, Attorney. (777—2)

In the matter of GIRENDRA KUMAR BOSE and RAJENDRA KUMAR BOSE, insolvents.

On Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvents in person. (778—2)

In the matter of FRANCIS ARTHUR ARRIDGE, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. A. Longmuir, Attorney. (779—2)

In the matter of SAIK DHOLU SERANG, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Prannauth Paul, Attorney. (780—2)

In the matter of KANAYE LALL AUGURWALLAH, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 28th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Sen, Attorney. (781—2)

In the matter of JOHN CHARLES MORLAND SKINNER, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 6th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (782—2)

In the matter of GEORGE ARGYRIOS GEORGIADI, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of June last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of an against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (783—2)

In the matter of CHOYTUN CHURN COONDOO, BANI MADHAB COONDOO, ABHOY CHURN COONDOO, AKSHAY KUMAR COONDOO and KORALI CHURN KUNDU, insolvents.

On Monday, the 25th day of May last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said insolvents be discharged personally as well as to their after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvents at the time of the adjudication of the said insolvents.

N. C. Bose, Attorney. (784—2)

In the matter of SARODA PROSAD BONNERJEE, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 3rd day of March last, by an order of this Court, the said insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, as to all persons named in his Schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

P. N. Sen, Attorney.

Morgan & Co., Attorneys. (785—1)

In the matter of DONALD MALCOLM GASPER, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 27th day of July instant, at the hour of half-past 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid."

Insolvent in person. (786—1)

In the matter of SREENATH SETT, PURNA CHUNDER SET, DAMODAR SETT, and HARIPADO SETT, insolvents.

On Saturday, the 13th day of June last, it was specially ordered that this matter be set down for hearing on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, with liberty to the said insolvents at the said hearing to apply that the order of adjudication made in this matter on the 10th day of June 1898 be annulled, and that the vesting order made thereon be discharged.

N. C. Roy, Attorney.

A. K. Thakur, Attorney.

Bonnerjee and Haldar, Attorneys. (787—1)

In the matter of HORACE GABRIEL HEIMAN, of No. 162, Lower Circular Road, in the town of Calcutta, at present an Assistant in the employ of the Great Eastern Hotel Company, Limited, of Nos. 1 to 3, Old Court House Street, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 29th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

C. A. Smith, Attorney. (788—1)

In the matter of DONALD MALCOLM GASPER, residing at the Marlborough Hotel, No. 41, Bentinck Street, in the town of Calcutta, unemployed, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the

6th day of July instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (789—1)

In the matter of ALEXANDER DEMETRIUS KYRILLOS' residing at No. 3, Council House Street, in Calcutta and carrying on business as a Hotel Proprietor at No. 3, Council House Street aforesaid, and lately carrying on busines as a dealer in cigarettes at No. 3, Council House Street, aforesaid, a trader, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 8th day of July instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (790—1)

In the matter of PULIN BEHARY BISWAS, residing at No. 20, Brojo Doolal Street, in Calcutta, a gomastah in the employ of the Central India Lime Stone Company at No. 45, Strand Road, in Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 28th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. D. Dutt and Gupta, Attorneys. (791—1)

In the matter of AMRITA LAL BOSE, residing at No. 2 Ram Mohan Saha's Lane, in the town of Calcutta without any employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 11th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Anilnath Bose, Attorney. (792—1)

In the matter of MADHUBRAM GUZRATEE, formerly carried on business in piece-goods at Nos 27, Puggyaputty, and 49, Banstolla Street, under the name, style and firm of Madan Lal Luchminarain, and afterwards Madhubram Guzratee Luchminarain, late of No. 8, Shib Kristo Dawn's Lane, Jorasanko, in the town of Calcutta, but now a prisoner in the Presidency Jail, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 13th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Radhica Nath Ganguly, Attorney. (793—1)

In the matter of GIRINDRA KUMAR BOSE, late a clerk in the service of MRS. R. E. MORGAN, and at present no employment, and RAJENDRA KUMAR BOSE, at present no employment, both at present residing at No. 13, Labootollah Lane, in the town of Calcutta, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvents in person. (794—1)

In the matter of FRANCIS ARTHUR ARRIDGE, a European British subject in the employ of the East Indian Railway Company, Assistant Station Master at the Howrah Station in Bengal, residing at No. 2, Fenwick's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

J. A. Longmuir, Attorneys. (795—1)

In the matter of SHAIK DHOLU SERANG, residing at No. 26, Market Street, in the town of Calcutta, and employed as a serang on board a steamer attached to the Calcutta Custom Houses, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Prannauth Paul, Attorney. (796—1)

In the matter of JOHN CHARLES MORLAND SKINNER, of No. 11-1, Marquis Street, in the town of Calcutta, latley attached to the Bengal Pilot Service, and for the past three years out of employ, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 6th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 20th day of July 1903. (797—1)

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 17th July 1903.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings.		Remarks.
		Ft.	in.	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	7	3	
	Thence to Geriah ...	8	0	Mominfola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	7	0	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	4	0	Berhampore.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	3	3	Mirzapore.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	4	6	Bhorurbati.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	8	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	7	6	Akriganj.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	7	6	Kholsagari.
	Thence to Patkabari	8	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	7	6	Jalpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	5	0	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	5	3	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	4	6	Dharmofaha.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	5	3	Kadipur.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	7	0	Moheshpur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kusenganj and Hanskhali ...	7	0	Ganja.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	REMARKS.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj ...	18-7-1903	6	9 83	77 83	Rising.
	Rampur Boalia ...	17-7-1903	12	7 25	40·25	,,
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah ..	18-7-1903	7	...	58·65	,,
	Entrance of Bhyrab, Jalangi, Akriganj ...	18-7-1903	7	...	46 60	,,
	Entrance of Mathabhanga	16-7-1903	...	7 83	...	,,
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	18-7-1903	...	...	54·00	,,
	Berhampore ...	19-7-1903	10	8 25	42·00	,,
	Katwa ...	16-7-1903	6	7·85	23·01	Falling.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	17-7-1903	...	6·50	...	,,
	Sarupganj ...	17-7-1903	12	...	9·70	,,
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ..	17-7-1903	...	7·40	...	Rising.

S. S. PAUL,
Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 20th July 1903.

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	23rd July	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	22nd ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
*Australasian Colonies ...	27th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	24th ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *A. Apear.*
Burma	23rd ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	25th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	25th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	27th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte, and Nossi-Be.*	22nd ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *India* from Colombo.
Port Blair	25th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.
South Africa (letters) ...	22nd ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Pongola* from Colombo.
Ditto (parcels) ...	22nd ,,	,, 5	Per steamer *Pongola* from Colombo.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the last safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.

For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.

For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.

For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.

For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore. *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.

For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.

For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.

For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

For Midnapore, Orissa and the Madras Presidency, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M.

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CALCUTTA G. P. O.,
The 21st July 1903.

JOHN OWENS,
Presidency Postmaster.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 1903.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

In exercise of the power conferred by Rule 34 of the Rules for the Conduct of the Legislative Business of the Bengal Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following Bill, which it is proposed to introduce in the said Council, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons.

THE BENGAL SETTLED ESTATES BILL, 1903.

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[Explanation of references in square brackets on margin :—
"U. P. Act II of 1900" means the Oudh Settled Estates Act, 1900.
"Bill of 1893" means the Indian Perpetuities Bill, 1893.
"B. I Bill of 1893" means the Indian Perpetuities Bill, 1893, as revised by the British Indian Association.]

A
BILL
TO

FACILITATE THE FAMILY SETTLEMENT OF ESTATES IN BENGAL.

WHEREAS it is expedient to facilitate the making of family settlements of estates in Bengal;

And whereas the Bengal Land Revenue Sales Act, 1859, and the Transfer of Property Act, 1882, having been passed by the Governor General of India in Council, the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained, under section 5 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, to the passing of this Act; XI of 1859. IV of 1882. 55 & 56 Vict., c. 14.

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title and extent.

1. This Act may be called The Bengal Settled Estates Act, 1903, and it extends to the whole of Bengal.

Definitions

2. (1) In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(a) "estate" includes immoveable property, money and any jewellery or other moveable property which should, in the opinion of the Local Government, be treated as heirlooms;

(b) "settled estate" means an estate in respect of which a settlement made under this Act is for the time being in force; [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 12.]

(c) "settlor" or "first tenant for life" means the person who makes a settlement under this Act;

(d) "second tenant for life" means the person appointed by a settlement made under this Act to succeed to a settled estate on the death of the first tenant for life;

(e) "tenant for life" means a first or second tenant for life;

(f) "son," in the case of anyone whose personal law permits adoption, includes an adopted son; and [Ben. Act I of 1859, s. 3, cl. (49).]

(g) "incumbrance" includes any charge, debt, demand or claim. [U. P Act II of 1900, s. 6, prov.]

(2) A person shall be deemed, for the purposes of this Act, to be "competent to contract" if he is of the age of majority according to the law to which he is subject, and is of sound mind and is not disqualified from contracting by any law to which he is subject. [Act IX of 1872, s. 11; U. P. Act II of 1900, s 2.]

(3) All words and expressions used in this Act, which are defined in the Transfer of Property Act, 1882, shall have the same meaning as in that Act. [Bill of 1893, cl. 2.] IV of 1882.

Application for permission to settle an estate

3. Any landholder who— [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 3.]

(a) is competent to contract, and

(b) has a permanent, heritable and transferable right in an estate, and

(c) is in possession of such estate,

may apply to the Local Government for permission to make a settlement of such estate or any portion thereof under this Act.

Power to reject application.

4. The Local Government may, in its discretion, by written order, reject any such application, either summarily or after any inquiry which it may think proper to make. [U. P Act II of 1900, s. 4.]

Notification as to application.

5. If any application made under section 3 is not rejected under section 4; and if the Local Government is satisfied that the applicant fulfils the conditions specified in clauses (a), (b) and (c) [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 5.]

of section 3, the Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, publish a notification—

(*a*) stating the purport of the application;

(*b*) calling upon all persons, having or entitled to incumbrances enforceable against the applicant or the estate or portion of the estate to which the application relates, to send to the Local Government written notice of such incumbrances within a period of six months from the date of the notification, and

(*c*) intimating that any objections to the proposed settlement, whether urged by incumbrancers or by other persons interested in the estate, which may be communicated to the Local Government in writing within the said period, will be duly considered.

Rejection or approval of application after notification.

6. At any time after the expiration of the said period, and after considering any notices and objections received under section 5, and after such inquiry (if any) as it may think fit to make, the Local Government may, in its discretion, by written order, either— [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 6.]

(*a*) reject such application, or

(*b*) grant permission to make the proposed settlement, in respect either of the whole of the property to which the application relates or of any part thereof:

Provided that, if any incumbrances referred to in clause (*b*) of section 5 have been brought to the notice of the Local Government, such permission shall not be granted without the written consent of all persons having or entitled to the benefit of such incumbrances, unless—

(*i*) the incumbrances are first discharged, or

(*ii*) a condition is made for the insertion in the settlement of provisions, to be approved by the Local Government, for the discharge of the incumbrances, or

(*iii*) the Local Government is satisfied that the persons having or entitled to the benefit of the incumbrances would not be prejudiced by the grant of such permission.

Settlement of estates for three generations.

7. Every settlement made under this Act in respect of any estate shall provide that the estate shall be held by the settlor for his life, and thereafter by the eldest or only son of the settlor for his life, and thereafter by the eldest or only son of such son absolutely:

Provided that, if the settlor desires to exclude his eldest or only son from holding the estate, on the ground of proved incapacity or defect of character, the Local Government may permit him to provide that the estate shall, after his own life, be held by any other son of the settlor for his life, and thereafter by the eldest or only son of such son absolutely.

Further remainders.

8. Every settlement made under this Act shall also contain provisions for vesting the estate in some other person or persons in the event of the gift to the second tenant for life or his son failing to take effect.

Further provisions in settlements.

9. (*1*) Every settlement made under this Act shall specify all incumbrances referred to in clause (*b*) of section 5 which have been brought to the notice of the Local Government.

(*2*) Every such settlement shall also contain such provisions as may be approved by the Local Government with regard to the following matters, namely:—

(*a*) the discharge of incumbrances on the estate, and the payment of interest thereon;

(*b*) the maintenance of the widows, unmarried daughters and relatives (other than the second tenant for life) of the settlor;

(The Bengal Settled Estates Bill.—Sections 10-12.)

(*c*) the management of the estate after the decease of the settlor and during the minority of the second tenant for life;

(*d*) the management of the estate after the decease of the second tenant for life and during the minority of the next successor.

(*3*) If any settlement made under this Act comprises money or moveable property, the settlement shall contain such provisions as may be approved by the Local Government for vesting such money or property in a trustee and for the investment of such money in securities authorised by section 20 of the Indian Trusts Act, 1882. II of 1882

(*4*) In addition to the various matters hereinbefore specified, the Local Government may require the insertion in any settlement made under this Act of any provision which it may think fit, and may make its approval of the settlement conditional on such insertion. [Bill of 1893, cl. 6 (3).]

Supplementary settlements and fresh settlements.

10. (*1*) At any time after a settlement has been made under this Act a tenant for life may, if he is competent to contract, apply to the Local Government for permission— [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 7.]

(*a*) to make a supplementary settlement for the purpose of adding to the settled estate any further property in which he has a permanent, heritable and transferable right, and of which he is in possession; or

(*b*) to make a fresh settlement of the estate, in supersession of the former settlement.

(*2*) The provisions of sections 4, 5 and 6 shall apply to all applications for permission to make a supplementary settlement.

(*3*) When an application for permission to make a fresh settlement is received, the Local Government may, in its discretion, after such inquiry (if any) as it may think fit to make, by written order, either—

(*i*) reject such application, or

(*ii*) grant permission to make the proposed settlement, in respect either of the whole of the property to which the application relates or of any part thereof.

Form, publication and duration of permission.

11. (*1*) Every permission granted under any of the foregoing sections shall be in writing signed by one of the Secretaries to the Local Government, and shall contain a description of the property or person in respect of which the permission is granted, sufficient to identify the same. [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 9.]

(*2*) Every such permission shall be published by notification, and shall remain in force until the expiry of twelve months from the date of the notification, or until the death of the applicant, whichever first happens.

Approval stamping and registration of settlements.

12. (*1*) No settlement made under this Act shall take effect unless the instrument of settlement— [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 10.]

(*a*) is of a non-testamentary character,

(*b*) is attested by two or more witnesses,

(*c*) has been approved by the Local Government before execution, and the fact of such approval having been given is certified on the instrument by one of the Secretaries to the Local Government, *Ib*

(*d*) is stamped as provided in sub-section (*2*), and

(*e*) is registered within three months after the said approval has been certified as aforesaid. *Ib*

(*2*) Every such instrument shall bear a stamp of a value equivalent to one-fourth of the annual net profits of the estate comprised in the settlement:

Provided that a stamp of one-third of such value may be affixed, with the previous sanction of the Board of Revenue, on arrangements being made to its satisfaction for the affixing of stamps for the rest of such value at subsequent dates within three years from the date of the instrument.

(The Bengal Settled Estates Bill.—Sections 13-18.)

(3) If any question arises, with reference to sub-section (2), as to the amount of the annual net profits of any estate, the decision of the Board of Revenue thereon shall be final.

(4) Subject to the foregoing provisions of this section, every such instrument shall take effect from the date of its registration. [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 13 (2).]

Notification of instruments of settlement.

13. When any instrument of settlement is registered, the registering-officer shall report the fact to the Local Government; and, on receipt of such report, the Local Government shall publish a notification stating the purport of the instrument and the office in which it has been registered. [Bill of 1893, cl. 4 (7).]

Abrogation of inconsistent laws.

14. No settlement duly made under this Act shall be liable to be avoided or set aside, and no provision therein shall be invalidated, by reason only that it contravenes—

(a) any provision of the Transfer of Property Act, 1882, or IV of 1882.

(b) any law or rule for the time being in force for the prevention of perpetuities, or

(c) any family custom or any personal law or law of succession to which the family is subject.

Revocation of settlement by tenant for life.

15. (1) A tenant for life of a settled estate may, at any time, if he is competent to contract, apply to the Local Government for permission to revoke, either wholly or as respects any particular property, any settlement made under this Act. [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 8.]

(2) The Local Government, after considering the application, and the result of any inquiry made by it or under its orders, and any further particulars or information called for by it, may, in its discretion, by written order, either—

(a) reject the application, or

(b) grant the permission applied for, or

(c) grant permission to revoke the settlement as respects such property only as may be specified in the order.

Cancellation or amendment of settlement by Local Government.

16. (1) Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the Local Government may at any time declare by notification that any settlement made under this Act in respect of a settled estate shall be deemed— [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 14.]

(a) to be cancelled, or

(b) to be amended so as to exclude any portion of the estate described in the notification.

(2) On the publication of such notification the said settlement shall be deemed to be cancelled or amended as aforesaid, as the case may be.

Restrictions on alienation by tenant for life.

17. Except as provided in sections 18 and 19, a tenant for life of a settled estate shall not be entitled to sell, transfer, dispose of, alienate or convey, or to create any incumbrance upon, or to lease, the estate or any part thereof, or any of the profits thereof, for any greater interest or time than during his life. [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 15.]

Sales by tenant for life.

18. A tenant for life of a settled estate may, with the previous written consent of the Local Government, sell the estate or any portion thereof: [B. I. Bill of 1898, s. 4 (2).]

Provided that the proceeds of every such sale shall be paid either—

(a) to the Official Trustee, if a deed be executed, in pursuance of section 8 of the Official Trustees Act, 1864, appointing him to be the trustee of such proceeds, or XVII of 1864.

(b) if the Local Government so directs, to the Collector or to some other public servant,

to be held by him in trust to re-invest the same, with the previous written consent of the Local Government, in immoveable property, which shall, upon such re-investment, be and remain subject to the settlement in like manner, as if it had been originally comprised therein.

(The Bengal Settled Estates Bill.—Sections 19-22.)

Leases by tenant for life.

19. (*1*) A tenant for life of a settled estate may lease the estate or any part thereof from year to year or for any term not exceeding seven years, or (with the previous written consent of the Collector) for any term not exceeding fourteen years, or (with the previous sanction of the Local Government) for any longer term. [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 16.]

(*2*) No premium or fine shall be taken on any such lease except with the previous written consent of the Collector.

(*3*) When any premium or fine is so taken, the sum received shall be paid—

(*a*) to the trustee appointed in pursuance of section 9, sub-section (*3*), or

(*b*) if the settlement does not comprise money or moveable property, to a trustee to be appointed for the purpose;

and shall be held by such trustee as part of the settled estate, and shall be invested by him in securities authorized by section 20 of the Indian Trusts Act, 1882. II of 1882.

(*4*) In respect of every such lease the best rent shall be reserved that can reasonably be obtained, and the rent shall be payable quarterly.

(*5*) No payment of any instalment of such rent made before it falls due shall operate to the prejudice of any successor in interest of the persons to whom the payment is made.

Saving of laws as to agricultural tenancies.

20. Nothing in sections 17, 18 and 19 shall affect the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, or any other law relating to agricultural tenancies. [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 19.] VIII of 1885.

Sale of settled estate for arrears of land-revenue, &c.

21. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Bengal Land Revenue Sales Act, 1859, or any other law, no settled estate or part of a settled estate shall, without the previous sanction of the Local Government, be sold, during the life of any tenant for life thereof for an arrear of land-revenue or for any other arrear which is recoverable in the same manner as an arrear of land-revenue. [Ben. Act IX of 1879, s. 23, cl. 1.] XI of 1859.

(*2*) If any settled estate or part of a settled estate be sold with the sanction required by sub-section (*1*), the resulting surplus shall be dealt with in the manner described in the proviso to section 18; and if the estate or any part thereof be purchased at the sale by the tenant for life, or by any person on his behalf, the same shall, notwithstanding the sale, continue to be subject to the settlement.

Procedure for recovery of such arrears.

22. (*1*) If any such arrear accrues in respect of a settled estate during the life of any tenant for life thereof, and if the sale of the estate or part thereof for the recovery of the arrear is not sanctioned by the Local Government under section 21, the Collector may attach the estate, [Ben. Act IX of 1879, s. 23 (*3*).]

and shall thereupon be entitled, to the exclusion of all other persons, to receive all rents and other moneys (if any) due to such tenant in respect of such estate,

and may manage the estate, either directly or through a manager, for such period as may be necessary for the recovery of such arrear.

(*2*) Upon the expiration of the period referred to in sub-section (*1*), the Collector shall deduct from the proceeds of the management the amount of the said arrear and of any similar arrears that may have accrued during such period, and any interest due thereon, and the expenses incurred in the management, and shall then— [Ben. Act IX of 1879, s. 23, prov.]

(*a*) pay the balance of such proceeds to the person then entitled to hold the estate, and

(*b*) furnish such person with an account of the receipts and expenditure during the management, and

(*c*) release the estate to such person.

(*The Bengal Settled Estates Bill.—Sections 23, 24.*)

(*3*) If, after a settled estate held by a tenant for life has been managed and released by the Collector under sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*), any such arrear as aforesaid again accrues in respect of the estate during the life of the same tenant, and if the sale of the estate or part thereof for the recovery of the arrear is not sanctioned by the Local Government under section 21,

the Court of Wards may take charge of and deal with the estate under the provisions of the Court of Wards Act, 1879; and shall, notwithstanding anything contained in that Act, retain such charge until the death of such tenant and, if his successor is then a minor, until such minor attains his majority; Ben. Act IX of 1879.

and the said tenant shall, from the date when the Court of Wards so takes charge of the estate, and during his life, be debarred from receiving any income from the estate other than such monthly sum as the Court of Wards may allow for the support of himself and his family;

and the powers conferred by sections 18 and 19 of this Act shall, during the life of the said tenant, be exercisable by the Court of Wards and not by the said tenant.

Notifications how to be published.

23. Every notification prescribed by this Act shall be published in the Calcutta Gazette and also in such Vernacular Gazettes (if any) as the Local Government may direct. [U. P. Act II of 1900, ss. 5, 9, (3), 13 (3), 14.]

Power to make rules.

24. (*1*) The Local Government may, after previous publication, make rules for carrying out the purposes of this Act. [U. P. Act II of 1900, s. 20.]

(*2*) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing provision, the Local Government may make rules for all or any of the following matters, namely:—

(*a*) the procedure to be followed in submitting an application to the Local Government under this Act;

(*b*) the form and contents of such applications, and the documents (if any) which should accompany them;

(*c*) the guidance of the Collector in managing estates attached under section 22;

(*d*) the payment or recovery of any expenses incurred by the Government in connection with any proceedings taken under this Act.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE desirability of undertaking legislation for the family settlement of immoveable property in Bengal, with the object of preserving old or wealthy families from decay, maintaining their territorial influence, and preventing the subdivision of estates of historical and political importance, has long been under the consideration of Government. After a prolonged discussion of the matter between the Government of India, the Bengal Government and some of the leading Associations of landholders and individuals most closely concerned, sanction has been obtained for the introduction of a Bill in the Local Legislative Council, subject to the approval of His Majesty's Secretary of State for India.

2. The object of the Bill is to make provision in special cases approved by Government for preserving the continuity of noble and influential families whose estates are not protected by the existing law from division on the decease of the proprietor.

3. The principal provisions of the Bill are as follows:—

(*a*) Any qualified landholder may apply for permission to make a settlement of his estate under the Act, but it will be in the absolute discretion of Government to accept or reject such application (clauses 3 and 4).

(*b*) Provision is made for the notification of applications under the Act, for the consideration of objections, and for the discharge of incumbrances (clauses 5 and 6).

(*c*) Settlement is limited to three generations, including the settlor. If the eldest or only son is excluded, good reasons must be shown and must be approved by Government (clause 7).

(*d*) The settlement must provide for the maintenance of widows, unmarried daughters, and other relations of the settlor (clause 9).

(*e*) Settlements must be of a non-testamentary character, and must be attested and registered (clause 12).

(*f*) Instruments of settlement will be subject to a stamp duty equivalent to ¼th of the annual net profits of the estates settled. The Board of Revenue may allow realisation of this stamp duty to be spread over a period not exceeding three years (clause 12).

(*g*) A settlement may be revoked with the consent of Government (clause 15).

(*h*) Alienations and leases by the tenant for life are restricted (clauses 17 and 19). Sales may be made only with the previous consent of Government, and sale proceeds must be paid to the Official Trustee or District officer in order to be re-invested in immoveable property which will be subject to the conditions of the original settlement (clause 18).

(*i*) The sanction of Government will be required to the sale under Act XI of 1859 of settled estates for arrears of land revenue or other arrears recoverable as arrears of land revenue (clause 21).

CALCUTTA;
The 21st July, 1903.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council and
Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 1903.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 245.

[Second Publication.]

Errata.

In paragraph 2, line 2 of Notice to Mariners No. 87, dated 7th March 1903, *for* "224 miles" *read* "22·4 miles."

In line 4 of Notice to Mariners No. 129, dated 21st April 1903, *for* "distance 3 feet" *read* "distance 3 miles."

E. J. Beaumont, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Published for general information.

W. A. Inglis,
Secretary, Marine Department.

Calcutta, *the 9th July 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 246.

[Second Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong coast.

Kurnafulli river—Depth of water found in the channels.

The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the river channel by soundings taken on the 8th July and reduced to zero:—

	Ft.	In.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	12	0
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	10	6
Batten beacon on pillar on hill	11	0
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on ball and cross	16	0
Track No. 4—Guptakhali crossing—		
Triangle on diamond	17	0

E. J. Beaumont, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Published for general information.

W. A. Inglis,
Secretary, Marine Department.

Calcutta, *the 13th July 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 247.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Tellicherry light—Character altered.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 135, dated 22nd April 1903, issued by this office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No 34 of 1903) that the alteration to the light at Tellicherry as described therein was carried out and the light exhibited on the 1st June 1903.

It shows a group of 6 occultations of about 3½ seconds separated by light of about 5 seconds and followed by light of about 14 seconds duration.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827; and India, West Coast, Vizadrug to Cochin with the Laccadive Archipelago No. 2737.

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Port Officer of Calcutta.

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Secretary, Marine Department.

Calcutta, *the 13th July 1903.*

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 248.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, EAST—Coromandel coast.

Negapatam light—Character altered.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 64, dated 17th February 1903, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 36 of 1903) that the alteration to the light at Negapatam as described therein was carried out and the light exhibited on the 1st July 1903.

The light shows a group of four occultations of about 4½ seconds separated by light of about 7 seconds and followed by light of about 21 seconds duration.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Indian Ocean, Bay of Bengal, No. 70; also Bay of Bengal, West Coast, Coast of Coromandel, sheet IV, Madras to Point Calimere, No. 71; and India (sheet 3), East Coast, Cape Comorin to Cocanada, No. 828.

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INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Cannanore light—Character altered.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 134, dated the 22nd April 1903, issued by this office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 37 of 1903)

that the alteration to the light at Cannanore as described therein was carried out and the light exhibited on the 1st July 1903.

The light shows a group of four occultations of about 5½ seconds separated by light of about 6 seconds and followed by light of about 20 seconds duration.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827; and India, West Coast, Vizadrug to Cochin with the Laccadive Archipelago, No. 2737.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 236.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—CANARA, SOUTH.

Malpe and Coondapoor—Lights extinguished.

THE Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given notice (No. 30 of 1903) that the lights at Malpe and Coondapoor were, as usual, extinguished on 1st June 1903 for monsoon months.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—India, West Coast, Vizadrug to Cochin, with the Laccadive Archipelago, No. 2737. India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827.

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CALCUTTA, *the 30th June 1903.* *Secretary, Marine Department.*

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 237.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Calicut light—Date of exhibition.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 196, dated the 8th June 1903, issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 33 of 1903) that the alteration to the light at Calicut as described therein was carried out on the 1st June 1903.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827: Also, sheet X, West Coast of India, Malabar Coast, from Mt. Dilly to Calicut, No. 747: Also, Indian Ocean, Bay of Bengal, Chart No. 70.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 238.

[Third Publication.]

AFRICA, EAST COAST—KISIMAYU HARBOUR.

Non-existence of Racoon shoal.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 454 of 1903) that the 2½ fathoms patch reported to exist in 1893 by H.M.S. *Racoon* in the entrance to Kisimayu harbour, about 4½ cables, N. 48° W. from Fawatu island white pillar, has been unsuccessfully searched for; the least depth obtained in the position being 4 fathoms.

This shoal was originally placed on the chart from a single cast of the lead got in H.M.S. *Racoon* when proceeding out of harbour. It has also been searched for by an Italian man-of-war without success, and it has now therefore been expunged from the Admiralty publications.

Approximate position, lat. 0° 23½′ S., long. 42° 32¾′ E.

(*Variation 5° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kisimayu bay, No. 860: Also Africa Pilot, Part III, 1897, page 533.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 239.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Alleppi road—Positions of light, &c.—Buoys.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 457 of 1903) that the undermentioned alterations have been made in the marks and buoys in Alleppi road:—

(*a*) The light (*revolving*) has been established in a light-house erected at a distance of about two-thirds of a cable N. 35° W. from the position formerly occupied by the flagstaff, which has been removed to the coast close to the pier.
Approximate position, lat. 9° 30′ N., long. 76° 18¾′ E.

(*b*) The northern port pillar (25 feet) has been moved 1½ cables N. 64° W. from its former position.

(*c*) The southern port pillar (25 feet) has been replaced by a white triangular beacon, erected at a distance of two-thirds of a cable N. 5° W. from the former position of the port pillar.

(*d*) The red conical buoy is situated about 2½ cables N. 45° E., and the black conical buoy about 1½ cables S. 6° E., from their respective positions as shown on the chart.

(*Variation nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Alleppi road on Chart No. 750: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 276; and West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 126.

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CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Wusung bar—Fort buoy replaced by light-buoy.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 166, dated 18th May 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 459 of 1903) that Fort buoy, situated 5$\frac{2}{10}$ cables N. 80° E. from Wusung light-house, has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*: thus, light, *four seconds*; eclipse, *two seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 31° 23½′ N., long. 121° 30¾′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Wusung river, No. 1601: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 429.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 241.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG APPROACH.

North channel—Drinkwater Point buoy replaced by light and bell buoy.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners issued by this office, No. 345, dated 18th November 1901, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 460 of 1903) that Drinkwater Point buoy (red conical, surmounted by staff and ball), situated 10¼ miles S. 68° E. from Drinkwater Point light-house, North channel, Yang tse approach, has been replaced by a light and bell buoy, painted in black and red horizontal bands, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*: thus, light, *four seconds*; eclipse, *two seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 31° 24′ N., long. 122° 0′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kue Shan islands to the Yang tse No. 1199; Yang tse Kiang approach, No. 1602: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894 page 416; and Supplement, 1898, page 24.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 242.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Wusung bar—Alteration in lights and buoys.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 240, dated 3rd July 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 470 of 1903) that the undermentioned alterations have been made in the lights and buoys at the Wusung bar:—

(1) Wusung bar light (*fixed*) has been altered to show *white* from the coast to the northward to the bearing of S. 22° W., *green* from S. 22° W. to S. 65° W., *red* from S. 65° W. to the river bank southward of the light-house.

(2) A *red fixed* light has been established on a white pole surmounted by a disc, erected on the extremity of Prince's wharf eight-tenths of a cable N. 76° E. from Wusung bar light-house.

This *red* light in line S. 76° W. with the Wusung bar light leads over the deepest water on the outer bar, and the signals now given indicate the depth on this line.

(3) A black conical buoy, painted in red and black vertical stripes, and surmounted by a black ball, has been moored in a depth of 18 feet on the north-eastern edge of Wusung spit; from the buoy Wusung light-house bears S. 62° W., distant 10$\frac{1}{10}$ cables,

(4) Fort light-buoy, exhibiting a *white occulting* light, has been moved about one cable S. 48° W. from its former position, and is now moored with Wusung light-house bearing S. 87° W., distant 4$\frac{9}{10}$ cables.

Vessels anchoring outside should take up a berth well clear of the leading marks over the bar.

Approximate position, Wusung light-house, lat. 31° 23½′ N., long. 121° 30′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Wusung river, No. 1601: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 746, page 138; and China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 429.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 243.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Rajpuri Point—Red buoy, north side of "Whale Reef," removed.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 59 of 1903) that the red buoy on the north side of the "Whale Reef" off Rajpuri Point was removed for the south-west monsoon on the 1st June.

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Port Officer of Calcutta.

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CALCUTTA, *the 3rd July 1903.* *Secretary, Marine Department.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 244.

[Third Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Rangoon river—Upper Western buoy shifted.

THE following Notice to Mariners (No. 61 of 1903), issued by the Bombay Government, is republished:—

Information dated 9th June 1903 has been received from the Commissioner of the Port of Rangoon that the Upper Western Buoy in the entrance to Rangoon River has been shifted W. by N. 2,800 feet and is now in 21 feet reduced.

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Port Officer of Calcutta.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT ON THE POLICE ADMINISTRATION OF THE TOWN OF CALCUTTA AND ITS SUBURBS FOR THE YEAR 1902.

No. 2276J.—D.

POLICE.

Dated Darjeeling, the 14th July 1903.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The Annual Report on the Police Administration of the Town of Calcutta and its Suburbs for the year 1902.

Read also—

The Reports for the two previous years and the orders of Government recorded thereon.

Mr. R. A. D'O. Bignell held charge of the office of Commissioner of Police during the year, with the exception of the period from the 1st to the 15th of January, when Mr. F. L. Halliday acted for him. The only change in the sanctioned strength of the Calcutta Police was the entertainment of an additional force of 1 Inspector, 3 European constables, and 24 native officers and men for the purpose of regulating the traffic on and around the Howrah Bridge.

2. The discipline of the large force, which numbered 3,262 officers and men, was on the whole satisfactory, and departmental punishments decreased. On the other hand, judicial punishments increased from 11 to 20 and dismissals from 65 to 90, the former figures in each case being those of the previous year.

3. The total number of cognizable cases of all classes was 29,604 as against 25,115 in 1901. In these figures, however, are included a large number of offences of a petty nature, and in an examination of the serious crime of Calcutta the cases which fall under Class VI of the prescribed statements may be excluded. These relate to various petty offences, the larger proportion of which are infractions of the Police Act, the Nuisance laws, and the Cruelty to Animals Act. Under this head there was an increase of 4,784 cases as compared with the figures of the preceding year. Excluding such offences, 4,926 cognizable cases were reported as against 5,221 of the preceding year—a satisfactory decrease.

Of the 720 cognizable cases instituted before a Magistrate, 151 were dismissed without summoning the accused, while of the remainder only 92 ended in conviction—a percentage of 12·7 on institutions.

Of the police cases, 2,393 were sent up for trial, of which 1,934, or 80·8 per cent., ended in conviction. These latter figures indicate that the Calcutta Police have on the whole shown commendable discretion in sending up cases for trial.

The results of investigations of murder cases were not entirely satisfactory, as in 4 out of 11 cases the offenders were not detected.

4. The institutions under the Police Act, which betrayed such a remarkable decrease last year, have risen again to what may be regarded as an approach to the normal figure. They were 8,628 as against 5,809 in 1901, 10,037 in 1900, and 11,098 in 1899.

The rise no doubt indicates a return of confidence to the police force, especially in dealing with offences relating to traffic, to the lack of which the Commissioner of Police last year attributed the decrease in the number of offences reported. In view of the remarkable fluctuations in these cases, the Lieutenant-Governor trusts that the superior officers of the Calcutta Police will carefully control and scrutinize the action of their subordinates in connection with charges under this Act.

A considerable decrease in the number of cases under the Cruelty to Animals Act is noticeable. These cases numbered 5,554 as against 6,294. No explanation is given of this decrease, which it would perhaps be too sanguine to assign to the beneficent operation of the Act alone.

5. The total number of offenders who were tried by the Courts in whose cases proof of previous conviction was admissible was 2,667, of whom 1,993 were convicted. No less than 837 persons convicted were old offenders, against whom previous convictions were proved, *i.e.*, 42 per cent. of the total number convicted. If cases of theft by a servant, and criminal breach of trust,—crimes which are rarely attended by previous conviction, and which numbered 1,095—be excluded, the percentage would be even more striking. These figures establish beyond doubt that those who commit crimes against property in Calcutta are professional criminals. Out of the 837 persons previously convicted, no fewer than 491 had two or more convictions, and 100 had already been convicted on *five* previous occasions. In these circumstances, the Lieutenant-Governor observes with much surprise and regret that only 30 of these offenders were committed to the Sessions. The Penal Code has given to the superior Courts the power to sentence to prolonged periods of imprisonment offenders whose past histories show that they habitually prey on the property of their fellow-citizens, and it is essential that when these pests of society are convicted, they should be severely punished. It appears to the Lieutenant-Governor that the figures just quoted *primâ facie* indicate that the Magistracy of Calcutta have been too ready to deal summarily with old offenders who should have been committed to the Sessions Court.

6. One hundred and thirty-one cases were declared false, a considerable increase on the figures of the two preceding years, viz., 82 and 73, respectively. The Lieutenant-Governor observes, moreover, that in 13 cases only were proceedings instituted, as a result of which 1 accused was fined and 5 were sentenced to terms of imprisonment varying from one to three months. These figures warrant the conclusion that the police were overcautious in instituting such prosecutions, and the Courts unduly lenient in dealing with the offence when established. The difficulty of obtaining a conviction on a charge of

instituting a false case is no doubt great, but when in 90 per cent. of the cases the persons against whom this offence is established before the police escape all consequences of their acts, the conclusion seems irresistible that caution is pushed too far: and having regard to the apparently light punishments inflicted in the cases which ended in conviction, the serious character of the offence seems to have been hardly sufficiently apprehended by the Courts.

7. Fourteen thousand six hundred and thirty-eight non-cognizable cases were instituted during the year. The number pending at the commencement of the year was 1,013, and at the close of the year 1,550 cases were pending. The Lieutenant-Governor observes with dissatisfaction the large increase in the number of pending cases. On examining the figures of pending cases, it appears that no less than 1,308 cases out of 1,550 remained under investigation otherwise than by the police. Such discredit as these figures suggest, must fall therefore on the Courts and not on the police.

8. The report in its revised form was not received by Government till the 30th of June. It was due on the 30th of April, and thus was two months late. It is within the prescribed limit of 15 pages, but it might be rearranged and perhaps curtailed with advantage.

9. His Honour's thanks are due to the Commissioner and his subordinate officers for their efficient control of a difficult and important department during the year.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, for information and for communication to the Presidency Magistrates.

Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, the Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, and the Municipal Department of this Government, for information.

Ordered also that a copy of the Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 20th July 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·00, Kalna 0·97, Katwa 0·24, Raniganj 1·61. Weather-passing showers. Transplantation of *aman* continues. Condition of *aus*, jute and sugarcane fair, but more rain wanted throughout the district. Fodder sufficient. Water insufficient in some parts of Katwa. Condition of cattle good. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kalna	11	0	
Katwa	12	10	
Raniganj	11	8	

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar ·78, Rampur Hât ·25. Rain is badly wanted for transplantation. Sugarcane promising. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 13 seers 5 chitaks per rupee.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·51, Vishnupur 1·85. More rain wanted. Common rice sells at Sadar at 11½ seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·82, Contai 1·97, Tamluk 0·71, Ghatal 0·98. Weather hot and cloudy. Sowing and transplantation going on, but more rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Contai	13	0	
Tamluk	11	11	
Ghatal	11	8	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·90, Serampore 0·74, Arambagh 1·11. Prospect of standing crops fair. Transplantation of winter paddy going on. More rain is wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Serampore	10	9	
Arambagh	11	3	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·40. Weather hot and cloudy. Condition of standing crop good. More rain is wanted in some parts of the district (has since fallen). Water and fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice is selling at 11 seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·91, Barasat 1·18, Basirhat 0·67, Diamond Harbour 2·61. Weather cool and rainy. More rain wanted everywhere. State and prospects of standing crops fair. Transplantation of *aman* going on briskly. Common rice sells at 11¾ seers per rupee except in Diamond Harbour, where it sells at 10⅔ seers. Condition of cattle good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·54, Kushtia 0·04, Meherpur 0·23, Chuadanga 0·30, Ranaghat 0·80. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kushtia	12	4	
Meherpur	12	8	
Chuadanga	11	8	
Ranaghat	12	0	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar ·24, Jangipur ·43, Lalbagh ·15, Kandi ·25. Weather hot and cloudy. *Bhadoi*, jute and sugarcane getting on well, but rain wanted. *Haimanta* transplantation retarded for want of rain. Cattle-disease reported from Mirzapur thana. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Jangipur	14	0	
Lalbagh	12	0	
Kandi	13	4	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·56, Jhenida 0·67, Magura 0·91, Narail 0·30, Bangaon 0·93. Weather hot and cloudy with drizzling rain. Prospect of crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Salikha and Abhoynagore. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Jhenida	12	8	
Magura	12	0	
Narail	12	5	
Bangaon	13	4	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·65, Bagerhat 1·39, Satkhira 0·50. Weather seasonable, but more rain still wanted. Sowing of autumn rice estimated at 77 per cent. Prospects of *aus* and jute hopeful. Transplantation of *aman* commenced in some places. Cattle-disease reported from Khulna, Dumuria and Kachua. Fodder and weather sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	4	per rupee.
Bagerhat	13	0	
Satkhira	12	0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar ·04, Naugaon ·37. Prospects of standing crops fair. Transplantation of winter paddy progressing. *Til* is being harvested. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water ample. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·68; slight fall throughout the district, varying from 4·12 to ·03. Weather hot and cloudy. Standing crops fair. Transplantation of winter rice going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful Common rice sells at 13 seers per rupee.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·48, Alipur Duars 2·94. Weather very hot. Transplantation of *haimanti* paddy going on. *Bhadoi* paddy and jute doing well. Common rice sells at 11 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall not reported. Weather seasonable. *Hills*—Bhutta, potato, *phapor*, *kagni*, *chota* and *bara marua*, *bhadoi* and winter rice doing well. *Terai*—Transplantation of winter rice commenced in Naxalbari. Prospects of standing crops fair. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Hills	10	0	per rupee.
Terai	12	0	

Maize sells at Darjeeling at 13 seers and at Kalimpong at 12 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·20; Gaibanda 0·96, Nilphamari 1·75. Weather hot. Standing crops doing well. Transplantation of *aman* going on. No cattle-disease reported. Water and fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Gaibanda	13	0	
Nilphamari	12	0	
Kurigram	not reported.		

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·38; fall general. Weather hot and cloudy. Cutting of *aus* and jute and transplantation of *aman* commenced in places. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·30, Sirajganj 0·12. Weather cloudy and hot. Prospects of standing crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. More rain wanted. Common rice sells at 12 seers 6 chitaks a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar ·90; fall general. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of crops good. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12½ seers per rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·43, Jamalpur 1·02, Kishorganj 2·94, Netrokona 2·91, Tangail 0·46. Weather seasonable. Condition of autumn rice good. Transplantation of winter rice continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Kishorganj	14	0	
Tangail	12	0	
Jamalpur	16	0	
Netrokona	15	3	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·26, Goalundo 0·59, Madaripur 1·30. Weather seasonable. State and prospects of crops good. Common rice sells at 13 seers a rupee. No cattle-disease. Fodder available.

Backergunge.—Rainfall at Sadar ·72, Bhola 3·32; fall general. Weather seasonable. Autumn rice promising. Transplantating of winter rice retarded by late sowings. Fodder sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Pirojpur and Patuakhali subdivisions. Common rice sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar ·34, Brahmanbaria ·60, Chandpur ·70. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of standing crops good. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and reaping of jute commenced in subdivisions. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	14	0	per rupee.
Brahmanbaria	13	5	
Chandpur	14	0	

Noakhali—Rainfall at Sadar 1·03, Feni ·61. Weather seasonable. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers and at Feni at 14 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·95, Cox's Bazar ·09. More rain wanted. Cultivation of *aman* crop going on. No cattle-disease. Water and fodder sufficient. Common rice sells at 13 seers per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Rainfall 3·66. Weather hot. Prospects of *joom* crop fair. Cultivation of *aus* crop continues. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Patna 1·37. Bikram 40, Hilsa 1·30, Islampur 1·10, Bihar 0·09, Barh 1·85, Dinapore 1·96. Weather hot and cloudy. *Bhadoi* sowings short and bad. *Dhan* very backward and sowings below normal. Sugarcane fair. Rain very urgently required. Prices hardening. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Patna	13	0	per rupee.
Barh	13	8	
Bihar	12	8	
Dinapore	13	8	

Gaya—Rainfall at Sadar 0·19. Nawadah 1·53, Jahanabad 0·37, Aurangabad 0·66. Weather hot and cloudy with east wind. Rain badly wanted for all the standing crops. A certain amount of *marua* and *makai* already sown has withered for want of rain. As regards winter rice, less than half the normal area has been sown. Transplantation of the rest hampered for want of rain. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Average price of common rice is 11 seers 4 chitaks per rupee.

Shahabad—Rainfall at Arah 1·37, Buxar 1·17, Bhabhua 0·45, Sasaram 1·28, Dehri 1·40. Sugar cane doing well. Seed-beds have been prepared only where artificial irrigation is available. Rain urgently needed for sowing seeds in area out of canal. The crops germinated are withering. Prospects gloomy. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice at Sadar 12½ seers per rupee.

Saran—Rainfall at Chapra 1·03, Siwan 1·02, Gopalganj 1·79. Weather hot and cloudy. Standing crops doing well. Transplantation of paddy in progress. Weeding continues. More rain wanted in Sadar and Siwan subdivision. Locusts appeared and slightly damaged *arhar* crops in Buniapur and *bhadoi* crops in Ekma and Digwara. A few cases of cattle-disease reported from thana Manjhi and Chauki Ekma. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers and maize at 24 seers per rupee at Chapra.

Champaran.—Rain at Motihari 1·03, Bettiah ·53. Sowing and transplanting of paddy in progress. Weeding continues. Prospects good No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 16 seers and maize at 24 seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·78, Hajipur 3·37 and Sitamarhi ·52. Weather hot and cloudy occasionally. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops almost over. Transplantation of paddy going on. Prospects promising. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers and maize at 24 seers a rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·67, Samastipur 1·42, Madhubani 1·65. Weather hot and cloudy. *Makai* and *marua* are being weeded. More rain wanted for transplantation of paddy. Sugar cane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Mohiuddinagar outpost. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	14	8	per rupee.
Samastipur	16	0	
Madhubani	15	0	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar ·75, Begusarai ·09, Jamui ·28. Weather hot and cloudy. Sugarcane doing well. *Bhadoi* and paddy crops suffering badly for want of rain. Another swarm of locusts passed through Begusarai subdivision, slightly damaging the *makai*. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water ample. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	11	per rupee
Begusarai	13	8	
Jamui	13	0	

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·20, Banka 0·94, Madhipura 3·89, Supaul 2·92. Weather hot. *Bhadoi* crops doing well. Transplantation of *marua* and paddy going on in Supaul and Madhipura subdivisions, but retarded in Sadar and Banka for want of rain which is urgently needed. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Flight of locusts passed over the northern and western parts of the subdivision of Sadar and Banka. No serious damage reported Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	14	per rupee.
Banka	14	6	
Madhipura	17	0	
Supaul	18	0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·64, Kishanganj 0·17, Araria 0·39. Fall general, but very insignificant in quantity. More rain wanted for the crops. Manufacture of indigo going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	13	0	per rupee.
Araria	14	0	per rupee.

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar ·03, Chanchal ·76. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of *bhadoi* and jute reported to be good. Sowing of winter rice not finished. *Bhadoi* crop is being damaged by insects in thana Malda. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee.

Sonthal Parganas.—Rainfall at Dumka 0·46, Deoghar 0·07, Godda 0·37, Jamtara 0·66, Pakaur 1·11. Weather hot with occasional light showers. Transplantation of winter rice going on but slowly for want of sufficient rain. Indigo doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·71. Fall general. *Beali* being weeded. *Saradh* transplanted at places. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers 12 chitaks per rupee at Cuttack.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·51. Weeding of *beali* paddy continues. *Saradh* crop is being puddled and transplanted. All standing crops doing well. Turmeric being planted. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 14¼ and 13 seers per rupee at Sadar and Bhadrak respectively.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·55, Bisipara 3·14. Rain general. Weather cloudy. Sowing of paddy and miscellaneous *bhadoi* crops in progress. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 and 13½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals respectively.

Puri.—Rainfall 7·29 inches. Heavy rain has fallen throughout the district. Weather hot, cloudy and rainy. Lands are being sown with winter rice paddy, and puddling of winter rice paddy has commenced throughout the district. *Mandua* is being planted. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Sugarcane leaves are being tied. Puddling of *beali* paddy lands commenced. *Dalua* is being harvested. Outturn expected to be 12 annas. Cotton fruits are being plucked out. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers 1 chitak per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·91, Giridih 0·89; Fall not general. Weather hot. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Weeding of *mandua* going on. Fodder sufficient. Water still scarce. Common rice sells at 11¼ seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·31. Fall general. Weather seasonable. Prospects much improved by recent rain. Sowing of urid and cotton in progress. Cattle-disease reported from Ranchi and Gumla thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Ranchi at 13 seers, and at Gumla at 16 seers per rupee.

Palamau.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·82. Weather hot. Rain urgently wanted for agricultural operations all over the district. Hossenabad thana suffering particularly. Cattle-disease continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices of common rice 13½ seers and maize 19 seers 2 chitaks per rupee.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·79, Gobindpur 1·07. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at Sadar and Gobindpur at 11 seers per rupee.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 2·36. More rain needed. Transplantation going on. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee at Chaibassa.

General Summary.—Rainfall was general throughout the Province. The fall was heavy in the Orissa Division. More rain is wanted in the Burdwan and Patna Divisions and in some districts of the Presidency, Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions and also in the district of Chittagong. Prospects of standing crops generally good. Harvesting of early rice and jute commenced in places. Transplantation of winter rice continues. *Bhadoi* crop is being damaged by insects in Saran and Malda. Cattle-disease reported from eight districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in 10 districts, has fallen in eight and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 21st July 1903.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN											
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION.													
1	Burdwan ...	15 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 12	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	14 0	13 8	12 12	...	..	..	14 4	15 0	12 0	...	...	...
3	Bankura ...	13 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 8	13 12	..		...
4	Midnapore ...	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 8	12 8	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...		...
6	Howrah ...	...	...	...		...	..	11 2	11 4	10 8	...	..	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.													
7	24-Parganas ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	11 8	12 0	10 0	...	...	...
8	Calcutta ...	12 4	12 4	10 0	16 0	16 0	14 4	9 6	9 6	10 0	16 0	16 13	13 5
9	Nadia ...	14 8	14 8	14 9	19 0	18 0	20 0	11 6	12 4	11 6	...	...	...
10	Murshidabad ...	15 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	12 0	12 4	11 8	...	...	...
11	Jessore ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	10 0	13 0	13 0	12 12	...	...	...
12	Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	11 10	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.													
13	Rajshahi ...	15 12	16 8	16 8	28 4	27 12	21 0	12 12	13 8	10 11	...	...	...
14	Dinajpur ...	14 6	12 13	13 0	...	...	...	13 3	13 3	11 8	...	...	...
15	Jalpaiguri ...	11 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	10 12	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	12 0	10 0	...	...	...
17	Rangpur ...	15 0	15 0	10 8	...	...	...	12 8	13 8	11 0	...	...	...
18	Bogra ...	13 8	13 8	10 8	...	...	...	15 0	16 8	11 4	...	...	...
19	Pabna ...	17 10	17 10	15 12	27 8	27 8	26 4	12 6	12 12	10 8	...	...	...
DACCA DIVISION.													
20	Dacca ...	13 0	13 0	12 8	20 0	20 0	18 0	12 8	12 8	11 0	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	11 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...
22	Faridpur ...	17 0	13 0	16 0	21 0	20 0	22 0	12 0	12 8	9 8	...	...	...
23	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	10 8	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kalna 11 seers 4 chitaks; Katwa 12 seers 10 chitaks; Kaniganj 12 seers.
B. At Rampur Hát the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 12½ seers per rupee.
D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Contai 13 seers; Tamluk 11 seers; Ghatal 13½ seers.
E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 12 seers 13 chitaks; Arambagh 13 seers 5 chitaks.
F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 13 seers 14½ chitaks per rupee.
G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 11 seers 10 chitaks; Barasat 13 seers 5 chitaks; Baduria 13 seers 14 chitaks; Moraghat 10 seers 10½ chitaks.
H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 13½ seers; Chuadanga 13½ seers (panga) Meherpur 12 seers; Ranaghat 14 seers 8 chitaks (crushed).
I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Lalbagh 13 seers; Kandi return not received; Jangipur 12½ seers.

quarters Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 30th June 1903.

SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.	Number.	
			SALT.			UNSKILLED LABOUR—ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			SKILLED LABOUR—COMMON MASON, CARPENTER OR BLACKSMITH.					
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	BENGAL.		
A 13 4	13 4	11 8	2 13 6	2 13 6	3 3 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	6 0	7 0	6 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	Burdwan.	1	Burdwan Division.
B 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2 6	3 5 0	3 12 0	...	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	...	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	...	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	Birbhum.	2	
C 13 0	13 0	Panga. 11 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	6 12	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	7 0	5 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 7 8	8 12	8 0 to 12 0	8 0 to 12 0	Bankura.	3	
D 11 4	12 0	Panga. 10 8	3 2 0	3 1 0	3 7 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	12 0 to 18 0	12 0 to 18 0	12 0 to 18 0	Midnapore.	4	
E 13 0	13 0	Grushed. 10 8	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	12 0 to 20 0	12 0 to 20 0	12 0 to 15 0	Hooghly.	5	
F 12 8	12 8	Panga. 10 8	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	8 0 to 9 0	8 0	8 0	14 0 to 18 0	13 0 to 15 0	15 0	Howrah.	6	
G 11 10	11 10	Panga. 10 10	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 7 0	9 0 to 12 0	7 8 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 9 0	7 0 to 8 0	12 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 20 0	12 0 to 20 0	24-Parganas.	7	Presidency Division.
12 0	12 0	Panga. 11 0	2 10 0	2 13 0	3 6 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	20 0	18 0 to 22 0	18 0 to 20 0	Calcutta.	8	
H 13 0	13 0	12 4	3 1 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	...	9 6	9 6	...	7 0	7 0	...	10 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	Nadia.	9	
I 12 4	13 4	Karkatch. 11 0	3 4 0	2 15 0	3 7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	15 0 to 20 0	14 0 to 16 0	14 0 to 16 0	Murshidabad.	10	
J 12 0	12 0	Panga. 10 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 14 0	9 6	9 6	9 6	7 0	7 0	7 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Jessore.	11	
K 11 2	11 2	Panga. 10 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 12 0	9 6 to 11 0	9 6 to 11 0	9 6 to 11 0	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 9 0	10 0 to 28 0	10 0 to 28 0	10 0 to 28 0	Khulna.	12	
L 12 0	12 0	10 5	3 2 3	3 5 3	3 13 4	6 0 to 7 0	4 0 to 8 0	7 8	4 0 4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	6 8	7 8 to 15 0	7 0 to 15 0	7 0 to 15 0	Rajshahi.	13	Rajshahi Division.
M 10 8	12 0	Panga. 10 8	3 12 0	3 5 3	3 12 0	8 0	9 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	15 0 to 20 0	12 0 to 22 0	12 0 to 22 0	Dinajpur.	14	
N 11 0	11 0	Panga. 10 0	3 2 0	3 1 0	3 10 6	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	Jalpaiguri.	15	
O 10 0	10 0	Rora. 8 8	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 9 0	9 6	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	22 8	12 0 to 26 0	12 0 to 20 0	Darjeeling.	16	
P 10 8	10 8	Panga. 10 8	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	Rangpur.	17	
13 2	13 2	10 2	3 1 4	3 1 4	3 12 0	9 6	7 8	7 8	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	15 0 to 30 0	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 20 0	Bogra.	18	
Q 13 0	13 0	10 8	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 12 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 11 0	8 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 8 0	10 0 to 22 0	10 0 to 22 0	10 0 to 20 0	Pabna.	19	
R 11 0	11 0	Panga. 10 8	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 9 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 9 0	7 8 to 20 0	7 8 to 20 0	9 0 to 18 0	Dacca.	20	Dacca Division.
S 10 0	10 0	10 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0	13 0 to 15 0	11 0 to 15 0	Mymensingh.	21	
T 12 8	12 8	10 10	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 12 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0 to 15 0	15 0	15 0	Faridpur.	22	
U 13 0	13 0	10 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	8 0	8 0	10 0 to 12 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0 to 12 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	Backergunge.	23	

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 13 seers; Magura 12 seers; Bangaon 13 seers; Narail 12 seers.
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 13½ seers; Satkhira 13 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Nator 12 seers; Naogaon 12 seers.
M. No report from subdivisions.
N. At Alipur Duars the retail price of salt is 10 seers per rupee.
O. At Kurseong and Siliguri the retail prices of salt per rupee are 8 seers and 10 seers, respectively.
P. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gaibanda 12 seers; Kurigram 11 seers; Nilphamari 11 seers.
Q. At Sirajganj the retail price of salt is 13 seers 14 chitaks per rupee.
R. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Madaripur 12 seers 4 chitaks; Manikganj 11 seers; Mirkadim 11 seers.
S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishorganj 10 seers 11 chitaks; Jamalpur 12 seers 4 chitaks; Tangail 10 seers 10 chitaks; Netrokona 9½ seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Goalundo 12 seers 1 chitak; Madaripur 13 seers (crushed).
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Pirojpur 11 seers; Patuakhali 13 seers; Bhola 10½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT. Present return.	WHEAT. Next preceding return.	WHEAT. Corresponding return of last year.	BARLEY. Present return.	BARLEY. Next preceding return.	BARLEY. Corresponding return of last year.	RICE, COMMON. Present return.	RICE, COMMON. Next preceding return	RICE, COMMON. Corresponding return of last year.	JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Present return.	JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Next preceding return.	JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Corresponding return of last year.
BENGAL—*concluded.*		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 24	Tippera ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 11	13 3	11 0	...	...	...
25	Noakhali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 3	12 4	10 0	...	...	...
26	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 12	...	...	...
BIHAR.													
PATNA DIVISION. 27	Patna ...	18 0	17 8	14 0	26 0	23 0	19 0	15 0	15 8	11 0	*White* 20 0 *Rabsa* 28 0	*White* 18 0 *Rabsa* 25 0	*White.* 16 0 *Rabsa.* 20 0
28	Gaya ...	16 0	16 0	13 8	20 0	23 4	16 0	14 4	14 0	11 0	20 0	21 8	18 8
29	Shahabad ...	15 8	16 0	13 0	22 0	22 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...
30	Saran ...	16 0	16 0	14 0	23 0	23 0	20 0	15 0	15 0	11 8	...	...	...
31	Champaran ...	16 0	16 0	13 8	28 0	28 0	22 0 to 24 0	15 8	15 8	12 8	...	...	...
32	Muzaffarpur ...	14 0	14 0	14 0	23 0	23 0	18 0	14 0	14 0	11 8	...	...	...
33	Darbhanga ...	...	17 9	13 8	...	23 4	18 11	...	14 4	11 4	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION 34	Monghyr ...	16 0	15 0	15 3	25 0	25 0	17 13	12 0	12 10	10 8	...	...	...
35	Bhagalpur ...	15 4	15 4	13 14	20 0	20 4	19 0	13 14	13 14	12 0	...	...	...
36	Purnea ...	16 0	16 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	11 0	...	...	...
37	Malda ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 8	11 8	...	...	...
38	Sonthal Parganas.	11 8	12 0	10 8	17 0	16 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...
ORISSA.													
ORISSA DIVISION. 39	Cuttack ...	13 12	15 12	13 2	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	12 7	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	14 4	14 4	12 8 to 13 0	...	...	...
41	Angul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	15 0	12 0	...	...	...
42	Puri ...	11 13	11 2	11 0	...	...	...	15 0	14 7	13 12	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR.													
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 43	Hazaribagh[a] ...	11 8	12 0	11 0	16 0	17 0	15 0	12 0	12 8	11 8	...	...	...
44	Ranchi ...	8 0 to 11 8	8 0 to 11 0	7 4 to 10 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	13 8	13 8	13 8	...	...	...
45	Palamau ...	13 8	14 10	10 2	18 0	20 4	14 1	13 8	12 6	10 2	...	...	...
46	Manbhum ...	12 0	12 0	11 8	...	20 0	16 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...
47	Singhbhum ...	12 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	13 8	...	...	...

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chandpur 10 seers 10 chitaks ; Brahmanbaria 10 seers 1 chitaks.
W. At Feni Hát the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
X. Return from Cox's Bazar not received.
Y. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 12½ seers ; Dinapore 11½ seers ; Bihar 12 seers.
Z. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 10 seers ; Nawada 12 seers ; Aurangab 12 seers.
a. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 12 seers ; Bhabua 11½ seers ; Sasaram 11 seers.
b. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 13 seers ; Gopalganj 12 seers.
c. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Hajipur 12 seers ; Sitamarhi 12 seers.
e. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 10 seers ; Madhubani 11 seers.
f. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 10½ seers ; Jamui 12 seers.
g. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 11½ seers ; Madhipura 10 seers ; Supaul 11 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 18th July 1903.

Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 30th June 1903—concld.

SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.	Number.	
			SALT.			UNSKILLED LABOUR—ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			SKILLED LABOUR—COMMON MASON, CARPENTER OR BLACKSMITH.					
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch. V	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	BENGAL—*concluded.*		
10 10	10 10	10 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 14 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8 to 10 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	15 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0	Tippera.	24	Chittagong Division.
W 12 8	10 11	9 4	3 2 0	3 4 0	4 0 0	9 6	9 6	9 6	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	15 0	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 15 0	Noakhali.	25	
X 12 0	12 0	Panga. 10 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	3 6 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 9 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Chittagong	26	
Y 10 8	10 8	10 8	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 10 6	...	5 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 5 0	...	5 0 to 6 0	4 8 to 5 0	...	8 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 7 0	BIHAR. Patna	27	Patna Division.
Z 12 12	12 12	11 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 9 6	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 12 0	Gaya.	28	
a 13 0	13 0	10 0	3 1 3	3 1 3	4 0 0	4 11	4 11	4 11	5 8 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	4 0	7 8 to 9 6	7 8 to 9 6	7 8 to 9 6	Shahabad.	29	
b 12 0	12 0	Panga. 11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 10 0	3 12 to 5 10	3 12 to 5 10	3 12 to 5 10	4 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 8 0	4 0 to 10 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 10 0	Saran.	30	
c 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 13 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	Champaran.	31	
d 11 0	11 0	Panga. 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	4 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	7 0 to 8 0	4 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	Muzaffarpur	32	
e ...	12 1	11 0	...	3 3 2	3 10 0	3 12 to 5 0	3 12 to 5 0	3 12 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	5 10 to 10 5	5 10 to 10 5	5 10 to 10 5	Darbhanga.	33	
f 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 6 6	3 12 to 5 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 5 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	Monghyr	34	Bhagalpur Division.
g 12 8	12 8	10 12	12 15 0	2 15 3	3 9 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Bhagalpur.	35	
h 11 0	10 12	Panga. 10 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	8 0	5 10 to 7 8	4 11 to 7 8	6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	15 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	Purnea.	36	
i 10 8	11 0	Panga. 9	3 12 0	3 8 0	4 0 0												
10 0	11 0	Karkatoh. 9	3 12 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 6 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Malda.	37	
j 11 0	12 0	10 8	3 0 0	3 1 0	3 10 0	4 11 to 5 10	3 12 to 4 12	3 12 to 4 12	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	Santhal Parganas.	38	
k 14 0	14 0	13 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	3 0 0	5 0	5 0	5 10	5 8	5 8	5 0	9 0 to 10 0	9 0 to 10 0	7 8 to 18 12	ORISSA. Cuttack.	39	Orissa Division.
l 13 0	13 0	Panga. 11 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 8 0	5 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 5 8	5 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 8 0	3 12 to 6 0	4 0 to 8 0	7 8 to 12 0	11 4	9 0 to 11 0	Balasore.	40	
m 8 0	7 8	8 0	...	...	...	3 12 to 4 11	3 12 to 4 11	3 12	3 0 to 6 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 11 4	Angul.	41	
n 15 8	15 8	13 0	2 9 0	2 9 0	3 1 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 0	10 0 to 11 0	9 0 to 11 0	Puri	42	
9 0	9 0	8 8	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0 to 7 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	7 0 to 12 0	CHOTA NAGPUR. Hazaribagh.	43	Chota Nagpur Division.
o 10 0	10 0	Panga. 9	4 3 12 0	3 15 0	4 5 0	3 0	3 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Ranchi.	44	
11 13	11 4	9 9	...	...	...	6 1½	6 1½	6 1½	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 12 0	10 0 to 12 0	7 8 to 12 0	Palamau.	45	
p 12 0	12 0	Panga. 10 0	3 4 0	3 1 0	3 9 6	5 10	5 10	5 10	6 0 to 7 0	6 0	6 0	11 4 to 15 0	11 4 to 18 12	11 4 to 18 12	Manbhum.	46	
11 0	11 0	9 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0	12 0 to 15 0	Singhbhum.	47	

h. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 11 seers; Araria 9 seers.
i. At Balia Nawabganj the retail price of salt is 10½ seers per rupee.
j. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Deoghur 13 seers (panga); Godda 10 seers; Jamtara 11 seers; Pakaur 13 seers; Rajmahal 12 seers.
k. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jajpur 13 seers; Kendrapara 12½ seers (panga).
l. At Bhadrak the retail price of salt is 10½ seers per rupee.
m. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 9 seers; Bissipara 10 seers.
n. At Khurda the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.
o. Gumla return not received.
p. At Gobindpur the retail price of salt is 13 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 10 0
2	Burdwan ...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 6 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 5 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Pabna ...	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	3 2 9	3 2 3	3 12 6	2 4 3	2 4 3	2 3 6	...	...	...
5	Rangpur ...	4 8 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	3 4 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 12 0	...	...	...
6	Dacca ...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	3 0 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0
7	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Patna ...	3 0 0	2 13 0	3 15 0	2 10 0	2 9 0	3 10 0	2 3 0	2 4 0	2 13 0	1 8 6	1 11 0	2 1 0
9	Muzaffarpur ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 5 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 10 6	1 10 6	2 1 6
10	Bhagalpur ...	3 3 0	3 7 3	4 0 0	3 2 1	3 0 6	3 5 0	2 10 0	2 3 0	2 14 0	1 12 5	1 12 3	2 1 6
11	Cuttack ...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 2 0	2 5 6	2 5 6	3 0 6	2 11 0	2 6 3	2 14 0	...	...	...
12	Ranchi ...	3 15 9	3 15 9	4 10 9	2 12 3	2 13 3	2 15 3	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 0 0 to 5 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 13 6

Calcutta,

The 18th June 1903.

JAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum vulgare*).			BAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*).			GRAM CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
6 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 7 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0 to 2 14 0	2 5 0 to 2 14 0	2 10 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 5 9	2 5 9	2 10 6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0
15 0	White. 2 3 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 11 0	2 0 0
6 0	Rakse. 1 7 0	2 0 0									
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 13 0	1 14 6	1 14 6	2 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 11 0	1 11 0	2 4 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 14 0	2 0 0	2 7 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 10 0	3 0 0

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 6 0	2 4 0	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	5 10 0	5 6 0	7 0 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	5 0 0
...	...	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 5 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 12 0
...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 6 0 to 3 12 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	6 8 0	Black mustard. 4 4 0 to 4 4 0 Rapeseed. 3 12 0	4 0 0 to 4 4 0 3 12 0	4 4 0 to 4 8 0 5 0 0 to 5 2 0
...	...	...	3 15 3	3 15 3	4 1 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	6 6 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 6 0
2 4 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 8 0
...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 12 0
1 8 6	1 8 0	2 0 0	1 8 6	1 9 0	2 7 6	4 8 0	3 15 0	6 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 3 0
1 10 0	1 9 6	2 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
1 12 0	1 12 4	2 4 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	3 2 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	6 8 0	2 5 0 Rapeseed. 4 0 0 Mustard.	3 12 3 3 15 0	Rapeseed. 4 6 0 Mustard. 4 2 0
...	...	...	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	3 13 9	3 12 9	4 0 0
...	...	...	5 2 9	5 0 0	5 15 0 to 6 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	5 11 0 to 5 0 0

Til or Jinjili seed.			Sugar (raw).			Cotton (cleaned).			Jute.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	17 0 0	17 0 0	16 0 0	5 6 0	5 10 0	5 4 0
...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 5 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	5 0 0	4 4 0 to 4 8 0	3 4 0 to 3 8 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 0 0	4 6 0	3 4 0	20 0 0	28 0 0	21 0 0	4 12 0	4 13 0	4 4 0
...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 0 0
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 4 0
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	15 8 0	15 0 0	15 4 0	...	...	...
3 12 0	3 12 0	6 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	3 12 0
...	...	...	3 1 3	3 1 3	1 14 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	2 0 0	19 5 0	19 0 0	...	...	...
3 7 0	3 6 0	4 7 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 12 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	3 8 0 to 3 10 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...

Ghi (clarified butter).			Tobacco Leaf.			Hides (cow).			Grass.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
						Per 100 pieces.					
39 0 0	39 0 0	39 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
30 0 0	30 0 0	34 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Madhukhali.		5 4 0	Uncleaned hides, per piece.					
30 8 0	30 8 0	33 0 0 to 33 4 0	6 8 0	6 6 0	to	0 14 0 to 2 10 0	0 14 0 to 2 10 0	1 6 0 to 2 6 0	...	...	...
			Pulta.		5 8 0						
			9 4 0	9 0 0	6 4 0	Cleaned hides per piece.					
						0 14 0 to 2 14 0	0 14 0 to 2 14 0	1 10 0 to 2 10 0			
51 0 0	52 0 0	53 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	6 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 0 0	32 0 0	32 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	...	...	...	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 6
						Per maund.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	20 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 3 0
						Per maund.					
31 0 0	30 0 0	34 0 0	10 8 0	10 4 0	10 0 0	17 4 0	17 8 0	16 8 0	...	...	...
27 0 0	27 0 0	30 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 6 0
27 13 0	27 13 0	29 1 6	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
29 0 0	28 0 0	33 0 0	3 6 0	4 0 0	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
						Per maund.					
34 14 0	33 12 0	35 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 3 6	0 3 6	0 3 6
27 13 2 to 32 0 0	27 13 2 to 32 0 0	36 0 0 to 40 0 0	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	1 8 0	Per piece. 1 8 0	1 4 0 to 2 8 0	0 6 4	0 6 4	0 5 3

in the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 30th June 1903.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.									MARTS
						IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Nert preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	71
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 12 0	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 10 0	Panga. 2 13 0	3 6 0	1. Calcutta.
0 9 6	0 9 0	0 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	2 13 6	2 13 6	3 3 0	2. Burdwan.
1 4 0	1 4 0	0 4 8	...	...	...	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 12 0 to 4 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 2 0	Panga. 3 1 0	3 7 0	3. Midnapore.
1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 9 0	3 1 0	Panga. 3 1 0	3 12 0	4. Pabna.
0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 8 0	Panga. 3 8 0	3 12 0	5. Rangpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 3	3 8 0	Panga. 3 8 0	3 9 0	6. Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	2 14 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 6 0	7. Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	0 6 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 2 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 10 0	8. Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	5 11 6	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 10 0	Panga. 3 10 0	4 0 0	9. Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 6 0	2 15 3	2 15 3	3 9 0	10. Bhagalpur.
0 7 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	...	...	...	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 7 0	Karkatch. 2 7 0	3 0 0	11. Cuttack.
0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 4 0 to 0 5 0	...	...	...	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 10 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 13 0	Panga. 3 15 0	4 5 0	12. Ranchi.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 18th July 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 18th July 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 19th July 1902.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	196	41,4'0	649	353	39,525	503
Jute	12	6,025*	52	25	19,050†	213
Firewood	30	20,725	310	52	44,650	678
Other articles	517	1,78,500	2,079	480	1,13,160	1,242
Total ...	755	2,46,650	3,090	910	2,16,385	2,636

* Weight by canal measurement, 6,887 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 19,252½ ,,

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 12th to 18th July 1903.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature				Hygrometry				Wind.		Rain	Weather.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction	Miles recorded.		
1903.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.	°	%			Inches.	
July	12th	156·4	3·8	29·479	85·6	91·9	11·7	80·2	81·9	1·041	80·5	85	ESE and E by S	85	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, o, d
"	13th	149·8	2·2	·401	84·8	89·6	8·8	80·8	80·9	1·004	79·3	84	E and E by N ...	214	0·03	Chiefly cloudy, d, t, p.
"	14th	145 7	4·5	·440	84·7	88·6	8·7	79·9	81·1	1·015	79·7	85	E and E S E ...	218	0·24	Chiefly cloudy, p.
"	15th	146·9	5·5	·510	84·1	89·1	9·2	79·9	81·0	1·017	79·7	87	E and SE by E ...	199	0 10	Partially cloudy, o, p, t.
"	16th	148·5	8·0	·560	85·7	91 6	12·5	79 1	81 5	1·020	79 8	83	ESE and SSE ...	126	0 29	Partially cloudy, d.
"	17th	152·6	7·6	·581	85·3	91·7	12·5	79·2	80 0	0 954	77·8	76	E and SE by S ...	94	0·01	Partially cloudy d.
"	18th	151 9	6·3	·537	84·2	90·1	10·2	79·9	80·7	1·002	79·3	85	ENE and E ...	123	Nil	Partially cloudy, d, p, t.

The mean pressure of the seven days	Inches.	29·494
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·523
	Hours.	
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		37·9
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		93.5
	°	
The mean temperature of the seven days		84·9
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·5
The extreme variation of temperature		12·8
The maximum temperature		91·9
	Miles.	
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		17
	%	
The mean relative humidity		84
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		86
	Inches.	
The total fall of rain from 12th to 18th July 1903		0·77
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		2·92
The total fall from 1st January to 18th July 1903		18·41
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		28·69

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain gauge is one foot above the ground. Rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder; ~, due.

N. B.—In the monthly abstract from 5th to 11th July 1903 read 0·10 for nil as rain on the 5th July 1903, and for the total rain from 5th to 11th July 1903 read 0·48 for 0·38, and for the total fall from 1st January to 11th July 1903 read 17·64 for 17·54.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 20th July 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,
for Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories

SEGOWLI-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of January 1903, compared with the corresponding period in 1902.

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	33	1	41	8	9	7	...	...	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	774	11	2,525	27	1,751	16	...	...	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	335	29	653	25	318	...	...	4	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Twist and yarn. { European	...	...	36	1	36	1	...	...	
(b) Twist and yarn. { Indian ...	1,033	37	1,883	75	850	18	...	...	
(c) Piece-goods { European	2,939	200	991	41	...	...	1,948	159	
(d) Piece-goods { Indian ...	708	54	599	32	...	...	109	22	
(e) Others	52	2	55	1	3	...	...	1	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Others	21	2	59	3	23	1	...	...	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia) ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Cutch	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Indigo	9	1	...	...	...	...	9	1	
5. Myrabolams ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
6. Tanning barks	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
7. Turmeric	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
8. Others	72	4	34	1	...	...	38	3	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	...	...	9	1	9	1	...	...	
2. Hay, straw and grass ...	13	1	17	1	4	...	...	...	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh ...	2	1	1,342	30	1,340	29	...	...	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse	30	1	565	18	545	17	...	...	
2. Jawar and bajra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Rice { in the husk ...	5,377	88	20,503	496	14,626	408	...	...	Good crops.
4. Rice { not in the husk...	9,304	128	21,490	316	11,626	188	...	...	
5. Wheat	7	1	25	1	18	...	...	...	
6. Wheat-flour	11	1	21	1	10	...	...	...	
7. Makai	40	1	277	7	237	6	...	...	
8. Others	26	1	33	1	7	...	...	...	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Raw	...	...	443	5	443	5	...	...	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Raw	99	3	103	4	4	1	...	...	
XI.—Horns	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth ...	425	96	721	27	296	113	...	...	
XIV.—Lac	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Wine	5	1	...	...	...	...	5	1	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. ,, wrought ...	43	3	833	25	790	22	...	...	
3. Copper, unwrought ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. ,, wrought ...	5	1	33	1	28	...	...	...	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	374	17	39	2	...	...	335	15	
(b) Unwrought .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Wrought... ...	911	24	1,067	20	156	...	...	4	
(d) Manufactures ...	13	1	947	70	933	69	...	...	
6. Others	41	2	106	4	65	2	...	...	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	3,910	90	5,287	52	1,377	...	...	38	
2. Castor	12	1	...	...	...	...	12	1	
3. Cocoanut	...	...	75	3	75	3	...	...	
4. Mustard and rape ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Others	30	1	...	...	...	...	30	1	

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Earthnuts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Linseed	4,627	113	...	...	...	...	4,627	113	
4. Poppy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Rape and mustard ...	486	13	...	...	...	...	486	13	
6. Til or jinjili	...	...	10	1	10	1	...	...	
7. Others	275	6	...	...	...	...	275	6	
XX.—Opium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	4	1	...	...	...	...	4	1	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts ...	67	3	98	5	31	2	...	...	
2. Ghee	39	1	4	1	...	...	35	...	
3. Others	693	19	37	1	...	...	655	18	
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXIV.—Salt	4,651	86	6,086	71	1,435	...	...	15	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Other saline substances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	1,143	22	409	13	...	...	734	30	
2. Cardamoms	...	...	6	1	6	1	...	...	
3. Chillies	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Ginger	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Pepper	244	14	280	7	36	...	...	7	
6. Others	113	6	296	12	183	6	..	...	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	...	...	39	1	39	1	...	...	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	113	4	284	7	171	3	...	...	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	8	1	...	...	...	...	8	1	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	441	28	328	17	...	...	103	11	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	...	...	210	9	210	9	...	...	
(b) Other sorts ...	3	1	...	...	...	...	3	1	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought ...	45	2	326	8	281	6	...	...	
2. Logs	1,243	19	3,664	26	1,881	7	...	...	
3. Poles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Manufactures	114	5	43	3	...	...	71	2	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs ...	6	1	25	1	19	...	...	...	
(b) } (c) } Piece-goods { European Indian ...	37	3	...	...	...	...	37	3	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Firewood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Others not specified above.	1,200	27	4,698	231	3,393	234	...	...	
Total ...	43,461	1,111	76,594	1,511	43,157	1,196	9,724	496	

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Gorakhpur, *the 15th July 1903.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 1,926·13 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	636,274	5,64,042 0 0	61,89,888 0	10,51,004 0 0	42,194 0 0	16,58,230 0 0	161,194	217,575	378,769
Or per mile of railway	......	292 13 5	......	546 2 8	21 14 6	860 14 7	...		
For previous 24¼ weeks of half-year	10,091,233*	1,02,53,911 0 0*	14,31,71,526 0†	2,36,87,227 0 0†	5,32,843 0 0‡	3,44,73,981 0 0	2,921,604§	4,643,526§	7,565,130
Total for 25¼ weeks ...	10,727,507	1,08,17,953 0 0	14,93,61,414 0	2,47,39,231 0 0	7,75,037 0 0	3,61,32,211 0 0	3,082,798	4,861,101	7,943,899
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 9 days of previous year	559,773	5,27,749 1 0	58,30,633 30	10,76,085 4 6	31,899 6 7	16,35,733 12 1	142,374	243,581	385,955
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year .	......	275 13 4	......	562 11 11	16 5 9	854 15 0	......	......	......
Total for corresponding 25¼ weeks of previous year	10,479,904	99,49,376 4 8	14,84,05,473 10	2,54,14,858 1 10	5,49,399 15 8	3,59,13,569 5 8	2,802,130	5,858,751	8,100,870

* Added No. of passengers 7,155 and deducted Rs. 29,715 on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May 1903.
Deducted " 10,296 " " 20,945 " of supplemental figures for 31st March 1903.
Added " 2,000 " " 51,000 " of special and extra troop trains, &c., not included in previous returns.

† Added Mds. 10,976 " " 51,304 " of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May 1903.
Do. " 28,74,176 " " 12,211 " of supplemental figures for 31st May 1903.
Do. " 1,65,000 " " 27,000 " of haulage of vehicles, &c., not included in previous returns.
Deducted " 1,00,000 " of traffic carried in excess over E. I. Ry route reserved for payment to Foreign Railways.
Do. " 8,000 " of demurrage to be written off.
Do. " 15,000 " of estimated amount of outstandings relating to the half-year ended 31st December 1902.
Do. " 5,75,000 " of rebate on coal.

‡ Added " 12,674 " of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May 1903.
Deducted " 37,282 " of supplemental figures for 31st March 1903.
Added " 83,000 " of hire of vehicles, rents of joint stations, shunting charges, &c., not included in previous returns.
Deducted " 3,01,006 " of hire and demurrage and hire of vehicles, which have been shown as a credit to expenditure.

§ Audited figures up to 23rd May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*1,923·93	10 days of January ...	441,029	5,58,014	77,21,285	12,38,987	42,015	18,39,016	956	453,210	4 1 1
*1,923·93	Week ended 17th " ...	379,477	6,04,052	58,38,436	5,84,330	33,402	15,21,793	791	344,407	4 6 5
*1,926·13	" " 24th " ...	415,930	5,36,267	53,66,940	6,62,146	34,899	14,33,414	744	326,041	4 6 4
*1,926·13	" " 31st " ...	438,838	4,85,857	60,74,585	9,95,361	33,130	15,14,348	786	309,295	4 14 4
*1,926·13	" " 7th Feb. ...	445,935	4,02,461	58,78,777	9,05,828	32,073	13,40,352	696	303,897	4 6 7
*1,926·13	" " 14th " ...	396,149	4,86,057	57,79,164	9,89,575	36,065	14,60,687	758	301,873	4 13 5
*1,926·13	" " 21st " ...	369,813	4,00,162	56,74,056	9,39,488	33,942	13,73,592	713	316,611	4 5 5
*1,926·13	" " 28th " ...	413,447	4,37,840	63,32,825	10,89,717	28,493	15,56,050	808	311,991	4 15 10
*1,926·13	" " 7th March ...	434,741	4,71,527	62,06,661	10,55,589	31,264	15,58,380	809	319,537	4 14 0
*1,926·13	" " 14th " ...	369,011	4,14,837	56,97,607	9,03,038	30,973	13,48,848	700	308,550	4 5 11
*1,926·13	" " 21st " ...	386,627	4,09,669	55,88,772	9,57,065	28,388	13,95,122	724	306,936	4 8 9
*1,926·13	" " 28th " ...	376,545	4,52,335	61,29,123	10,42,752	32,348	15,27,435	793	308,707	4 15 11
*1,926·13	" " 4th April ...	385,626	4,30,786	57,80,311	9,24,788	28,901	13,84,475	719	304,877	4 8 8
*1,926·13	" " 11th " ...	363,232	3,65,366	53,17,578	10,33,743	29,860	14,34,969	744	296,520	4 13 5
*1,926·13	" " 18th " ...	427,675	4,00,932	58,84,633	10,44,828	33,552	14,79,312	768	300,297	4 14 10
*1,926·13	" " 25th " ...	411,399	3,94,486	59,27,087	10,51,493	34,533	14,80,512	769	301,059	4 14 8
*1,926·13	" " 2nd May ...	432,113	3,61,747	60,06,789	11,25,395	37,836	15,24,980	792	309,980	4 14 9
*1,926·13	" " 9th " ...	472,341	3,61,642	58,46,928	11 21,031	35,141	15,33,814	799	312,387	4 14 10
*1,926·13	" " 16th " ...	464,831	3,48,429	61,29,471	11,54,912	35,809	15,39,150	799	318,529	4 13 4
*1,926·13	" " 23rd " ...	416,267	3,53,648	60,74,798	11,46,344	35,296	15,35 288	797	322,528	4 12 8
1,926·13	" " 30th " ...	426,614	3,62,904	57,94,299	10,45,275	30,349	14,38,528	747	302,534	4 12 1
1,926·13	" " 6th June ...	475,712	4,16,243	53,54,222	9,96,606	29,243	14,42,091	740	300,475	4 12 9
1,926·13	" " 13th " ...	480,828	4,09 269	54,13,154	9 78,737	30,085	14,09,091	732	301,089	4 10 2
1,926·13	" " 20th " ...	459,950	3 96,267	48,10,069	8,53,977	29,536	12,81,780	665	284,692	4 8 0
1,926·13	Last 10 days of " ...	636,274	5,64,042	61,89,888	10,51,004	42,194	16 57,230	861	378,769	4 6 1
	Suppl. for 31st March ...	10,296	20,945	28,74,137	12,211	37,282	46 016	24		
	" for 30th June ..	2,000	51,000	1,65,000	6 71,000	2,18,000	8,38,000	435		
	Totals up to date ...	10,727,507	1,08,17,953	14,93,61,414	2,47,39,221	5 75,037	3,61,32,211	725	7,943,899	4 8 9

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P.
1,838·04	11 days of January ...	514,285	5,30,478	87,38,287	16,87,881	35,340	22,08,299	1,190	477,510	4 9 10
1,838·04	Week ended 18th " ...	372,213	3,44,787	50,37,625	9,42,391	22,743	13,09,471	712	301,302	4 5 6
1,838·04	" " 25th " ..	364,471	3,57,440	62,64,836	10,66,158	27,348	14,50,946	789	318,092	4 10 2
1,838·04	" " 1st Feb. ...	350,914	3,62,584	59,61,061	10,58,073	23,074	14,45,231	786	309,278	4 10 9
1,838·04	" " 8th " ...	401,029	4,36,653	54,35,791	9,91,457	24,720	14,53,230	791	313,590	4 10 2
1,838·04	" " 15th " ...	384,377	3,87,799	59,18,422	10,00,741	24,845	14,13,485	769	313,802	4 8 1
1,838·04	" " 22nd " ...	420,832	4,02,990	57,93,285	10,30,618	26,991	14,60,523	791	315,398	4 10 0
1,838·04	" " 1st March ...	409,195	4,02,809	57,96,773	10,86,121	23,875	15,12,805	823	320,979	4 11 5
1,838·04	" " 8th " ...	442,705	4,35,751	56,86,936	10,35,653	23,477	14,94,881	813	316,375	4 11 2
1,838·04	" " 15th " ...	420,558	4,15,553	53,91,909	9,50,807	25,180	13,91,540	757	308,662	4 8 2
1,838·04	" " 22nd " ...	383,421	4,12,265	58,25,831	10,10,404	27,657	14,50,416	789	316,887	4 9 7
1,838·04	" " 29th " ...	352,746	3,70,815	47,04,668	8,22 537	22,583	12,15,935	662	304,485	3 15 11
1,838·04	" " 5th April .	376,494	3,83,340	54,53,128	9,60,538	24,133	13,68,020	744	306,386	4 7 5
1,838·04	" " 12th " .	398,961	3,48,169	59,47,884	11,13,804	22,565	14 84,538	808	323,091	4 9 5
1,838·04	" " 19th " ...	395,171	3,59,907	62,66,999	11,22,041	27,143	15,09,151	821	334,748	4 10 4
1,838·04	" " 26th " ...	420,876	3,75,797	62,37,565	11,16,880	26,919	15,19,596	827	322,190	4 11 6
1,847·79	" " 3rd May ..	419,769	3,84,257	64,19,420	11,67,200	25,205	15,60,662	830	328,806	4 12 3
1,906·29	" " 10th " ...	471,948	3,82,071	65,19,006	11,33,638	26,151	15,41,840	809	333,720	4 9 11
1,906·29	" " 17th " ...	444,014	3,66,445	61,51,670	11,33,094	31,980	15 31,183	803	331,174	4 10 0
1,906·29	" " 24th " ...	435 835	3,54,444	62,34,787	10,88,732	24,972	14,68,148	770	324,976	4 8 3
1,906·29	" " 31st " ...	408,324	3,63,357	62,22,011	10,48,984	23,790	14,81,181	751	319,526	4 7 8
1,906·29	" " 7th June ...	413,465	4,00,745	56,66,113	10,50,321	21,778	14,73,844	776	323,052	4 9 1
1,912·28	" " 14th " ...	435,348	3,92,071	61,92,063	9,68,601	24,160	13,84,832	724	318,135	4 5 8
1,918·28	" " 21st " ..	479,594	4,05,901	50,74,488	8,87,338	33,907	13,27,146	694	304,049	4 5 10
1,918·28	Last 9 days of " .	559,778	527,749	58,31,054	10,76,085	31,300	16,35,734	855	3,85,955	4 3 10
	Suppl. for 31st March ...	541	2,964	68 434	38,893	28,206	70,153	34	......	..
	" for 30th June ...	11,036	42,256	86,775	11,17,836	1,29,991	12,05,061	630		..
	Totals up to date ...	10,479,904	99,49,376	14,84,05,473	2,54,14,853	5,40,340	3,59,13,560	746	8,100,870	4 8 5

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earn'ngs (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	32,242	7,762 0 0	17,514 0	617 0 0	13 0 0	8,392 0 0	1,489	203	1,672
Do per mile of railway ...	.. ..	349 2 8	.....	27 12 1	0 9 4	377 8 1	.....	.....	...
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year	623,601*	1,59,903 0 0*	5,65,090 0†	19,818 0 0†	494 0 0‡	1,79,915 0 0	26,177§	3,545§	29,722
Total for 25½ weeks ...	653,843	1,67,365 0 0	5,82,604 0	20,435 0 0	507 0 0	1,88,307 0 0	27,666	3,748	31,394
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 9 days of previous year.	18,068	6,036 8 1	32,136 0	872 8 0	8 1 3	7,816 14 4	1,300	196	1,496
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	312 0 5	.....	39 3 11	0 5 10	351 10 2	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 25½ weeks of previous year.	637,642	1,61,301 7 10	5,43,558 10	19,913 2 9	719 10 7	1,81,933 4 5	27,852	3,344	31,196

* Added No. of passengers 2,569 and Rs. 178 } on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th
† Do. Mds. 536 and deducted " 83 } and 23rd May 1903.

‡ { Added " 75 on account of Supplemental figures for 31st March 1903.
Do. " 209 " " of Rents in dwelling-houses, &c., not included in previous returns.

§ Audited figures up to 23rd May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	10 days of January ...	28,612	7,149	27,857	1,086	11	8,256	371	1,716	4 13 0
*22·23	Week ended 17th " ...	20,436	4,936	23,146	729	13	5,677	255	1,188	4 12 5
*22·23	" " 24th " ...	22,667	5,384	18,117	667	18	6,069	273	1,188	5 1 9
*22·23	" " 31st " ...	22,874	5,441	22,919	873	7	6,321	284	1,188	5 5 2
*22·23	" " 7th Feb. ...	23,497	6,107	18,438	755	10	6,872	309	1,188	5 13 7
*22·23	" " 14th " ...	20,285	6,487	23,046	804	7	7,298	328	1,188	6 3 8
*22·23	" " 21st " ...	23,377	5,578	30,373	1,121	12	6,711	302	1,188	5 10 5
*22·23	" " 28th " ...	26,677	10,755	27,945	881	4	11,640	524	1,474	7 14 4
*22·23	" " 7th Mar....	26,290	6,708	21,181	712	6	7,426	334	1,188	6 4 0
*22·23	" " 14th " ...	22,846	6,049	21,290	849	11	7,509	338	1,188	6 5 2
*22·23	" " 21st " ...	23,893	5,913	21,053	908	8	6,919	311	1,188	5 13 3
*22·23	" " 28th " ...	22,950	5,586	75,558	1,855	12	7,553	340	1,148	6 5 9
*22·23	" " 4th April ...	25,803	6,950	22,401	949	5	7,903	356	1,188	6 10 5
*22·23	" " 11th " ...	37,408	10,966	24,156	927	8	11,891	535	1,276	9 5 1
*22·23	" " 18th "	44,814	13,573	17,291	672	9	14,254	641	1,496	9 8 5
*22·23	" " 25th " ...	17,340	4,023	29,297	991	15	5,030	227	1,188	4 3 10
*22·23	" " 2nd May ...	22,171	5,515	22,686	727	9	6,251	281	1,188	5 4 6
*22·23	" " 9th " ...	32,232	8,443	19,662	757	7	9,207	416	1,188	7 13 7
*22·23	" " 16th " ...	24,892	6,314	17,253	674	11	6,999	312	1,188	5 13 4
*22·23	" " 23rd " ...	21,509	5,179	17,955	744	4	5,927	267	1,188	4 15 10
22·23	" " 30th " ...	20,645	4 873	16,078	671	7	5,551	250	1,188	4 10 9
22·23	" " 6th June...	22,535	5,640	15,103	577	5	6,225	280	1,188	5 3 10
22·23	" " 13th " ...	21,760	5,711	15,470	593	9	6,313	284	1,188	5 5 0
22·23	" " 20th " ...	21,353	5,453	9,799	396	9	5,860	264	1,188	4 14 11
22·23	Last 10 days of " ...	32,242	7,762	17,514	617	13	8,392	378	1,672	5 0 4
	Suppl. for 31st March ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	75	3	.....	.....
	Do. for 30th June .	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	200	9	.....	.....
	Totals up to date ...	653,843	1,67,365	582,604	20,435	507	1,88,307	328	31,394	6 0 9

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	11 days of January ...	31,035	7,209	32,835	1,254	16	8,479	381	1,914	4 6 11
22·23	Week ended 16th " ...	21,339	4,939	13,777	644	9	5,592	247	1,188	4 10 0
22·23	" " 23rd " ...	22,571	5,576	22,280	839	6	6,331	286	1,188	5 5 7
22·23	" " 1st Feb.	20,860	4,872	20,214	776	3	5,653	254	1,188	4 12 2
22·23	" " 8th " "	24,347	4,921	21,300	807	12	5,730	255	1,188	4 13 3
22·23	" " 15th " "	20,483	4,869	19,786	807	5	5,681	256	1,188	4 12 6
22·23	" " 22nd " "	27,757	6,789	23,420	874	10	7,673	345	1,188	6 7 4
22·23	" " 1st March ..	26,116	5,989	25,912	911	9	6,909	311	1,188	5 13 1
22·23	" " 8th " .	35,938	9,751	21,488	938	6	10,676	480	1,332	8 10 8
22·23	" " 15th " ..	26,982	6,618	20,796	887	13	7,518	349	1,296	5 15 6
22·23	" " 22nd " ..	24,018	6,180	21,144	902	7	7,089	317	1,188	5 14 9
22·23	" " 29th " ..	23,183	5,775	20,503	784	7	6,566	295	1,188	5 8 8
22·23	" " 5th April ..	26,163	6,622	25,269	785	9	7,346	332	1,188	6 3 7
22·23	" " 12th " .	39,340	11,171	18,848	809	11	11,991	539	1,980	9 1 4
22·23	" " 19th " ..	36,140	11,858	14,017	926	10	12,794	571	1,364	9 4 11
22·23	" " 26th " ..	21,448	5,885	17,728	815	10	6,710	302	1,188	5 10 4
22·23	" " 3rd May ..	23,816	5,404	19,816	724	8	6,136	276	1,188	5 2 6
22·23	" " 10th " ..	23,311	6 292	14,056	630	7	6,929	312	1,188	5 13 4
22·23	" " 17th " ..	23 747	5,340	14,881	625	8	5,981	265	1,188	4 15 3
22·23	" " 24th " .	22,357	5,502	38,080	1,131	5	6,738	303	1,188	5 10 7
22·23	" " 31st " ..	20,396	4,813	24,387	770	11	5,594	252	1,188	4 11 6
22·23	" " 7th June .	19,782	4,906	15,000	602	9	5,577	251	1,188	4 11 1
22·23	" " 14th "	23,157	5,450	20,192	639	10	6,129	276	1,188	5 2 7
22·23	" " 21st " ..	26,9 0	6,633	21,893	461	4	7,100	319	1,188	5 15 7
22·23	Last 9 days of " ...	26,062	6,980	89,326	873	8	7,817	352	1,496	5 3 7
	Suppl. for 31st March .	.....	.....	.....	5	25	30	4	.....	.....
	Do. for 30th June .	223	739	15	5	433	1,176	53	.....	.....
	Totals up to date ...	6,37,482	1,61,301	5,43,558	19,912	720	1,81,933	317	31,196	5 13 4

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 162·24 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	30,987	30,056 0 0	1,29,915 0	14,603 0 0	73 0 0	44,732 0 0	13,884	4,958	18,842
Or per mile of railway ...	...	185 4 1	....	90 0 2	0 7 2	275 11 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year	575,335*	5,73,736 0 0*	24,06,766 0†	2,97,551 0 0†	7,806 0 0‡	8,79,063 0 0	241,100§	1,06,963§	348,063
Total for 24½ weeks ...	606,322	6,03,792 0 0	25,36,681 0	3,12,154 0 0	7,879 0 0	9,23,815 0 0	254,984	1,11,911	366,895
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 9 days of previous year.	30,505	26,194 10 8	1,14,969 0	10,588 2 1	52 15 8	36,835 12 0	11,236	6,874	18,110
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	161 7 4	.....	65 4 2	0 5 3	227 0 9	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 25½ weeks of previous year.	579,346	5,11,919 11 8	20,17,484 20	3,19,169 7 9	7,645 1 1	8,38,734 4 6	220,647	1,23,364	344,011

* Deducted No. of passengers 438 and added Rs. 2,392 on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May 1903.
Do. " " 961 and " 2,431 " of supplemental figures for 31st March 1903.
Added " " 500 and " 7,000 " of special trains, &c., not included in previous returns.
† Deducted maunds 12,334 and added " 461 " of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May 1903.
Do. " 1,025 " of supplemental figures for 31st March 1903.
Do. " 2,79,000 and " 9,000 " of estimated amount of revenue, coal and stores for the half-year.
‡ Deducted " 76 " of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May 1903.
Added " 709 " of supplemental figures for 31st March 1903.
Do. " 4,800 " of rents of dwelling-houses, &c., not included in previous returns.
§ Audited figures up to 23rd May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·24	10 days of Jan. ...	41,660	43,925	98,516	10,636	166	54,729	337	31,819	1 9 8
*162·24	Week ended 17th Jan. ...	24,540	52,378	37,660	9,753	295	62,305	384	13,667	4 9 0
*162·24	" " 24th " ...	26,431	34,531	1,06,797	13,456	321	48,310	298	15,746	3 1 1
*162·24	" " 31st " ...	31,095	18,417	1,35,816	15,914	232	34,563	213	15,623	2 3 4
*162·24	" " 7th Feb. ...	22,838	16,471	1,19,067	12,615	94	29,180	180	13,864	2 1 9
*162·24	" " 14th " ...	19,196	18,500	1,06,497	14,047	51	32,598	201	14,127	2 5 9
*162·24	" " 21st " ...	19,647	16,133	1,16,853	12,755	53	28,941	178	14,122	2 0 7
*162·24	" " 28th " ...	20,673	16,847	1,34,698	14,814	70	31,731	195	13,646	2 4 7
*162·24	" " 7th Mar. ...	21,799	18,054	1,20,160	13,440	63	31,557	164	14,252	2 12 7
*162·24	" " 14th " ...	20,301	17,463	1,06,021	13,061	104	30,648	189	13,962	2 3 1
*162·24	" " 21st " ...	24,351	25,354	1,20,977	13,675	77	39,006	240	14,685	2 10 6
*162·24	" " 28th " ...	25,450	31,706	1,39,572	15,325	77	47,108	290	16,100	2 14 10
*162·24	" " 4th April ...	24,961	25,971	91,841	12,783	93	38,846	239	13,611	2 7 9
*162·24	" " 11th " ...	22,354	23,244	1,01,542	13,271	61	36,576	225	14,373	2 8 9
*162·24	" " 18th " ...	20,135	25,746	71,535	10,405	67	37,198	229	13,962	2 10 8
*162·24	" " 25th " ...	24,763	23,146	1,73,613	13,979	36	36,461	219	13,927	2 8 9
*162·24	" " 2nd May ...	23,468	25,392	1,54,140	17,542	46	44,980	264	14,155	3 0 6
*162·24	" " 9th " ...	22,441	21,625	1,05,090	12,113	51	33,988	209	13,514	2 7 4
*162·24	" " 16th " ...	23,216	22,073	85,676	10,282	43	32,398	200	13,681	2 6 1
*162·24	" " 23rd " ...	21,280	17,689	1,09,623	12,568	40	30,297	187	13,656	2 3 9
162·24	" " 30th " ...	22,270	18,574	1,07,016	12,089	72	30,735	189	13,815	2 3 7
162·24	" " 6th June ...	25,300	20,229	1,03,936	11,679	62	31,970	197	13,052	2 7 3
162·24	" " 13th " ...	25,443	19,604	99,564	12,256	51	31,913	197	13,552	2 5 8
162·24	" " 20th " ...	23,065	21,115	98,740	10,366	51	31,532	194	13,387	2 5 6
162·24	Last 10 days of " ...	30,987	30,056	1,29,915	14,603	73	44,732	276	18,842	2 6 0
	Suppl. for 31st March ...	961	2,431	.....	1,025	709	3,747	17	.....	.....
	" " 30th June ...	500	7,000	2,79,000	9,000	4,800	3,800	17	.....	.....
	Totals up to date ...	606,322	6,03,792	25,36,681	3,12,154	7,879	9,23,815	220	366,895	2 8 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1903.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	11 days of Jan. ...	25,067	20,571	1,55,491	18,783	66	39,420	243	18,248	2 2 7
162·24	Week ended 18th Jan. ...	16,445	11,691	1,01,583	10,898	64	22,650	140	13,074	1 14 9
162·24	" " 25th " ...	18,925	13,985	2,77,624	16,113	49	30,117	185	13,690	2 6 5
162·24	" " 1st Feb. ...	19,322	16,688	1,13,118	11,008	70	27,763	171	13,813	2 4 1
162·24	" " 8th " ...	18,702	16,626	87,205	10,936	70	27,632	170	13,303	2 4 1
162·24	" " 15th " ...	19,477	15,881	2,62,756	15,004	61	30,956	191	13,613	2 7 3
162·24	" " 22nd " ...	23,267	17,153	1,93,061	16,068	93	33,334	205	11,997	2 13 2
162·24	" " 1st March ...	22,775	18,663	1,71,585	14,391	77	33,131	204	11,780	2 13 1
162·24	" " 8th " ...	23,825	19,522	94,365	11,710	95	31,328	193	13,504	2 10 3
162·24	" " 15th " ...	22,944	23,092	1,35,606	11,414	85	34,589	213	13,193	2 8 8
162·24	" " 22nd " ...	21,916	21,882	1,26,823	15,579	66	37,397	230	14,668	2 11 3
162·24	" " 29th " ...	22,063	24,288	1,44,747	16,558	45	40,880	252	15,196	2 11 8
162·24	" " 5th April ...	25,317	25,509	2,30,615	12,979	90	38,578	238	14,143	2 7 6
162·24	" " 12th " ...	21,023	21,061	1,10,624	12,766	88	33,900	209	13,686	2 7 6
162·24	" " 19th " ...	20,158	19,148	1,15,127	11,667	50	31,059	191	13,806	2 5 10
162·24	" " 26th " ...	24,072	23,823	1,16,617	13,959	44	36,826	227	14,417	2 9 10
162·24	" " 3rd May ...	22,946	21,093	1,13,539	9,365	61	30,519	188	14,034	2 3 1
162·24	" " 10th " ...	23,153	19,317	89,960	12,495	59	31,901	196	14,490	2 6 3
162·24	" " 17th " ...	24,040	20,058	93,924	13,351	53	33,461	200	13,593	2 9 11
162·24	" " 24th " ...	24,870	19,543	1,15,742	16,003	70	35,616	220	13,952	2 14 0
162·24	" " 31st " ...	25,636	21,355	5,93,407	13,349	64	39,768	246	13,553	2 6 4
162·24	" " 7th June ...	24,621	20,007	107,878	15,374	44	35,425	206	13,928	2 6 8
162·24	" " 14th " ...	26,564	20,736	85,925	11,336	51	32,143	198	13,905	2 9 5
162·24	" " 21st " ...	26,537	22,705	1,12,791	12,659	44	35,408	218	13,687	2 9 7
162·24	Last 9 days of " ...	30,505	26,194	1,14,969	10,588	53	36,835	227	16,110	.....
	Suppl. for 31st March ...	365	674	1,583	132	1,923	3,229	16	.....	.....
	" " 30th June ...	5,544	11,997	6,65,945	17,373	4,118	1,165	7	.....	.....
	Totals up to date ...	579,346	5,11,919	20,17,485	3,19,169	7,645	8,38,734	220	344,011	2 7 0

* Audited figures.

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period	20,131	10,911 0 0	36,383 0	3,093 0 0	49 0 0	14,053 0 0	2,644	1,283	3,927
Or per mile of railway	.....	138 8 6	...	39 4 4	0 10 0	178 6 10	..	.....	.....
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year	347,257*	1,72,873 0 0*	12,37,981 0†	85,157 0 0†	1,557 0 0‡	2,59,587 0 0	..44,082§	27,905§	72,987
Total for 25½ weeks ...	367,388	1,83,784 0 0	12,74,364 0	88,250 0 0	1,606 0 0	2,73,640 0 0	47,626	29,188	76,814
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 9 days of previous year	19,473	9,548 5 2	43,836 20	2,748 7 0	53 6 6	12,350 2 8	2,416	1,207	3,623
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year	.....	121 3 9	.....	34 14 4	0 10 10	156 12 11	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 25½ weeks of previous year	360,088	1,82,504 12 5	10,03,783 20	80,150 2 0	1,705 5 9	2,64,420 4 2	50,767	25,699	76,466

* {Added No. of passengers 1,489 and deducted Rs. 454. On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May 1903.
Do. 9 " " " 11 " " of supplemental figures for 31st March 1903.
† {Do. Mds. 23,577 and " " 460 " " of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May 1903.
Deducted " 1,36,000 " " 2,300 " " of estimated amount of revenue coal and stores for the half-year.
‡ {Added Rs. 16. On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May 1903.
Do. " 404 " of supplemental figures for 31st March 1903.
Do. " 400 " of rents of dwelling-houses, &c., not included in previous returns.
§ Audited figures up to 23rd May 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*78·76	10 days of January	14,161	7,431	57,786	3,951	23	11,405	145	4,096	2 12 7
*78·76	Week ended 17th January ...	11,783	5,764	66,927	3,089	26	8,849	113	3,365	2 9 10
*78·76	" " 24th " ...	12,336	6,430	57,207	2,625	20	9,085	115	3,535	2 8 3
*78·76	" " 31st " ...	13,114	6,849	49,515	2,855	20	9,724	123	3,992	2 4 0
*78·76	" " 7th February	13,177	7,104	41,608	2,695	20	10,019	127	3,590	2 13 6
*78·76	" " 14th " ...	14,312	7,554	42,615	2,975	16	10,545	134	3,590	4 0 11
*78·76	" " 21st " ...	14,282	7,820	31,735	3,077	24	10,921	139	3,078	4 1 3
*78·76	" " 28th " ...	15,883	8,300	74,289	5,422	31	13,753	175	3,509	5 4 8
*78·76	" " 7th March ..	16,741	8,873	62,773	4,254	47	13,174	167	3,220	4 1 3
*78·76	" " 14th " ...	13,515	6,867	55,889	3,465	37	10,369	131	3,287	3 1 0
*78·76	" " 21st " ...	16,686	9,567	71,603	4,985	42	14,475	184	3,914	4 15 6
*78·76	" " 28th " ...	17,271	9,455	64,801	3,949	28	13,432	171	3,914	4 9 9
*78·76	" " 4th April ...	17,346	10,117	87,169	6,310	28	16,455	210	3,150	5 3 7
*78·76	" " 11th " ...	11,098	5,819	61,748	4,127	33	9,979	127	2,993	3 5 4
*78·76	" " 18th " ...	13,741	6,894	70,156	3,622	41	10,557	134	3,465	3 12 2
*78·76	" " 25th " ...	10,256	4,343	72,664	3,424	36	7,803	99	3,150	2 7 8
*78·76	" " 2nd May ...	14,140	6,344	58,867	4,091	30	10,365	132	3,150	3 4 6
*78·76	" " 9th " ...	18,855	8,482	80,396	5,735	33	13,250	168	2,914	4 8 3
*78·76	" " 16th " ...	15,313	6,560	68,509	4,654	33	11,187	142	2,465	3 3 8
*78·76	" " 23rd " ...	13,918	6,120	49,451	3,603	44	9,767	124	2,993	3 4 3
78·76	" " 30th " ...	15,236	6,910	37,598	2,743	30	9,683	123	2,894	3 5 6
78·76	" " 6th June ...	14,606	7,046	38,322	2,806	33	9,975	127	3,014	3 4 11
78·76	" " 13th " ...	15,373	6,765	35,500	2,353	34	9,142	116	2,756	3 5 1
78·76	" " 20th " ...	14,606	6,619	39,385	2,506	34	9,159	116	2,717	3 5 11
78·76	Last 10 days of " ...	20,131	10,911	36,383	3,093	49	14,053	178	3,927	3 9 3
	Suppl. for 31st March ...	9	11	.....	.....	404	415	5		.....
	" " 30th June ...	...	.....	1,26,000	2,300	400	1,900	24		....
	Totals up to date ...	367,388	1,83,784	12,74,364	88,250	1,606	2,73,640	134	76,814	3 9 0

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	11 days of January	19,440	10,617	55,727	3,617	20	14,054	179	4,368	3 1 4
78·76	Week ended 18th January ...	11,389	5,638	35,398	2,397	19	8,154	104	2,835	2 14 9
78·76	" " 25th " ...	13,043	6,983	58,926	2,865	33	9,880	126	2,835	3 7 9
78·76	" " 1st February	12,343	6,346	33,070	2,178	9	8,485	107	3,150	2 10 10
78·76	" " 8th " ...	13,181	6,717	38,166	2,230	13	8,960	114	3,071	2 14 6
78·76	" " 15th " ...	12,217	6,304	30,674	2,133	17	8,454	114	2,836	2 2 6
78·76	" " 22nd " ...	14,735	8,160	33,796	2,476	30	10,666	135	2,992	3 9 0
78·76	" " 1st March ...	15,653	9,408	37,731	2,819	21	11,948	148	2,835	4 1 9
78·76	" " 8th " ...	14,492	8,678	34,939	2,579	26	11,163	135	2,678	4 3 9
78·76	" " 15th " ...	14,340	8,141	42,926	3,234	22	13,397	170	2,993	4 7 7
78·76	" " 22nd " ...	16,139	9,619	53,914	4,358	17	13,994	177	2,993	4 10 8
78·76	" " 29th " ...	13,451	8,179	53,316	4,038	25	12,242	155	3,071	3 15 9
78·76	" " 5th April ...	15,589	8,283	71,005	5,085	33	13,341	169	2,993	4 7 4
78·76	" " 12th " ...	15,155	7,531	62,009	4,619	24	12,174	155	2,835	4 4 8
78·76	" " 19th " ...	15,785	7,975	46,931	3,336	15	10,926	139	2,913	3 12 9
78·76	" " 26th " ...	13,271	5,737	35,983	4,013	22	9,771	124	3,071	3 2 11
78·76	" " 3rd May ...	12,705	5,750	53,782	4,108	20	9,894	126	3,150	3 2 9
78·76	" " 10th " ...	14,401	6,357	48,046	3,623	16	9,996	127	2,993	3 5 5
78·76	" " 17th " ...	14,037	6,094	50,037	3,440	21	9,554	121	2,993	3 3 1
78·76	" " 24th " ...	14,749	6,264	44,312	2,913	23	9,201	117	3,071	2 15 11
78·76	" " 31st " ...	15,930	6,980	91,138	5,834	20	9,924	126	2,756	3 9 7
78·76	" " 7th June ..	15,422	6,196	41,791	2,844	22	9,074	115	2,914	3 1 10
78·76	" " 14th " ...	13,109	5,853	41,638	2,706	22	8,671	110	3,071	2 13 2
78·76	" " 21st " ...	15,068	6,957	46,950	2,937	18	9,902	118	3,228	3 14 1
78·76	Last 9 days of " ...	19,473	9,549	43,837	2,748	53	12,350	157	3,623	3 6 6
	Suppl. for 31st March ...	14	16	216	10	302	328	5	..	
	" " 30th June ...	20	71	2,48,089	3,561	831	3,959	34	.....	.....
	Totals up to date ...	360,088	1,82,005	10,03,784	80,150	1,705	2,64,420	130	76,466	3 7 4

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING N. B., K.-D., DACCA AND ASSAM-BEHAR SECTIONS.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 898 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for last 10 days ...	387,300	1,70,357 0 0	18,25,450 0	2,12,370 0 0	46,790 0 0	4,29,510 0 0	54,672	53,622	108,294
Or per mile of railway	431	190 0 0	2,033 0	236 0 0	39 0 0*	465 0 0*	.....	.....	... .
For previous 25 weeks of half-year†	6,153,968	30,25,869 0 0	2,51,78,023 0	32,90,471 0 0	4,10,184 0 0	67,56,474 0 0	944,326	923,212	1,860,538
Total for 26 weeks ...	6,541,268	31,96,219 0 0	2,70,03,473 0	35,02,841 0 0	4,56,974 0 0	71,85,984 0 0	998,998	975,834	1,974,832
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 9 days of previous year	367,087	1,73,676 0 0	18,00,163 0	2,06,154 0 0	55,044 0 0	4,33,474 0 0	46,140	42,592	90,732
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (861 miles)	427	202 0 0	2,091 0	239 0 0	64 0 0	485 0 0	.....	.....	... ..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	6,392,190	30,25,153 0 0	3 04,29,090 0	42,97,701 0 0	6,41,302 0 0	79,64,061 0 0	992,256	1,048,442	2,040,698

* Excluding ferry earnings, Rs. 12,000.
† Audited up to week ended 2nd May 1903.

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 10 days	7,890	2,800 0 0	9,320 0	537 0 0	50 0 0	3,380 0 0	1,670	1,066	2,736
Or per mile of railway	132	47 0 0	157 0	14 0 0	1 0 0	62 0 0	... ..	... ..	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year*	199,184	60,469 0 0	4,63,305 0	30,536 0 0	941 0 0	91,946 0 0	25,338	16,664	42,002
Total for 26 weeks ...	207,004	63,269 0 0	4,72,625 0	31,366 0 0	991 0 0	95,326 0 0	27,008	17,730	44,738
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 9 days of previous year	9,671	3,452 0 0	19,878 0	1,523 0. 0	15 0 0	4,993 0 0	1,536	1,598	3,134
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	163	58 0 0	330 0	26 0 0	.....	84 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	191,363	55,713 0 0	5,81,103 0	40,674 0 0	569 0 0	96,956 0 0	27,706	23,862	51,568

* Audited up to week ended 2nd May 1903.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 53·14 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for last 10 days ...	11,610	3,900 0 0	11,960 0	640 0 0	30 0 0	4,570 0 0	1,732	388	2,120
Or per mile of railway ...	218	73 0 0	225 0	12 0 0	1 0 0	86 0 0	...	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year*	241,213	64,490 0 0	3,51,461 0	19,094 0 0	389 0 0	84,573 0 0	26,545	12,935	39,480
Tota for 26 weeks ...	252,823	68,390 0 0	3,63,351 0	20,334 0 0	419 0 0	89,143 0 0	28,277	13,323	41,600
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 9 days of previous year ...	11,790	4,192 0 0	10,920 0	543 0 0	23 0 0	4,758 0 0	1,605	1,092	2,797
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	221	79 0 0	205 0	10 0 0	.....	89 0 0	... ...	.....	.....
To'al to corresponding date of previous year	249,773	69,257 0 0	507,101 0	24,124 0 0	454 0 0	93,835 0 0	26,300	20,571	46,871

* Audited up to week ended 2nd May 1903.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for last 10 days ...	42,970	11,960 0 0	20,570 0	1,640 0 0	530 0 0	14,130 0 0	4,262	2,910	7,172
Or per mile of railway ...	499	140 0 0	239 0	19 0 0	6 0 0	165 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 26 weeks of half-year*	656,641	1,88,784 0 0	10,06,657 0	64,893 0 0	5,663 0 0	2,59,340 0 0	68,617	40,491	108,908
Total for 26 weeks ...	699,611	2,00,774 0 0	10,27,227 0	66,533 0 0	6,193 0 0	2,73,500 0 0	72,699	43,401	116,100
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 9 days of previous year	54,029	11,790 0 0	1,05,940 0	3,176 0 0	—3,198 0 0	11,768 0 0	3,505	2,021	5,526
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	628	137 0 0	1,232 0	37 0 0	—37 0 0	137 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	756,239	2,11,571 0 0	14,71,223 0	1,15,768 0 0	6,099 0 0	3,33,348 0 0	73,308	57,820	130,128

* Audited up to week ended 2nd May 1903.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 45·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for last 10 days ...	4,080	2,150 0 0	13,410 0	1,430 0 0	40 0 0	3,620 0 0	728	1,914*	2,642
Or per mile of railway ...	121	64 0 0	399 0	43 0 0	1 0 0	108 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 25 weeks of half-year†	71,038	28,668 0 0	6,63,446 0	29,915 0 0	554 0 0	59,137 0 0	6,906	42,768	49,674
Total for 26 weeks ...	75,118	30,818 0 0	6,76,856 0	31,345 0 0	594 0 0	62,757 0 0	7,634	44,682	52,316
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 9 days of previous year	2,900	2,079 0 0	18,532 0	1,354 0 0	—606 0 0	2,827 0 0	337	1,381	1,718
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	86	62 0 0	543 0	40 0 0	—18 0 0	84 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	71,377	27,417 0 0	10,25,981 0	34,459 0 0	645 0 0	62,521 0 0	8,484	33,846	42,330

* Audited up to week ended 2nd May 1903.
† Ballast train-miles, 1,650.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(Including N. B., K.-D., Dacca, and Assam-Behar Sections.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 11 days of July 1903 on 898 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 11 days ...	406,630	1,83,500 0 0	12,10,650 0	1,35,840 0 0	9,780 0 0	3,79,120 0 0*	64,277	57,898	121,87
Or per mile of railway	228	102 0 0	674 0	103 0 0	1 0 0*	206 0 0*	...	...	...
Total for 2 weeks ...	406,630	1,83,500 0 0	12,10,650 0	1,35,840 0 0	9,780 0 0	3,79,120 0 0	64,277	57,898	121 87.
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 13 days of previous year ...	436,044	1,94,450 0 0	11,55,453 0	1,91,044 0 0	10,536 0 0	3,96,330 0 0	66,551	54,455	120, 07
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (861 miles)	247	113 0 0	671 0	111 0 0	1 0 0	225 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	436,044	1,94,450 0 0	11,55,453 0	1,91,044 0 0	10,536 0 0	3,96,330 0 0	66,551	54,455	120 006

* Excluding ferry earnings Rs. 2,500.

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 11 days of July 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 11 days	12,920	3,500 0 0	10,790 0	860 0 0	50 0 0	4,470 0 0	1,832	8 8	2,640
Or per mile of railway	109	30 0 0	91 0	7 0 0	1 0 0	38 0 0	...	...	...
Total for 2 weeks ...	12,920	3,500 0 0	10,790 0	860 0 0	50 0 0	4,470 0 0	1,832	808	2,640
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 12 days of previous year	12,106	3,537 0 0	18,031 0	1,722 0 0	71 0 0	5,330 0 0	2,304	1,580	4,184
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	102	30 0 0	152 0	14 0 0	1 0 0	45 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	12,106	3,537 0 0	18,031 0	1,722 0 0	71 0 0	5,330 0 0	2,304	1,880	4,184

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 11 days of July 1903 on 53·14 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 11 days ...	12,320	3,260 0 0	7,760 0	660 0 0	30 0 0	3,950 0 0	1,884	448	2,332
Or per mile of railway	116	31 0 0	73 0	6 0 0	.....	37 0 0	...	...	...
Total for 2 weeks ...	12,320	3,260 0 0	7,760 0	660 0 0	30 0 0	3,950 0 0	1,884	448	2,332
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 12 days of previous year	14,216	3,719 0 0	10,220 0	661 0 0	30 0 0	4,410 0 0	1,908	1,286	3,194
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	133	35 0 0	96 0	6 0 0	.....	41 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	14,216	3,719 0 0	10,220 0	661 0 0	30 0 0	4,410 0 0	1,908	1,286	3,194

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 11 days of July 1903 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 11 days	55,730	15,270 0 0	23,350 0	2,070 0 0	330 0 0	17,670 0 0	4,813	3,125	7,938
Or per mile of railway	344	89 0 0	130 0	12 0 0	2 0 0	103 0 0	...	...	...
Total for 2 weeks ...	55,730	15,270 0 0	23,350 0	2,070 0 0	330 0 0	17,670 0 0	4,813	3,125	7,938
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 12 days of previous year	52,297	13,461 0 0	20,575 0	2,642 0 0	131 0 0	16,234 0 0	4,700	3,298	7,998
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	304	78 0 0	155 0	15 0 0	1 0 0	94 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	52,297	13,461 0 0	20,575 0	2,642 0 0	131 0 0	16,234 0 0	4,700	3,298	7,998

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 11 days of July 1903, on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 11 days ...	4,790	1,770 0 0	12,480 0	1,650 0 0	40 0 0	3,460 0 0	720	2,312*	3,032
Or per mile of railway ...	71	26 0 0	186 0	24 0 0	1 0 0	51 0 0	...	...	...
Total for 2 weeks ...	4,790	1,770 0 0	12,480 0	1,650 0 0	40 0 0	3,460 0 0	720	2,312	3,032
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 12 days of previous year ...	4,352	1,623 0 0	7,517 0	1,096 0 0	29 0 0	2,648 0 0	444	1,669	2,113
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	65	25 0 0	112 0	17 0 0	.....	40 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	4,352	1,623 0 0	7,517 0	1,096 0 0	29 0 0	2,648 0 0	444	1,669	2,113

* Ballast train-miles 1,800.

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 10 days of June	48,651	23,338 0 0	64,477 0	4,413 0 0	11,346 0 0	39,097 0 0	6,983	3,672	10,655
Or per mile of railway per week...	202	126 0 0†	325 0	22 0 0	57 0 0	205 0 0	...	.....	.....
For previous 26 weeks of half-year*	938,429	3,68,459 0 0	14,97,585 0	1,19,227 0 0	92,795 0 0	5,80,481 0 0	136,086	55,196	192,219
Total for 36 weeks ...	987,080	3,91,797 0 0	15,62,062 0	1,23,640 0 0	1,04,141 0 0	6,19,578 0 0	143,069	58,798	198,867
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding last 9 days of previous year	49,209	25,846 0 0	1,20,140 0	8,507 0 0	11,901 0 0	43,344 0 0	4,517	3,638	8,475
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	296	155 0 0	672 0	51 0 0	67 0 0	253 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	693,602	3,93,878 0 0	16,19,913 0	1,19,832 0 0	1,04,853 0 0	6,17,753 0 0	91,009	65,191	156,191

* Audited up to week ended 23rd May 1903.
† Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the week ending 30th May 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	2,646	532 8 11	23,417	532 2 0	11 0 0	1,075 10 11	293	211	504
Or per mile of railway ...	147·00	29 9 5	1,300·94	29 9 0	0 9 9	59 13 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 20½ weeks of half-year	43,846	9,940 4 0	3,74,960	9,538 4 0	506 2 0	19,984 12 0	6,320	4,139	10,459
Total for 21½ weeks ...	45,192	10,472 12 11	3,98,377	10,070 6 0	517 2 0	21,060 4 11	6,613	4,349	10,962
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,441	330 7 0	15,417	180 13 0	10 8 0	341 9 0	336	168	504
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	135·61	18 7 6	856·50	10 0 9	0 9 2	30 1 5	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	50·319	9,642 7 0	2,62,961	6,806 13 7	822 15 6	17,273 2 7	6,686	2,822	10,508

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the period ending 11th July 1903	Coaching ...	5,319	0	0	22,518	0	0
	Goods ...	17,114	0	0			
	Other earnings .	85	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	7,417	0	0	22,015	0	0
	Goods ...	14,490	0	0			
	Other earnings ...	108	0	0			
	Increase ...				503	0	0
Receipts per mile for the period ending 11th July 1903					441	8	6
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					431	10	8
	Increase ...				9	13	10
Receipts from 1st July to 11th July 1903					22,518	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					22,015	0	0
	Increase ...				503	0	0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING JULY 1903.

Date.	Day.	Madras time.	Remarks.
		H. M.	
29th ...	Wednesday ...	15 30	Arrive Berhampur.
30th ...	Thursday ...	13 0	To Plassey, where a short stay will be made.
31st ...	Friday ...	18 0	Arrive Calcutta (Prinsep's Ghat).

Arrival at all stations (except Murshidabad and Calcutta) will be public; all departures will be private. The usual salute will be fired on His Honour's arrivals at and departure from Calcutta.

The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Throughout the tour—

Mrs. Bourdillon.
Mr. E. L. L. Hammond, I.C.S., *Private Secretary.*
Captain E. Harding-Newman, *A.-D.-C.*
The Commissioner of the Division in which His Honour is travelling.

From 24th July—

Colonel Whitwell, I.M.S.

From 28th July—

Hon'ble Mr. C. E. Buckland, C.I.E.
Hon'ble Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S.I., *Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

Letters and telegrams should be addressed to "Lieutenant-Governor's Camp, Bengal," and the name of a post town *should not be added.*

By order,

DARJEELING,
The 11th July 1903.

E. L. L. HAMMOND, I.C.S.,
Offg. Private Secretary.

No. 3217A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3036A.—The 22nd July 1903.*—Kumar Gopendra Krishna Deb, District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Nadia during the Civil Court vacation in September and October 1903. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. J. D. Cargill.

Hooghly.
Nadia.

No. 3057A.—The 23rd July 1903.—Mr. W. Tennon, District and Sessions Judge, Mymensingh, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Dacca, during the Civil Court vacation in September and October next. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. B. V. Nicholl.

Mymensingh.
Dacca.

No. 3079A.—The 23rd July 1903.—Maulvi Mohamed Azhur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Shahabad district.

Shahabad.

No. 3081A.—The 23rd July 1903.—Babu Ashutosh Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Raniganj, Burdwan, is transferred to the head-quarters station of that district.

Burdwan.

No. 3083A.—The 23rd July 1903.—Babu Koylash Gobindo Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

No 3103A.—The 24th July 1903.—The order of the 9th July 1903, transferring Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district, is cancelled.

Howrah
Jessore.

No. 3107A.—The 24th July 1903.—Babu Bipin Bihari Pramanik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district on being relieved of his land acquisition work in the districts of Nadia and Murshidabad.

Jessore.
Nadia.
Murshidabad

No. 3125A.—The 25th July 1903.—The order of the 20th July 1903, appointing Mr. G. Milne, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Muzaffarpur, to have charge of the Dinapore subdivision of the Patna district, is cancelled.

Muzaffarpur.
Patna.

No. 3126A.—The 25th July 1903.—Mr. A. Mellor, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gaya, is appointed to have charge of the Dinapore subdivision of the Patna district.

Gaya.
Patna.

No. 3128A.—The 25th July 1903.—The order of the 15th July 1903, appointing Mr. C. H. Reid, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Champaran, to have charge of the Sasaram subdivision of the Shahabad district, is cancelled.

Champaran.
Shahabad.

No. 3130A.—The 25th July 1903.—Mr. G. Milne, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Muzaffarpur, is appointed to have charge of the Sasaram subdivision of the Shahabad district.

Muzaffarpur.
Shahabad.

No. 3159A.—The 27th July 1903.—Mr. J. C. K. Peterson, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Siwan, Saran, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. F. Graham, or until further orders.

Saran.

No. 3161A.—The 27th July 1903.—Mr. P. G. Rogers, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Saran, is appointed to have charge of the Siwan sub-division of that district, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. C. K. Peterson, or until further orders.

Saran.

No. 3170A.—The 27th July 1903.—Mr. F. P. Dixon, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Monghyr, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of Chittagong, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. E. Geake, or until further orders.

Monghyr.
Chittagong.

No. 3172A.—The 27th July 1903.—Mr. L. C. Adami, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Buxar, Shahabad, is appointed to act temporarily as Magistrate and Collector of Monghyr.

Shahabad.
Monghyr.

No. 3174A.—The 27th July 1903.—Mr. F. M. Luce, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Bhagalpur, is appointed to have charge of the Buxar sub-division of the Shahabad district, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. L. C. Adami, or until further orders.

Bhagalpur.
Shahabad.

POLICE.—*No. 3094A.—The 24th July 1903.*—Mr. F. C. Swaine, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Backergunge, is transferred to Bhagalpur.

Backergunge.
Bhagalpur.

No. 3208A.—The 28th July 1903.—Mr. A. V. Knyvett, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Northern and Western Range, on leave, is appointed to act as Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. W. Carlyle, C.I.E., I.C.S., or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of the appointment.

Calcutta.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3091A.—The 24th July 1903.*—Babu Rajani Ranjan Sen, B.L., acted as Law Lecturer, Chittagong College, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Rames Chunder Sen Roy.

Chittagong.

No. 3113A.—The 24th July 1903.—Shams-ul-Ulama Muhammad Abdulla is appointed to be an Additional Maulvi in the Arabic Department of the Calcutta Madrasah, with effect from the 14th April 1903.

Calcutta

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3047A.—The 22nd July 1903.*—The Revd. Charles Jordan, of the Baptist Missionary Society, Calcutta, is authorised, under section 6 of Act XV of 1872, to solemnize marriages between persons one or both of whom is a Christian or are Christians, and, under section 9 of the same Act, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians.

Calcutta.

The Revd. Charles Jordan is also appointed, under Act VI of 1880, to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths in Calcutta.

No. 3180A.—The 28th July 1903.—The Revd. Theodor Ferdinand Hahn, of the German Evangelical Lutheran Mission, residing at Purulia, is authorised, under section 6 of Act XV of 1872, to solemnize marriages between persons one or both of whom is a Christian or are Christians.

Manbhum.

The Revd. Theodor Ferdinand Hahn is also appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths in the district of Manbhum.

No. 3211A.—The 28th July 1903.—The Revd. Otto Hertzberg, of the German Evangelical Lutheran Mission, residing at Chakradharpur, Singhbhum, in Chota Nagpur, is authorised, under section 9 of Act XV of 1872, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians in the Native States of Bonai and Gangpur in Chota Nagpur.

Chota Nagpur.

No. 3214A.—The 28th July 1903.—The Revd. Gustav Lange, of the German Evangelical Lutheran Mission, residing at Karimatti, in the Native State of Gangpur, in Chota Nagpur, is authorised, under section 9 of Act XV of 1872, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians in the Native State of Gangpur in Chota Nagpur.

Chota Nagpur.

PROMOTIONS.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3204A.—The 28th July 1903.*—The following promotions are sanctioned in the Provincial Educational Service:—

Promoted to Class I.

Mr. P. J. Bruhl, with effect from the 24th July 1903, *vice* Babu Mathura Nath Chattopadhyaya, retired.

Promoted to Class II.

Mr. Jogendra Nath Das Gupta, with effect from the 24th July 1903, *vice* Mr. P. J. Bruhl.

Promoted to Class III.

Mr. Devendra Nath Mallik, with effect from the 24th July 1903, *vice* Mr. Jogendra Nath Das Gupta.

Promoted to Class IV.

Mr. Bhupati Nath Das, with effect from the 24th July 1903, *vice* Mr. Devendra Nath Mallik.

Promoted to Class V.

Mr. P. W. Byers, with effect from the 13th May 1903, *vice* Babu Bireswar Chatterjea, retired.

Babu Annada Prasad Bagchi, with effect from the 15th July 1903, *vice* Babu Bhuban Mohan Sen, retired.

„ Kunja Behari Basu, with effect from the 24th July 1903, *vice* Mr. Bhupati Nath Das.

Promoted to Class VI.

Babu Rasamay Mitra, with effect from the 13th May 1903, *vice* Mr. P. W. Byers.

„ Kaliprasanna Bhattacharyya, with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Babu Sagar Chandra Chakravarti, retired.

„ Rajendra Nath Banerjea, with effect from the 15th July 1903, *vice* Babu Annada Prosad Bagchi.

„ Rajmohan Sen, with effect from the 24th July 1903, *vice* Babu Kunja Behari Basu.

Promoted to Class VII.

Mahamahopadhyaya Govinda Sastri, with effect from the 13th May 1903, *vice* Babu Rasamay Mitra.

Babu Hridaya Chandra Banerji, with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Babu Kalipasanna Bhattacharyya, but seconded while on deputation.

„ Chuni Lal Sarkar, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 7th June 1903, *vice* Babu Pramatha Nath Mukerjea, deceased, and substantively with effect from the 15th July 1903, *vice* Babu Rajendra Nath Banerjea.

Maulvi Amjad Ali, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Babu Hridaya Chandra Banerji, seconded, and substantively with effect from the 24th July 1903, *vice* Babu Rajmohan Sen.

Babu Bijoy Gopal Mukerjea, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 15th July 1903, *vice* Babu Chuni Lal Sarkar, appointed substantively to Class VII.

Mr. Nagendra Chandra Mitra, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 24th July 1903, *vice* Maulvi Amjad Ali, appointed substantively to Class VII.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3053A.—The 23rd July 1903.*—Mr. H. G. W. Herron, I.C.S., has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave for six months on medical certificate.

No. 3063A.—The 23rd July 1903.—Mr. J. Clark, Deputy Commissioner, Manbhum, is allowed combined leave for eight months and fifteen days, viz., privilege leave for one month and fifteen days, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th June 1903, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

Manbhum.

No. 3101A.—The 24th July 1903.—Babu Bhobotosh Banerjee, late Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, was on extraordinary leave without allowances, under articles 339 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 25th March 1903 to the 24th June 1903, both days inclusive.

Burdwan.

No. 3116A.—The 23rd July 1903.—In modification of the orders dated the 9th March 1903, Maulvi Zakir Hossain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Saran, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th April 1903.

Saran.

No. 3157A.—The 27th July 1903.—Mr. J. F. Graham, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Saran, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st August 1903.

Saran.

No. 3169A.—The 27th July 1903.—Mr. E. Geake, Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for one month and twenty-seven days, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th August 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and special leave for the remaining period, under article 316 of the Regulations.

Chittagong.

No. 3210A.—The 28th July 1903.—Mr. T. S. Macpherson, I.C.S., is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for one month and two days, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd July 1903, and special leave for the remaining period under article 316 of the Regulations.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3030A.—The 22nd July 1903.*—Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon'ble H. L. Stephen, Commandant, 1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, has been granted by the General Officer Commanding the Presidency District, leave of absence from the 4th August to the 15th November 1903.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3089A.—The 24th July 1903.*—Babu Rames Chunder Sen Roy, Law Lecturer, Chittagong College, was on leave without allowances for twenty days, with effect from the 24th June 1903.

Chittagong.

No. 3206A.—The 28th July 1903.—Mr. Harinath De, Professor, Dacca College, is allowed leave for twenty-three days, with effect from the 21st July 1903, viz, fourteen days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the Regulations.

Dacca.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—*No. 3193A.—The 28th July 1903.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Richard Townsend Greer of his office of Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, with effect from the 31st July 1903.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3096A.—The 23rd July 1903.*—Babu Nogendra Chunder Sen, Deputy Collector, Rangpur, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Rangpur.

No. 3103A.—The 24th July 1903.—Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghose, Deputy Collector, employed on the work of acquiring lands required for the Ranaghat-Murshidabad Branch of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the districts of Nadia and Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in those districts.

Nadia. Murshidabad

No. 3183A.—The 28th July 1903.—Maulvi Syed Mohamed Abul Hayat, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Collector, Bankura, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Bankura.

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 2303For.—The 25th July 1903.—Mr. J. L. Baker, Assistant Conservator of Forests, second grade, officiating in the first grade, is promoted to officiate as Deputy Conservator of Forests, fourth grade, with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Sir Henry A. Farrington, Deputy Conservator of Forests, fourth grade, on leave, or until further orders.

No. 2359-O.—The 28th July 1903.—Mr. E. C. Godfrey, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 695T.R., dated the 21st May 1903.

Benares Agency.

No. 2178L.R.—The 17th July 1903.—Whereas it is expedient that a survey shall be made and record-of-rights be prepared in respect of all the lands included in the undermentioned estates belonging to Government falling under thanas Teghra, Begusarai, Gogri, Monghyr, Surujgarha, Sikandra and Chakai, in the district of Monghyr:

Monghyr.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 101 (2) (*c*) and 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands situated in the undermentioned estates.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant or occupant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.

(*e*) The rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid; and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

(*j*) The name of each proprietor, including rent-free owner with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quality, and one or more of the boundaries of proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

List of Government estates held under direct and farming managements in the district of Monghyr.

No.	Name of estate.	Tauzi No.	Name of revenue survey village in which situated.	Revenue survey No.	Pargana.	Thana.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Mahazi Bhawanandpur	3306	Bhawanandpur, &c. ...	15	Malki	Begusarai.
2	Taufir Jagan Saidpur Barari ...	7690	Jagan Saidpur	344	Do	Ditto.
3	Taufir Paithawan Barari ..	7091	Paithawan	345	Do.	Ditto.
4	Totarabad	2679	Totarabad	47	Pharkia	Gogri.
5	Amanat Sarkar, thana Parbata	3029	Parbata	2 V, 2nd	Do.	Do.
6	Gous, tappa Chautham	3141	Gaus	52 V, 3rd	Do ...	Do.
7	Murasi, tappa Chautham ..	3142	Murasi ...	54 V, 3rd	Do.	Do.
8	Dhanupra, Mutalgue Mohanpur, tappa Sarounja.	3309	Dhanupra	11 V, 1st	Do.	Do.
9	Binda desra Bhawali	1351	.....	No R. S. No. was allowed.	Do.	Do.
10	Amanat Sarkar, jalkar Mohui	3563	Besahi, Bhelwa, Sahgara	19 and 21 V, 1st.	Do.	Do.
11	Jafarnagar	606	Jafarnagar	13	Bullia ...	Monghyr.
12	Sarak Khan, Lakhesarai in Raghunathpur.	2927	Raghunathpur	190	Salemabad ...	Surujgarha.
13	B-class land in Gauhri	4454	Gauhri	13	Chandan Bhuka ..	Sikandra.
14	Land occupied by abolished Police post at Batteya.	7427	Batteya	23	Chakai	Chakai.

No. 2179L.R.—The 17th July 1903—Whereas a settlement of land revenue is being or is about to be made in respect of the undermentioned private temporarily-settled estates under the management of Government in the district of Monghyr:

Monghyr.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (*2*) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1893, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the undermentioned estates:—

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.

(*e*) The rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

(*f*) The name of each proprietor including rent-free owner with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

List of estates (property of private individuals temporarily settled with owners) under the management of Government in the district of Monghyr.

No.	Name of estate.	Tauzi No.	Name of revenue survey village in which situated.	Revenue survey No.	Pargana.	Thana.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Ohera Khaira	1356	Ohera Khaira	67 V, 3rd ...	Pharkia ...	Gogri.
2	Agar Tappa Saraunja ...	1360	Agar	68 V, 3rd ..	Ditto	Do.
3	Bhansananda, Bachanti tappa	2751	Grazing right only containing in several villages in one tappa.		Ditto	Do.
4	Ditto, Tappa Chautham.	3673	Ditto ...	68 V, 3rd ...	Ditto	Do.
5	Ditto, Tappa Hawalli	3673	Ditto ...	Do. ..	Ditto	Do.
6	Ditto, Tappa Saraunja	3683	Ditto ..	Do ...	Ditto	Do.
7	Arazi Bhawanandpur, *alias* Ramdeori	1407	Bhawanandpur	274 & 275 ...	Malki	Begusera.
8	Akbarpur Barari ...	1433	Akbarpur	389 ...	Dc.	Ditto.
9	Gandak Barar Parihara Than Singh Patti Krishen Mohan Lal.	1759	Parahara Hari Singh ...	164 ...	Ballia	Ditto.
10	Ditto, Patti Birj Mohan Lal	1764	Ditto ...	154 ...	Do	Ditto.
11	Ditto, Patti Benarsi Prosad	1768	Ditto ...	154 ...	Do.	Ditto.
12	Chak Dheyan, *alias* Ramnagar, Patti Krishen Mohan Lal	1773	Chak Dheyan	118 ..	Do.	Ditto.
13	Ditto, patti Birj Mohan Lal	1775	Ditto ...	118 ...	Do.	Ditto.
14	Ditto, Patti Benarsi Prosad.	1780	Ditto	118 ...	Do.	Ditto.
15	Sisauni, Patti Krishen Mohan Lal.	1781	Sisauti	120 ...	Do.	Ditto.
16	Ditto, Patti Birj Mohan Lal.	1782	Do.	120 ...	Do.	Ditto.
17	Ditto, Patti Benarsi Prosad.	2188	Do.	120 ..	Do	Ditto.
18	Gandak Barar Parihara Hari Singh Patti Mossamat Dhanwanti Kumri	3234	Parihara Hari Singh ..	66 ...	Do.	Ditto.
19	Gandak Barar Tetri	3377	Tetri Arazi K. D.	55 & 57	Do.	Ditto.
20	Kodra ...	3506	Kodra	145 .	Do.	Ditto.
21	Arazi Parihara Than Singh	3549	Parihara Hari Singh ...	164 ...	Do.	Ditto.
22	Sisauni, patti Mossamat Dhanwanti Kumri.	3550	Sisowtee	120 ...	Do. .	Ditto.
23	Chak Dheyan, *alias* Ramnagar, Patti Mossamat Dhanwanti Kumri	3557	Chak Dheyan	118 ...	Do.	Ditto.
24	Arazi Walipur Janib East .	3569	Walipur	353 ...	Malki	Surujgarha.
25	Ditto Janib Chap ...	3570	Walipur Barari Arazi ..	352 .	Do.	Begusera.
26	Arazi Chak Balsurnath	2906	Balsurnath	247 ...	Do.	Teghra
27	Arazi Gulam Gardisph Dhoram Rai Chak.	3351	Karlowl Hasa	93 ...	Salemabad ...	Surujgarha.
28	Arazi Piparia Barari	988	Pjparia Gang Bararar ..	344 ...	Malki	Ditto.

No. 2305 L.R.—The 25th July 1903.—Under the powers vested in him by section 4 of Act V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. G. J. Monahan, I C S., to be a Superintendent of Survey in the districts of Bhagalpur, Monghyr and Purnea.

Bhagalpur, Monghyr and Purnea.

No. 2306.—The 27th July 1903.—In the model form of mining lease for mica, published in Notification No. 867L.R., dated the 16th February 1903, the following two clauses are substituted for clauses 5 and 6 of Part IX of the said lease form:—

"5. The lessee shall be at liberty at any time or times during the said term to surrender to the lessor the whole of the said lands hereby demised or any one or more of the squares (each containing 40 acres) comprised in and forming part of the same on good and satisfactory reasons therefor being shown to the Collector of the District and on payment by the lessee of all rent dues royalties compensation for damage and other moneys which may then be due and payable under these presents to the lessor or any other person or persons for or in respect of or in connection with the land surrendered and on payment to the lessor in addition of the full dead rent for the land surrendered at the rate hereinbefore mentioned for the year in which such surrender is made and the year next succeeding

Power to surrender.

"6. In addition to the power to surrender given to the lessee by the last preceding clause the lessee may at any time or times during the said term surrender to the lessor the whole of the demised lands or any one or more of the squares (each containing 40 acres) comprised in and forming part of the same without showing any reasons therefor as aforesaid but on giving to the lessor not less than 12 calendar months' notice in writing of his intention in that behalf and on payment by him at the expiration of such notice of all rent dues royalties compensation for damage and other moneys which may then be due and payable under these presents to the lessor or any other person or persons for or in respect of or in connection with the land surrendered.

Additional power to surrender.

"Upon every surrender as in this and the last preceding clause hereof mentioned the liberties licenses and powers granted by these presents and every clause and thing herein contained shall absolutely cease and determine to the extent of and in regard to the land comprised in such surrender but without prejudice to any right of action or remedy which shall have accrued to the lessor in respect of any antecedent breach of any of the covenants or provisions herein contained."

No. 2326.—The 27th July 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by Janardan Mookerjee, 16-anna proprietor of estate Sundrus, tauzi No. 4194, pargana Jahanabad, in the district of Hooghly, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of the lands of the said estate, and whereas the said proprietor has agreed to pay all costs that may be incurred for the said operations:

Hooghly.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the boundaries of the said estate.

The particulars to be recorded in the said survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupant.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) The rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

(*j*) The name of the proprietor, with character and extent of his interest and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of his private lands, as defined in chapter XI of the Act.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2304—(L.R.)—The 25th July 1903.—In Notification, No. 654—(L.R), dated the 7th February, 1903, published at Part I, page 171, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, *for* "*section 101 (2) (a),*" *read* "section 101 (2) (*d*)."

Pabna.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 2, Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Tripura Charan Roy, General Manager of the wards' and encumbered estates in the district of Ranchi, is appointed to be the Manager, and the management is vested in him of the undermentioned immoveable property of Lal Chandra Udai Nath Sahi Deo of Katimkela, in the district of Ranchi, and of any other immoveable property to which the said holder is entitled in his own right, or which he is entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by or devolve on him or his heirs during the continuance of such management:—

Ranchi.

Name of estate.	Name of holder.
Katimkela estate, comprising thirty-four entire villages.	Lal Chandra Udai Nath Sahi Deo.

W. MAUDE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

RANCHI, *the 16th July 1903.*

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1798.—The 28th July 1903.—The following notification of the Government of India, Home Department, No. 298, dated the 16th July 1903, is published for general information :—

No. 298, dated Simla, the 16th July 1903.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Home Department.

THE following is to be substituted for Rule II of the revised subsidiary rules for the erection, repair and endowment of monuments in Government cemeteries, published with the Home Department Notification No. 247, dated the 7th June 1901 :—

II. The Chaplain or other Officer in charge will send on the application, with the drawing and estimates, with a forwarding letter (Form B annexed) to the Executive Engineer in charge of the cemetery. The Executive Engineer will fill in column 7 and examine and countersign the drawing and the estimate, and return the application, with the drawing and the estimate, to the Chaplain.

The foregoing procedure applies to the case of monuments of all other kinds and to the case of single stone monuments erected by soldiers to their deceased comrades, for the maintenance and repair of which the State is responsible. It does not apply to other single stone monuments. A single stone monument is a monument consisting only of a plain cross head stone or slab over a masonry foundation 3′ × 2′. The total height of such monuments must not exceed 3 feet in the case of masonry graves and 3 feet 6 inches in the case of non-masonry graves.

The repair of fragile or costly work liable to receive damage cannot be undertaken by Government.

A. EARLE,
Offg Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3393S.R.—The 28th July 1903.—The following rule is substituted for rule 6 of the Rules* framed under section 79 of the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 and under section 6 of the Indian Ports Act, X of 1889, for the licensing and registration of cargo-boats at the Port of Dhamra, in the Province of Orissa. The rule will come into force with effect from the date of publication.

Orissa.

* Published under Notification No. 2926S.R., dated the 15th April 1901, at pages 494-95, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem.

"6. The licenses will be current for one year only from the date of registration."

No. 3394S.R.—The 28th July 1903.—The following rule is substituted for rule 6 of the Rules for the issue of licenses for, and the registration of, cargo-boats at the Ports of False Point and Balasore, in Orissa. The new rule will come into force with effect from the date of publication :—

Orissa.

"6. The licenses will be current for one year only from the date of registration."

No. 3400S.R.—The 28th July 1903.—Babu Omesh Chander Gossein, Special Excise Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, *vice* Babu Prasanna Kumar Banerjee, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3405S.R.—The 28th July 1903.—Babu Jotindra Nath Gupta, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Palamau, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Majid, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Palamau.

No. 3415S.R.—The 28th July 1903.—Babu Ashutosh Bhattacharjee, Deputy Collector is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Jessore, *vice* Babu Krishna Lal Dey, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Jessore.

No. 3419S.R.—The 28th July 1903.—Maulvi Abdul Majid, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Malda, *vice* Babu Debendra Kumar Mitra, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Malda.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2063Medl.—The 24th July 1903.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. Charles, M D, I.M S, Professor of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, and Surgeon to the College Hospital, is allowed privilege leave for 50 days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th August 1903, or any susequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 2065Medl.—The 24th July 1903.—Major D. M. Moir, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon, Hooghly, is appointed to act as Professor of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, and Surgeon to the College Hospital, during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. Charles, I M S, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 2067Medl.—The 24th July 1903.—Captain R. P. Wilson, I.M.S, Officiating Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Metropolitan and Eastern Bengal Circle, is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenat-Colonel D. G. Crawford, I.M.S., or until further order

Hooghly.

No. 2089Medl.—The 27th July 1903.—Military Assistant Surgeon E. S. Pushong is, allowed leave in India on medical certificate for six months under article 980 (*b*) of the Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I, with effect from the 4th May 1903.

No. 2102Medl.—The 28th July 1903.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. ffrench-Mullen, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon of Rajshahi, is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of Burdwan, during the absence, on leave, of Major J. C. S. Vaughan, I.M.S, or until further orders.

Rajshahi. Burdwan

L P. SERIES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3218A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3134A.—The 25th July 1903.—Babu Ram Siromoni Roy Sen, B L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Murshidabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Berhampore, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Mohendra Nath Mukherjee, or until further orders.

Murshidabad.

No. 3141A.—The 25th July 1903.—Babu Radha Kanta Ghose, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Lakhmipur, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Girindra Lal Roy, or until further orders.

Noakhali.

No. 2683J.—The 24th July 1903.—Rai Sahib Bankim Chandra Mazumdar is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Khulna.

Khulna.

No. 2693J.—The 25th July 1903.—Mr. Clement Daniel Maggs Hindley is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Jamalpur, in the district of Monghyr.

Monghyr.

No. 2697J.—The 25th July 1903.—Babu Ram Das Banerjee is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Jaynagar, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 2688J.—The 28th July 1903 —Babu Joges Chandra Roy Choudhuri is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Kurigaon, in the district of Rangpur.

Rangpur.

LEAVE.

No. 3201A.—The 22nd July 1903.—Babu Mohendra Nath Mukerjee, Munsif of Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is allowed leave for sixteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd August 1903, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

Murshidabad.

No. 3202A.—The 23rd July 1903 —Babu Upendra Nath Bhanja, Munsif of Thakurgaon, in the district of Dinajpur, is allowed leave for one month and fifteen days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from 6th July 1903.

Dinajpur.

No. 3203A.—The 24th July 1903.—Mr. A. S. M. Ziaur Rahman, Munsif of Satkhira, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave for two months and twenty-five days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th June 1903, in supersession of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 10th June and the 3rd July 1903.

Jessore.

The 24th July 1903.—Babu Jogesh Chundra Mukerjee, Munsif of Chandpur, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him on the 20th June 1903.

Tippera.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 2681J.—The 24th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Nabin Chandra Kar of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Khulna.

Khulna.

No. 2707J.—The 25th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignations tendered by the undermentioned gentlemen of their appointments as Honorary Magistrates of the Benches in the district of Champaran mentioned opposite their names:—

Champaran

Babu Purna Chandra Mukerji	...	Bettiah Independent Bench.
„ Gambhir Sahu	...	Motihari ditto.
„ Bhagwat Lal Sahu	...	Ditto ditto.

No. 2763J.—The 27th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Hari Mohon Sen of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Malda.

Malda.

No. 2777J.—The 27th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Umesh Chandra Sen of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh

POWERS.

No. 3051A.—The 22nd July 1903.—Babu Bidhi Nath Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate, Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class

Burdwan.

No. 3107A.—The 24th July 1903.—Babu Bipin Bihari Pramanik, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Jessore.

No. 3120A.—The 25th July 1903.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1), of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant Governor is pleased to empower the following Magistrate of the first class in the district of the 24-Parganas, viz., Captain A. J. Ralph, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the said section

24-Parganas.

No. 3149A.—The 27th July 1903.—Babu Jotendra Nath Gupta, Deputy Magistrate, Palamau, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Palamau.

No. 3151A.—The 27th July 1903.—Mr. R. A. Stephen, Deputy Magistrate, Chittagong, is vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Chittagong.

No. 3154A.—The 27th July 1903.—Babu Tarak Chandra Roy, Deputy Magistrate, Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Bogra

No. 3197A.—The 28th July 1903.—Babu Nobin Chunder Sen (I), Deputy Magistrate Tippera, is vested with powers under section 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Tippera.

No. 3199A.—The 28th July 1903.—Babu Dina Nath Sarkar, Subordinate Judge, Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 2684J.—The 24th July 1903.—Rai Sahib Bankim Chandra Mazumdar, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Khulna.

No. 2694J.—The 25th July 1903.—Mr. Clement Daniel Maggs Hindley, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Jamalpur, in the district of Monghyr, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Monghyr.

No. 2698J.—The 25th July 1903.—Babu Ram Das Banerjee, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Jaynagar, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

24-Parganas.

No. 2783J.—The 28th July 1903.—Under the authority conferred on him by section 185A, sub-section 1 of the Code of Civil Procedure, the Lieutenant-Governor directs that evidence in cases in which an appeal lies shall be taken down by Babu Aswini Kumar Guha, Subordinate Judge, Patna, with his own hand in the English language.

Patna.

No. 2789J.—The 28th July 1903.—Babu Joges Chandra Roy Choudhuri, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Kurigaon, in the district of Rangpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Rangpur.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2780J.—The 28th July 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of Bengal Act II of 1867 (an Act to provide for the punishment of public gambling and the keeping of common gaming-houses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend all the sections of that Act to the Municipalities of Jamalpur, Sherpur, Tangail, Netrakona, Kishorganj and Bajitpur, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 15th August 1903.

Mymensingh.

No. 2821J.—The 28th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the transfer of the undermentioned villages from the jurisdiction of thana Manjhi, Sadar subdivision, to that of thana Darauli, Siwan subdivision, in the district of Saran :—

Saran.

No.	Mauza.	Thakbust map or Revenue Survey No.	Thana No. of recent cadastral survey.	Name of pargana.
1	Nawada	649	19	Bal.
2	Bawandih	215	18	Ander.
3	Nayagaon	650	20	Bal.
4	Chainpur Mabarakpur	651	21	,,
5	Nagai khas	652	22	,,
6	Nagai	652	22	,,
7	Nagai	652	22	,,
8	Ramgadh	526	23	,,
9	Ramgadh *alias* Nirmal Nagai ...	526	23	,,
10	Mehdar	528	24	,,
11	Bhadaur	527	25	,,
12	Birt lakhiraj	530	28	,,
13	Birt	529	29	,,
14	Pipra	525	30	,,
15	Suhai	20	31	Narhan.
16	Pachamwa	17	34	,,
17	Baghauna	16	35	,,
18	Madhoopur	18	36	Manjhi.
19	Tidarwa	19	37	Narhan.
20	Gyaspur	10	38	,,
21	Misraulia	11	39	,,
22	Mandra	12	40	,,
23	Sainpur	9	41	,,
24	Chatia	5	42	,,
25	Chatia Deara	7	225	,,
26	Sainpur Deara	8	226	,,

NOTE.—In the above list the names given are those of the villages as demarcated and surveyed in the recent cadastral survey and shown in the thana Mujmili map.

In consequence of the above transfer, the following shall be the revised boundaries of the Sadar and Siwan subdivisions and of the Manjhi and Darauli thanas of the Saran district :—

SADAR SUBDIVISION.

On the North, East, and South—The boundaries remain unchanged.

On the West—Commencing from the north-west corner and running along the eastern limits of the following villages as shown in the thana Mujmili map, viz.—

(1) Chitauli.	(5) Mehdar.	(8) Birt lakheraj.	(12) Pachamwa.
(2) Nawada.	(6) Ramgadh *alias* Nirmal Nagai.	(9) Pipra.	(13) Mandra.
(3) Bawandih.		(10) Suhai.	(14) Chatia.
(4) Bhadaur.	(7) Birt.	(11) Baghauna.	(15) Chatia Deara.

SIWAN SUBDIVISION.

On the North and West—The boundaries remain unchanged.

On the South—Almost the whole of the southern boundary remains unchanged, excepting that the two villages of Gyaspur and Sainpur Deara, which have now been transferred to Darauli thana, form an addition to its south-eastern boundary.

On the South-East—The boundary line is the same as described to be the western boundary of thana Manjhi, the boundary of the remaining portion towards the east remaining unchanged.

THANA MANJHI.

On the North, East, and South—The boundaries remain unchanged.

On the West—Commencing from the village of Chitauli on the north, the boundary runs in a south-easterly direction along the eastern limits of the following villages as shown in the thana Mujmili map, viz.—

(1) Chitauli.	(5) Mehdar.	(8) Birt lakheraj.	(12) Pachamwa.
(2) Nawada.	(6) Ramgadh *alias* Nirmal Nagai.	(9) Pipra.	(13) Mandra.
(3) Bawandih.		(10) Suhai.	(14) Chatia.
(4) Bhadaur.	(7) Birt.	(11) Baghauna.	(15) Chatia Deara.

THANA DARAULI.

On the North and West—The boundaries remain unchanged.

Almost the whole of the southern boundary remains unchanged, excepting that the two villages of Gyaspur and Sainpur Deara, which have now been transferred to Darauli thana, form an addition to its south-eastern boundary.

On the East—The boundary line is the same as described to be the western boundary of thana Manjhi.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 24th July 1903.

No. 105.—Mr. R. C. Hodgson, Assistant Engineer, third grade, passed the Professional examination prescribed in paragraphs 169-171 of the Public Works Department Code, volume I, which was held on the 10th and 11th July 1903.

No. 106.—Babu Jnananjan Shaha, Assistant Engineer, third grade, passed the Professional examination prescribed in paragraphs 169-171 of the Public Works Department Code, volume I, which was held on the 10th and 11th July 1903.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL BUILDINGS.

The 28th July 1903.

No. 107.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of two Munsifs' residences with outhouses at Satkhira, in the village of *Katia*, pargana *Booroon*, district *Khulna*, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 14 cottahs and 14 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Municipal road to *Satkhira*, on the south by Babu Girija Nath Roy Chaudhury's and Court of Wards' land, on the east by Babu Girija

Nath Roy Chaudhury's and the Court of Wards' land, and on the west by the Municipal road land, is required within the aforesaid village of *Katia*.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Circular and Eastern Canals Division, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 28th July 1903.

No. 45.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a Minor Distributary from 19A Distributary, Machgong Canal, in the villages of Jankoti, pargana Saibir, Kantaballavpur, pargana Gandito and Biribaty, pargana Saibir, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 acres 3 roods and 23·7 poles of standard measurement, commencing from plot No. 933 of village Jankoti, passing through the cultivated and waste lands of villages Jankoti, Kantaballavpur and Biribaty and terminating in plot No. 11 of Biribaty, is required within the aforesaid villages of Jankoti, Kantaballavpur and Biribaty.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Cuttack.

No. 46.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a Branch Distributary from Minor Distributary from 19A Distributary, Machgong Canal, in the villages of Jankoti, pargana Saibir, Korkor, and Kantaballavpur, pargana Gandito, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 roods and 6·4 poles of standard measurement, commencing from plot No. 1586 of village Jankoti, passing through the cultivated and waste lands of villages Jankoti, Korkor and Kantaballavpur, and terminating in plot No. 2446, of village Kantaballavpur, is required within the aforesaid villages of Jankoti, Korkor and Kantaballavpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Cuttack.

No. 47.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose viz., for the construction of a retired line of embankment in the 3rd mile of Katjuri right, in the villages of Srikorua and Vanpur, pargana Bakhrabad, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 acres 3 roods and 28 poles of standard measurement, commencing from plot No. 246 of village Srikorua, passing through the cultivated and waste lands of villages Srikorua and Vanpur, and terminating in plot No. 2906 of village Vanpur, is required within the aforesaid villages of Srikorua and Vanpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Cuttack.

[Third Publication.]

The 14th July 1903.

No. 41.—Notification.— IN exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 78 and 99 (*d*) of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following alteration in item 5 of the Schedule of Rates to be charged for water supplied from the Orissa Canals, as fixed in Notification No. 118, dated the 23rd May 1899, and subsequently modified in Notification No. 141, dated the 1st July 1902.

	Existing rate per man.			Proposed rate per man.	
	Rs.	A.		Rs.	A.
Item 5—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June ...	3	8	Item 5*—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June	3	4

* NOTE.—In the case of leases for a term of years which are in force at the rate of Rs. 1-8 per acre, the rate for the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June will remain Rs. 3-8 per acre.

[Seventh Publication.]

The 16th June 1903.

No. 35.—Notification.—It is hereby notified for general information [as required by section XII of Act V (B C.) of 1864] that the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes, under the provisions of section XI of the same Act, to make the following rules in regard to the Madaripur bhil channel, as defined in this Department Notification No. 128, dated the 26th June 1900 :—

1. Every vessel passing through the bhil channel shall stop at the prescribed toll station, as notified in the schedule of tolls for the purpose of determining the tolls payable.

2. For the purposes of these rules, vessels other than rafts, timbers, bamboos or other floating material shall be divided into two classes as below :—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build.

„ *II.*—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and such other square built boats as should, in the opinion of the Collector of tolls, be included.

3. The net tonnage of every vessel of class I, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of these rules, be determined by the following measurements :—

A.—The product of half the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches; the measurement of the breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting portions of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which tollage shall be charged shall be a simple multiple of 12½ maunds, rejecting any remainder, by which the maundage, calculated as above, may exceed such simple multiple.

4. For vessels in class II the tonnage shall be determined as follows :—

The tonnage of steamers shall be the registered tonnage as given in the certificate of survey of the steamer.

Tolls shall be levied on the actual weight of cargo carried on steamers, flats, barges and other vessels included in this class, as declared in the manifests.

5. Every vessel shall be furnished at the toll station with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the nature and weight of the cargo it contains, and the amount of toll charged, shall be entered.

6. This ticket may be demanded and checked by any navigation officer while the vessel is within the limits of the bhil channel, and must be kept on board and at hand for that purpose.

7. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed. Provided that the Collector of Tolls appointed under section VIII of the Act may at his discretion permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognized standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

8. The term "Navigation Officer," as used in Rule 6, shall include the Collector of Tolls appointed under section VIII of the Act and the officer or subordinate of the Public Works Department in charge of the subdivision or section within which the channels is situated.

W. A. INGLIS,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 24th July 1903.

No. 140R.—Corrigendum.—In the fourth and eighth lines of this Department Declaration No. 156, dated 25th September 1900, published at page 1090, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, *for* "villages of Khalsapara and Fuleshwar" *read* "village of Fuleshwar."

The 27th July 1903.

No. 141R.—Corrigendum.—In the third and seventh lines of this Department's Declaration No. 211R., dated the 28th October 1902, published at pages 1447-1448, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, *for* "Koya" *read* "Kundal."

The 28th July 1903.

No 142R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the purpose of providing direct access to the passing siding at Magra station

in the village of Aleekhoja, pargana Pownan, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 52 bighas 8 cottahs and 15 chitaks of standard measurement, and bounded as follows:—

Plot No. 1.—On the north by the East Indian Railway Company's land, on the south by the B class land of Babu Ganga Churn Palit, Suraj Mohini Dassi, Makham Dass Khamaroo and bastu land of Beni Madhab Dass, Ganesh Chunder Adak, Bhusan Chundra Santra, Rakhal Das Mondal, Nafar Chunder Dass, tank of Benimadhab Dass and others, Naran Chunder Dass, Bepin Behary Patro, Saroda Prosad Mondal, Kangali Churn Dass, Ram Chundro Mondal, Poymal Chango and Benode Behary Dass, on the east by the tank of Benode Behary Dass and Ram Chandra Mondal, and on the west by the tank and garden of Babu Ganga Churn Palit;

Plot No. 2.—On the north by the land of Babu Gobindo Chundro and Bhooth Nath Adak, Bhonjo Dass Mohiswa, basti land of Makham Dass, Gooroo Charan Dass, land of Lalit Mohan Singho, Nafar Chunder Dass, Koonja Behary Dass, Dwari Churn Dass, Sidesswar Adak, Adhar Chunder Adak, Upendra Nath Dass, Nanda Lall Adak, Saroda Prosad Dass, Ram Chundro Mondal and Saroda Prosad Dass, on the south by the East Indian Railway Company's land; on the east by the land of Babu Durga Churn Kaley, Ram Chundra Mondal and Saroda Prosad Dass, and on the west by the road to Tribeni;

are required within the aforesaid village of Aleekhoja.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Hooghly Collectorate and in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, at Howrah.

No. 143R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a dumping ground at Katihar on the Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Myrchai, pargana Katihar, zilla Purnea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 roods 33 poles of standard measurement, bounded on the north by borrow-pits, now in possession of Babu Dina Nath Misser, and on the south, east and west by land of Jaffer Dhunia raiyat, is required within the aforesaid village of Myrchai.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Katihar district, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

No. 144R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a siding and store-yard at Churnighat, for the Murshidabad Branch of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the villages of Hijooly and Hallalpore, pargana Ukhara, district Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring, more or less, 5,000 feet long by 500 feet wide of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the village boundary of Uttarpara, on the south by the previously-acquired land of the Eastern Bengal State Railway for Churnighat Branch, on the east by the footpath from Hijooly to Uttarpara, and on the west by the river Churni, is required within the aforesaid villages of Hijooly and Hallalpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway, at Krishnagar.

No. 145R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for main line and brickfield between miles 71 and 73 on the Gya-Katras Railway (plateau section) in the villages of Chota Seraiya and Bora Seraiya, tahsil Bagodar, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land as specified below, measuring, more or less, 37·03 acres approximately, are required within the aforesaid villages:—

Plot 1.—For main line, 10·93 acres, in villages of Chota Seraiya and Bara Seraiya. Bounded by the land of the Gya-Katras Railway main line and by the land of villages Chota Seraiya and Bara Seraiya.

Plot 2.—For brickfield, 26·10 acres, in village Chota Seraiya. Bounded on the north and east by Kheria river, on the south by the Gya-Katras Railway main line, and on the west by the land of village Chota Seraiya.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur.

No. 147R.—Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, is appointed to acquire lands required for the proposed Ranaghat-Murshidabad Branch of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the districts of Nadia and Murshidabad.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 24th July 1903.

No. 87Marine.—In clause (*h*) of rule 19 of the Rules to regulate the granting of certificates of competency to Engineers of sea-going steam-ships, issued by this Government under section 36 of the Indian Steam-Ships Act, 1884, and published under this Department Notification No. 122Marine of the 4th September 1902, *for* the words "square root" *substitute* the words "square and cube roots."

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 24th July 1903.

No. 88Marine.—The following telegram No. 1172Sany., dated the 23rd July 1903, from the Government of India, relative to the plague in Surat and Verawal, in the Bombay Presidency, is published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Copy of Telegram No. 1172Sany., dated 23rd July 1903, from Home, Simla, to Bengal, Marine

My telegrams of 2nd October 1901 and 28th March last. Surat and Verawal free. Last plague death 5th July last.

The 27th July 1903.

No. 89Marine.—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following promotions in the Bengal Pilot service:—

Name.	From—	To—	Date.	REMARKS.
Mr. F. W. Moore ...	Acting Junior Master Pilot.	Junior Master Pilot.	26th July 1903 ...	Permanent.
„ A. W. Michie ...	Mate Pilot ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Acting.
„ J. F. Fox ...	Junior Master Pilot.	Senior Master Pilot.	The date he is put on the running list.	Acting.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3219A.

No. 3066A.—The 23rd July 1903.—The undermentioned substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collectors are posted to the Divisions mentioned opposite their names, on being relieved of their Settlement duties, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Ganoda Prosad Ghose	...	...	Presidency.
Kunja Lal Ghose	...	...	Chittagong.

No. 3071A.—The 23rd July 1903.—Babu Hiranya Kumar Das Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Rajshahi Division, on being relieved of his Settlement duties, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Rajshahi Division.

No. 3075A.—The 23rd July 1903.—Babu Jogindra Nath Pal, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district, on being relieved of his Settlement duties, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Ranchi.

No. 3109A.—The 24th July 1903.—Maulvi Abdul Hakam, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jamui, Monghyr, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Distillery, Shahabad, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Akhil Kumar Chatterjee, or until further orders.

Monghyr.
Shahabad.

No. 3137A.—The 25th July 1903.—Maulvi Mahammed Choinuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jangipur, Murshidabad, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved, up to the 7th October 1903.

Murshidabad.

No. 3139A.—The 25th July 1903.—Babu Jogendra Chandra Bhanja, Sub-Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is transferred temporarily to the Jangipur subdivision of the Murshidabad district.

24-Parganas.
Murshidabad

No. 3163A.—The 27th July 1903.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Chittagong.

No. 3177A.—The 27th July 1903.—Mr. William Raha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Lalbagh, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 339 (2) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th June 1903.

Murshidabad.

No. 3186A.—The 28th July 1903.—Babu Jageshwar Nath Mattey, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Hajipur, Muzaffarpur, is transferred to the Bihar subdivision of the Patna district.

Muzaffarpur.
Patna.

No. 3188A.—The 28th July 1903.—In modification of the order of the 18th June 1903, Babu Tarini Prasad Varma, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Gaya, is transferred to the Sitamarhi subdivision of the Muzaffarpur district.

Gaya.
Muzaffarpur.

No. 3190A.—The 28th July 1903.—Babu Baij Nath Sahai (No. 1), Sub-Deputy Collector, Sitamarhi, Muzaffarpur, is transferred to the Gopalganj subdivision of the Saran district.

Muzaffarpur.
Saran.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7477, dated the 22nd July 1903.—Captain Clayton Lane, I.M.S., made over charge of the Puri Jail to Captain J. W. D. Megaw, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 5th July 1903.

No. 7547, dated the 23rd July 1903.—Captain T. H. Delany, I.M.S., made over charge of the Arrah Jail to Captain A. F. Stevens, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 15th July 1903.

R. J. MACNAMARA, MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Offg Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 7390, dated Calcutta, the 21st July 1903.—In continuation of Civil Medical Department Notification No. 631D., dated the 9th May 1903, the following list of 4th year students who have passed the final examination for Hospital Assistants from the Dacca Medical School and are qualified in medico-legal work, is published for general information:—

1. Dwarka Nath Chowdhury.
2. Purna Chandra Bagchi.
3. Bahadur Ali.
4. Wazuddin Ahmed.
5. Wasit Ali Khan.

No 7391, dated the 21st July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Jogendra Nath Mitra, Teacher of Medical Jurisprudence and Therapeutics, Dacca Medical School, held charge of the duties of the Teacher of Anatomy and Surgery in that School in addition to his own duties from the 1st May to the 9th June 1903, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Gopal Chandra Chatterjee.

No. 7644, dated Calcutta, the 24th July 1903—Assistant Surgeon Sarat Chandra Sur is appointed to do supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the 17th July 1903.

No. 7738, dated the 27th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Jogendra Nath Bosu is allowed privilege leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Civil Medical Department Notification No. 1827D., dated the 27th June last.

R. D. MURRAY, M.B., LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
for *Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU RASH BEHARY NAIK has been placed in charge of the Balasore Treasury from 2nd July 1903, and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

K. G. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

ORISSA COMMR.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 23rd July 1903.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st July 1903.

THE following rule which has been framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the exercise of the power vested in it by section 15 of the Statute 24 and 25 Vic, Chapter 104, and sanctioned by the Governor-General in Council, is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,
H. L. STEPHENSON,
Offg. Registrar.

(CIVIL AND CRIMINAL.)

Rule No. of 1903.

Cancel Rule 84, as amended, and the notes thereto, Chapter VII, page $\frac{170\ (Civil)}{103\ (Criminal)}$ of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders and *substitute* therefor the following:—

84. There shall be appended to the monthly statement of Deposit receipts a plus and minus memorandum in the following form :—

			Rs.	A.	P.
Balance of last month					
Amount of A deposits received during the month.	Repaid during the month ...				
	Not repaid ditto ...				
Amount of B deposits received during the month.	Repaid during the month ...				
	Not repaid ditto ...				
	TOTAL ...				
Amount of A deposits repaid during the month.	Received in all previous years				
	Received last year ...				
	Received during current year.	Previous months ...			
		Current month			
Amount of B deposits repaid during the month.	Received during 190 -190 ...				
	Received during 190 -190 ...				
	TOTAL ...				
BALANCE OF DEPOSITS OUTSTANDING ...					

Note.—The repayments of B deposits received in the year of account and in the year next preceding should be shown separately.

Certificate.

Certified that on a comparison of Treasury Advices with postings therefrom in the Registers of Chalans, of Payment Orders, of Deposit Receipts, and of repayments, the amounts entered above as received and paid are correct.

Note.—This certificate is not required from Small Cause Court Judges, who are not subordinate to District Judges in matters of account.

Cancel "Form No. 18" in the same Chapter at page $\frac{203\ (Civil)}{136\ (Criminal)}$ *ibid* and *substitute* therefor the following :—

Form No. 18.

Date of last prior transaction. The of 19 .

Subordinate Court's Daily Advice List of Sums received and paid under the orders of the Court of on the day of 19 , being the date of actual receipt or actual disbursement at the Court or at the Treasury.

[*N.B.*—This statement is to be compiled from Registers Nos. 16, 17, 22, 23 and 25.]

Receipts.	Rs.	A.	P.	Payments	Rs.	A.	P.
Judicial deposits exceeding Rs. 5 each				Repayment of deposits exceeding in amount Rs. 5 each received all previous years, as per detailed register attached (Form No. 17)			
Judicial deposits of Rs 5 and under ...							
Fines and forfeitures				Repayment of deposits exceeding in amount Rs. 5 each received in last year			
Stamp duty and penalties ...							
Miscellaneous and petty receipts ...				Repayment of deposits exceeding in amount Rs. 5 each received during the previous months of the current year			
				Repayment of deposits exceeding in amount Rs. 5 each received during the current month			
				Repayment of B deposits received during the year of account ...			
				Repayment of B deposits received during the year preceding the year of account			
TOTAL ...				TOTAL			

Certified that this statement has been examined with the Cash-books and Registers of Chalans and Payment Orders and is correct.

Certified also, that my Registers of Deposits not exceeding Rs. 5 are written up to date and are in order.

Subordinate Judge or Munsif.

To the District Judge of

Note.—This Daily Advice List will be furnished only by the Judge in charge of accounts of the Courts at other than the Sadar Station, who may either be a Subordinate Judge or a Munsif, but no such list will be sent by any of the Courts at the Sadar Station, *vide* signature at foot.

Dates of the 4th and 5th Criminal Sessions for the year 1903.

No. of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
Fourth Sessions ...	... Monday ...	... August 17.
Fifth ,, ...	... Ditto ...	... November 30.

By order,
J. G. APCAR,
Clerk of the Crown.

High Court, Crown Office, *the 9th day of July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st July 1903.

THE following rules made by the High Court on the 5th July 1866 pursuant to section 189 of the Indian Companies' Act, X of 1866, and published in the *Gazette of India* of the 4th August 1866, at pages 1028 to 1043, are republished for general information. They shall be deemed to have been made by the High Court under the powers vested in it by section 254 read with section 2 of the Indian Companies' Act, VI of 1882.

By order of the High Court,

H. L. STEPHENSON,

Offg. Registrar.

RULES MADE BY THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 189 OF THE INDIAN COMPANIES' ACT, 1866.

Passed 5th July 1866.

PETITION TO WIND UP COMPANY.

1. Every petition for the winding up of any Company by the Court, or subject to the supervision of the Court, shall be entitled in the matter of "The Indian Companies Act, 1866," and of the Company to which such petition shall relate, describing the Company by its most usual style or firm.

2. Every such petition shall be advertised as hereinafter mentioned seven clear days before the hearing :—

(1) In the case of a Company whose registered office, or if there shall be no such office, then whose principal or last-known principal place of business is or was situate within the local limits of the Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction of the High Court, once in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and once at least in two Calcutta daily newspapers.

(2) In the case of any other Company, once in the *Calcutta Gazette* or the *Gazette of India*, and, when practicable, once at least in two newspapers circulating in the district where such registered office, or principal or last-known principal place of business of such Company is or was situate, and also by proclamation affixed to the walls of the Court-house.

The advertisement shall state the day on which the petition was presented, and the name and address of the petitioner, and of his attorney or pleader (if any).

3. Every such petition shall, unless presented by the Company, be served at the registered office (if any) of the Company, and if there be no registered office, then at the principal or last-known principal place of business of the Company, if any such can be found, upon any member, officer, or servant of the Company there; or in case no such member, officer, or servant can be found there, then by being left at such registered office or principal place of business, or by being served on such member or members of the Company as the Court may direct. Every petition for the winding up of a Company subject to the supervision of the Court shall also be served upon the Liquidator (if any) appointed for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company.

4. Every petition for the winding up of any Company by the Court, or subject to the supervision of the Court, shall be verified in the form, or as nearly as may be to the effect set forth in Form No. 2 in the third schedule hereto. Such verification shall be made by the petitioner, or by one of the petitioners (if more than one), or if by reason of absence or other good cause, any person by whom or on whose behalf such petition is presented, is unable himself to verify the same, the Court may permit some other competent person to verify the petition. In case the petition is presented by any Company, the allegations thereof shall be verified by some Director, Secretary, or other principal officer thereof. Such verification shall be made and filed within four days after the petition is presented, and such verified statement shall be sufficient *primâ facie* evidence of the statements in the petition.

5. Every contributory or creditor of the Company shall, on application to the Court in which the same is presented, be entitled to be furnished with a copy of the petition, on payment of the usual and customary fees for copies of documents in such Court. And such copy shall be furnished within 24 hours after the same shall have been applied for.

ORDER TO WIND UP COMPANY.

6. Every order for the winding up of a Company by the Court, or subject to its supervision, shall, within twelve days after the date thereof, be advertised by the petitioner once in the *Gazette of India* and once in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and otherwise as the Court may direct, and shall be served upon such persons (if any) and in such manner as the Court may direct.

7. Within ten days after the passing of any order for winding up a Company, the petitioner may apply for an order to proceed with the winding up; and in default of such application by the petitioner, any other person interested in the winding up of the Company may apply to be permitted to have the carriage and prosecution of the order.

Upon such application the Judge shall issue a summons for proceeding with the winding up of the Company, to be served upon all parties who may have appeared upon the hearing of the petition. Upon the return of such summons, a time shall be fixed for the appointment of an Official Liquidator, for the proof of debts and for bringing in the list of contributories. Directions may be given as to the advertisements to be issued for all or any of such purposes, and generally as to the proceedings, and the parties to attend thereon. The proceedings under the order shall be continued by adjournment, and, when necessary, by further summons, and any such direction as aforesaid may be given, added to, or varied, at any subsequent time, as may be found necessary.

OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR.

8. The Judge may appoint a person to the office of Official Liquidator without previous advertisement, or notice to any party, or may fix a time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator, and may appoint or reject any person nominated at such time and place, and appoint any person not so nominated.

9. When a time and place are fixed for the appointment of an Official Liquidator, such time and place shall be advertised in such manner as the Judge shall direct, so that the first or only advertisement shall be published within fourteen days and not less than seven days before the day so fixed.

10. Every Official Liquidator shall give security by entering into a recognizance with two or more sufficient sureties, or by depositing Government securities, to such amount as the Judge may approve.

11. The Official Liquidator shall be appointed by order, and unless he shall have given security a time shall be fixed by such order within which he is to do so, and the order shall fix the times or periods at which the Official Liquidator is to bring into Court his accounts of his receipts and payments, and shall direct that all moneys to be received shall be paid into the Bank of Bengal, or into Court, immediately after the receipt thereof, to "the account of the Official Liquidator of the Company," and an account shall be opened accordingly, and if the money is payable into the Bank of Bengal, an office copy of the order shall be lodged with the said Bank.

12. When an Official Liquidator has given security pursuant to the directions in the order appointing him, the same shall be certified by the Judge or Registrar.

13. The Official Liquidator shall, on each occasion of passing his accounts, and also whensoever the Judge may so require, satisfy the Judge that his sureties are living and resident in British India, and have not become insolvent or been adjudged bankrupt, and in default thereof he may be required to enter into fresh security, or to deposit Government securities within such time and to such amount as shall be directed.

14. Every appointment of an Official Liquidator shall be advertised, in such manner as the Judge shall direct, immediately after he has been appointed and has given security.

15. Where it is desired to appoint provisionally an Official Liquidator, an application for that purpose may, at any time after the presentation of the petition for winding up the Company, be made by petition without advertisement or notice to any person unless the Judge shall otherwise direct. Such Provisional Official Liquidator may, if the Judge shall think fit, be appointed without security.

16. In case of the death, removal, or resignation of an Official Liquidator, another shall be appointed in his room, in the same manner as directed in the case of a first appointment, and the proceedings for that purpose may be taken by such party interested as may be authorized by the Judge to take the same.

17. The Official Liquidator shall, with all convenient speed after he is appointed, proceed to make up, continue, complete, and rectify the books of account of the Company; and shall provide and keep such books of account as shall be necessary, or as the Judge may direct, for the purposes aforesaid, and for showing the debts and credits of the Company, including a ledger which shall contain the separate accounts of the contributories, and in which every contributory shall be debited from time to time with the amount payable by him in respect of any call to be made, as provided by the said Act and these rules.

18. The Official Liquidator shall be allowed in his accounts, or otherwise paid, such amount by way of salary or remuneration as the Judge may, from time to time, direct, and the sum so fixed is to cover the expenses of the employment of assistants or clerks by the Official Liquidator, unless the Judge shall otherwise order. Such salary or remuneration may be fixed either at the time of the appointment or at any time thereafter, as the Judge may think fit. Every allowance of such salary or remuneration, unless made at the time of the appointment, or upon passing an account, shall be made upon application for that purpose by the Official Liquidator, on notice to such persons (if any), and supported by such evidence as the Judge shall require. Provided, nevertheless, that the Judge may, from time to time, allow any sum he may think fit to the Official Liquidator on account of the salary or remuneration to be thereafter fixed.

19. The accounts of the Official Liquidator shall be filed in Court at the times directed by the order appointing him, and at such other times as may, from time to time, be required by the Judge; and such accounts shall, upon notice to such parties (if any), as the Judge shall direct, be verified and passed in the same manner as Receivers' accounts.

PROOF OF DEBTS.

20. For the purpose of ascertaining the debts and claims due from the Company and of requiring the creditors to come in and prove their debts or claims, an advertisement shall be issued at such time as the Judge shall direct; such advertisement shall fix a time for the creditors to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of the attorneys or pleaders (if any), to the Official Liquidator, and appoint a day for adjudicating thereon.

21. Creditors whose claims are not disputed need not attend upon the adjudication, nor prove their debts or claims.

Any creditor or creditors receiving notice from the Official Liquidator that his or their debts or claims are disputed, must come in and prove the same within a time to be specified in the notice.

22. The Official Liquidator shall investigate the debts and claims sent in to him, and ascertain, so far as he is able, which of such debts and claims are justly due from the Company; and he shall make out and file in Court a list of all the debts and claims sent into him, distinguishing which of the debts and claims, or parts of debts and claims, are, in his opinion, justly due and proper to be allowed without further evidence, and which of them, in his opinion, ought to be proved by the creditors; and he shall make and file, prior to the time appointed for adjudication, an affidavit or written statement verified by oath or affirmation setting forth which of the debts and claims, in his opinion, are justly due and proper to be allowed without further evidence, and stating his belief that such debts and claims are justly due and proper to be allowed, and the reasons for such belief.

23. At the time appointed for adjudicating upon the debts and claims, or at any adjournment thereof, the Judge may either allow the debts and claims, upon the affidavit or verified statement of the Official Liquidator, or may require the same, or any of them, to be proved by the claimants, and adjourn the adjudication thereon to a time to be then fixed; and the Official Liquidator shall give notice of such allowance to the creditors whose debts or claims have been allowed.

24. The Official Liquidator shall give notice to the creditors whose debts or claims have not been allowed, upon his affidavit or statement, that they are required to come in and prove the same by a day to be named in the notice, being not less than four days after such notice, and to attend at a time to be therein named, being the time appointed by the advertisement, or by adjournment (as the case may be) for adjudicating upon such debts and claims.

25. The value of all contingent debts and claims admissible to proof shall, so far as is possible, be estimated according to the value thereof, at the date of the order to wind up the Company.

26. Interest on such debts and claims as shall be allowed shall be computed, as to such of them as carry interest, after the rate they respectively carry.

27. Such creditors as come in and prove their debts or claims pursuant to notice, from the Official Liquidator, shall be allowed their costs of proof, in the same manner as in the case of debts proved in a suit.

28. The result of the adjudication upon debts and claims shall be stated in a certificate to be signed by the Judge, and certificates as to any of such debts and claims may be made from time to time. All such certificates shall state whether the debts or claims are allowed or disallowed, and whether allowed as against any particular assets, or in any other qualified or special manner.

LIST OF CONTRIBUTORIES.

29. The Official Liquidator shall, with all convenient speed, after his appointment or at such time as the Judge shall direct, make out and file in Court a list of the contributories of the Company; and such list shall be verified by the oath or solemn affirmation of the Official Liquidator, and shall, so far as is practicable, state the respective addresses, and the number of shares or extent of interest to be attributed to each such contributory, and distinguish the several classes of contributories. And such list may, from time to time, by leave of the Judge, be varied or added to by the Official Liquidator.

30. Upon the list of contributories being filed in Court, the Official Liquidator shall obtain an appointment for the Judge to settle the same, and shall give notice in writing of such appointment to every person included in such list, stating in what character, and for what number of shares or interest, such person is included in the list; and in case any variation or addition to such list shall at any time be made by the Official Liquidator, a similar notice in writing shall be given to every person affected by such variation or addition. All such notices shall be served four clear days before the day appointed to settle such list, or such variation or addition.

31. The result of the settlement of the list of contributories shall be stated in a certificate signed by the Judge; and certificates may be made from time to time, for the purpose of stating the result of such settlement down to any particular time, or as to any particular person, or stating any variation of the list.

SALES OF PROPERTY.

32. Any moveable or immoveable property belonging to the Company may be sold, with the approbation of the Judge, in such manner as the Judge shall direct and the Judge may, on any sale by public auction, fix a reserved bidding, and unless on account of the small amount of the purchase-moneys or other cause it shall, having regard to the amount

of the security given by the Official Liquidator, be thought proper that the purchase-moneys shall be paid to him, all conditions and contracts of sale shall provide that the purchase-moneys shall be paid by the respective purchasers into the Bank of Bengal, or into Court, to the account of the Official Liquidator of the Company.

CALLS.

33. Every application to the Court to make any call on the contributories or any of them for any purpose authorised by the said Act, shall be made by petition stating the proposed amount of such call, and such petition shall be served four clear days at the least before the day appointed for making the call, on every contributory effected by such call, or if the Judge shall so direct in lieu of service of notice, on the individual contributories or any of them. Notice of such intended call may be given by advertisement, or such other public notification as the Judge in his discretion may think sufficient.

34. When any order for a call has been made, a copy of such order shall be forthwith served upon each of the contributories included in such call, together with a notice from the Official Liquidator specifying the amount due from such contributory in respect of such call; but such order need not be advertised unless, for any special reason, the Judge shall so direct.

35. At the time of making an order for a call, the further proceedings relating thereto shall be adjourned to a time subsequent to the day appointed for the payment thereof and afterwards from time to time, so long as may be necessary; and at the time appointed by any such adjournment, or upon a summons to enforce payment of the call duly served, and upon proof of the service of the order and notice of the amount due, and non-payment, an order may be made for all or any of the contributories who have made default to pay the sum which by such former order and notice they were respectively required to pay, or any less sum which may appear to be due from them respectively.

PAYMENT IN OF MONEYS AND DEPOSIT OF SECURITIES.

36. If any Official Liquidator shall not pay all the moneys received by him into the Bank of Bengal, or the Court, to the account of the Official Liquidator of the Company, within seven days next, after the receipt thereof, unless the Judge shall have otherwise directed, such Official Liquidator shall be charged in his account with five rupees for every thousand rupees, and a proportionate sum for any larger amount retained in his hand beyond such period, for every seven days during which the same shall have been so retained; and the Judge may, for any such detention, disallow the salary or remuneration of such Official Liquidator.

37. All bills, hoondees, notes and other securities payable to the Company or to the Official Liquidator thereof shall, as soon as they shall come to the hands of such Official Liquidator, be deposited by him in the Bank of Bengal, or in Court, for the purpose of being presented for acceptance and payment, or for payment only, as the case may be, or shall be dealt with as the Court shall otherwise order.

38. All orders for payment of calls, balances, or other moneys due from any contributory or other person, shall direct the same to be paid into the Bank of Bengal, or into Court, to the account of the Official Liquidator of the Company, unless, on account of the smallness of the amount or other cause it shall (having regard to the amount of the security given by the Official Liquidator) be thought proper to direct payment thereof to the Official Liquidator. Provided that where any such order has been made directing payment of a specific sum into the Bank of Bengal, or into Court, in case it shall be proper for the purpose of enabling the Official Liquidator to issue execution, or take other proceedings to enforce the payment thereof, or for any other reason, an order may, either before service of such former order, or after the time thereby fixed for payment, be made without notice for payment of the same sum to the Official Liquidator.

39. All moneys, bills, hoondies, notes, and other securities paid and delivered into the Bank of Bengal or into Court, shall be placed to the credit of the account of the Official Liquidator of the Company, and order for any such payment and delivery shall direct the same accordingly.

DELIVERY OUT OF SECURITIES AND PAYMENT OUT AND INVESTMENT OF MONEYS.

40. All bills, hoondies, notes, and other securities delivered into the Bank of Bengal, or into Court, shall be delivered out upon a request signed by the Official Liquidator, and countersigned by the Judge, or the Registrar under the orders of the Court, and moneys placed to the account of the Official Liquidator shall be paid out upon cheques or orders signed by the Official Liquidator, and countersigned by the Judge, or the Registrar under the orders of the Court.

41. All or any part of the money for the time being standing to the credit of the account of the Official Liquidator at the Bank of Bengal, or in Court, and not immediately required for the purposes of the winding up, may be invested in the purchase of Government promissory notes bearing interest in the name of the Official Liquidator All such investments shall be made upon a request signed by the Official Liquidator, and countersigned by the Judge, which request shall be sufficient authority for debiting the account with the purchase-money. Such Government promissory notes shall not afterwards be sold or transferred, or otherwise dealt with, except upon a direction for that purpose,

signed by the Official Liquidator, and countersigned by or under an order to be made by the Judge.

42. All interest to accrue due upon any such Government promissory notes shall, from time to time, be received by the Bank of Bengal, or the Court, and placed to the credit of the account of such Official Liquidator.

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS OR CONTRIBUTORIES.

43. When the Judge shall direct a meeting of the creditors or contributories of the Company to be summoned under the 112th or 165th section of the said Act, the Official Liquidator shall give notice in writing, seven clear days before the day appointed for such meeting to every creditor or contributory, of the time and place appointed for such meeting, and of the matter upon which the Judge desires to ascertain the wishes of the creditors or contributories; or if the Judge shall so direct, such notice may be given by advertisement, in which case the object of the meeting need not be stated.

44. The votes of the creditors or contributories of the Company at any meeting summoned by the direction of the Judge, may be given either personally or by proxy.

45. The direction of the Judge for any meeting of creditors or contributories, under the 112th or 165th section of the said Act, and the appointment of a person to act as Chairman of any such meeting, shall be testified by a memorandum signed by the Judge, or by the Registrar under the direction of the Judge.

DIRECTION OR SANCTION OF THE JUDGE.

46. The sanction of the Judge to the drawing, accepting, making, or endorsing of any bill of exchange, hoondee, or promissory note, by any Official Liquidator, shall be testified by a memorandum on such bill of exchange, hoondee, or promissory note, signed by the Judge, or by the Registrar under the direction of the Judge.

47. Every application for the sanction of the Judge to a compromise, with any contributory or other person indebted to the Company, shall be supported by the affidavit or affirmation of the Official Liquidator, that he has investigated the affairs of such contributory or person, and stating his belief that the proposed compromise will be beneficial to the Company, and his reason for such belief; and the sanction of the Judge thereto shall be testified by a memorandum signed by the Judge on the agreement of compromise, unless any party shall desire to appeal from the decision of the Judge, in which case an order shall be drawn up for that purpose.

48. The direction or sanction of the Judge for any other proceeding or act to be taken or done by the Official Liquidator, shall be obtained upon petition.

APPLICATIONS TO THE COURT OR JUDGE UNDER SECTIONS 153, 154, 157 AND 187 OF THE ACT.

49. Every application under the 153rd, or 154th, or 157th or 187th section of the said Act shall be made by petition.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

50. When an advertisement is required for any purpose, the advertisement, except where otherwise directed by these rules, shall be published as the Judge shall direct; or it may take the form of a public notification or proclamation.

ADMISSION OF DOCUMENTS.

51. Any party to any proceeding relating to the winding up of a Company may, by notice in writing, call on any other party thereto competent to admit the same, to admit any document, saving all just exceptions, and in case of refusal or neglect so to admit, the costs of proving such document shall be paid by the party so refusing or neglecting, unless the Judge shall be of opinion that the refusal to admit was reasonable. No cost of proving any document shall be allowed unless such notice shall have been given, except in cases where the omission to give such notice has been, in the opinion of the Judge, a saving of expense.

AFFIDAVITS.

52. Where an order shall have been made for the winding up of any Company, any person intending to use any affidavit in any proceeding under such order shall file the same in Court, and give notice thereof to the Official Liquidator.

REGISTER AND FILE OF PROCEEDINGS.

53. A register shall be kept by the Court of all proceedings before the Court in each matter, with proper dates, so that all the proceedings may appear consecutively, and in chronological order, with a short statement of the questions or points decided or ruled at every hearing.

54. Every contributory of the Company, and every creditor thereof, whose debt or claim has been allowed, shall be entitled, at all reasonable times, to inspect all books of

accounts, papers, or documents, relating to the winding up of the Company, in the custody of the Official Liquidator, free of charge, and at his own expense to take copies or extracts from the same, or to be furnished with such copies or extracts at a rate not exceeding four annas per folio of ninety words.

PROVISIONAL OFFICIAL LIQUIDATORS.

55. All the above rules relating to Official Liquidators shall, so far as the same are applicable, and subject to the directions of the Judge in each case, apply to Provisional Liquidators.

ATTENDANCE AND APPEARANCE OF PARTIES.

56. Every person for the time being on the list of contributories of the Company as filed in Court by the Official Liquidator, and every person whose debt or claim against the Company shall have been allowed by the Judge, shall be at liberty, at his own expense, to attend the proceedings before the Judge, and shall be entitled, upon payment of the costs occasioned thereby, to have notice of all such proceedings as he shall by written request desire to have notice of; but if the Judge shall be of opinion that the attendance of any such person upon any proceeding has occasioned any additional costs which ought not to be borne by the funds of the Company, he may direct such costs, or a gross sum in lieu thereof, to be paid by such person, and such person shall not be entitled to attend any further proceedings until he has paid the same.

57. The Judge may from time to time appoint any one or more of the contributories, or creditors, as he thinks fit, to represent before him, at the expense of the Company, all or any class of the contributories or creditors, upon any question as to a compromise with any of the contributories or creditors, or in and about any other proceedings before him relating to the winding up of the Company, and may remove the person or persons so appointed. In case more than one person shall be so appointed, they shall employ the same attorney, pleader, or agent to represent them.

58. No contributory or creditor shall be entitled to attend any proceedings before the Judge, unless and until he has entered in a book to be kept there for that purpose, his name and address, and the name and address of his attorney, pleader, or agent (if any), and upon any change of his address or of his attorney, pleader, or agent, his new address, and the name and address of his new attorney, pleader, or agent.

SERVICES OF SUMMONSES, NOTICES, ETC.

59. Service upon contributories and creditors shall be effected (except where personal service is required) by sending the notice or copy of the petition, summons, or order, or other proceedings through the post in a registered letter, addressed to the party or his attorney, pleader, or agent, at the address entered or last entered, pursuant to the preceding rule, or if no such entry has been made, then, if a contributory, to his last-known address or place of abode; and if a creditor, to the address given by him, pursuant to the foregoing rule 20; and such notice, or copy, summons, order, or other proceeding, shall be considered as served at the time the same would be delivered in the due course of post.

TERMINATION OF WINDING UP.

60 Upon the termination of the proceedings for the winding up of any Company, a balance sheet shall be brought in by the Official Liquidator, of his receipts and payments, duly verified by his oath or affirmation. The Official Liquidator shall pass his final account, and the balance (if any) due thereon shall be certified by the Judge. And upon payment of such balance, in such manner as the Court shall direct, the recognizance entered into by the Official Liquidator and his sureties may be vacated.

61. When the Official Liquidator has passed his final account, and the balance (if any) certified to be due thereon has been paid in such manner as the Court shall direct, a certificate shall be made by the Judge that the affairs of the Company have been completely wound up; and in case the Company has not been already dissolved, the Official Liquidator shall, immediately after the issue of such certificate, apply to the Judge for an order that the Company be dissolved from the date of such order.

62. When the proceedings for winding up any Company have been completed, all books, papers, and documents belonging or appertaining to the Company, and the book containing the Official Liquidator's account, shall be deposited in Court.

FORMS.

63. The forms set forth or referred to in the schedule to these rules, with such variation as the circumstances of each case may require, may be used for the respective purposes mentioned in such schedule.

TAXATION OF COSTS.

64. Where an order is made in the High Court for payment of any costs, the order shall direct the taxation thereof by the Taxing Officer of the Court, except in cases where a gross sum in lieu of taxed costs is fixed by the order.

GENERAL DIRECTIONS.

65. The general practice of the Court shall, in cases not provided for by the Indian Companies' Act, 1866, or these rules, and so far as the same are applicable and not inconsistent with the said Act or these rules, apply to all proceedings for winding up a Company in any Court.

COMMENCEMENT OF RULES.

66. These rules shall take effect and come into operation on and after the 5th day of July 1866.

SCHEDULE OF FORMS.

GENERAL HEADINGS.

1. GENERAL HEADING FOR ALL PROCEEDINGS IN COURT.

IN THE (HIGH) COURT OF (JUDICATURE) AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL).

The day of 186 A.D.

In the matter of the Indian Companies' Act, 1866, and of the Company.

2. For all advertisements, notices, and other proceedings not taken in or under the order of the Court.

In the matter of the Indian Companies' Act, 1866, and of the Company.

FORMS.

No. 1.—Advertisement of Petition (Rule 2).

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court [*or*, subject to the supervision of the Court] was, on the day of 186 , presented to the Court of by the said Company (or by A. B., of , a creditor (or contributory) of the said Company (*or as the case may be*). And that it has been directed that the said petition shall be heard before the said Court on the day of 186 , and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Act, should appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his advocate, attorney or pleader for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same, an application to the said Court, on payment of the charges for the same.

Petitioner in person,
or C. and D., of, etc.,
Attorney or pleader, agents for the petitioner.

No. 2.—Verification of Petition (Rule 4).

I, A. B., of, etc., make oath [*or*, solemnly affirm] and say that such of the statements in the petition now produced and shewn to me, and marked with the letter A, as relate to my own acts and deeds, are true, and such of the said statements as relate to the acts and deeds of any other person or persons, I believe to be true.

(*Sworn, etc.*)

No. 3.—Order for winding up by the Court.

Upon the petition of the above-named Company (*or*, A. B., of, etc., a creditor, or contributory, of the abovenamed Company) on the day of 186 , and the verification thereof by A B., etc., filed, etc., and upon hearing the advocate, or attorney, or pleader of the petitioner, and for , and upon reading the *Calcutta Gazette* of the day of , the *Englishman* newspaper of the day of [*enter any other papers*], each containing an advertisement of the said petition. This Court doth order that the said Company be wound up by this Court under the provisions of the Indian Companies' Act, 1866.

No. 4.—Order for winding up, subject to supervision, sections 163, 164.

Upon the petition, etc. This Court doth order that the voluntary winding up of the said Company be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court; And any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up may be adopted as the Court shall think fit. And the creditors, contributories, and liquidators of the said Company, and all other persons interested, are to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there may be occasion.

No. 5.—Advertisement of Order to wind up (Rule 6).

By an order made by the Court of in the above matter, dated the day of 186 , on the petition of the abovenamed Company (*or* A. B., of), it was ordered that, etc. [*as in Order*]

Petitioner in person,
or C. and D., of etc.
Attorneys or pleaders for the said petitioner.

No. 6.—Advertisement of time and place fixed for the appointment of Official Liquidator (Rule 9).

Notice is hereby given that the Hon'ble Mr. Justice (*or*, the Court of) has fixed the day of 186 , at o'clock at as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the abovenamed Company.

G. H.,
Judge or *Registrar*.

No. 7.—Proposal for appointment of Official Liquidator (and sureties) where Form No. 6 has been issued.

We, the undersigned contributories of the above-named Company for the number of shares placed opposite our respective names, hereby propose Mr. W. T., of, etc. [public accountant], to be the Official Liquidator of the said Company [and H. N., of, etc., and J. P., of, etc, to be his sureties].

NAME.	Address.	Number of shares held.
1	2	3

No. 8.—Order appointing an Official Liquidator (Rules 10, 11).

Upon the application, etc., and upon reading, etc., the Court doth hereby appoint R. P. H., of, etc., Official Liquidator of the above-named Company [*if security has not been given, add*, And it is ordered that the said R P. H. do, on or before the day of next, give security to be approved of by the Court], and it is ordered that the said R. P. H. do on the day of , and day of 186 , and the same days in each succeeding year, file his accounts in the Court of . And it is ordered that all moneys to be received by the said R. P. H. be paid by him into the Bank of Bengal, or into the Court of , to the credit of the account of the Official Liquidator of the said Company within seven days after the receipt thereof [*In case two or more Official Liquidators are appointed, add*, And the Court doth declare that the following Acts, required or authorized by the above Act to be done by the Official Liquidator, may be done by either [*or* any one, *or* two] of the Official Liquidators hereby appointed, that is to say [*describe the Acts*], and that all other Acts so required or authorized to be done by both [*or* all] the Official Liquidators hereby appointed.]

No. 9.—Order appointing a Provisional Official Liquidator (Rules 10, 11, 15, 55).

Upon the application, etc., and upon reading, etc., the Court doth hereby appoint R. P. H., of, etc., provisionally, Official Liquidator of the above-named Company [*If security dispensed with, add*, without security; or, *if security is to be given, add directions as to security, accounts and payment into the Bank, as in Form No. 8*]. And the Court doth hereby limit and restrict the powers of the said R. P. H., as such Provisional Official Liquidator, to the following acts, that is to say [*describe the acts which the Provisional Official Liquidator is to be authorised to do*].

No. 10.— Recognizance of the Official Liquidators and Sureties (Rule 10).

R. P. H. of, etc., W. B. of, etc., and T. P. of, etc., before the Court of , personally appearing, do acknowledge themselves and every of them doth acknowledge himself, to owe to the Hon'ble Mr. Justice , a Judge of the said High Court [*or*, to Mr. A. B., Judge of the said Court of] the respective sums set opposite to their respective names in the Schedule hereto, to be paid to the said Mr. Justice [*or*, to the said Mr. A. B., *as the case may be*], or his executors or administrators; and in default of payment of the said sums, the said R. P. H., W. B., and T. P., are willing and do agree, and every of them is willing and doth agree for himself, his heirs, executors, and administrators, by these presents, that the said sums shall be levied, recovered, and received of and from them and every of them, and of and from the moveable and immoveable property of them and every of them wheresoever the same shall be found.

Dated the day of , 186

Whereas, in the matter of, etc. [*take title from order to wind up*], the Hon'ble Mr. Justice [*or*, the Court of] has, by an Order dated the day of 186 , appointed the said R. P. H. Official Liquidator of the said Company, and has thereby directed him to give security, to be approved of by the said Judge (or, *in case the security precedes the order appointing*, has approved of the said R. P. H. as a proper person to be appointed Official Liquidator of the said Company, upon his giving security). And whereas the said Judge has approved of the said W. B. and T. P. to be sureties for the said R. P. H. in the amounts set opposite to their respective names in the Schedule hereto, and has also approved of the above-written recognizance, with the under-written condition as a proper security to be entered into by the said R. P. H., W. B., and F. B. pursuant to the said Order, and in testimony of such an approbation the Judge (*or*, Registrar) hath signed an allowance in the margin hereof. Now, the condition of the above-written recognizance is such, that if the said R P. H., his executors or administrators, or any of them, do and shall duly account for what the said R. P. H. shall receive, or become liable to pay, as Official Liquidator of the said Company, at such periods and in such manner as the said Judge shall appoint, and pay the same as the said Judge hath [by the said order] directed or shall hereafter direct, then the above recognizance to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Dated the day of 186 .
In the matter, etc.
The Hon'ble Mr. Justice [*or* the Court of] has approved of and allowed this Recognizance.
G. H.,
Judge or *Registrar*.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO—

R. P. H.	.....Ten thousand Rupees.
W. B.	.....Ten thousand Rupees.
T. P.	.....Ten thousand Rupees.

Taken and acknowledged by the above-named R. P. H., etc, etc., etc.

No. 11.—Affidavit of Sureties (*Rule* 10).

We, W. B., of, etc., and T. P., of, etc., severally make oath [*or*, solemnly affirm] and say as follows:—

1. I, the said W. B., for myself, say that I am worth the sum of Rupees over and above what is sufficient for the payment of all my just debts and liabilities.

2. And I, the said T. P., for myself, say that I am worth the sum of Rupees of, etc. [*as above*].

(*Sworn, etc.*—)

No. 12.—Sanction of Appointment of Attorney or Vakeel to Official Liquidator and Appointment (*Section* 118).

The Hon'ble Mr. Justice [or, the Court of] sanctions the Official Liquidator appointing an attorney [or vakeel] to assist him in the performance of his duties.

G. H.,
Judge or *Registrar*.

I hereby appoint Mr. C., of, etc., to be my attorney [*or*, vakeel] in this matter.

Dated this day of 186 .

R. P. H.,
Official Liquidator.

No. 13.—Order for payment of Money or delivery of Books, etc., to Official Liquidator (*Sections* 121, 122).

Upon the application of, etc., and on reading, etc., It is ordered that A. B., of, etc., do, within four days after service hereof, pay to [*or*, deliver, convey, surrender, or transfer to or into the hands of] R. P. H., the Official Liquidator of the said Company, at the office of the said R. P. H, situate at, etc., the sum of Rupees , being the amount of debt appearing to be due from the said A. B. on his account with the said Company [*or*, any sum or balance, books, papers, estate, or effects], [*or*, *specifically describe the property*] now being in the hands of the said A. B., and to which the said Company is *prima facie* entitled [*or*, *otherwise, as the case may be*].

No. 14.—Advertisement of appointment of Official Liquidator (*Rule* 14).

The Court of has. by an order, dated the day of 186 , appointed R. P. H., of , to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.

Dated this day of 186 .

G. H.,
Judge or *Registrar*.

No. 15.—Advertisement for Creditors (*Rule* 20).

The creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the day of 186 , to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their attorneys, if any, to R. P. H., of , the Official Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the

said Official Liquidator, are by their attorneys or pleaders to come in and prove their said debts or claims, at the Court of , at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

The day of 186 , at o'clock at is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.

Dated this day of 186 .

G. H.,
Judge or *Registrar*.

*No. 16.—Affidavit of Official Liquidator as to Debts and Claims (Rule 22).**

I, R. P. H., of, etc., the Official Liquidator of the above-named Company, make oath [*or*, solemnly affirm] and say as follows:—

1. I have, in the paper writing now produced and shown to me, and marked with the letter A, set forth a list of all the debts and claims the particulars of which has been sent in to me by persons making claims upon or claiming to be creditors of the said Company, pursuant to the advertisement issued in that behalf, dated the day of 186 , and names and addresses of the persons by whom such claims are made.

2. I have investigated the said debts and claims, and examined the same with the books and documents of the said Company, in order to ascertain, so far as I am able, which of such debts and claims are justly due from the said Company, and I have, in the first part of the said list, set forth such of the said debts and claims, or parts thereof, as, in my opinion, are justly due from the said Company, and proper to be allowed without further evidence; and I have, in the sixth column of the said first part of the said list, set forth the amounts proper to be allowed in respect of such debts and claims, and I believe that such amounts respectively are justly due and proper to be allowed; and I have, in the seventh column of the said first part of the said list, stated my reasons for such belief.

3. I have, in the second part of the said list, set forth such of the said debts and claims as, in my opinion, ought to be proved by the respective creditors.

(*Sworn, or affirmed, etc.*)

No. 17.—Exhibit referred to in Affidavit No. 16.

A.

List of Debts and Claims of which the particulars have been sent in to the Official Liquidator.

This paper writing, marked A, was produced and shown to R. P. H., and is the same as is referred to in his Affidavit, sworn before me this day of 186 .

W. B., etc.

FIRST PART.—*Debts and Claims proper to be allowed without further evidence.*

Serial No.	Names of Creditors.	Addresses and descriptions	Particulars of debt or claim.	Amount claimed.	Amount proper to be allowed	Reasons for belief that amounts are proper to be allowed
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	

SECOND PART.—*Debts and Claims which ought to be proved by the Creditors.*

Serial No.	Names of Creditors.	Addresses and descriptions.	Particulars of debt or claim.	Amount claimed.
				Rs. A. P.

* When a verified written statement is put in, this and the next Form may be altered, so as to meet the requirements of the case

No. 18.—Notice to Creditor of Allowance of Debt (*Rule* 23).

(*Place and date.*)

SIR,

The debt claimed by you in this matter has been allowed by the Judge at the sum of rupees [*if part only allowed, add,* If you claim to have a larger sum allowed, you are hereby required to come in and prove the further amount claimed, etc., *as in next form*].

To MR. P. R.

I am, etc.,

R. P. H.,

Official Liquidator.

No. 19.—Notice to Creditors to come in and prove their Debts (*Rule* 24).

You are hereby required to come in and prove the debt claimed by you against the above-named Company, by filing your affidavit or affirmation, and giving notice thereof to me on or before the day of next, and you are to attend by your attorney or pleaders at the Court of on the day of 186 , at o'clock in the , being the time appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claim.

Dated this day of 186 .

To MR. S. T.

R. P. H,

Official Liquidator.

No. 20.—Affidavit of Creditor in proof of Debt (*Rule* 24).

I, S. T., of, etc., make oath [*or*, solemnly affirm] and say as follows:—

1. The above-named Company was, on the day of 186 , the date of the order for winding up the same, and still is indebted to me in the sum of rupees for, etc. [*describe shortly the nature of the debt, and exhibit any security for it, and in the case of a trade debt, exhibit a bill of parcels, and verify the reasonableness of the charges, as in proving a debt in a suit*].

2. I have not, nor hath, nor have any person or persons by my order, or to my knowledge or belief, for my use received the said sum of rupees or any part thereof, or any security or satisfaction for the same or any part thereof [*if any security, add*] except the said [*describe the security*] hereinbefore mentioned or referred to.

(*Sworn, etc.*)

No. 21.—Certificate of Judge as to Debts and Claims (*Rule* 28).

I hereby certify that the result of the adjudication upon debts and claims against the above-named Company, brought in pursuant to the advertisement issued in that behalf, dated the day of 186 , so far as such adjudication has up to the date of this certificate been proceeded with, is as follows:—

The debts and claims which have been allowed are set forth in the First Schedule hereto, and with the interest thereon and costs mentioned in the said Schedule, are due to the persons therein named, amount altogether to Rs. .

I have, in the first part of the said Schedule, set forth such of the said debts and claims as carry interest, and the interest thereon has been computed after the rate they respectively carry down to the date of this certificate.

I have, in the second part of the said Schedule, set forth such of the said debts and claims as do not carry interest.

The claims set forth in the Second Schedule hereto have been brought in by the persons therein named, and have been disallowed.

The evidence produced, etc.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE, ABOVE REFERRED TO.

FIRST PART.—*Debts and Claims which carry Interest.*

No.	Names of Creditors.	Addresses and Descriptions.	Particulars of Debt.	Total due.
1	J. L.	29 Street Calcutta, Boot-maker ...	On bill of exchange, dated, etc.	Rs. A. P.
		Principal	Rs.	
		Interest at per cent. per annum from 186 , to the date of this Certificate	,,	
		Costs of Proof	,,	
			Total First Part, Rs.	

SECOND PART.—*Debts and Claims which do not carry Interest.*

No.	Names of Creditors.	Addresses and Descriptions.	Particulars of Debt.	Interest* on Principal.	Total due.
40	W. P.	15 Street, Calcutta, Baker	Goods sold—		
		Principal	Rs. 500 0 0	20 0 0	540 0 0
		Cost of proof	,, 20 0 0		
			Total ...		
			Add total First Part Rs.		
			Total First and Second Parts ,,		

* To be computed at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date of the winding up order.

The Second Schedule, above referred to.

No.	Names of Creditors.	Addresses and Descriptions.	Particulars of claim.	Amount claimed.
				Rs. A. P.

Dated this day of 186

[G. H.,]
Judge.

No. 22.—Affidavit in support of List of Contributories (Rule 29).

I, R. P. H., of, etc, the Official Liquidator of the abovenamed Company, make oath, [*or*, solemnly affirm] and say as follows:—

1. The paper writing now produced and shown to me, and marked with the letter A, contains a list of the contributories of the said Company, made out by me from the books and papers of the said Company, together with their respective addresses, and the number of shares [*or*, extent of interest] to be attributed to each; and such list is, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, a true and accurate list of contributories of the said Company, so far as I have been able to make out and ascertain the same.

2. I have, in the first part of the said list marked A, distinguished the persons, who are contributories in their own right.

3. I have, in the second part of the said list marked A, distinguished the persons who are contributories as being representatives of, or being liable to the debts of others.

(*Sworn, etc.*)

No. 23.—List of Contributories referred to in Form No. 22.

A.

The List of Contributories marked A, was produced and shown to R. P. H., and is the same List of Contributories as is referred to in his affidavit sworn before me this day of 186 .

W. B., etc.

FIRST PART.—*Contributories in their own right.*

Serial No.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).

SECOND PART.—*Contributories, as being representatives of, or liable to the debts of others.*

Serial No.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).

No. 24.—Notice to Contributories of Appointment to settle List of Contributories (*Rule* 30).

This Court [*or*, the Hon'ble Mr. Justice] has appointed the day of 186 , at o'clock , to settle the List of the Contributories of the above-named Company, made out by the Official Liquidator of the said Company, and you are included in such List in the character and for the number of shares [*or*, extent of interest] stated below; and if no sufficient cause is shown by you to the contrary at the time and place aforesaid. the List will be settled including you therein.

Dated this day of 186 .

R. P. H.,
Official Liquidator.

To MR. A. B. and to MR. C. D., his attorney, pleader or agent.

No. on List.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).

No. 25.—Affidavit of Service of Notice (*Rule* 30).

I, W. S., of, etc., the attorney of the Official Liquidator of the above-named Company, make oath [*or*, solemnly affirm] and say as follows:—

1. The first six columns of the Schedule now produced and shown to me, and marked with the letter A, contain a true copy of the List of Contributories of the said Company, made out and filed in Court by the said Official Liquidator, on the day of 186 , as I know from having, on the day of 186 , examined and compared the said schedule with the said list; and I have, in the seventh column of the said schedule marked A, set forth the names and addresses of the attorneys who have entered appearances for any of the contributories named in the said List.

2. I did, on the day of 186 , in the manner hereinafter mentioned, cause a true copy of the Notice now produced and shown to me, and marked B, to be served upon each of the respective persons whose names, addresses, and descriptions appear in the second, third, and fourth columns of the said Schedule marked A, except that in the tabular form at the foot of such copies respectively. I inserted the number on List, name, address, description, in what character included, and number of shares [*or*, extent of interest] of the person on whom such copy of the said notice was served, in the same words and figures as the same particulars are set forth in the said Schedule marked A.

3. I caused the said respective copies of the said notice to be served by putting such copies respectively, duly addressed to such persons respectively or their attorneys, pleaders, or agents and with the proper postage stamps affixed thereto as registered letters, into the Post Office at on the said day of 186

(*Sworn, etc.*)

Schedule referred to.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
No. in List.	Name.	Address.	Description	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).	Names and addresses of attorneys who have entered appearances and been served with a copy of the Notice referred to in the affidavit of W S., to which this Schedule is an exhibit.

No. 26.—Supplemental List of Contributories and Affidavit in support (*Rule* 29).

I, R. P. H., of, etc., the Official Liquidator of the abovenamed Company, make oath [*or*, solemnly affirm] and say as follows:—

1. Since filing in Court the List of the Contributories in this matter, on the day of 186 , it has come to my knowledge that the several persons whose names are set forth in the Supplemental List of Contributories now produced and shown to me and marked with the letter B, are or have been holders of shares in [*or*, numbers of] the said Company, and to the best of my judgment, information, and belief, such persons are contributories of the said Company.

2 The said Supplemental List marked B contains the names of such persons, together with their respective addresses, and the number of shares [*or*, extent of interest] to be attributed to each; and such List is, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, true and accurate.

3. I have, in the first part of the said List marked B, distinguished such of the said persons as are contributories in their own right.

4. I have, in the second part of the said List marked B, distinguished such of the said persons as are contributories, as being representatives of or being liable to the debts of others.

(*Sworn, etc.*)

NOTE.—(The Supplemental List of Contributories is to be made out in the same form as the original List, in Form No. 23.)

No. 27.—Certificate of Judge of Settlement of the List of Contributories (*Rule* 31).

1. I hereby certify that the several persons whose names are set forth in the second column of the First Schedule hereto have been included in the said List of Contributories as contributories of the said Company in respect of the number of shares (*or*, extent of interest) set opposite the names of such contributories respectively in the said Schedule.

In the first part of the said Schedule are the names of the several persons, contributories in their own right. In the second part of the said schedule are the names of the persons who are contributories, as being representatives of, or liable to, the debts of others.

2. The persons whose names are set forth in the second column of the Second Schedule hereto have been excluded from the List of Contributories.

3. In the seventh column of the said First and Second Schedules are set forth, opposite the name of each of the said several persons respectively, the date when such person was included in or excluded from the said List of Contributories.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

FIRST PART.—*Contributories in their own right.*

Serial No in list.	Name	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).	Date when included in the list.

SECOND PART.—*Contributories as being representatives of, or liable to the debts of others.*

Serial No. in list	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).	Date when included in the list.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE, ABOVE REFERRED TO.

Serial No. in list.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character proposed to be included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).	Date when excluded from the list.

Dated the day of 186 .

G. H.,
Judge.

No. 28.—Order on Application to vary List (*Rule* 29).

Upon the application of W. N. to review the List of Contributories of the said Company, in respect of the inclusion of the said W. N. therein, and that his name may be excluded therefrom, and upon hearing advocates, or attorneys, or pleaders, etc., and upon reading, etc. It is ordered that the name of the said W. N. be excluded from the said List of Contributories [*or*, the Judge doth not think fit to make any order on the said application, except that the said W. N. do pay to R. P. H., the Official Liquidator of the said Company, his costs of this application, to be taxed by the Taxing Officer in case the parties differ].

No. 29.—Affidavit of Official Liquidator in support of proposal for Call (*Rule* 33).

I, R. P. H., of, etc., the Official Liquidator of the abovenamed Company, make oath [*or*, solemnly affirm] and say as follows:—

1. I have, in the Schedule now produced and shown to me, and marked with the letter A, set forth a statement showing the amount due in respect of the debts allowed against the said Company, and the estimated amount of the costs, charges, and expenses of and incidental to the winding up the affairs thereof, and which several amounts form in the aggregate the sum of Rs. , or thereabouts.

2. I have also, in the said Schedule, set forth a Statement of the assets in hand belonging to the said Company, amounting to the sum of Rs. , and no more. There are no other assets belonging to the said Company, except the amounts due from certain of the contributories of the said Company, and, to the best of my information and belief, it will be impossible to realize in respect of the said amounts more than the sum of Rs or thereabouts.

3. It appears by the Judge's Certificate, dated the day of 186 , that persons have been settled on the List of Contributories of the said Company, in respect of the total number of shares.

4. For the purpose of satisfying the several debts and liabilities of the said Company, and of paying the costs, charges, and expenses of and incidental to the winding up the affairs thereof, I believe the sum of Rs. will be required, in addition to the amount of the assets of the said Company mentioned in the said Schedule A and the said sum of Rs.

5. In order to provide the said sum of Rs , it is necessary to make a call upon the several persons who have been settled on the List of Contributories as before mentioned, and having regard to the probability that some of such contributories will partly or wholly fail to pay the amount of such call, I believe that, for the purpose of realizing the amount required as before mentioned, it is necessary that a call of Rs. per share should be made.

(*Sworn, etc.*)

No. 30.—Summons for intended Call (*Rule* 33).

Let all parties concerned attend at on the day of 186 , at o'clock on the hearing of an application on the part of the Official Liquidator of the above-named Company, that a call to the amount of Rs. per share may be made on all the contributories [*or, if upon any particular class, specify the same*] of the said Company.

A. B,
Judge or *Registrar*.

This summons was taken out by A. and B., of , attorneys for the said Official Liquidator.

To Mr. C. D., of, etc., a contributory of the said Company proposed to be included in the said call.

No. 31.—Advertisement of intended Call (*Rule* 33).

Notice is hereby given that the day of 186 , at o'clock at the Court-house, has been appointed to make a call on all the contributories of the said Company [*or, as the case may be*] and that the Official Liquidator of the said Company proposes that such call shall be for Rs. per share. All persons interested are entitled to attend at such day, hour, and place, to offer objections to such call.

Dated this day of 186 .

G. H.,
Judge or *Registrar*.

No. 32.—General Order for a Call (*Rule* 34).

Upon the application of the Official Liquidator of the above-named Company, and upon reading two orders, dated the day of 186 , and the day of 186 , the Judge's Certificate, dated the day of 186 , an affidavit of the said Official Liquidator, filed . 186 , and the Exhibit marked A, therein referred to, and an affidavit of filed 186 it is ordered, that a call of Rs. per share be made on all the contributories of the said Company [*or, as the case may be*]. And it is ordered, that such contributory do, on or before the day of 186 , pay into the Bank of Bengal [*or*, into Court,] to the account of the Official Liquidator of the Company, the amount which will be due from him or her in respect of such call.

No. 33.—Notice to be served with the General Order for a Call (*Rule* 34).

The amount due from you, A. B., in respect of the call made by the above (or within) order, is the sum of Rs. , which sum is to be paid by you into the Bank of Bengal [or into Court] to the account mentioned in the said order. This notice and copy Order must be produced at the Bank [or Court] upon such payment, and the Bank [or Court] will, upon receiving the same, deliver to you a certificate of the payment. You must, immediately upon such payment in, cause written notice of the payment, and of the date thereof, to be given to me as the Official Liquidator of the said Company, at my office at .

Dated this day of 186 .

R. P. H.,
Official Liquidator.

To MR. A. B.

No. 34.—Affidavit in support of Application for Order for Payment of Call due from Contributories (*Rule* 35).

I, R. P. H., of, etc., the Official Liquidator of the above-named Company, make oath [*or*, solemnly affirm] and say as follows:—

1. None of the contributories of the said Company whose names are set forth in the Schedule hereunto annexed, marked A, have paid, or caused to be paid, the respective sums set opposite their respective names in the said Schedule, and which sums are the respective amounts now due from them respectively in respect of the call of Rs. per share, in pursuance of the Order in that behalf dated the day of 186 .

2. The respective amounts or sums set opposite the names of such contributories respectively in such Schedule, are the true amounts due and owing by such contributories respectively in respect of the said call.

(*Sworn, etc.*)

A.

The Schedule above referred to.

No. of list.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Amount due.
					Rs. A. P.

NOTE.—In addition to the above affidavit, an affidavit of the service of the Order and Notice (Nos. 32 and 33) will be required.

No. 35.—Order for Payment of Call due from a Contributory (Rule 31).

Upon the application of the Official Liquidator of the above-named Company, and upon reading the Order, dated the day of 186 , an affidavit of filed the day of 186 , and an affidavit of the said Official Liquidator, filed the day of 186 . It is ordered that C. D., of, etc. [*or*, E. F., of, etc, the legal personal representative of L. M., late of, etc, annexed], one of the contributories of the said Company [*or*, *if against several contributories*, the several persons named in the second column of the Schedule to this order, being respectively contributories of the said Company] do, on or before the day of 186 , or within four days after service of this order, pay into the Bank of Bengal [or into Court,] to the account of the Official Liquidator of the Company [*or*, to A. B., the Official Liquidator of the said Company, at his Office at] the sum of Rs. [*if against a legal personal representative, add*, out of the assets of the said L. M., deceased, in his hands, as such legal personal representative as aforesaid, to be administered in a due course of administration, if the said E. F. has in his hands so much to be administered [*or if against several contributories*, the several sums of money set opposite to their respective names in the sixth column of the said Schedule hereto,] such sum [*or* sums] being the amount [*or* amounts] due from the said C. D. [*or* L. M.] or the said several persons respectively in respect of the call of Rs. per share made by the said Order, dated the day of 186 .

The Schedule referred to in the foregoing order.

No. in list.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Amount due.
					Rs. A. P.

NOTE.—The copy for service of the above Order must be endorsed as follows:—If you, the within-named C. D., neglect to obey this order, you will be liable to be arrested under a writ of attachment issued out of the Court of, etc., and also be liable to have your property attached for the purpose of compelling you to obey the same Order.

No. 37.—Affidavit of Service of Order for Payment of Call (Rule 35).

I, J. B., of, etc., make oath [*or*, solemnly affirm] and say as follows:—

1. I did, on the day of 186 , personally serve G. F., of in, etc., with an Order made in the matter by the Hon'ble Mr. Justice [*or*, by the Court, etc.] dated the day of 186 , whereby it was ordered [*set out the Order in the past tense*] by delivering to and leaving with the said G. F. at in a true copy of the said Order, and at the same time producing and showing unto him, the said G. F., the said original Order.

2. There was endorsed on the said copy, when so served, the following words, that is to say, "If you, the within-named G. F., neglect to obey this Order by the time therein limited, you will be liable to be arrested under a writ of attachment issued out of the High Court [*or, as the case may be*], and also be liable to have your property attached for the purpose of compelling you to obey the same order."

(*Sworn, etc.*)

No. 38.—Affidavit of non-payment of Money by Order directed to be paid into the Bank of Bengal, or into Court (Rule 38).

I, R. P. H., of, etc., the Official Liquidator of the abovenamed Company, make oath [*or* solemnly affirm] and say as follows:—

1. G. F., the person named in an order made in this matter by the Hon'ble Mr. Justice [*or*, by this Court] dated the day of 186 , has not paid into the Bank of Bengal [*or*, into Court] to the account of the Official Liquidator of the Company, the whole or any part of the sum of Rs. as by the said Order directed.

(Or in case of several parties.)

1. None of the several persons whose names and addresses are set forth in the Schedule hereunder written, and who have respectively been duly served with Orders made in this matter by the Hon'ble Mr. Justice [*or*, by the Court] of the respective dates set opposite to their respective names in the said Schedule, have paid into the Bank of Bengal [*or*, into Court] to the account of the Official Liquidator of the Company, the whole or any part of the several sums of money set opposite to their respective names in the Schedule hereunder written, as by the said Orders respectively directed.

The Schedule above referred to.

Name.	Address	Description.	Amount.	Date of balance order.	Number of certificates.
			Rs. A. P.		

No. 39.—Notice (or Advertisement) of Meeting of Creditors or Contributories (Rule 43).

Notice is hereby given that the Hon'ble Mr. Justice (*or*, this Court) has directed a meeting of the creditors (*or*, contributories) of the above-named Company to be summoned, pursuant to the above Act, for the purpose of ascertaining their wishes as to [*state the object for which Meeting called, unless notice is by advertisement in which case say*, certain matters relating to the winding up of the said Company], and that such Meeting will be held on day, the day of 186 , at o'clock at , at which time and place all the creditors (or contributories) of the said Company are requested to attend. The said Judge [or Court] has appointed H. F. of, etc, to act as Chairman of such meeting.

Dated this day of 186 .

R. P. H.,
Official Liquidator.

No. 40.—Appointment of Proxy to vote at Meeting of Creditors or Contributories (Rule 41).

I, W. S., of in the of , hereby appoint of as my proxy to vote for me, and on my behalf, at the Meeting of the creditors (*or*, contributories) of the said Company, summoned by direction of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice (*or*, by the Court of) to be held on the day of , and at any adjournment thereof.

As witness my hand this day of 186 .

W. S.

Signed by the said W. S., in the presence of
I. M , of, etc.

No. 41.—Memorandum of Appointment of a Person to act as Chairman at Meeting of Creditors or Contributories (Rule 45).

The Hon'ble Mr. Justice (*or*, the Court of) has appointed Mr H. T., of, etc , one of the creditors (*or*, contributories) of the above-named Company, to act as Chairman of a Meeting of the creditors (*or*, contributories) of the said Company, summoned by direction of the said Judge (*or*, Court), pursuant to the above Act to be held on day, the day of 186 , at o'clock, at , and to report the result of such Meeting to the said Judge (*or*, Court). The said Meeting is summoned for the purpose of ascertaining the wishes of the creditors (*or*, contributories) of the said Company as to [*state the object for which Meeting called*], and at such Meeting the votes of the creditors (*or* contributories) may be given either personally or by proxy.

Dated this day of 186 .

G. H.,
Registrar or *Judge*.

No. 42.—Chairman's Report of result of Meeting of Creditors or Contributories (Rule 45).

I, H. T., the person appointed by the Hon'ble Mr. Justice (*or*, by the Court of) to act as Chairman of a Meeting of the creditors (*or* contributories) of the abovenamed Company, summoned by advertisement (*or*, notice) dated the day of 186 , and held on the day of 186 , at , do hereby report to the said Judge (*or* Court) the results of such Meeting as follows:—

The said meeting was attended, either personally or by proxy, by creditors, to whom debts against the said Company have been allowed, amounting in whole to the value of Rs. , (*or* by contributories, holding in the whole shares in the said Company, and entitled respectively, by the regulations of the Company, to the number of votes hereinafter mentioned).

The question submitted to the said Meeting was whether the creditors (*or*, contributories) of the said Company approved of the proposal of the Official Liquidator of the said Company, that, etc. [*as the case may be*], and wished that such proposal should be adopted and carried into effect.

The said Meeting was unanimously of opinion that the said proposal should (*or* should not) be adopted and carried into effect (*or*, the result of the voting upon such question was as follows).

The undermentioned creditors (*or* contributories) voted in favour of the said proposal being adopted and carried into effect:—

Name of Creditor (or contributory).	Address.	Value of debt (or number of shares).	Number of votes conferred on each Contributory by the Regulations of the Company.

The undermentioned creditors (*or* contributories) voted against the said proposal being adopted and carried into effect:—

Name of Creditor (or contributory).	Address.	Value of debt (or number of shares).	Number of votes conferred on each contributory by the Regulations of the Company.

Dated this day of 186

H. T.,
Chairman.

No. 43.—Memorandum of Sanction of Judge to accepting Bill of Exchange (Rule 46).

The Hon'ble Mr. Justice [*or* the Court of] has sanctioned the acceptance of this Bill of Exchange by the Official Liquidator on behalf of the said Company.

G. H.,
Judge.

No. 44.—Memorandum of Agreement of Compromise with a Contributory (Rule 47).

Memorandum of Agreement, entered into this day of 186 , between R. P. H., of, etc., the Official Liquidator of the above-named Company of the one part, and S. B., of, etc., one of the contributories of the said Company of the other part.

Whereas the said S. B. has been settled on the List of Contributories of the said Company as a contributory in respect of shares in the said Company. And whereas by an Order made by the Hon'ble Mr. Justice [*or* by the Court of] dated the day of 186 , a call of Rs. per share was made on all the contributories of the said Company, and there is now due from the said S. B. to the said Company, the sum of Rs. in respect of the said call. And whereas the said S B. has proposed to pay to the said Official Liquidator the sum of Rs. by way of compromise, and in satisfaction and discharge of the said sum of Rs. , and of all liability whatsoever, as a contributory of the said Company. And whereas the said Official Liquidator, having investigated the affairs of the said S B.,

and believing that such compromise will be beneficial to the said Company, hath, in exercise of the power for that purpose given to him by the above Act, agreed to accept the same, subject to the sanction of the said Judge [*or* Court], and to the conditions and agreements hereinafter contained. Now, it is hereby agreed by and between the said parties hereto :—

1st.—That the said Official Liquidator shall, before the day next, of apply to the said Judge [*or* Court] to sanction this agreement of compromise.

2nd.—That upon this agreement being sanctioned by the said Judge [*or* Court], the said S. B. shall, within days next after such sanction, pay to the said Official Liquidator the said sum of Rs. , and, when thereto required, shall do and execute all such acts and deeds as may be necessary for transferring, or surrendering and releasing to the said Official Liquidator, on behalf of the said Company, or in such manner as the said Judge [*or* Court] may direct, the said shares held by the said S. B., in the said Company, and all claim and demand whatsoever which the said S. B. has or may have against the said Company, in respect of the said shares, or the distribution of the assets of the said Company, or otherwise howsoever.

3rd.—That the said sum of Rs. , and the transfer or surrender and release of the said shares and interest of the said S. B. as aforesaid, shall be accepted by the said Official Liquidator as and be deemed and taken to give to the said S. B. a full and complete discharge from all calls and liabilities, claims and demands whatsoever, which the said Company or the Official Liquidator thereof now has or may hereafter have, or be entitled to, against the said S. B. in respect of his being or having been the holder of the said shares or otherwise as a contributory of the said Company.

4th.—That in case this agreement shall not be sanctioned by the said Judge [*or* Court], it shall cease and determine, and the said Official Liquidator and the said S. B. shall be remitted to their original rights with respect to each other, as if this agreement had not been entered into.

5th.—That in case this agreement shall be sanctioned by the said Judge [*or* Court], and the said S B. shall not in all respects perform the same on his part, the Official Liquidator shall be at liberty, with the sanction of the said Judge [*or* Court], and without notice to the said S. B., to enforce the performance thereof, or, with the like sanction, to give notice to the said S. B. that he abandons this agreement, whereupon the same shall cease and determine, and the said Official Liquidator shall be entitled to proceed against the said S. B. to enforce payment of the said sum of Rs. , or so much thereof as shall then remain due and unpaid, as if this agreement had not been entered into.

S. B.

R. P. H.,
Official Liquidator.

Witness to the signature of the said R. P. H. and S. B,
C. D., of, etc.

No. 45.—Memorandum of sanction of Judge to Agreement of Compromise (Rule 47).

The Hon'ble Mr. Justice [*or* this Court of has sanctioned the agreement of compromise.

G. H.,
Judge.

No. 46.—Appearance Book (Rule 58).

In the matter, etc.

Appearance Book.

Date when Appearance entered.	Party's Name.	Whether Creditor or Contributor.	If he appears in person, his Address for Service.	If he appears by an Attorney, his Attorney's Name.	Attorney's Address.	Amount of Debt (or number of Shares).

No. 47.—Summons for Persons to attend to be examined (Section 134).

A. B., of, etc., and E. F., of, etc., are hereby severally summoned to attend at on the day of 186 , at o'clock to be examined on the part of the Official Liquidator [*or* of W. D., of, etc.] for the purpose of proceedings directed by the Hon'ble Mr. Justice [*or* by the Court] to be taken before me in the above matter [And the said A. B. is hereby required to bring with him, and produce at the time and place aforesaid, a certain indenture [*describe documents*] and all other books, papers, deeds, writings, and other documents in his custody or power in anywise relating to the abovenamed Company.

Dated this day of 186 .

G. H.,
Judge.

This summons was taken out by Messrs. C. and D., of , attorneys for the Official Liquidator [*or* for the said W. D.]

No. 48.—Certificate of the Company being completely wound up, and of the Official Liquidator having passed his final Account (Rule 61).

I hereby certify that R. P. H., the Official Liquidator of the above-named Company, has passed his final account as such Official Liquidator; and that the balance of Rs. thereby certified to be due to [*or* from] the said Official Liquidator, has been paid in the manner directed by the Order dated the day of 186 . And that the affairs of the said Company have been completely wound up.

Dated this . day of 186 .

G. H.,
Judge.

No. 49.—Order to dissolve the Company (Rule 61).

Upon the application of the Official Liquidator of the abovenamed Company, and upon reading an order dated the day of 186 , and the Judge's Certificate dated the day of 186 , whereby it appears that the affairs of the said Company have been completely wound up; and that the balance of Rs. due from [*or* to] the Official Liquidator, has been paid in manner directed by the said Order; It is ordered, that the said Company be dissolved, as from this day of 186 . And that the recognizance dated the day of 186 , entered into by the said Official Liquidator, together with W. B. and T. P., his sureties, be vacated]

Sheriff's Office, the 29th July 1903.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Criminal Sessions of the year 1903 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the seventeenth day of August next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

W. A. BANKIER, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৩ সাল তারিখ ২৯শে জুলাই।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে হুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতায় ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৩ সালের ১৭ই আগষ্ট সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৩ সালের চতুর্থ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ডবিউ, এ, ব্যাঙ্কিয়ার, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 22nd July 1903.—Maulvi Abul Hashen Khan, M.A., an Assistant Master in the Chapra Zilla School (class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for six months, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved by his successor.

Maulvi Muhammad Jail, M.A., an Assistant Master (English Teacher) in the Hooghly Madrasah, on a salary of Rs. 45 a month, is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Maulvi Abul Hashen Khan, or until further orders.

The 23rd July 1903.—Consequent on the appointment of Babu Baldev Misra, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Patna, to act as Head Master of the Patna Training School, the following arrangements are sanctioned:—

(1) Babu Rajendra Prasad, an Assistant Master in the Patna Training School (class VI), to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Patna, *vice* Babu Baldev Misra.

(2) Babu Ram Prasad, B.A. (first grade Teachership Certificate-holder), Sub-Inspector of Schools, Patna, is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Patna Training School, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Rajendra Prasad.

The 24th July 1903.—Babu Nil Kamal Mukherjea, a Sub-Inspector of Schools under the District Board of Backergunge (class VII), was granted by the Board privilege leave for thirty days, with effect from the 2nd June 1903.

The 26th July 1903.—Babu Raj Kumar Tarkaratna, an Assistant Master (Head Pandit) in the Bhagalpur Zilla School (class VII), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st July 1903.

A. C. EDWARDS,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

1. In modification of the order *re* Ward's Gifford Lictures published in the Gazette of the 17th June last, the Examiners in Mental and Moral Science for the M.A. Examination in 1903 have been instructed that they are at liberty to set questions from the Lectures, but that for every question so set they must provide an alternative.

2. The following Natural Orders in Botany are prescribed for the Preliminary Scientific M.B, and L.M.S Examinations in 1904:—

(1) Anonaceæ.
(2) Anacardiaceæ.
(3) Leguminosæ.
(4) Compositæ.
(5) Solanaceæ.
(6) Euphorbiaceæ.
(7) Scitamineæ.
(8) Gramineæ.

3. The following Genera and Orders in Zoology are prescribed for the B.A. Examination in 1904:—

(*a*) Genera of the Order Ecaudata (Class Batrachia)
(*b*) Ditto Scorpione (Sub-class Arachnida).
(*c*) Indian Genera of the Sub-order Ophidia (Order squamata), Class Reptilia.
(*d*) Ditto Order Gallinæ (Game birds), Class Aves.

4. The Books of Joshua, Judges and Job, in the Khasi version of the Bible, are prescribed for the Examination in Khasi at the Entrance Examination in 1905.

5. The Examination in Assamese at the Entrance Examination in 1905 shall be on Selections, to be notified later on, from Sahitya Sangraha by Padmanath Barua, Sahitya Bichar by Satyanath Bora, and the Adikanda of the Ramayana in the Assamese version of Rai M. C. Bardalai, Bahadur.

6. Manindralal Bandyopadhyay, a candidate at the recent F.A. Examination from the Bhumihar Brahman College, to whom has been traced an Answer-Book in Sanitary Science, with page after page filled with obscene matter of the grossest description, has been called upon to surrender his Entrance Certificate with a view to its cancelment; has had his name removed from the records of the University; and is debarred from all future Examinations of the University.

7. Under Rule 7 of the Rules for the Recognition of Schools, the privileges of recognition are withdrawn from the Rajchandra Collegiate School, Barisal.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th July 1903.

K. C. BANURJI,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

ORISSA DIVISION AND THE ORISSA TRIBUTARY MAHALS.
OFFICE MEMORANDUM OF THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, ORISSA DIVISION.

Rules for appearing at the F.A. and B.A. Examinations in 1904 for candidates from the Orissa Division and the Orissa Tributary Mahals who are not students of any affiliated institution.

DEPUTY INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bonâ fide* teachers of recognised English schools who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or for a term of six months after an examination of the same class last held by the University in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations. All applications from school-masters should be accompanied by certificates of length of service from the Secretaries of the schools in which they are employed, and should reach this office not later than the 5th January 1904. The application of a school-master for permission to appear at the F.A. or B.A. Examination should be signed by him in the presence of the Secretary or a member of the Managing Committee of the school in which he is employed. The application should be forwarded to the office of the Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division, for countersignature, together with the Registrar's receipt to prove, if this be the case, that the candidate has appeared at the examination in a previous year, and the certificate in proof of his having passed the Entrance or F.A. Examination, as the case may be. Such papers will be sent back to him (the candidate), who will have to send them, together with the examination fee, to the Registrar of the University direct.

2. Candidates should read carefully the form of the certificate which the Inspector of the Division will sign, and should be careful to supply all information and documents required, including the Registrar's receipt, in the case of those who have been admitted to a former examination of the same class, without which the Inspector must decline to sign the certificate applied for.

3. By *bonâ fide* teachers of schools are to be understood teachers who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools teaching at least the Middle English course.

CUTTACK,
The 17th July 1903.

HERBERT A. STARK,
Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.

MEMORANDUM.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. Private students are those who do not appear from any school, or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector.

2. The term "Private students" includes School Masters.

3. Private students must appear at the test examination of any one of the undermentioned schools on dates to be fixed by Head Masters :—

(1) Ravenshaw Collegiate School (with the permission of the Principal of the College).	(2) Balasore Zilla School. (3) P. M. Academy. (4) Puri Zilla School.

4. Every private candidate must satisfy the following conditions :—

(*a*) That he has not failed at the test examination of any Entrance school in the current session.

(*b*) That he has not failed to gain promotion to the first class of any Entrance school at the results of the annual examination of the second class in the last session.

(*c*) That he has left the school in which he last read with a transfer certificate, or (in case of a failed student) is in possession of the Registrar's receipt.

5. Every private candidate must pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master of the school at which he is to appear for the examination.

6. He must arrange for his identification to the officer conducting the test examination, and he should satisfy the Head Master as to his character, if necessary.

7. The Head Masters of the abovenamed schools are requested to sign the application forms of eligible candidates having a reasonable probability of success at the final examination, and forward the same to this office for countersignature *in time*. Private candidates should make their own arrangements to remit their examination fees and application forms to the Registrar of the Calcutta University.

CUTTACK,
The 17th July 1903.

HERBERT A. STARK,
Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.

NOTICE.

Entrance examination.

A TEST-EXAMINATION of private students and school-masters for admission to the ensuing Entrance examination will be held at the office of the Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, 12 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th December 1903. Such candidates only as reside in any of the districts of the Presidency Division, including Calcutta, will be admitted to the examination.

2. Candidates who do not appear from any school, *i.e.*, who have not attended any school since the 1st of September next preceding the examination, will be treated as private students. They will be required to furnish satisfactory proof that they have not read in any school from that date. They must also produce certificates of conduct and progress in studies from the authorities of the last school where they read, or, in the case of those who have not been in any school for more than a year, from some other reliable authorities. The transfer certificates granted to them by the authorities of the schools in which they studied last, or the Registrar's receipt for the fee paid in the case of those candidates who previously appeared at the Entrance examination, must be submitted in original along with the application for permission to appear at the test-examination.

3. *Bonâ-fide* teachers employed in any of the schools in the Presidency Division may be admitted to the examination if they can produce certificates of service and character from their employers, or from the Deputy Inspector of the district concerned.

4. Each candidate should submit to this Office, not later than the 15th November 1903, his application for admission to the test-examination, stating the following particulars:—

(1) Age, (2) residence, (3) father's name, (4) second language besides English, and (5) whether he appeared at any previous Entrance examination.

5. The admission-fee for the examination is Rs. 4 for each candidate, and is to be remitted with the application within the prescribed date, after which a fine of Rs. 2 is to be imposed for each week's delay.

6. No private student will be admitted to the test-examination unless accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to this Office.

7. Candidates who are sent up by this Office must appear at the Calcutta Examination Centre.

8. Those who reside at a distance from Calcutta may, with special permission, present themselves at the test-examination held by the head-master of the nearest zilla or Government high school within the Presidency Division on condition that they appear at the centre selected by the candidates from that institution. The head-master of such school is hereby authorised to sign the applications, which must afterwards be countersigned by the undersigned. The fees and fines paid by these candidates as per paragraph 5 above should be utilized in meeting the cost of the examination.

9. The Entrance examination in 1904 will be held on the 7th March 1904 and the following days.

10. Applications and fees for admission to the examination must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 25th January 1904.

F.A. and B.A. examinations.

Deputy Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors, and *bonâ-fide* teachers of English schools in the Presidency Division who have served as such for full two academical years, or for six months in the case of those who were admitted to a former examination of the same class, will be admitted to the above examinations on production of certificates of character and length of service (with dates) from their employers. *Their applications must reach this Office on or before the 8th January 1904.*

2. Candidates for the B.A. examination must send their F.A. Certificates, and candidates for the F.A. examination, their Entrance Certificates.

3. Candidates should carefully read the printed form of application and supply all the informations required by the University, including the Registrar's receipt in the case of those school-masters who were admitted to a previous examination of the same class.

4. The F.A. and B.A. examinations in 1904 will be held on the 21st March 1904 and the following days.

5. Applications with the countersignature of the undersigned and fees for admission to the above examinations must be sent to the *office of the Registrar on or before the 6th February 1904* by the candidates direct.

12 DALHOUSIE SQUARE, CALCUTTA;
The 7th July 1903.

P. MUKERJI,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6572B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Wednesday, the 2nd September 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

		Chests
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Total	...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th September 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 17th September 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Monday, 12th October 1903...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 2nd November ,, ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December ,, ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	6,000	6,000	12,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th July 1903.*

No. 5629B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 3rd August 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Total	...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th August 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption

of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 8th August 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 18th August 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumtsances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Wednesday, 2nd September 1903...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 12th October ,, ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 2nd November ,, ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December ,, ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	8,000	8,000	16,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 29th June 1903.*

Statement showing the quantity of Salt (Private Property) in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the River Hooghly on the 15th day of July 1903, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th July 1903.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH JULY 1903, INCLUSIVE.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the Port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouse.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	.....	7,37,950	7,44,043	14,81,093	40,137	15,31,130	1,54,005	1,54,406	60,895	1,29,496
Other European countries—										
Hamburg salt	.....	98,339	70,692	1,69,031	.....	1,69,031	55,770	65,417	50,920	17,959
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	.....	28,475	133	28,608	.....	28,608	22,150	4,123	600	43,490
Salif salt	.....	11,215	.....	11,215	13,427	24,642	74,700	68,472	43,103	14,000
Salif rock salt	.....	17,879	.....	17,879	.....	17,879	.....	.....	.....	800
Rawayah salt	.....	21,415	.....	21,415	60,300	81,715	86,825	1,47,000	50,575	6,400
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600
Ditto ditto Rock salt.	.....	3,620	.....	3,620	.....	3,620	.....	.....	.....	.....
British India—										
Bombay salt	.....	65,894	.....	65,894	.....	65,894	26,585*	11,175	6,608	26,082
Cocomada salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	2,000	...
Total ...	.....	9,84,787	8,14,868	17,99,655	1,22,864	19,22,519	4,20,125	4,72,593	2,14,690	2,38,318

* This quantity includes 24,334 maunds and 36 seers Bombay Karkach salt on which duty was paid at Bombay.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

L. F. MORSHEAD, *Offg. Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 23rd July 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that at the seventh general election of the Commissioners of the Monghyr Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, held on the 24th and 25th June 1903, the following persons were elected as Municipal Commissioners:—

Ward A	...	Babu Kanti Chandra Mukherji. „ Hazari Lal.
„ B	...	Babu Shiva Nandan Prosad Singh. „ Baij Nath Goenka.
„ D	...	Maulvi Shah Mahmad Ayub. Babu Bhagwat Prosad.
„ E	...	Babu Chandi Prosad Miser. „ Debi Prosad.
„ F	...	Maulvi Ali Hasnain. Babu Banarasi Prosad Choudhuri.
„ C	...	Election failed.

C. R. MARRIOTT, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 16th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER section 20 (1) (*c*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, Babu Buniad Mandar, an elected Commissioner of Ward D of the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, who absented himself from six consecutive meetings of the Municipal Commissioners without having obtained their permission at a meeting, is removed from his office.

C. R. MARRIOTT, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 16th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held on Saturday, the 18th July 1903, in Ward No. II of the Kotchandpur Municipality, in the district of Jessore, Babu Radhika Charan Nandi was duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward in the place of Babu Syama Charan Das, resigned.

B. CHAKRAVARTI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commissioner, on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 26th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Krishnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the seventh general election held on the 23rd May 1903:—

Ward No. I	...	Babu Kali Pada Gupta. Munshi Shamsuddin Ahmed. Babu Tara Pada Banerjee. „ Jagat Chandra Nath.
„ „ II	...	Babu Hem Chandra Sarkar. „ Bijoy Nanda Rai. „ Kali Das Bagchi.
„ „ IV	...	Babu Prasanna Gopal Roy. „ Bijoy Gopal Mukerjee. „ Hari Prosad Chatterjee.
„ „ V	...	Babu Chandi Charan Moitra. „ Hari Mohan Moitra.

B. CHAKRAVARTTI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 27th July 1903.*

ERRATUM.

IN the notification published at page 947 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th July 1903, showing the names of the gentlemen elected to be Commissioners of the Meherpur Municipality, in the district of Nadia, *for* "Ward No. IV—Babu Bani Kanta Sarkar" *read* "Ward No. IV—Babu Bani Chandra Sarkar."

B. CHAKRAVARTI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 27th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE District Board of Noakhali having resolved at a meeting to reconstitute the Managing Committee of the Charitable Dispensary at the Sadar station of the district by adding to it a few more members of position and influence and by omitting the name of Maulvi Abdul Aziz Khan appointed under the Notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th February 1901, who has left the district, it is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been appointed, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the rules for the management of Hospitals and Charitable Dispensaries, to be members of the Managing Committee of the said Dispensary under the District Board of Noakhali:—

1. District Magistrate .. .. } *Ex-officio.*
2. Civil Surgeon ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. Chairman, Municipality ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. Khan Bahadur Maulvi Buzlur Rohim, B.L., Pleader, Judge's Court.
5. Rai Raj Kumar Datta Bahadur, Zamindar.
6. Sub-Manager, Bhulua Estate.
7. Manager, Courjon's Estate.
8. Maulvi Abdul Haq Khan, Zamindar.
9. ,, Muzaffar Ahamed, ditto.
10. Babu Radha Kanta Aich, Pleader, Judge's Court.
11. ,, Tarak Chandra Guha, Government Pleader.
12. ,, Govinda Chandra Chatterji, Pleader, Judge's Court.

C. J. S. FAULDER, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 23rd July 1903.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 20th July 1903.

No. 359.—The services of Mr. E. A. Gait, of the Indian Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 15th August 1903, or the subsequent date on which he may relinquish charge of his duties as Officiating Census Commissioner for India.

MEDICAL.

The 24th July 1903.

No. 914.—The services of Captain S. Anderson, M.B., Indian Medical Service, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 22nd July 1903.

No. 4450-P.—The following promotions and reversions of officers of the Account Department during the month of June 1903 are notified:—

* * * * * * * *

With effect from the 25th of June 1903, in consequence of the grant of privilege leave to Mr. C. E. Crawley,—

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Mr. W. S. Adie to officiate in class III of Accountants-General.

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E. N. BAKER,
Secy. to the Govt of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 24th July 1903.

APPOINTMENTS.

"London Gazette," *dated the 30th June 1903, pages 4098, 4099, and 4100.*

INDIA OFFICE;
30th June 1903.

The King has approved of the following promotions among officers of the Indian Army and Indian Army Departments made by the Government of India:—

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

* * * * * * * *

Captains to be Majors.

Dated 31st January 1903.

BENGAL ESTABLISHMENT.

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Frederick O'Kinealy.

The King has also approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned officers:—

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

BENGAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Colonel Thomas Holbein Hendley, C.I.E. Dated 10th April 1903.

BOMBAY ESTABLISHMENT.

Lieutenant-Colonel Albert William Denis Leahy, M.D. Dated 5th June 1903.

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VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 769.—Major Henry Leadbeater Crossman, V.D., supernumerary list, resigns his commission, with effect from the 11th June 1903, and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of the Corps.

1st Battalion Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 770.—Second-Lieutenant Albert Edward Macaulay Audsley to be Lieutenant, with effect from the 14th June 1903, *vice* Gregson, transferred to the supernumerary list.

3rd (Cadet) Battalion Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 771.—Lieutenant Fred. Wilson Newton, Unattached List, resigns his commission, with effect from the 22nd June 1903.

Lieutenant Charles Kiernander, Unattached List, resigns his commission, with effect from the 30th June 1903.

Assam-Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 778.—Vernon Wood, Esq., to be Major, with effect from the 1st May 1903, on augmentation.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1993M.—The 22nd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

Babu Benoy Krishna Bose | Revd. K. P. Banerjee.
Babu Kali Prasanna Mukerjee.

No. 1995L.S.-G.—The 22nd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Kendrapara Local Board, in the district of Cuttack, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of the Subdivisional Officer of Kendrapara to be their Chairman.

Cuttack.

No. 1997L.S.-G.—The 22nd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Jajpur Local Board, in the district of Cuttack, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased under the said section to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Jajpur to be the Chairman of that Local Board.

Cuttack.

No 1999L.S.-G.—The 22nd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Cuttack, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Gokulananda Choudhury to be their Chairman.

Cuttack.

No. 2029M.—The 23rd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Netrakona to be the *ex-officio* Chairman of the Netrakona Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 2031M.—The 23rd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, of Babu Sasi Mohan Ghosh to be their Chairman.

Mymensingh.

No. 2033L.S.-G.—The 23rd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh has been elected by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Dacca, to be a member of the Dacca District Board, *vice* Babu Rama Kant Nandi, deceased.

Dacca.

No. 2035L.S.-G.—The 23rd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Revd. A. L. Kennan to be a member of the District Board of Midnapore, *vice* Revd. H. Wyman, resigned.

Midnapore.

No. 2037M.—The 22nd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Nadia Municipality, in the district of Nadia:—

Nadia.

The Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in charge of the operations under the Lodging-House Act, in the town of Nadia ... ...
The Health Officer under the Lodging-House Act, Nadia ...
} *Ex-officio.*

Rai Dwarka Nath Bhattacharji Bahadur. | Babu Biswesswar Chakravarti.

No. 2039M.—The 22nd July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Birnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia:—

Nadia.

Babu Baranasi Bose.	Babu Surendra Kumar Mukerjee.
„ Ashutosh Mukerjee.	„ Nasi Ram Sarkar.

No. 2059M.—The 24th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Tangail to be the *ex-officio* Chairman of the Tangail Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 2061M.—The 23rd July 1903.—Whereas the Commissioners of the Dacca Municipality have ordered that a survey be made of the lands situated in that Municipality; and the provisions of the Calcutta Survey Act, 1887 (Bengal Act I of 1887), consequently apply to that Municipality by virtue of section 223A of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884);

Dacca.

and whereas it is expedient that certain appointments should be made under the said Calcutta Survey Act, 1887, for the purposes of the said Survey;

now therefore the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased:—

(1) in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Calcutta Survey Act, 1887, to appoint Babu Chandra Sekhar Kar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, as Superintendent of the Survey, and Babu Sukumar Haldar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, and Babu Hari Charan Nag, Head Master of the Dacca Survey School, as Assistant Superintendents of the said Survey; and

(2) in exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the same Act, to appoint the Commissioner of the Dacca Division to be the authority to whom appeals referred to in that section shall lie.

No. 2072M.—The 27th July 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 8, sub-section 2, clause (*d*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. L. Hare, C.I.E., to be a Commissioner of Calcutta, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. C. E. Buckland, C.I.E., resigned.

Calcutta.

No. 2073M.—The 27th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 9 (2) (*c*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. L. Hare, C.I.E., to be a member of the General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. C. E. Buckland, C.I.E., resigned.

Calcutta.

No. 2077L.S.-G.—The 27th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Nadia, under section 29 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Mr. F. J. Smith to be their Chairman, *vice* Babu Pulin Behari Lahiri, resigned.

Nadia.

No. 2079L.S.-G.—The 25th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following modifications in Parts I, II and III of the rules made under clause (*a*) of the said section :—

Part I.—Omit Rule 1 and its heading "Preliminary," and insert the following before "Part I":—

Preliminary.

Rule 1.—In these rules—

(*a*) The term "Magistrate of the District" has the meaning defined by section 5 of the Act.

(*b*) A person shall be deemed to be resident within the area comprised in a union or within the area under the authority of a Local Board if he has his fixed place of abode within such area. A person who has his domicile in one place, but is obliged, for purposes of business or otherwise, to spend the greater or a considerable portion of his time in another, is not a resident of the latter but of the former place.

Rule 1A.—All disputes arising under these rules other than objections under rules 15 and 42 shall be decided by the Magistrate and his decision shall be final.

Part II.—Substitute the following for rules 33 and 34:—

Rule 33.—The election for each thana shall be held at the head-quarters of the thana or at such other place within the jurisdiction of the thana as the Magistrate may fix. The time and place of election shall be publicly notified at least one month before the date fixed for election and shall be stated in the notice issued under the next rule.

Rule 34.—The date and hour fixed for the thana election shall be duly notified at the thana and at such other places as may appear suitable at least one month beforehand.

A vernacular notice in the following form shall also, at least a fortnight before the date fixed for the election, be despatched by post, or by such other mode as may be found convenient, to every elector whose name appears in the register:—

"You are hereby informed that you are registered as a voter for the thana and that you will be entitled to vote at the election of members of the Local Board to be held at on the between the hours of and ."

Rule 34A.—After the second hour mentioned in the notice referred to in the last preceding rule no elector shall be admitted within the building or enclosure within which the election proceedings are being held, but the votes of all duly-registered voters who are already within the building or enclosure shall be recorded.

Part III.—Insert the following rules after rule 62 :—

Rule 62A.—The term of office of a member of a District Board elected by a Local Board commences from the date of his election by the Local Board. When a member is appointed to a Local Board under section 10 or section 15, or to a District Board, concurrently with, or immediately after, an election of members for such Board, such appointment shall be deemed to have been made on the date on which such election takes place, or if there is more than one election, and such elections are held on different dates, then on the latest of such dates.

Rule 62B.—A member of a District Board having once been elected as such by a Local Board continues to hold office until the expiry of the term fixed by rule 61, and the subsequent abolition of the Local Board by which he was elected does not affect the term of his office as a member of the District Board.

No. 2091M.—The 27th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Basirhat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of Part IX of the said Act to the areas specified below in Wards Nos. III, IV and V of the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this Notification within the Municipality:—

24-Parganas.

In Ward No. III.—The entire village of Naihaty.

In Ward No. IV.—Portion of this Ward bounded on the north by the river Ichamutty and School Road; on east by the field lying on the east of the High English School and the trenching-ground; on the south by the Chasapara Lane, Kenatulla's Lane, a portion of Salimuddy Bhagar Road, Mamood Meah's Lane, portion of Khan Bahadur's Road, Muftipara Lane, a portion of Asthana Road and a portion of Taki Road; on the west by the village of Basirhat.

In Ward No. V.—The village of Basirhat, bounded on the north by a straight line starting from the junction of the Taki and the Topa Roads and terminating at the pillar *A* in the western boundary line of Ward No. IV and running parallel to the Taki and Itinda District Roads at an average distance of 200 feet on the north from them; on the west by the Kamarpookar Lane starting from the Taki road and joining the Sardarati main road, a portion of the Mullickpara Lane, Haldarpara Lane (old), a portion of the Endo Tank Lane, and a portion of the Taki Road; and on the east by Ward No. IV.

No. 2104M.—The 28th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Brahmanbaria Municipality, in the district of Tippera:—

Tippera.

Maulvi Syed Waliullah.	Babu Bipin Behari Datta.
Munshi Abdur Roaf.	„ Satish Chandra Das.

No. 2115M.—The 28th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 1, clause 3 of Bengal Act II of 1891 (an Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to hackney carriages and palanquins in Calcutta), and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Barisal Municipality, in the district of Backergunge, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Backergunge.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2025M.—The 23rd July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Patna Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a public burial-ground, in the village of Mahrampur, pargana Azimabad, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 15 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, is required The land is bounded on the north by burial-ground and Fakirana land, on the south by land of Bishoon Singh, on the east by land of Chedi Govala, Doma Govala and Ramkishoon Singh, and on the west by garden of Bibi Chottan.

Patna.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Patna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2080M.—The 24th July 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a mehter's passage in the village of Singtola, pargana Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs and 12½ dhurs of standard measurement, are required. The plots of land are bounded as follows:—

Dacca.

Plot No. I.—Is bounded on the north by Singtola Lane and old mehter's passage, south by the proposed mehter's passage and plot No. 2, east by the land of Babu Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury and old mehter's passage and west by the land of Babu Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury, Gopal Mea and others.

Plot No. II.—Is bounded on the north by the land of Babu Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury, Gopal Mea and others, and the proposed mehter's passage, plot No. I, south by the houses of Goloke Chandra Saha and others and Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury, east by the land of Babu Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury and west by Singtola Lane.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chairman of the Dacca Municipality.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or share of estates in the district of Bhagalpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th of August 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Names of estate, thana and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
328	Bikrampur Chakrami Nisf taluqa, pargana Chhai, thana Bhagalpur.	7,701 1 0	.....	Ijmali— A. G. C. kt. D. R. Chakrami ... 16 0 0 0 0 0 Rasulpur Kabir 16 0 0 0 0 0 Hasanpur Marar 16 0 0 0 0 0 Shankarpur Govindass ... 9 12 0 0 0 0 Sewasandpur Kabir *alias* Gopalpur ... ... 8 0 0 0 0 0 Bikrampur ... 6 12 1 0 1 5 Haribarpur ... 6 12 1 0 1 5 Jamaluddinpur 1 10 0 0 0 0 Bishenpuramri ... 0 16 1 2 2 15 Syed Naruddinpur ... ... 0 6 2 0 2 0 Bishenpur Gopal Tekwapur ... 0 5 0 0 0 0 Jaikara (5) ... 13 12 2 0 0 0	Abu Zafar and others. W. M. Grant and others. Ditto. Mohi Misra and others. M. B. Morisson. Raghu Nandan Singh and others. Ditto. Jhingar Kumar and others. W. M. Grant and others. Ditto. Sharafat Hossain. Jhagra Kumar and others.	1,325 7 0	.....	214 6 2
329	Makrohi, pargana Narediyar, thana Supaul.	3,703 0 0	.....	A. S. C. Pipraul ... 16 0 0 Badekalapatti ... 16 0 0 Gambharpur ... 16 0 0 Bhawa ... 16 0 0 Dubrahi ... 9 12 1 } Separate account No. 21.	Rai Ganga Prasad Singh Bahadur.	238 10 0	.....	141 7 0

Bhagalpur Collectorate, the 17th July 1903.

A. N. MORRELL, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the district of Palamau, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon on the 31st of July 1903, corresponding to the 25th Sawan 1310 Fasli at Daltonganj.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavation on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway fencing or plough the land closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of the sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the order of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of land in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from the sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reason for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2.	3		5	6		7		8	9
1	Palamau	Palamau, Herma tappa Kote	78	East side of the railway line.	1 9 8	1·84	.....		As per column 9.	North, South, East } Herma and. West—Railway compound.

Daltonganj, the 25th May 1903. SARAT CH. SEN GUPTA, Depy. Collr. in charge, *for* Depy. Commr. of Palamau.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the village of Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona, at 12 o'clock noon, on the 29th August 1903, corresponding with 3rd Bhadra 1310, Bengali era

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset prices, which have been fixed by the Collector. The purchaser of these estates will be considered as the proprietor of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him permanently free of rent.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
		A. R. P.		
2706	Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	0 0 7	Will be sold revenue free.	
2707	Ditto, ditto ...	0 0 21		

Ghatal, the 7th July 1903. AHMAD, Subdivisional Officer.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and sharer of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th August 1903 at noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Permanently-settled estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
537	Shakarpura, pargana Pharkia.	1,036 4 0	Whole ...	.....	Mosamat Jainti Kumri and others.	.....	390 0 0	.....
815	Sihanwan, pargana Malki (Sihanwan Karari in revenue-roll).	1,190 7 0	.....	Ijmali share, excluding separate accounts No.— Rs. A. P. 2. Chethroo Singh ... 112 0 0 3. Kali Prosad ... 213 6 0 5. Kharag Singh ... 5 40 6. Fazal Rahman, alias Nagiruddin ... ... 2 5 0 7. Goomani Rai ... 4 6 0 8. Mahesh Singh, &c. ... ... 43 9 0 9. Bhim Singh, &c. 9 10 0 10. Jhandoo Singh, &c. ... ... 74 7 0 11. Bhagwan Pershad, receiver of estate Suja .. 31 15 0 12. Birjbehari Singh, &c ... ... 26 4 0 13. Gannoo Singh and other 79 0 0 14. Rohi Chaudhri &c. ... ... 17 14 0 Total ... 680 0 0	Mosamat Raghunatho Kumri, &c.	500 7 0	.....	212 13 6
1072	Baikunthpur, Khanjehanpur, pargana Bhusari.	1,193 8 0	... ...	Ijmali share consisting of Baikunthpur, 11a. 7g. 9c. 4dt 5kt. 18r. 2p. and Khanjehanpur, 12a. 19g. 11k. 2dt. 2k. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Abunasar Jelaludin, Manager of Mosamat Girjabasi Kumri and others.	967 14 0	.....	23 4 7
1078	Taluka Siripur, pargana Bhusari.	3,863 6 0	.....	6a. 16g. 0c. 7dt. 10kt. ijmali share All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Ram Lagan Sahu and others.	1,461 0 0	.....	157 14 3
1166	Qasba Sheikhdih and Hetampur, pargana Musjidpur.	1,036 8 0	.....	Ijmali share consisting of— A. G. Sheikhdih ... ... 16 9 Hetampur ... ... 13 5 All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Turant Lal, &c. ...	946 9 0	.....	195 10 3
1239	Arazi Tikarampur, pargana Monghyr.	3,072 6 0	Whole ...	.....	Mahanth Siaram Dass, Mahanth Mahabir Dass (minor) under guardianship of Mahanth Sarju Dass.	.....	576 2 0 8	... .
4430	Sihanwan Diara Gangbarar, pargana Malki.	2,881 3 0	.....	2a. 15g. 3c. 1kt. 1dt. 6r. ijmali share. All other shares besides that specified and separate account 9 are excluded from sale.	Ramtahal Singh, &c.	502 4 0	.....	13 12 0
7021	Parihara Hari Singh Patti Mosamat Jainti Kumri, pargana Balia.	1,719 5 0	Whole ...	... ..	Mosamat Jainti Kumri.	.....	420 12 3	.....
				Temporarily-settled estates.				
1311	Arazi Jagdispur Barari, pargana Surajgarha.	1,173 3 0	.....	13 annas ijmali share— All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Udwant Singh and others.	997 3 0	.....	63 6 3
1399	Agar Tappa Saronja, pargana Pharkia.	1,711 10 0	Whole ...	.....	Rambahadur Singh, &c.	.....	97 13 3	.....
1406	Bhawanandpur alias Ramdaori, pargana Malki.	10,680 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Jagatdhar Narain Pershad, minor, under the guardianship of his mother Mosamat Tribeni Kumri.	.....	5,340 3 0	.....
1423	Akbarpur Barari, pargana Malki.	1,536 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Udwant Singh and others.	.....	137 0 0	.....

Monghyr Collectorate, the 14th / 15th July 1903.

F. P. DIXON, Offg. Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th August 1903 at 12o' clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
211	Gaurinagar, pargana Bagowan.	1,189 2 0	.....	14a. 2g. 1c. 2kag share ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ganga Mani Brahmanya	1,040 7 9	.....	1 14 9

Nadia Collectorate, the 9th July 1903.

KEDAR NATH MUKERJI, Deputy Collector in charge.

Sale Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Monday, the 24th August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 16th Bhado 1310Fasli, for arrears of land revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
434	Mahulvi Khurd, pargana Arrah.	550 0 0	Whole ...	...	Rambaran Singh and others.	.....	190 13 0	
1829	Khurampore, pargana Chousa.	533 10 7	Do. ...	.....	Ramadhin Rai and others.	.....	6 11 7	.
1946	Pipradh Fariksani, pargana Chousa.	830 14 3	Do. ...	.....	Dewa Pandey and others.	..	256 8 8	.....
2085	Aukhara, pargana Chainpore.	814 14 11	Do. ...	..	B. Brindaban and others.	.....	146 10 6	..
2878 / Joint.	Nouanjhonti, pargana Chainpore.	814 14 11	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is 10a. 7p. 10k. Other shares are excluded from sale with the exception of separate account I, which will also be sold.	Sri Sitaram Naikdaji Kabija and others.	541 2 7	.....	17 1 5
3368 / Joint	Dawath, pargana Danwad.	1,174 6 5	... ..	The ijmali share to be sold is in villages— A P. K. M D. Dawath ... 8 7 13 6 15; Bhurkundia ... 7 1 6 13 10; Lilkhantipore 2 11 19 19 0; Gothain ... 2 11 19 19 0; Patibodhri ... 8 9 8 6 5; Khet Juara ... 5 11 13 6 15. Other shares are excluded from sale.	Ramdahm Singh and others.	553 15 10	.....	94 6 10
3646 / Joint	Narwar, pargana Dinara.	1,682 2 0	.... .	The ijmali share to be sold is 10a 8p. Other shares are excluded from sale.	Lakhmi Chand, alias Raja Lal and others.	1,121 6 3	.....	68 10 7
4078 / Joint	Pawana, pargana Pawar.	4,725 14 7	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is— A. P. Souna ... ... 8 0; Arallangerseupore ... 8 0; Pati Ekoni ... ... 8 0; Chela ... ... 16 0; Sonta ... ... 10 8; Naroni .. .. 16 0; Pati Pawar ... ... 16 0 and other shares are excluded from sale.	Raja Rajeswari Prasad Singh and others.	2,005 14 5	.....	32 6 10
6462	Kaup, pargana Peero.	800 6 0	Whole ...	.....	Sheotahal Rai and others.	.....	277 13 6	.....
6472	Berath, pargana Nonur.	1,467 2 7	Do. ...	.....	Bhirgunath Singh and others.	.....	169 9 3	.....
7082	Balbhadarpore Darihat, pargana Sasaram.	1,330 11 5	Do. ...	.....	Ganga Prasad Saha and others.	.....	439 9 5	.....
8198	Toufir* Makhdumpore, pargana Barahgawan.	5,672 6 3	Do. ...	.....	Ram Rajendradeonarain.	.....	5,622 12 4	.....

* This is temporarily settled estate

Dated Arrah, the 23rd July 1903.

R. G. KILBY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 1st Asvin 1310 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1633	Taluk Krishna Prosad Guha, pargana Rajirgomedpur.	Rs. A. P. 3,980 13 3	Whole estate.	.....	Brojo Lal Rai Chowdhury and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 32 1 6½	Rs. A. P.
1730	Zamindari pargana Chandradvip 8a. 12g. 2c. 2kt. share, pargana Chandradvip.	44,537 13 6	... ...	Separate account No. 6, share 14g. 3c. 1kt. 7t. 3ch.	Raj Kumar Rai Chowdhuri	3,837 7 10½	.....	393 4 11½
1764	Zamindari, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur, 3a. 1g. 2c. 1kt. share, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur.	8,843 6 8	Whole estate.	... ...	Ananda Chandra Rai ...		820 7 8½	.
1997	Taluk Fate Mahamad, pargana Khanja Bahadurnagar.	738 3 9	Ditto ...	.....	Kusum Kumari Debi Chowdhurani.	.....	92 4 7	.....
3843	Zamindari pargana Selimabad, 13a., pargana Selimabad.	3,590 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Nabin Chandra Sen Chowdhuri and others.	.....	232 11 11	.
3844	Ditto	3,590 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Sareda Prosad Sen Chowdhuri and others.		312 5 4	... .
4434	Char Sarikal, pargana Zasira.	3,441 11 3	Ditto ...	.	Rahimunnessa Khatun and others.	....	3,641 11 3	.....

Barisal, the 24th July 1903. D. WESTON, Offg. Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 28th August 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of Land Revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares are excluded from sale.

Class I. Permanently-settled Estates.

Consecutive No.	Tausi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	2	Magura Kangauluria and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,823 15 2½	Whole ...	... ..	Surendra Nath Deb and others.	.....	Rs. A. P. 329 0 1½	.....

Alipore, the 27th July 1903 R. C. GHOSH, *for* Collector.

NOTIFICATION.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Monghyr.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 595 OF 1902.

Kumar Kamlanand Singh, decree-holder, *versus* Kumar Nityanand Singh, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold in the above case by the Nazir of this Court at 12 o'clock on the 10th August 1903 the right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor in the following properties:—

Serial No.	Description of properties.	Tausi No.	Jama sadar.	Approximate value stated by the decree-holder.
1	2 annas 8 pies out of 16 annas of tappa Jamalpur, including all the mauzas appertaining to it, *asli* and *dakhli*, pargana Pheerkia, in the district of Monghyr.	525	For the whole Rs. 23,734-5-6 and for the judgment-debtor's share Rs. 2,966-7.	Rs. 1,500

Monghyr, the 21st July 1903. MOTI LAL HALDAR, Subordinate Judge.

(810—1)

Statement of Securities in Custody of the Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, on account of 1 per cent. and 2 per cent. Sinking Funds and Plague Loan Reserve Funds on 31st March 1903.

	One per cent. Sinking Fund.	Two per cent. Sinking Fund.	Plague Loan Reserve Fund.
GOVERNMENT STOCK, VIZ.—	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
3½ per cent. Loan of 1842-43	.....	57,200	5,700
3½ „ „ 1854-55	3,33,500	36,000	11,500
3½ „ „ 1865	1,13,500	46,900	2,400
3½ „ „ 1900-1901	20,500	3,000	.....
3 „ „ 1896-97	48,500	7,000	.....
3½ „ „ 1879	.....	1,600	.....
SHARES.			
5 p. c. Calcutta Municipal Debentures of 1878J.J. ...	5,500	500	.....
5 „ „ „ „ 1878J D. ...	17,300	500	.....
5 „ „ „ „ 1879 ...	69,000	1,000	.....
5 „ „ „ „ 1884-85 ...	11,000	5,200	.....
5 „ „ „ „ 1885-86 ...	1,48,000	14,000	.....
5 „ „ „ „ 1886 ...	8,500	.....	.....
5 „ „ „ „ 1886-87 ...	1,72,800	31,300	.....
5 „ „ „ „ 1887-88 ...	2,46,500	6,000	.....
5 „ „ „ „ 1889-90 ...	2,47,500	2,000	.....
5 „ „ „ „ 1890 91 ...	39,500	16,500	.....
5 „ „ „ „ 1880 ...	.....	500	.....
4½ „ „ „ „ 1882-83 ...	.....	6,500	.....
4½ „ „ „ „ 1883-84 ...	5,300	.....	.....
4½ „ „ „ „ 1891-92 ...	81,000	20,000	.....
4½ „ „ „ „ 1898-99 M A.	2,52,500	24,500	33,000
4½ „ „ „ „ 1898 99 J.D.	2,000	.....	...
4 „ „ „ „ 1895 96 ..	2,16,500	19,000	31,000
4 „ „ „ „ 1897-98 ...	1,02,500	28,000	18,500
4 „ „ „ „ 1899 1900	88,000	16,000	.....
4 „ „ „ „ 1900-01 ...	12,000	.....	.....
4 „ „ „ „ 1901-02 J.J.G.	1,10,500	7,400	1,48,000
4 „ „ „ „ 1901-02 M.S.	1,35,000	15,000	.....
4 „ „ „ „ 1902 03 ...	1,34,000	15,000	.....
3½ „ „ „ „ 1896-97 ...	30,000	2,000	.....
Total ...	26,50,900	3,82,600	2,50,100

Statement showing the account of Reserve Fund of the Corporation of Calcutta for the year 1902-1903.

Reserve Fund.	Amount invested during 1902-1903.	Date of past investments previous to 1st April 1902.	Aggregate amount of securities in the hands of the Trustees.	Aggregate amount paid off in respect of Calcutta Municipal Debentures up to 31st March 1903.
	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
1 per cent. Sinking Fund ...	3,35,300	8th Feb. 1902	26,50,900	6,50,500
2 „ „ „ ...	44,400	8th „ „	3,82,600	54,99,600
Plague Loan Reserve Fund ...	1,76,900	7th Dec. 1901	2,50,100	Nil

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Financial Department.

W. H. MICHAEL,
Offg. Accountant-General, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd July 1903.

MEMO. OF ACCOUNT.

MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

Special Fund for repayment of the Loan of 1882-83.

		Rs.	A.	P.
23rd Dec 1902 ...	By cash balance transferred from account of Municipal Corporation of Calcutta on account of Sinking Fund A ...	408	15	5
	By cash balance transferred from account of Accountant-General, Bengal, and the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Financial Department on account of 1 per cent. Municipal Loan Sinking Fund ...	147	10	5
	By amount transferred from Depositors' Department on account of being sale-proceeds of Government securities ...	5,58,385	12	1
	By interest on 4½ per cent. Calcutta Municipal Debentures of 1882-83 for Rs. 22,000 for the half-year ending 31st December 1902, less Bank's commission	494	6	1
	By encashment of 4½ per cent. Calcutta Municipal Loan of 1882-83 for Rs 22,000	22,000	0	0
	By quarterly contribution for 1st January 1903, on account of 1 per cent. Sinking Fund	69,063	4	0
	Total ...	6,50,500	0	0

BANK OF BENGAL,
DEPOSITOR'S DEPARTMENT,
Calcutta, the 5th January 1903.

R. ACHARJEE,
Superintendent, Book Dept., Office of the Accountant-General, Bengal.

S. HEWEIT,
Superintendent.
(804—1)

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 21st July 1903.

LIABILITIES

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 78,41,462 10 1			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 81,89,997 3 0	1,60,31,459	13	1
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	8,01,04,991	0	6
Bank Post Bills, &c.	4,51,634	2	10
Sundries	17,27,912	6	5
Rupees ...	13,04,65,997	6	10

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,38,58,461	0	0
Other authorised investments	45,79,664	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	2,81,13,024	8	11
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	1,82,03,781	5	7
Bills discounted and purchased	1,57,15,662	7	9
Balances with other Banks	9,71,149	5	1
Bullion	1,263	9	7
Dead Stock	18,10,163	12	3
Stamps	12,534	9	3
Sundries	10,38,345	11	6
	8 37,99,050	5	11
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* .. .. Rs 2,41,96,487 4 0			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ,, 2,24,70,459 12 11	4,66,66,947	0	11
Rupees ...	13,04,65,997	6	10

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,15,755 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 1,96,402 8 0
Rs. 3,12,157 8 0

H F. FRESHWATER,
Offg. Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
A. M. LINDSAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 4 per cent.
Percentage 47 46

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 23rd July 1903

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NOTICE.

UNDER the provisions of Rule XX, Part I of the rules for the care and use of Government cemetries the following monuments having become ruinous will be treated at the next repairs in such manner as the officer in charge of the cemetery may decide to be necessary for the maintenance of the cemetery in decent order, unless any person will undertake to bear the cost of repairs, cemetery at Jessore:—

Consecutive No.	NAME OF DECEASED.	Year of Death.	REMARKS.
1	.....	...	Tile-work on top, cement pointing and sand-plaster.
2	Francis Thomas ...	1833	Pucka masonry, soorky beaten plaster and sand-plaster.
3	Gregory Herktols ...	...	Dismantling masonry, pucka masonry, sand-plaster, whitewash and new cornice.
4	Mary Adelaide ...	1845	Sand-plaster in patches.
5	William Edmund ..	1840	Sand-plaster and whitewashing.
6	John Willian Baldwin ...	...	Sand-rubbing and whitewashing.
7	Manuel Thomas ...	1834	Soorky beaten plaster, pucka masonry, soorky rubbing, cornice and whitewash.
8	Joseph Nicholas Thomas ...	1852	Pucka masonry, cement plaster.
9	George Scott ..	1844	Pucka masonry, sand-plaster and white-washing.
10	.....	...	Sand-rubbing, pucka masonry, whitewash changing face glass.
11	... ..		Only whitewashing.
12	John Robbert Carruthers ...	1831	Sand-plaster. petty mason's works and cornice.
13	John Donald ..	1872	Pucka masonry, soorky plaster and white-wash.
14	Harriette Catharine ...	...	Sand plaster and whitewashing.
15	.....		.. ...
16	.....	...	Filling up joints with cement, raising and resetting stones.
17	.....	...	Cement plaster in patches.
18	Bertrand Charles Abadie ...	1860	Pucka masonry, cement plaster, whitewashing and moudling cornice.
19	A. W. Baylis	1873	Sand plaster, whitewash, moulding cornice, pucka masonry.
20	.....	...	Pucka masonry, sand plaster, whitewash.
21	.....	...	Soorky beaten plaster, sand plaster, crack-repairing, sand-rubbing and whitewashing.
22	.....	...	Sand-rubbing, sand plaster, moulding cornice and whitewashing.
23	.....	...	Pucka masonry, sand plaster, whitewash.
24	.....	...	Ditto ditto.
25	.....	...	Soorky beaten plaster, sand plaster, sand-rubbing, whitewashing.
26	.....	...	Pucka masonry, sand plaster, soorky plaster and whitewashing.
27	.....	...	Ditto ditto.
28	... ..	...	Sand plaster, whitewashing and soorky plaster.
29	.....	...	Ditto ditto.
30	John Howard	1828	Ditto ditto.
31	Emma Hellen ...	1824	Pucka masonry, soorky plaster, sand-rubbing and whitewash.
32	Jane	1842	Soorky beaten plaster.
33	Charley L. Dyson ...	1889	Whitewashing only.
34	Guy	1885	Sand-rubbing, whitewashing.
35	.....	...	Sand plaster, whitewashing, soorky plaster, pucka masonry.
36	.....	...	Sand plaster, whitewashing.
37	V. Burgh	1833	Soorky beaten plaster, sand-rubbing, sand plaster and whitewashing.
38	Jane Ancelina Johnstone ...	1894	Sand plaster, pucka masonry and whitewashing.
39	James Thomas Macdonald ...	1867	Ditto, whitewashing and petty mason's work.

Consecutive. No.	Name of Deceased.	Year of Death.	Remarks.
40	Norman Alexander Cowan ...	1866	Soorky plaster, sand-rubbing and whitewashing.
41	Henry James Barchard ...	1846	Sand plaster, whitewashing and moulding cornice.
42	.....	...	Soorky plaster, pucka masonry, sand plaster and whitewashing.
43	.....	...	Sand plaster, pucka masonry and whitewashing.
44	Henryetta Barry ...	1855	Sand plaster and whitewashing required.

J. T. BABONEAU, *Magistrate.*

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 29th day of August 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, pursuant to a decree and order of the said Court made in suit No. 580 of 1897 (wherein Sreemutty Luckhymoney Dassee and others are plaintiffs and Bolye Chand Sen is the defendant), and dated the 19th day of November 1897 and 7th day of February 1903, respectively, the undermentioned property belonging to the defendant above named :—

Lot I.—All that lower-roomed brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house, hereditaments and premises, together with the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 2 cottahs 5 chitaks and 9 square feet, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying and being No. 23 Mirzapore Tank Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and being holding No. 340 and block No. 1, the annual revenue whereof payable to the Collector of Calcutta is annas 7 and pies 5, and butted and bounded in the manner following, that is to say, on the north partly by premises No 7, partly by No. 8, and partly by No. 9 Okhil Mistry's Lane, and partly by No. 24 Mirzapore Tank Lane; on the east by No. 11 Okhil Mistry's Lane; on the west partly by premises No. 24 Mirzapore Tank Lane and partly by Mirzapore Tank Lane, and on the south partly by No. 21 and partly by No. 22 Mirzapore Tank Lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's Office in the High Court and also at the office of Babu Opurbo Coomar Gangoly, Solicitor, at No. 7 Old Post Office Street, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Opurbo Coomar Gangoly, Plaintiffs' Attorney.

Calcutta, High Court, Original Side, the 11th day of July 1903. (769—1—684)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a decree and an order of the High Court of Calcutta, Original Jurisdiction, made in suit No. 440 of 1901 (Basanta Coomary Dassee *versus* Basanta Coomary Dassee), and dated, respectively, the 2nd December 1901 and 3rd December 1902, by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, the following property of the defendant, viz.—

Lot I.—No. 49 Nundoram Sen's Street, being an upper-roomed brick-built house with land containing by measurement 4 cottahs and 14 chitaks, more or less, in Sootanooty, in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by premises Nos. 50 and 50-1 Nundoram Sen's Street, on the east partly by the temple of Nundoram Sen and partly by the premises No. 48 Sobha Bazar Street, belonging to Sarat Chunder Roy Chowdhury and others, on the south by No. 54-1 Sova Bazar Street, belonging to Troyluckho Nath Roy and others, and on the west partly by a private passage leading to these and other premises from Nundoram Sen's Street and partly by a plot of vacant land belonging to Ram Kissen Dass and said to be No. 48 Nundoram Sen's Street.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's Office in the Court-house or at No 2 Old Post Office Street in Calcutta, the office of the Plaintiff's Attorneys, Messrs. G. C. Chunder & Co., on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

G. C. Chunder & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 15th July 1903. (799—1—687)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a decree and order of the Calcutta High Court, Original Jurisdiction, made in suit No. 583 of 1900, wherein Khetter Nath Bannerjee is the plaintiff and Koonjolal Mukerjee is the defendant, and dated, respectively, the 26th November 1900 and 4th August 1903, by the Registrar of the said Court in its Original Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the following property belonging to the defendant, viz.—

All that the defendant's undivided one-fourth part or share of and in all that the brick-built two-storied dwelling-house with the land on part whereof the same stands, containing by estimation 7 cottahs 1 chittak and 19 square feet, being premises now No. 26 (formerly No. 17) Upper Chitpore Road in talook Sootanooty, in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the east by the dwelling-house of Raja Rajendra Nath Mullick, west by Upper Chitpore Road, south partly by the premises No. 25 Upper Chitpore Road and partly by premises No. 22 Upper Chitpore Road, and on the north by the premises No 27 Upper Chitpore Road.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar and at No. 1 Old Post Office Street, the office of Babu Mohini Mohun Chatterji, Attorney for the plaintiff, on any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

M. M. Chatterji, plaintiff's Attorney.

Calcutta High Court, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, the 1st day of July 1903. (803—1—686)

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION.

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1	Pound	tin	Rs.	16,	or,	post	free,	Rs. 16-8
½	,,	,,	,,	8	,,	,,	,,	8-6.
¼	,,	,,	,,	4	,,	,,	,,	4-6.

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans. 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight-ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

WANTED for the Office of the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, a Shorthand Writer and Typist. The applications to be submitted by the 4th August, with certificates showing qualifications. Salary Rs. 50 to commence with.

L. F. MORSHEAD, Offg. Collector of Customs.

Custom House, Calcutta, the 24th July 1903.

WANTED a passed Compounder for the Serampore Hospital and Dispensary on a salary of Rs. 15 a month. No quarters provided.

Applications with copies of diploma and of testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than 10 A.M. on 15th August.

A. W. BOTHAM,

Chairman, Serampore Dispensary Committee.

Serampore, East Indian Railway, the 21st July 1903. (806—3)

WANTED a passed Compounder for Mahesh-Rishra Dispensary on a salary of Rs. 15 a month. No quarters provided.

Applications with copies of diploma and of testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than 10 A.M. on 15th August 1903.

A. W. BOTHAM,

Chairman, Mahesh-Rishra Dispensary Committee, Serampore.

Serampore, the 21st July 1903. (807—3)

SARAT CHANDRA LAHIRI intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court. (719—4—609)

BABU UDAY KUMAR DAS. B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (725—4—599)

NAGENDRA NATH GHOSE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court. (766—4—608)

Notice.

WANTED by the District Board of Hazaribagh a Hindi knowing Sub-Inspector of Schools on Rs. 50 besides travelling allowance under the Civil Service Regulations. None need apply who do not possess the qualifications required by the Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 486T.—G. and 658, dated 2nd September 1893 and 8th February 1901, respectively.

Candidates must file certificates of health, age, and moral character. The successful candidate must give an undertaking to stick to the post for at least three years.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th August 1903.

SYED KARAM HOSSAIN, Vice-Chairman.

Hazaribagh, the 20th July 1903. (800—2)

Notice.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of khas mahal Head Clerk, Monghyr. Pay Rs. 40–60 by biennial increment of Rs. 2.

Applicants should state their qualifications and age in their applications which should reach the undersigned on or before the 6th August 1903. Preference will be given to one who can read "Urdu" manuscripts with facility.

RAI KRISHNA BAHADUR,

Khas Mahal Deputy Collector, for Collector of Monghyr.

Monghyr, the 23rd July 1903.

Important Notice.

AS the Offices of the Inspector and the Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, as well as the Office of the Deputy Inspector of Schools, Calcutta, will be removed from No. 4 Dalhousie Square, from the 1st August 1903, all communications to those officers should be directed to No. 12 Dalhousie Square Calcutta, in future.

P. MUKERJI, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

4 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 25th July 1903.

FORM (11).

(INSTRUCTIONS 97 AND 120.)

Abstract of the Estates Partition Fund of district Jessore for the year ending 31st March 1903, prepared as required by section 42, Act V (B.C) of 1897.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance at credit of the Fund on 1st April 1902	11,279	12	10
Receipts for the year . ..	19,696	4	0
Disbursements during the year ...	20,360	0	3
Balance at credit on 31st March 1903	10,616	0	7

J. H. LEA, Collector.

Jessore Collectorate, the 17th April 1903. (811—1)

Howrah Mills Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-sixth Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Share holders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 9 Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, the 14th August 1903, at 12 45 P.M., to receive the Directors' Report, pass the audited accounts to 30th June 1903, declare a dividend, and transact any other business that may be brought forward

Dividend warrants will be made out in favour of shareholders whose names are in the Company's books on the 30th July 1903.

The Share Transfer Register of the Company will be closed from Friday, the 31st July, to Friday, the 14th August 1903, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

ERNSTHAUSEN, LTD., Managing Agents.

Calcutta, the 17th July 1903. (768—3—609)

NOTICE.

Bank of Bengal.

MR. W. D. CRUICKSHANK, C.I.E., has returned from leave and resumed the office of Secretary and Treasurer.

The undersigned reverts to his appointment of Deputy Secretary and Treasurer, and Mr. W. D. McKowan takes up his duties as Officiating Inspector of Branches.

By order of the Directors,

A. M. LINDSAY,

Deputy Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 27th July 1903. (820—1)

Estate Frank Robert Stanley Collier, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased above named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 7 Hare Street, Calcutta, on or before the tenth day of September 1903, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 16th day of July 1903.

W. H. TAYLOR, Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased, 7 Hare Street, Calcutta. (761—3—624)

Estate Charles Graham Dingwall Fordyce.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased above named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co, 7 Hare Street, Calcutta, on or before the tenth day of September 1903 after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 15th day of July 1903.

W. H. TAYLOR, Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased, 7, Hare Street, Calcutta. (760—3—625)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Acts, 1882—1895,

and

In the matter of the Serampore Cotton Mills, Limited.

THE creditors of the abovenamed Company are required, on or before the 18th day of August 1903, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Attorneys, if any, to Claude Ernest Hale Beaman and Julius Posner of No. 20 Strand Road, Calcutta, the Official Liquidators of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidators, are by their Attorneys to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the High Court at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

The 29th day of August 1903, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court-house, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Dated this 22nd day of July 1903. (816—1—689)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Acts, 1882—1895.

and

In the matter of the Serampore Cotton Mills, Limited.

THE High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal has by an order, dated the 18th day of July 1903, appointed Claude Ernest Hale Beaman and Julius Posner of No. 20 Strand Road, Calcutta, to be the Official Liquidators of the abovenamed Serampore Cotton Mills, Limited.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Dated this 22nd day of July 1903. (817—1—688)

Mortgage Suit—Principal not exceeding Rs. 1,000.

NOTIFICATION.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to the decree and order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, made in suit No. 231 of 1899 (Joy Gopal Banerjee *versus* Apurba Kumar Dass), and dated, respectively, the 19th April 1901 and 18th December 1902, by public auction on Saturday, the 8th day of August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, by the Registrar, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house, the undivided one-third part or share of the defendant in the following property :—

No. 6 Huro Dhol's Lane in Sootanooty in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, being a two-storied brick-built dwelling-house and premises, together with the rent-free land thereto belonging, containing by estimation 1 cottah, and bounded on the north by the dwelling-house of Banee Madhub Chatterjee, on the south by the dwelling-house of Shib Chunder Sen, a portion whereof has lately been purchased by Amrita Lal Dhol, on the east by the dwelling-house of Jadu Nath Mookerji, and on the west by Huro Dhol's Lane.

It appears that the defendant, Apurba Kumar Dass, and his elder brother, Akhoy Kumar Dass, before the execution of this mortgage borrowed from one Jogendra Nauth Chatterji of No. 22 Chasa Dhobapara Street, in the town of Calcutta, the sum of Rs. 1,200 on deposit of the title-deeds of the above property, to whom the sum of Rs. 1,586 0 1 is still due for principal and interest, and the sale will be with notice of the said fact.

The conditions of sale and the list of documents of title may be seen at the office of the Registrar or at the office of Babu Jyoti Prosad Ghose, Attorney-at-Law, or any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar

Jyoti Prosad Ghose, plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 4th July 1903. (802—1—685)

Lost

THE upper half of Government Promissory Note No. 144289 of the 3½ per cent. of 1st May 1865, for Rs. 200, originally standing in the name of Raj Krishna Mukherji and last endorsed to Sital Chandra Chatterji, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

W. RATTRAY,

for Deputy Commissioner, Manbhum.

Purulia, the 24th July 1903. (812—3)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Birbhum.

MORTGAGE SUIT No. 67 of 1902.

Gosai Das Dutta, of Karidha, plaintiff, *versus* Giris Chandra Chatterji and another, defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that the property mentioned below will be sold by the Nasir at the sale-room of the Judge's Court at or about 12 noon of the 1st day of September 1903 for the realisation of the decretal

amount of Rs. 1,474-3-9 due to the plaintiff (decree-holder) in the above case:—

Schedule.

Village Khanua, bearing tauzi No. 103, attached to Birbhum Collectorate, including mauza Gangta and Chak Nanirhat, in the district of Birbhum. The sum of Rs. 1,383-13 is the sadar jama of the entire properties. The share of the defendants (judgment-debtors) is 9 annas only in the abovementioned property.

HARI PROSAD DAS, Subordinate Judge.

Suri, the 23rd July 1903. (815—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge' 2nd Court, Muzaffarpur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 90 OF 1903.

Janaki Singh, decree-holder, *versus* Lala Avadhbehar Lall and others, judgment-debtors.

THE undermentioned properties of the judgment-debtors in the above case will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at Muzaffarpur on the 17th August 1903:—

I.—One anna pucka share in mauza Bahbulpur Chhowrahi, *asli*, Chakla Garjawl, pargana Bisara, bearing tauzi No. $\frac{2329}{7}$; proprietary interest, including zeraet, khudkasht and bakasht, in proportion to the share mortgaged; area of the entire mauza being 359 acres 3 roods 14 poles and sadar jama of the entire mahal Bahbulpur Chhowrahi, *asli* and *dakhli*, being Rs. 1,031-14-9; proportionate area of the share mortgaged being 22 acres 1 rood 27 poles; upset price Rs. 550; thana and sub-registration office Mahua, sub-division Hajipur, zilla Muzaffarpur.

II.—One anna pucka share in mauza Basawli, *dakhli*, of mauza Bahbulpur Chhowrahi, chakla Garjawl, pargana Bisara, bearing tauzi No. $\frac{2329}{7}$; proprietary interest, including zeraet, khudkasht and bakasht, in proportion to the share mortgaged; area of the entire mauza being 863 acres 14 poles; sadar jama of the entire mahal Bahbulpur Chhowrahi, *asli* and *dakhli*, being Rs. 1,031-14-9; proportionate area of the share mortgaged being 54 acres; upset price Rs. 1,350, appertaining to thana, sub-registration office, division and zilla Muzaffarpur.

III.—One anna pucka share in mauza Ramchandra, *dakhli*, of mauza Bahbulpur Chhowrahi, chakla Garjawl, pargana Bisara, bearing tauzi No. $\frac{2329}{7}$; proprietary interest, including zeraet, khudkasht and bakasht, in proportion to the share mortgaged; area of the entire mauza Ramchandra being 150 bighas 3 dhurs and the area of 8-anna share of mauza Ramchandra, in which the mortgage share is, being 27 bighas 18 dhurs and the area of the mortgaged share being 9 bighas 10 cottahs and 2½ dhurs; sadar jama of the entire mahal Bahbulpur Chhowrahi, *asli* and *dakhli*, being Rs. 1,031-14-9, appertaining to thana, registration office, division and zilla Muzaffarpur; the upset price being Rs. 225.

PURNA CHANDRA DE, Offg. Subordinate Judge.

Muzaffarpur, the 20th July 1903. (809—1)

In the Court of J. N. Ghose, Esq., Subordinate Judge of Rang pur.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 143 OF 1903.

Rahut Mal Bothra and another, decree-holders, *versus* (1) Lalit Mohon Shaha, (2) Horo Mohon Shaha, and (3) Khogendra Nath Shaha, are all heirs of late Jogo Mohon Shaha, judgment-debtors.

PRESENT:

J. N. Ghose, Esq., Subordinate Judge of Rangpur.

TO be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Rangpur, in the ordinary sale place at 12 noon on the 5th day of August 1903 for the satisfaction of the decretal debt amounted to Rs. 1,190-8-3:—

1. One anna and seven gandas share of Lot Faridpur, hisha 10 annas 2½ koras, in pargana Amdohor, at an annual revenue payable in 10 annas 2½ koras, Rs. 2,926-4-1, and in judgment-debtor's share payable Rs. 290-2-8 3 krants, situated within the sub-registry of Gaibandha and Mithapukhor and police-station Shadullapur, bearing tauzi No. 246 of the Rangpur Collectorate. The approximate value is Rs 500.

2. Five annas four pies share out of the sixteen annas of Lot Badolkhan, situated within the sub-registry and police-station Gaibandha, bearing Rangpur Collectorate's tauzi No. 569, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 725-2-2, the approximate value of which is Rs. 300.

3. Five annas four pies share of darpatni mahal of mauza Banspukhoria, Kalu Daspara, Ashinarpara, Shoruppur, Mothagar, Bhobanipur Goiroho at an annual rental of Rs. 2,040 in sixteen annas share. The approximate value is Rs. 200.

Be it noted that the abovementioned properties are mortgaged to Raja Janoki Bullove Sen, of Kancongo Tola, police-station Mahiganj, district Rangpur.

J. N. GHOSE, Subordinate Judge.

Rangpur, the 22nd July 1903. (819—2)

In the Court of J. N. Ghose, Esq., Subordinate Judge of Rangpur.

OTHER EXECUTION CASE No. 109 OF 1903.

Raja Janoki Bullove Sen, decree-holder,

versus

1. Lalit Mohon Shaha ...
2. Horo Mohon Shaha ...
3. Khogendra Nath Shaha ...

} Judgment-debtors.

All are heirs of late Jogo Mohon Shaha ...

PRESENT:

J. N. Ghose, Esq., Subordinate Judge of Rangpur.

TO be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Rangpur, in the ordinary sale-place at 12 o'clock noon on the 5th day of August 1903, for the satisfaction of the mortgage debt, Rs. 34,584-12-9.

1. Five annas 4 pies share out of the 16 annas of lot Badalkhan, situated within the sub-registry and police-station Gaibandha, bearing Rangpur Collectorate tauzi No. 569, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 725-2-2, and total collection of which is Rs. 1,404-15-7, the approximate value of which is Rs. 5,000.

2. One anna and 7 gandas share out of 4 anna 1 ganda of lot Faridpur, situated within sub-registries Gaibandha and Mithapukhor and police-station Gaibandha and Pirgang, bearing tauzi No. 246 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Annual revenue payable in 4 anna 1 ganda share is Rs. 1,170-8-8 krants and payable in 1 anna 7 gandas share is Rs. 290-2-10½ krants and total collection of which is Rs. 1,193-2, the approximate value of which is Rs. 7,000.

3. Four annas 8 pies share out of 14 annas of mauza Bherbheri, situated within sub-registry Kishorganj, police-station Jaldhacca, bearing tauzi No. 92 by No. 1 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Annual revenue payable is Rs. 219-7-3-7 krants and total collection is Rs. 754-7-6. The approximate value is Rs. 4,000.

4. One-third share out of 5 annas 6½ gandas share of mauza Ketkibari, situated within sub-registry Nilphamari, police-station Dimla, bearing tauzi No 50 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Annual revenue payable is Rs. 171 5-3, and total collection is Rs. 398-15-9. The approximate value is Rs. 2,000.

5. One-third share of kishmut Hari Ram, situated within the sub-registry of Rangpur, police-station Kotwali, bearing tauzi No. 18 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Annual revenue payable is Rs 1-2-3-10 krants and total collection is Rs. 34-2-1. The approximate value is Rs. 110.

6. One-third share of kishmut Rambullove, situated within the sub-registry of Rangpur, police-station Mahiganj, bearing tauzi No. 541 by No. 2 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Anual revenue is Rs. 26-10-1-8 krants and total collection is Rs. 104-2-9. The approximate value is Rs. 500.

7. Five annas 4 pies share of *Uposhowki* mahal of taluk Gulal Budhai, *hisha* 8½ annas, under the zamindar Babu Sarat Chandra Roy Chowdhury, situated within sub-registry of Rangpur, police-station Kotwali, bearing tauzi No. 1 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Annual rent is Rs. 43-5-10, and total collection is Rs. 140-8. The approximate value is Rs. 800.

8. Five annas 4 pies share of *Uponchowki* mahal in taluk Ram Ram Miser, *kisha* 8½ annas at an annual rental of Rs 6-0-4 under the zamindar Babu Sarat Chandra Roy Chowdhury, situated within the sub-registry of Rangpur, police-station Kotwali, bearing tauzi No. 1 of the Rangpur Collectorate, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 2-0-1-7 krants. Total collection is Rs. 22-5 4 The approximate value is Rs. 150.

9. Five annas 4 pies share of *dar patni* mahal of mauza Banapukhoria, Kalu Daspara, Ashinarpara, Shoruppur, Mothagari, Bhabanipur, *goiroho* under the Patnidar Jomaher Kumari Debi at an annual rental of Rs. 2,040 in 16 annas share and Rs. 680 in judgment-debtor's share and total collection is Rs. 1,044-3-6, situated under the sub-registry Mithapukhor, police-station Pirgang, bearing tauzi No. 184 of the Rangpur Collectorate. The approximate value is Rs 3,000.

10. Five annas 4 pies share out of 2 annas share of the entire *darpatni* mahal in mauza Bherbheri under the zamindar Rohimonnessa Bibi Chowdhurani at an annual rental of Rs 46-5-4 total collection of which is Rs. 107-12-4 situated under the sub-registry of Kishoreganj, police-station Jaldhacca, bearing tauzi No. 92 of the Rangpur Collectorate. The approximate value is Rs. 500.

11. Five annas 4 pies share out of 16 annas share of the entire *istamurar jote* in mahal Bherbheri at an annual rental of Rs 198 in 16 annas and in judgment-debtor's share Rs. 26-10; total collection is Rs. 209-2-8, situated under the sub-registry Kishoreganj, police-station Jaldhacca, bearing tauzi No. 92 by No. 1 of the Rangpur Collectorate. The approximate value is Rs. 1,000.

12. One south-facing one-storied building containing two rooms with wooden doors and windows, bounded on the north by Bhoirob Chandra Shaha's inner mahal, on the west by judgment-debtor's own jote, on the south by *esmal* pond, situated under the sub-registry of Rangpur, police-station Kotwali, in taluk Nrisingha known as Gazaghanta. The approximate value is Rs. 1,000

J. N. GHOSH, Subordinate Judge.

Rangpur Subordinate Judge's Court, the 22nd July 1903. (818—2)

Administrator-General's Office.

NOTICE.

ADMITTED claims against the undermentioned estates are payable on Tuesday and Friday as usual:—

ESTATES.	Claims or dividend.	Rates of dividend per rupee	REMARKS.
John, David William, late a Conductor, Ordnance Department.	1st dividend at Re. 0-3-3 35 pie per rupee.		
* Marks, Frederick, late a Fitter in the employ of the North-Western Railway, Lahore.	Claims payable in full.		

N.B.—The surplus of the estate marked * is carried over to the account for the persons interested, and no other claims against the estate can be admitted.

Persons presenting receipts for payment are requested at the same time to produce the Registry Certificates granted to them by this Office.

C. E. GREY,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

Calcutta, the 28th July 1903. (828—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of HORACE GABRIEL HEIMAN, an insolvent

On Monday, the 29th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. A. Smith, Attorney. (771—2)

In the matter of DONALD MALCOLM GASPER, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 6th day of July instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. . (772—2)

In the matter of ALEXANDER DEMETRIUS KYRILLOS, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 8th day of July instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (773—2)

In the matter of PULIN BEHARY BISWAS, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 28th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. D. Dutt and Gupta, Attorneys. (774—2)

In the matter of MOTTY LALL, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 30th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. S. Bannerjee, Attorney. (775—2)

In the matter of AMRITA LALL BOSE, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Anil Nath Bose, Attorney. (776—2)

In the matter of MADHUBRAM GUZRATEN, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 13th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Radhika Nath Ganguly, Attorney. (777—2)

In the matter of GIRENDRA KUMAR BOSE and RAJENDRA KUMAR BOSE, insolvents.

On Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvents in person. (778—2)

In the matter of FRANCIS ARTHUR ARRIDGE, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. A. Longmuir, Attorney. (779—2)

In the matter of SAIK DHOLU SERANG, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Prannauth Paul, Attorney. (780—2)

In the matter of KANAYE LALL AUGURWALLAH, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 28th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Sen, Attorney. (781—2)

In the matter of JOHN CHARLES MORLAND SKINNER, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 6th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that

the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (782—2)

In the matter of GEORGE ARGYRIOS GEORGIADI, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of June last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of an against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (783—2)

In the matter of CHOYTUN CHURN COONDOO, BANI MADHAB COONDOO, ABHOY CHURN COONDOO, AKSHAY KUMAR COONDOO and KORALI CHURN KUNDU, insolvents.

On Monday, the 25th day of May last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said insolvents be discharged personally as well as to their after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvents at the time of the adjudication of the said insolvents.

N. C. Bose, Attorney. (784—2)

Chief Clerk's Office, the 20th day of July 1903.

In the matter of HARI CHARAN GIRI, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 3rd day of August next, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Atul Chunder Ghose, Attorney. (821—1)

In the matter of FREDERICK DUNBAR INGLIS, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 3rd day of August next, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Ghosh and Kar, Attorneys. (822—1)

In the matter of CHARLES FREDERICK DEEPHOLTS, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 23rd instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 3rd day of August next, at the hour of half-past 10 o clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Insolvent in person. (823—1)

In the matter of HAZAREE MULL, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of July instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 25th day of September last to the 30th day of June last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

W. C. Graham, Officiating Official Assignee. (824—1)

In the matter of TINCOURY DUTT and another, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of July instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 18th day of November last to the 30th day of June last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the puspose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

W. C. Graham, Officiating Official Assignee. (825—1)

In the matter of ALEXANDER BRAULT, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of July instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 19th day of June 1902 to the 30th day of June last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

W. C. Graham, Officiating Official Assignee. (826—1)

In the matter of A. G STROUD, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of July instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 26th day of June 1902 to the 30th day of June last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

W. C. Graham, Officiating Official Assignee.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 28th day of July 1903. (827—1)

NOTICE

In the First Court of the Munsif of Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 7 OF 1903.

A. R. Coop Swamy, of Sonai 1st Lane, Kidderpore, has, on the 18th July 1903, been declared an insolvent

B. B. CHATTERJEE, Munsif of Alipore, First Court

The 23rd July 1903 (814—1—691)

Notice.

RAJENDRA NATH KUNDU, son of late Prem Chand Kundu, of Bibiganj, town Midnapore, has been declared an insolvent by this Court under the provisions of section 351, Civil Procedure Code.

E. G. DRAKE-BROCKMAN, District Judge

Midnapore Judge's Office, the 20th July 1903. (808—1—692)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

In the matter of Anantaram Nandi, an insolvent.

ANANTARAM NANDI of Dipa *alias* Komarpur thana Haripal, district Hooghly, has been declared an insolvent, and the Nazir of this Court has been appointed receiver of his property. Persons having pecuniary claims against the insolvent are required to prove the same in this Court on the 31st August.

G. K. DEB, District Judge.

Hooghly District Judge's Court, the 22nd July 1903. (801—1—690)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	30th July	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	29th ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ..	3rd Aug.	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	31st July	,, 8-30	Per steamer *Laisang*.
Burma	30th ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	1st Aug.	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	1st ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	3rd ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Port Blair	1st ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.
Ditto	3rd ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
South Africa (letters) ...	2nd ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Congella* from Colombo.
Ditto (parcels) ...	1st ,,	,, 5	

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.

For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.

For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.

For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.

For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.

For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.

For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M. } and with a late fee of ½
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M. } anna up to 8 P.M. and
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M. } with a late fee of 1
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M. } anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.

For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

For Midnapore, Orissa and the Madras Presidency, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8-45 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails, *vid* Bombay, the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by sea. Foreign Mails for despatch *vid* Madras or Tuticorin are received up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee up to 8-45 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 28th July 1903.* } JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 24th July 1903.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings. Ft.	in.	REMARKS.
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	9	0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	10	3	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	9	0	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	5	6	Amanuganj.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	4	0	Mrizapore.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	6	6	Bhurnedanga.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	11	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	11	0	Akriganj.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	9	0	Goraipore.
	Thence to Patkabari	10	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	8	6	Jitpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	6	3	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	6	0	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	5	3	Dharmodaha.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	5	9	Malipara.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	7	9	Moheshpur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissenganj and Hanskhali ...	7	6	Ganje.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	REMARKS.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj ...	25-7-1903	6	12·16	30·16	Rising.
	Rampur Boalia...	25-7-1903	12	9·58	51·56	,,
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	26-7-1903	7	...	61·40	,,
	Entrance of Bhyrab, Jalangi, Akriganj ...	26-7-1903	7	...	49·35	,,
	Entrance of Mathabhanga	24-7-1903	...	9·75	...	,,
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	26-7-1903	...	...	58·30	,,
	Berhampore ...	27-7-1903	10	11·18	64·91	,,
	Katwa ...	24-7-1903	6	13·05	28·21	,,
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	24-7-1903	...	8·60	...	,,
	Sarupganj ...	25-7-1903	12	...	11·60	,,
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ...	25-7-1903	...	8·20	...	,,

A. B. BANERJEE, *Accts.*,
for *Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.*
Berhampore, the 27th July 1903.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 250.

[First Publication.]

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—BORNEO, EAST COAST.

Bulungar river approach—Reef reported.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 499 of 1903) of the existence of a reef about one cable in length and half a cable in breadth, with a least depth over it of 6 inches, situated about 6 miles S. 75° W. from Bulik Taba beacon.

Approximate position, lat. 2° 32¾′ N., long. 117° 56′ E.

There are depths of from 9 to 10 fathoms around this reef.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Strait of Makassar, No 2636: Also, Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1893, page 339.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 251.

[First Publication.]

AFRICA, SOUTH—MADAGASCAR, N. W. COAST.

Nosi Bé—Rock reported in Fotaka (Befotaka) Bay.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 503 of 1903) of the existence of a rock, with a depth of 5 feet over it at lowest tide, in Fotaka (Befotaka) bay, situated with Tanilatsaka conspicuous tree bearing S. 11° E., distant 6 miles, and Amporaka point N. 75° E.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 18′ S., long. 48° 12½′ E.

(*Variation 7° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Pasindava and adjacent bays, No. 706; Also, Islands in Southern Indian Ocean, 1891, page 184; and Supplement, 1898, page 22.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 252.

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CHINA SEA—Gaspar Strait.

Shoal water (Ondiepwater) island light—Character altered.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 1[illegible], dated 9th January 1903, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 505 of 1903) that the character of Shoal water (Ondiepwater) island light has been altered from white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every fifteen seconds*, the duration of the flash being *three seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 19′ S., long. 107° 13′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China Sea, No. 1263; Eastern Archipelago, No. 941a; Gaspar and Banka Straits, No. 2149; Gaspar Strait, No. 2137: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 530; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 433.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 253.

[First Publication.]

CHINA SEA—Cochin China and Tong king gulf.

Intended lights.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 508 of 1903) that it is intended to establish lights at the undermentioned places in Cochin China and in the Tong king gulf:—

1. Fan rang bay.—A lighthouse is in course of construction in Fan rang bay, but the character of the light to be exhibited from it is not yet decided.

   Approximate position, lat. 11° 34′ N., long. 109° 4′ E.

   The exact position of the lighthouse is not stated.

2. Lon (Tré) island.—A lighthouse is being constructed on Lon island from which it is intended to exhibit a *white group flashing* light showing groups of *three flashes every fifteen seconds*. The tower will be of granite, 40 feet high, and the duration of each flash will be under one-tenth of a second. The light will be elevated 315 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 24 miles.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 11¾′ N., long. 109° 19′ E.

   This light will probably be exhibited for experiment in 1904.

3. Nhatrang bay.—A lighthouse is in course of construction on the site of an old fort on Chut point, but the character of the light to be exhibited therefrom has not yet been decided.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 13′ N., long. 109° 12′ E.

4. Cape Varella.—A *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two flashes every ten seconds* will be established in a cylindrical tower of granite, 46 feet high, now being erected on the point to the southward of cape Varella, the duration of each flash will be one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 318 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 24 miles.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 53¾′ N., long. 109° 26¼′ E.

   This light will probably be exhibited experimentally at the end of 1903.

5. Pulo Gambir (Kambir).—A *white group flashing* light showing groups of *four flashes every fifteen seconds* will be established in a cylindrical tower of granite, 42 feet high, now being constructed on the summit of the eastern point of Pulo Gambir or Kambir. The duration of each flash will be under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 387 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 26 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 36½′ N., long. 109° 20¼′ E.

This light will probably be exhibited experimentally in 1904.

6. Kin Hon harbour.—A *white fixed* light, elevated 164 feet above high water, and visible from a distance of 8 miles over an arc of 275°, will be established on an iron gibbet attached to a dwelling now being constructed on the south-west point of the Huong Mai peninsula entrance to Kin Hon or Thi Nai harbour.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 45¼′ N., long. 109° 13¼′ E.

The light will probably be exhibited for experiment at the end of 1903.

7. Nau Chau island.—A *white flashing* light *every five seconds*, elevated 341 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 26 miles, will be established in a cylindrical tower of stone, 62 feet high, now being erected on the summit of Nau Chau island.

Approximate position, on Chart No. 875, lat. 20° 54′ N., long. 110° 35½ E.

This light will probably be exhibited experimentally in March 1904.

Further notice will be given when the above lights are exhibited.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Saigon river to Kam ranh bay. No. 1261; Fan rang bay to Tong king gulf, No. 1342; Tong king gulf, No. 2062; Kum ranh bay to Vung-ro bay, No. 1008; Plan of Kin Hon harbour on Chart No. 264; Nau Chau passage on Chart No. 875: Also, List of Lights, prat VI, 1903, pages 122, 126; China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, pages 396, 399, 406, 412, 413, 505; and Supplement, 1901, page 18.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 254.

[First Publication]

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST COAST—RED SEA.

Suez bay—Beacons constructing at Kal ah Kebireh shoal.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 509 of 1903) that beacons are being constructed on the north, south and west sides of Kal ah Kebireh shoal, Suez bay, from each of which it is intended to exhibit a light of a distinctive character.

The lights exhibited from the present beacon will be discontinued.

Approximate position, lat. 29° 54¾′ N., long. 32° 31¾′ E.

Further Notice will be given when this alteration has been made.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Suez, No. 757; Suez bay, No. 754; Also, List of Lights, part V., 1903, No. 1340; part VI, 1903, No. 165; and Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 89.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 255.

[First Publication.]

AFRICA, EAST COAST—TANGA BAY.

Ulenge reef—Non-existence of tower.

THE British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 519 of 1903) that the tower on the nothern end of Ulènge reef is no longer in existence; it has, therefore, been expunged from the Chart.

Approximate position, lat. 5° 2¼′ S., long. 39° 10½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mansa and Tanga bays, No. 663; Also, Africa Pilot, part III., 1897, page 473.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 256.

[First Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST—GULF OF KUTCH.

Juria Bandar—Intended exhibition of light.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 68 of 1903) that from 1st August 1903, a white fixed light elevated 36 feet above high water and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles between the bearings of from N. 21° W. to S. 69° W. (270°) will be exhibited from a cast-iron column on rubble masonry tower erected on the extreme north end of quay wall at Juria Bandar.

The light will be dioptric of the 6th order.

Approximate position—

Lat.	...	...	...	...	22° 43′ 30″ N.
Long.	...	...	...	...	70° 19′ 00″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Coasts of Sind and Kutch including the Gulf of Kutch, No. 42; Gulf of Kutch, No. 43; and Gulf of Kutch to Visiadurg, No. 2736; also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 4th Edition, 1898, page 284; and List of Lights, Part VI, 1903, page 36."

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 257.

[First Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Rangoon river—Position of Hastings Shoal Wreck buoy altered.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 71 of 1903) that information has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, dated 4th July 1903, that the small wreck buoy on the Hastings Shoal which had drifted out of position has been replaced by an old-fashioned conical channel buoy painted green.

The position of the buoy is close to the south edge of the wreck.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Rangoon River and Approaches, No. 833; and Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd Edition, 1901, page 353.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 245.

[Third Publication.]

Errata.

In paragraph 2, line 2 of Notice to Mariners No. 87, dated 7th March 1903, *for* "224 miles" *read* "22·4 miles."

In line 4 of Notice to Mariners No. 129, dated 21st April 1903, *for* "distance 3 feet" *read* "distance 3 miles."

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 246.

[Third Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Kurnafulli river—Depth of water found in the channels.

THE Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the river channel by soundings taken on the 8th July and reduced to zero:—

	FT.	IN.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	12	0
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	10	6
Batten beacon on pillar on hill	11	0
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on ball and cross	16	0
Track No. 4—Guptakhali crossing—		
Triangle on diamond	17	0

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 247.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Tellicherry light—Character altered.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 135, dated 22nd April 1903, issued by this office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No 34 of 1903) that the alteration to the light at Tellicherry as described therein was carried out and the light exhibited on the 1st June 1903.

It shows a group of 6 occultations of about 3½ seconds separated by light of about 5 seconds and followed by light of about 14 seconds duration.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827; and India, West Coast, Viziadrug to Cochin with the Laccadive Archipelago No. 2737.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 248.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, EAST—COROMANDEL COAST.

Negapatam light—Character altered.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 64, dated 17th February 1903, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 36 of 1903) that the alteration to the light at Negapatam as described therein was carried out and the light exhibited on the 1st July 1903.

The light shows a group of four occultations of about 4½ seconds separated by light of about 7 seconds and followed by light of about 21 seconds duration.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Indian Ocean, Bay of Bengal, No. 70; also Bay of Bengal, West Coast, Coast of Coromandel, sheet IV, Madras to Point Calimere, No. 71; and India (sheet 3), East Coast, Cape Comorin to Cocanada, No. 828.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 249.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Cannanore light—Character altered.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 134, dated the 22nd April 1903, issued by this office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 37 of 1903) that the alteration to the light at Cannanore as described therein was carried out and the light exhibited on the 1st July 1903.

The light shows a group of four occultations of about 5½ seconds separated by light of about 6 seconds and followed by light of about 20 seconds duration.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—India (sheet 2), West Coast, Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827; and India, West Coast, Vizadrug to Cochin with the Laccadive Archipelago, No. 3737.

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RE-IMPORTATION OF RIFLES OF MILITARY PATTERN.

No. 2752, dated Simla, the 20th July 1903.

From—A. WILLIAMS, Esq., Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India, Home Dept.,
To—The Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

I AM directed to refer to the correspondence ending with your letter No. 96J.D., dated the 17th April 1903, on the subject of the re-importation of rifles of military pattern.

2. In reply, I am to say that the Governor-General in Council has decided that the re-importation of such weapons should be permitted subject to the following conditions, viz.—

(1) that the examination of the arms at the Custom House at the time of export shall be compulsory;

(2) that, as a general rule, export passes giving a full description of the weapons to be exported shall be obtained from the Collector of Customs by the persons exporting the weapons;

(3) that these passes shall be accepted by the Collector of Customs as the best proof of export on the weapons being satisfactorily identified at the time of re-importation; and

(4) that, in cases in which such export passes have not been obtained, it will rest with the Collector of Customs personally to accept such other proof of export as he may consider reasonable and proper.

3. The Government of India will be glad if the Collector of Customs is required to submit a monthly return of the weapons imported under these provisions. I am to request that, with the permission of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, the necessary instructions may be issued to the Customs authorities, and steps taken to make the orders known to the public.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 27th July 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·15, Kalna 2·96, Katwa 1·33, Raniganj 2·18. Weather cloudy with occasional showers. Transplantation of *aman* continues. Condition of *aus*, jute, and sugarcane fair, but more rain is generally wanted. Fodder sufficient. Water insufficient in some parts of thanas Katwa and Manglekote. Condition of cattle good. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers per rupee.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar ·71, Rampur Hât ·98. Weather cloudy and windy. Rain is urgently needed for transplantation. Sugarcane crop in good condition. Rice sells at 13 seers per rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·16, Vishnupur 2·61. More rain wanted for transplantation. Common rice sells at 10 seers 4 chitaks a rupee. Fodder and water hardly sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·33, Contai 3·81, Tamluk 3·11, Ghatal 2·17. Weather hot and cloudy with occasional rain. Transplantation continues. More rain wanted. Paddy plants being damaged by insects in Debra thana. Jute doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Contai	12	0	
Tamluk	11	12	
Ghatal	11	0	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·86, Serampore 1·54, Arambagh 2·28. Prospects of standing crops not good in places. More rain wanted for transplantation. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	8	per rupee.
Serampore	10	4	
Arambagh	11	3	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·76. Weather cloudy. Sowings of jute over. Transplantation of paddy in progress. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells at 11 seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·96, Barasat 2·11, Basirhat 1·88, Diamond Harbour 4·48. Weather hot and cloudy. More rain wanted in all subdivisions. Jute and *aus* doing well. Prospects of jute and *aus* good and of *aman* fair. Transplantation of *aman* going on briskly. *Aus* being harvested in the Sadar. Common rice sells at 11¾ seers per rupee except in Diamond Harbour, where it sells at 10⅝ seers. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·64, Kushtia 0·72, Meherpur 0·42, Chuadanga 0·88, Ranaghat 2·41. Rain very insufficient. Prospects of standing crops fair. More rain urgently wanted. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Kushtia	13	4	
Meherpur	12	7	
Chuadanga	11	8	
Ranaghat	12	0	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar ·50, Kandi 1·10, Jangipur ·86, Lalbagh ·70. Weather hot and cloudy. *Aus* paddy in ears in places in Jangipur. Jute and sugarcane thriving. Transplantation of *aman* stopped for want of rain. More rain badly required. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kandi	13	0	
Jangipur	14	0	
Lalbagh	12	0	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·07, Jhenida 0·87, Magura 1·65, Narail 1·34, Bangaon 1·46. Weather hot and cloudy with drizzling rain. Prospects of crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Jhenida	12	8	
Magura	12	0	
Narail	12	5	
Bangaon	13	5	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·25, Bagerhat 1·98, Satkhira 0·72. Weather fairly seasonable, but more rain is still wanted. Sowings of autumn rice and *til* estimated at 82 and 50 per cent. respectively. Transplantation of *aman* continues only to a slight extent in some places on account of deficient rainfall. Prospects of autumn rice and jute favourable. Cattle-disease reported from Khulna, Kachua, Morelgunge, Kaligunge, and Asasuni. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Bagerhat	13	0	
Satkhira	12	0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·02, Nator 0·88, and Naugaon 0·79. Rain badly wanted. Transplantation of winter paddy in progress. Harvesting of *til* continues. Prospect of jute fair. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·29, slight fall throughout the district, varying from 0·64 to 3·33. Weather hot. Standing crops fair. Transplantation of winter rice going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful Common rice sells at 13 seers per rupee.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·80, Alipur Duars 1·70. Weather very hot. Transplantation of *haimanti* paddy going on. Rain is badly wanted for *haimanti* paddy. *Bhadoi* paddy and jute doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 11 seers a rupee.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·31. *Hills*—*Bhutta*, *phapor*, *chota marua* and *kagni* are maturing. Potato being harvested. *Bara marua* and *haimanti dhan* being sown, and *bhadoi dhan* progressing. *Terai*—Transplantation of winter rice going on. Prospects fair. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Hills	9	0	per rupee.
Terai	12	0	

Bhutta sells at Darjeeling at 13 seers and at Kalimpong at 12 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·77, Gaibanda 2·25, Kurigram 1·72. Weather hot. Condition of standing crop fair. Transplantation of *aman* and cutting of *aus* going on. Water and fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Kurigram	12	0	
Gaibanda	13	0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·67. Slight fall everywhere except in the south. Weather hot with occasional light showers. Cutting of *aus* and jute and transplantation of *aman* commenced. The break in the rain is causing anxiety. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rain at Sadar 0·78, Sirajganj 0·71. Weather partially cloudy and hot. Prospects of standing crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. More rain wanted. Common rice sells at 12 seers 12 chitaks per rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·08. Fall general. Prospect of crops fair. Weather hot and cloudy. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12¾ seers per rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·78, Jamalpur 1·44, Kishorganj ·72, Netrokona 2·65, Tangail ·64. Weather hot. Condition of autumn rice good. Transplantation of winter rice continues. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Jamalpur	15	4	
Kishorganj	13	8	
Netrokona	15	3	
Tangail	13	8	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·23, Goalundo 0·49, Madaripur 1·45. Weather seasonable. State and prospects of crops good. Jute is being steeped in places. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 13 seers a rupee.

Backergunge.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·36; fall general. Weather seasonable. Prospects good. Fodder sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Dakhin Shahbazpur, Patuakhali and Pirojpur subdivisions. Common rice sells at 12½ seers per rupee.

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar ·53, Brahmanbaria ·58, Chandpur 2·49. Weather seasonable. Prospects good. Transplantation of *aman* commenced. Harvesting of *aus* and reaping of jute going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Brahmanbaria. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	14	0	per rupee.
Chandpur	14	0	
Brahmanbaria	13	5	

Noakhali.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·6, Feni 1·12. Weather hot. More rain wanted. Prospects not good. Cattle-disease in one thana. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers 6 chitaks and at Feni at 15 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar ·71, Cox's Bazar 5·89. Cultivation of *aman* crop going on. No cattle-disease. More rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 13 seers 8 chitaks per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Prospects of cotton and *til* fair. More rain wanted for *joom* paddy. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Patna 1·95, Hilsa 0·50, Islampur 1·06, Bikram 1·43, Barh 0·35, Dinapore ·36, Asthawan 1·42, Bihar 0·52. Weather fine and apparently settled. All crops suffering badly from want of rain. The showers which fell towards the end of the week were too short to be of much benefit. Prices have slightly increased, but are still below those of last year. Prices of common rice are as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Patna	12	8	per rupee.
Barh	13	0	
Bihar	12	0	
Dinapore	13	4	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·37, Jahanabad 0·39, Aurangabad 1·30, Nawadah 1·14. Weather hot and cloudy. The rain early in the week saved such *bhadoi* crops as were on the ground and enabled more *makai* and paddy seedlings to be sown, but was of no use for transplantation and by now has largely dried off. Of *bhadoi* crops perhaps half the normal area has been sown. For autumn rice about half the usual nurseries, or perhaps 10 annas, are in existence, and a little has been sown broadcast. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Average price of common rice 11½ seers per rupee.

Shahabad.—Rainfall at Arrah 1·01, Buxar 1·92, Bhabhua 0·98, Sasaram 0·45, Dehri 0·51. The last rain has saved the seedlings from being withered, but is not sufficient for preparing seed beds in area out of canal. More rain urgently wanted. Sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers per rupee.

Saran.—Rainfall at Chapra ·28, Gopalganj 1·60, and Siwan ·42. Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Weeding of *bhadoi* crops continued. Rain badly wanted in Sadar and Siwan subdivisions. Transplantation of paddy is going on, but it is now in a very backward state in Siwan and Sadar for want of sufficient rain. Cattle-disease continues in Manjhee. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers and maize at 22 seers per rupee at Chapra.

Champaran.—Rain at Motihari ·23, Bettiah 2·09. Weeding of *aghani* paddy continues. Transplantation going on. More rain wanted. Prospects good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 16½ seers and maize at 23 seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·22, Hajipur 2·18, and Sitamarhi ·07. Weather hot and cloudy at times. Transplantation of paddy and *marua* continues. Prospects fair. More rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices are—Common rice 14 seers and maize 24 seers a rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·13, Samastipur 0·67. Weather hot with strong east wind. Weeding of *makai* and *marua* in progress. Rain urgently wanted for transplantation of paddy and *marua*. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Mohiuddinagar outpost. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	14	8	per rupee.
Samastipur	16	0	
Madhubani	15	0	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar ·95, Begusarai ·57, Jamui ·33. Weather hot and cloudy. Sugarcane doing well. *Bhadoi* and paddy crops suffering badly for want of rain. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	8	per rupee.
Begusarai	13	8	
Jamui	13	0	

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·35, Banka 1·14, Madhipura 1·48, Supaul 2·36. Weather hot. Rain urgently needed at once in Sadar and Banka. Damage from want of rain reported to *makai* and paddy seedlings in Sadar. Transplantation of paddy stopped in Banka and seedlings withering. Prospects of *bhadoi* paddy not hopeful, but *makai* and sugarcane doing well. Standing crops doing well in Madhipura and Supaul. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	10	per rupee.
Banka	11	14	
Madhipura	17	0	
Supaul	18	0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·47, Kishanganj 1·19, Araria 2·33 Fall general but not well distributed. More rain wanted for cultivation of *aghani* crops. Weather hot and sultry. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows :—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	12 0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	13 0	
Araria	14 0	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·35, Chanchal ·92, Gajol 1·25, Sibganj 1·57. Fall general. Weather hot and cloudy Rain is urgently needed for transplantation of winter rice. *Bhadoi* and jute suffering from the same reason. Cattle-disease reported from Tulsihutta thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 13 seers per rupee.

Sonthal Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·57, Deoghar 1·97, Godda 1·33, Jamtara 2·77, Pakaur 1·42, Rajmahal 1·41. Weather hot and cloudy. Rain is needed throughout the district for transplantation of winter rice, which is going on only slowly. Sugarcane and cotton thriving. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·10. Fall general. Puddling of *saradh* and *beali* going on. *Beali* in ears at places. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers 1 chitak per rupee at Cuttack.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·12. *Saradh* crop being puddled and transplanted. Weeding of *beali* paddy continues. Standing crops doing well Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water reported to be sufficient in most places. Rice sells at 14¼ and 13 seers per rupee at Sadar and Bhadrak respectively.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·46, report from Khondmals not received. Weather cloudy. Transplanting of paddy commenced. Common rice sells at 14 and 13½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals respectively. Fodder and water sufficient

Puri.—Rainfall 2·07 inches. Weather hot, cloudy, and rainy. Lands are being sown with winter rice. Paddy puddling is going on. Sugarcane leaves are being tied. Cotton pods are being plucked. *Dalua* paddy is being harvested ; outturn expected to be 12 annas. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Prospects of crops generally good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers 1 chitak per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·66, Giridih 1·94. Fall not general. Weather hot. Transplantation of paddy not yet commenced for want of rain. Fodder sufficient. Water still scarce. Common rice sells at 11⅝ seers per rupee. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas.

Ranchi.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·35. Fall general. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Transplantation of paddy in progress. Cattle-disease reported from the Ranchi thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at Sadar at 12 seers per rupee.

Palamau.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·27. Weather hot and cloudy. Rain very inadequate *Bhadoi* sowing still going on. Sugarcane doing fairly well. Cattle-disease continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices at Sadar are—Rice 12⅝ seers and maize 20½ seers per rupee.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·05. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at Sadar at 10 seers per rupee. Gobindpur report not received.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 2·06. More rain needed. Transplantation in progress. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee at Chaibassa.

General Summary.—Rainfall was general throughout the Province, but not evenly distributed. More rain is urgently needed in the Burdwan, Presidency, Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions and in some districts of the Rajshahi, Chittagong, and Chota Nagpur Divisions, except in the districts of Noakhali, Patna, Shahabad, and Monghyr, where standing crops are suffering badly for want of rain prospects are generally fair. Harvesting of early rice and jute continues. Transplantation of winter rice continues, but is very backward in most districts for want of rain, and in a few has altogether been stopped. Paddy is being damaged by insects in parts of Midnapore. Cattle-disease reported from nine districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in 11 districts, has fallen in seven and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 28th July 1903.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN											
		WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan ..	13 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	11 12	11 8	11 10	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	14 4	14 0	12 0				14 4	14 4	11 4			
3	Bankura ...	13 0	13 0	11 0	..	...	...	11 12	11 0	13 0			...
4	Midnapore ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	..		...	11 4	11 0	12 8	...		...
5	Hooghly ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	...			9 4	10 0	9 0	...		...
6	Howrah ..	...		...		..		11 4	11 2	10 8	...		...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION. 7	24-Parganas ...		...					11 8	11 8	10 0	...	..	...
8	Calcutta ...	12 4	12 4	10 0	16 13	16 0	14 8	9 6	9 6	10 0	16 13	16 0	12 4
9	Nadia ...	13 8	14 8	14 9	19 0	19 0	20 0	11 15	11 6	11 6	...	...	...
10	Murshidabad ...	15 0	15 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	21 0	12 4	12 0	11 8	...	...	...
11	Jessore ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 8	12 8	10 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...
12	Khulna ...		..	..				14 3	14 3	11 10	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI DIVISION. 13	Rajshahi ...	15 12	15 12	16 8	27 12	26 4	21 0	13 8	12 12	10 14	..	...	.
14	Dinajpur ...	14 6	14 6	12 9	...	...	...	13 3	13 3	11 6	...	...	...
15	Jalpaiguri ...	11 0	11 0	11 0	...	.	...	11 8	11 8	10 12	...	.	...
16	Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 8	9 8	...	...	...
17	Rangpur ...	12 0	15 0	10 8		...	...	10 0	12 8	11 0	...	...	...
18	Bogra ...	13 8	13 8	10 8	...	..	...	15 0	15 0	11 4	...	...	...
19	Pabna ...	17 4	17 0	15 12	27 8	27 8	26 4	12 12	12 6	11 4	...	...	...
DACCA DIVISION. 20	Dacca ...	18 0	18 0	12 8	20 0	20 0	18 0	13 0	12. 8	11 0	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 6	11 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...
22	Faridpur ...	17 0	17 0	16 13	20 0	21 0	22 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	...	...	...
23	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	10 8	...	...	

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kalna 11 seers 4 chitaks; Katwa 12½ seers 10 chitaks, Raniganj 12 seers.
B. At Rampur Hât the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 12½ seers per rupee.
D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Contai 13 seers; Tamluk 11 seers; Ghatal 13½ seers.
E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 12 seers 13 chitaks; Arambagh 12 seers 13 chitaks.
F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 13 seers 14½ chitaks per rupee.
G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chotla 13 seers: Barasat 13 seers 5 chitaks; Baduria 13 seers 8 chitaks; Mornghat 10 seers 10⅜ chitaks.
H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 13½ seers; Chuadanga 13 seers (panga); Meherpur 12 seers; Ranaghat 14 seers 8 chitaks (crushed).
I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Lalbagh 13 seers; Kandi 11½ seers; Jangipur 11 seers.

quarters Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 15th July 1903.

WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.						AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.	Number.	
SALT.			SALT.			UNSKILLED LABOUR—ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			SKILLED LABOUR—COMMON MASON, CARPENTER OR BLACKSMITH.					
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	BENGAL.		
A 13 4	13 4	11 4	2 13 0	2 13 6	3 4 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	6 0	7 0	6 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	Hurdwan.	1	Burdwan Division.
B 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2 6	3 2 6	3 12 0	...	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	...	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	..	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	Birbhum.	2	
C 13 14	13 0	11 4	Panga. 2 14 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	6 12	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	7 0	5 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 7 8	8 12	8 0 to 12 0	8 0 to 12 0	Bankura	3	
D 12 0	11 4	10 8	Panga. 2 14 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	12 0 to 18 0	12 0 to 18 0	12 0 to 18 0	Midnapore	4	
E 13 0	13 0	10 8	Crushed. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	12 0 to 20 0	12 0 to 20 0	12 0 to 15 0	Hooghly.	5	
F 12 8	12 8	10 8	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 12 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	8 0 to 9 0	8 0	8 0	14 0 to 18 0	13 0 to 15 0	15 0	Howrah	6	
G 13 0	11 10	10 10	Panga. 2 14 0	2 14 0	3 4 9	9 0 to 12 0	7 8 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 9 0	7 0 to 8 0	12 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 20 0	12 0 to 20 0	24-Parganas.	7	Presidency Division.
11 0	12 0	11 0	Panga. 2 10 0	2 10 0	3 6 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	20 0	18 0 to 22 0	18 0 to 20 0	Calcutta	8	
H 13 1	13 0	12 4	3 2 0	3 1 0	3 4 0	...	9 6	9 6	...	7 0	7 0	...	10 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	Nadia.	9	
I 12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 6 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	15 0 to 20 0	14 0 to 16 0	14 0 to 16 0	Murshidabad.	10	
J 12 0	12 0	10 0	Panga 3 2 0	3 4 0	3 14 0	9 6	9 6	9 6	7 0	7 0	7 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Jessore.	11	
K 11 2	11 2	10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	9 6 to 11 0	9 6 to 11 0	9 6 to 11 0	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 9 0	10 0 to 28 0	10 0 to 28 0	10 0 to 28 0	Khulna.	12	
L 12 0	12 0	10 5	Panga. 3 2 8	3 2 8	3 13 4	6 0 to 7 0	4 0 to 8 0	7 8	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	6 8	7 8 to 15 0	7 0 to 15 0	7 0 to 15 0	Rajshahi.	13	Rajshahi Division.
M 12 0	10 8	10 8	Panga. 3 5 8	3 12 0	3 12 0	8 0	9 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	15 0 to 20 0	12 0 to 22 0	12 0 to 22 0	Dinajpur.	14	
N 11 8	11 0	10 0	Panga. 3 2 0	3 2 0	3 11 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	Jalpaiguri.	15	
O 10 0	10 0	8 8	Rora. 4 0 0	4 0 0	4 9 0	9 6	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	22 8	12 0 to 25 0	12 0 to 20 0	Darjeeling.	16	
10 0	10 0	8 5	Panga 4 0 0	4 0 0	4 10 0												
P 11 0	10 8	10 8	Panga. 3 0 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	Rangpur.	17	
13 2	13 2	10 2	Panga. 3 1 4	3 1 4	3 12 0	9 6	7 8	7 8	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	15 0 to 30 0	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 20 0	Bogra.	18	
Q 12 10	13 0	10 8	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 12 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 11 0	8 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 8 0	10 0 to 22 0	10 0 to 22 0	10 0 to 20 0	Pabna.	19	
R 11 0	11 0	10 8	Panga. 3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 9 0	7 8 to 20 0	7 8 to 20 0	9 0 to 18 0	Dacca.	20	Dacca Division.
S 10 0	10 0	10 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0	13 0 to 15 0	11 0 to 15 0	Mymensingh.	21	
T 18 0	12 8	10 10	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 12 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0 to 15 0	15 0	15 0	Faridpur	22	
U 13 0	13 0	10 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	8 0	8 0	10 0 to 12 0	8 0	8 0	8 0 to 12 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	Backergunge.	23	

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida return not received; Magura 12 seers; Sangaon 13 seers; Narail 12 seers.
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 13 seers; Satkhira 13 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Nator 12 seers; Naugaon 12 seers.
M. No report from subdivision.
N. At Alipur Duars the retail price of salt is 10 seers per rupee.
O. At Kurseong and Siliguri the retail prices of salt per rupee are 8 seers and 10 seers, respectively.
P. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gaibanda 12 seers, Kurigram return not received; Nilphamari 11 seers.
Q. At Sirajganj the retail price of salt is 13 seers 14 chitaks per rupee.
R. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Madaripur 12 seers 4 chitaks; Manikganj 11 seers; Mirkadim 11 seers.
S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishorganj 10 seers 11 chitaks; Jamalpur 12 seers 5 chitaks; Tangail 10 seers 10 chitaks; Netrokona 9½ seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Goalundo 12 seers 1 chitak; Madaripur 13 seers (crushed).
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Pirojpur 11 seers; Patuakhali 13 seers; Bhola 10½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN											
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
BENGAL—*concluded.*		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 24	Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 6	12 11	11 0	...	...	...
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 25	Noakhali	...	...	.	...	...	.	13 5	13 8	10 0	...	...	...
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 26	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	.	13 0	14 0	12 10	...	...	...
BIHAR.													
PATNA DIVISION. 27	Patna ...	17 0	18 0	14 0	24 0	26 0	19 8	14 0	15 0	10 8	*White* 20 0 *Raksa* 28 0	*White* 20 0 *Raksa* 28 0	*White.* 14 0 *Raksa.* 21 0
PATNA DIVISION. 28	Gaya ...	15 0	16 0	13 4	21 0	20 0	17 0	13 8	14 4	10 12	19 0	20 0	18 0
PATNA DIVISION. 29	Shahabad	15 8	15 8	13 0	22 0	22 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 30	Saran ...	15 0	16 0	15 0	23 0	23 0	18 0	15 0	15 0	12 0	20 8	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 31	Champaran ...	16 0	16 0	13 0 to 13 8	28 0	28 0	22 0 to 21 0	15 8	15 8	12 0	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 32	Muzaffarpur ..	14 0	14 0	14 0	23 0	23 0	19 0	14 0	14 0	11 8	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 33	Darbhanga	17 9	17 9	13 14	23 4	22 12	19 12	14 8	14 9	12 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 34	Monghyr ...	16 0	16 0	14 8	25 0	25 0	20 0	11 12	12 0	10 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 35	Bhagalpur ..	15 4	15 4	14 0	20 4	20 0	19 0	13 14	13 14	12 0	...	....	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 36	Purnea ...	16 0	16 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 37	Malda ...	16 0	16 0	16 8	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	11 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 38	Sonthal Parganas.	11 8	11 8	10 8	16 0	17 0	15 0	14 4	14 0	13 0	...	...	...
ORISSA.													
ORISSA DIVISION. 39	Cuttack ...	13 2	13 12	12 7	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	13 2	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 40	Balasore ...	14 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	11 0	14 4	14 4	13 0	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 41	Angul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 42	Puri ...	12 0	11 13	11 0	...	...	...	15 1	15 0	13 2	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR.													
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 43	Hazaribagh ...	11 8	11 8	11 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	11 8	12 0	11 14	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 44	Ranchi ...	8 0 to 12 0	8 0 to 11 8	7 4 to 10 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	13 8	12 12	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 45	Palamau ...	14 10	13 8	11 4	18 0	18 0	13 8	12 15	13 8	10 2	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 46	Manbhum ...	12 8	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	16 0	12 0	13 0	12 8	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 47	Singhbhum ...	12 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 8	13 0	...	...	...

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chandpur 10 seers 10 chitaks ; Brahmanbaria 10 seers 10 chitaks.

W. At Feni Hát the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.

X. Return from Cox's Bazar not received.

Y. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 13 seers; Dinapore return not received; Bihar 12 seers.

Z. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 10 seers; Nawada 12 seers; Aurangabad 12 seers.

a. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 12 seers; Bhabua 11 seers; Sasaram 10½ seers.

b. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 13 seers; Gopalganj 12 seers.

c. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.

d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Hajipur 12 seers; Sitamarhi 11 seers.

e. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 10 seers; Madhubani 10½ seers.

f. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai return not received; Jamui 12 seers.

g. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 11½ seers; Madhipura 10 seers; Supaul 11 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 27th July 1903.

Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 15th July 1903—concld.

Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt. Present return.	Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt. Next preceding return.	Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt. Corresponding return of last year.	Average wages per month. Unskilled labour—Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer. Present return.	Unskilled labour—Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer. Next preceding return.	Unskilled labour—Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer. Corresponding return of last year.	Syce or Horse-keeper. Present return.	Syce or Horse-keeper. Next preceding return.	Syce or Horse-keeper. Corresponding return of last year.	Skilled labour—Common Mason, Carpenter or Blacksmith. Present return.	Skilled labour—Common Mason, Carpenter or Blacksmith. Next preceding return.	Skilled labour—Common Mason, Carpenter or Blacksmith. Corresponding return of last year.	Districts.	Number.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	BENGAL—*concluded.*		
V 10 10	10 10	10 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 14 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 8 0	15 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0	Tippera.	24	Chittagong Division.
W 11 10	12 8	9 0	Panga. 3 2 0	3 2 0	4 2 0	9 6	9 6	9 6	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	15 0	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 15 0	Noakhali.	25	
X 12 0	12 0	10 0	2 11 0	2 14 0	3 8 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 9 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Chittagong	26	
												BIHAR.					
Y 10 8	10 8	Panga. 10 12	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 10 0	..	5 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 5 0	...	5 0 to 6 0	4 8 to 5 0	...	8 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 7 0	Patna.	27	Patna Division.
Z 13 0	12 12	11 0	3 1 6	3 2 0	3 9 6	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 12 0	Gaya	28	
a 13 0	13 0	10 0	3 1 3	3 1 3	4 0 0	4 11	4 11	4 11	5 8 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	4 0	7 8 to 9 6	7 8 to 9 6	7 8 to 9 6	Shahabad.	29	
b 12 4	12 0	Panga. 11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 10 0	3 12 to 5 10	3 12 to 5 10	3 12 to 5 10	4 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 8 0	4 0 to 10 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 10 0	Saran	30	
c 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 13 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	Champaran.	31	
d 12 0	11 0	Panga. 10 0	3 3 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	4 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	7 0 to 8 0	4 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	Muzaffarpur	32	
e 11 0	11 10	10 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 10 0	3 12 to 5 0	3 12 to 5 0	3 12 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	5 10 to 10 5	5 10 to 10 5	5 10 to 10 5	Darbhanga.	33	
f 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 6 6	3 12 to 5 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 5 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	Monghyr	34	Bhagalpur Division.
g 12 8	12 8	Panga. 10 12	2 15 0	2 15 0	3 10 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Bhagalpur.	35	
h 11 0	11 0	Panga. 10 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	8 0	5 10 to 7 8	4 11 to 7 8	6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	15 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	Purnea.	36	
i 10 8	10 8	Panga. 10 0	3 10 0	3 12 0	3 14 0												
10 0	10 0	Karkatch. 9 8	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 2 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 6 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Malda.	37	
j 11 0	11 0	10 8	3 8 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	4 11 to 5 10	3 12 to 4 12	3 12 to 4 12	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	Santhal Parganas.	38	
												ORISSA.					
k 14 0	14 0	13 0	2 8 0	2 7 0	3 0 0	5 0	5 0	5 10	5 8	5 8	5 0	9 0 to 10 0	9 0 to 10 0	7 8 to 13 12	Cuttack	39	Orissa Division.
l 13 8	13 0	Panga. 11 0	2 15 0	2 14 0	3 7 6	5 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 5 8	5 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 8 0	3 12 to 6 0	4 0 to 8 0	7 8 to 12 0	11 4	9 0 to 11 0	Balasore.	40	
m 8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	3 12 to 4 11	3 12 to 4 11	3 12	3 0 to 6 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 11 4	Angul.	41	
n 15 8	15 8	11 13	2 9 0	2 9 0	3 4 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 0	10 0 to 11 0	9 0 to 11 0	Puri	42	
												CHOTA NAGPUR.					
o 9 8	9 0	Panga. 8 0	3 3 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0	5 0 to 7 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	7 0 to 12 0	Hazaribagh.	43	Chota Nagpur Division.
10 0	10 0	Panga. 9 8	3 12 0	3 13 0	4 2 0	3 0	3 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Ranchi.	44	
11 13	11 13	9 9	...	...	...	6 1½	6 1½	6 1½	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 12 0	10 0 to 12 0	7 8 to 12 0	Palamau.	45	
p 12 0	12 0	Panga 10 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	5 10	5 10	5 10	6 0 to 7 0	6 0	6 0	11 4 to 15 0	11 4 to 18 12	11 4 to 18 12	Manbhum.	46	
11 0	11 0	9 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0	12 0 to 15 0	Singbhum	47	

h. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 11 seers, Araria 9 seers.
i. At Balia Nawabganj the retail price of salt is 11 seers per rupee.
j. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Deoghur 13 seers (panga); Godda 10 seers, Jamtara return not received; Pakaur 12 seers; Rajmahal 12 seers.
k. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jajpur 13 seers; Kendrapara 13 seers (panga).
l. At Bhadrak the retail price of salt is 10½ seers per rupee.
m. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 9 seers, Bimpara 8 seers.
n. At Khurda the retail price of salt is 14 seers per rupee.
o. At Gumla the retail price of salt is 8 seers per rupee.
p. At Gobindpur the retail price of salt is 12½ seers per rupee.

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A. EARLE,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.,

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 8 0
2	Burdwan ...	4 2 3	4 4 0	4 7 0	3 7 0	3 8 0	3 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Pabna ...	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	3 2 1½	3 2 9	3 8 6	2 5 0	2 4 3	2 8 6	...	...	...
5	Rangpur ...	5 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 10 0	3 12 0	...	...	...
6	Dacca ...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 4 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	3 0 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0
7	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Patna ...	3 4 0	3 0 0	4 2 6	2 12 0	2 10 0	3 13 0	2 5 0	2 3 0	2 13 6	1 10 9	1 8 6	2 0 0
9	Muzaffarpur ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 5 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 10 6	1 10 6	2 0 0
10	Bhagalpur ...	3 7 9	3 8 0	4 4 0	3 0 2	3 2 1	3 8 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 14 0	1 15 6	1 12 5	2 1 6
11	Cuttack ...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 3 0	2 5 6	2 5 6	2 13 0	2 14 6	2 11 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
12	Ranchi ...	3 15 9	3 15 9	4 10 9	2 15 3	2 12 3	3 2 2	3 5 4 to 5 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 0 0 to 5 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 13 6

Calcutta,

The 27th July 1903.

Juar or Cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 4 0	2 6 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 7 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0 to 2 14 0	2 7 0 to 2 14 0	2 10 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 5 9	2 5 9	2 10 6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 2 0	2 6 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 4 0	3 10 0
2 0 0 White.	1 15 0	2 13 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 14 6	1 10 0	1 15 6
1 6 6 Rakes.	1 6 0	1 14 0									
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 14 6	1 14 6	2 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 15 0	1 11 0	2 4 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 14 6	1 14 0	2 7 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0 to 3 1 6

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 4 0	2 6 0	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 10 0	5 10 0	7 0 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	5 0 0
...	...	...	3 6 0	3 8 0	3 5 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 12 0
...	...	...	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	6 8 0	Black mustard, 4 4 0 Rapeseed, 3 12 0	4 4 0 / 3 12 0	4 6 0 to 4 10 0 / 4 14 0
...	...	...	3 14 9	3 15 3	4 1 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	6 4 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 7 0
2 6 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 15 0	4 8 0
...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 12 0
1 10 9	1 8 6	1 14 0	1 10 9	1 8 6	2 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	6 0 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	4 6 0
1 9 6	1 10 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
1 13 6	1 12 0	2 4 0	2 13 3	2 13 0	3 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	Rapeseed. 3 5 3 Mustard. 3 13 0	Rapeseed. 3 5 0 Mustard. 4 0 0	4 8 0 / 4 0 0
...	...	...	2 8 6	2 13 0	2 5 0	...	...	...	3 12 9	3 12 9	4 0 9
...	...	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	6 2 6 to 7 4 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	5 0 0

40 STANDARD SEERS.

Til or Jinjili-seed.			Sugar (raw).			Cotton (cleaned).			Jute.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	17 0 0	17 0 0	16 0 0	5 10 0	5 6 0	5 4 0
...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	21 0 0	...	...	
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 0 0	3 4 0 to 3 8 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	
...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 4 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	21 0 0	4 15 0	4 12 0	4 10 0
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 12 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 12 0	4 0 0
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 0 0
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	15 0 0	15 8 0	15 0 0	...	...	...
3 14 0	3 12 0	5 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	2 8 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	5 8 0 to 6 4 0	3 8 0
...	...	...	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 5 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 0 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	19 4 6	20 0 0	19 0 0	...	...	...
3 7 0	3 7 0	4 7 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 8 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	3 10 0 to 4 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...

Ghi (clarified butter).			Tobacco Leaf.			Hides (cow).			Grass.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
						Per 100 pieces.					
39 0 0	39 0 0	39 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
30 0 0	30 0 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Madhukhali.			Uncleaned hides, per piece.					
30 8 0 to 31 0 0	30 8 0	31 8 0	7 0 0 to 9 8 0	6 8 0 to 9 4 0	5 4 0 to 6 4 0	0 12 0 to 2 12 0	0 14 0 to 2 10 0	0 12 0 to 2 7 0	...	...	...
			Pulta			Cleaned hides per piece.					
						1 0 0 to 3 0 0	0 14 0 to 2 14 0	1 0 0 to 2 11 0			
53 0 0	51 0 0	53 0 0	9 4 0	9 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 0 0	32 0 0	33 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	...	...	...	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 6
						Per maund.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	20 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 3 0
						Per maund.					
32 8 0	31 0 0	35 0 0	10 0 0	10 8 0	10 0 0	17 0 0	17 4 0	16 8 0	...	...	...
26 0 0 to 27 0 0	26 0 0 to 27 0 0	30 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 6 0
27 13 0	27 13 0	29 1 6	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31 4 0	29 0 0	32 0 0	3 8 0	3 6 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
						Per maund.					
34 14 0	34 14 0	36 0 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 3 0	0 3 6	0 3 0
27 8 0 to 34 0 0	27 13 2 to 32 0 0	32 0 0 to 37 3 0	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	1 8 0	Per piece. 1 8 0	1 4 0 to 2 3 0	0 5 4	0 6 4	0 5 3

in the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 15th July 1903.

Straw.			Juar stalks.			Prices per maund of 40 standard seers.									Marts.
						Iron.			Firewood.			Salt.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	71
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 12 0	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 10 0	Panga. 2 10 0	3 6 0	1. Calcutta.
0 10 0	0 9 6	0 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 6 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	2 13 0	2 13 6	3 4 0	2. Burdwan
1 4 0	1 4 0	0 4 8	...	...	...	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 12 0 to 4 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 14 0	Panga. 3 2 0	3 8 0	3. Midnapore.
1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 8 0	3 5 0	Panga. 3 1 0	3 12 0	4. Pabna.
0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 8 0	3 12 0	5. Rangpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 3	3 3 0	Panga. 3 8 0	3 12 0	6. Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	2 11 0	Panga. 2 14 0	3 8 0	7. Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 6	0 6 0	0 7 0	3 2 0	Panga. 3 2 0	3 10 0	8. Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	5 11 6	0 5 3	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 3 0	Panga. 3 10 0	4 0 0	9. Muzaffarpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 9	0 5 0	0 5 9	2 15 0	Panga. 2 15 3	3 10 0	10. Bhagalpur.
0 7 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	...	...	...	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 7 0	3 0 0	11. Cuttack.
0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 6 0 to 0 10 0	...	...	...	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 10 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 12 0	Panga. 3 13 0	4 2 0	12. Manchi.

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water in the rivers Ganges, Bhagirathi, Jalangi, and Brahmaputra for the month of April 1903, and the highest reading of each gauge over M. S. L. since 1876.

Date.	River Ganges.																River Bhagirathi.		River Jalangi.		River Brahmaputra.	
	Mirzapore.		Benares.		Buxar.		Dinapore.		Monghyr.		Sahibganj.		Rampur Boalia.		Goalundo.		Berhampore.		Sarupganj.		Gauhati.	
	Distance in miles.	From Allahabad ... 86	From Allahabad ... 134	From Mirzapore ... 48	From Benares 90		From Benares 177	From Buxar 87	From Benares 267	From Dinapore 110	From Benares 361	From Monghyr 94	From Benares 471	From Sahibganj ... 90	From Benares 691	From Rampur Boalia ... 130						
	Highest Gauge Reading.	26th August 1889. 253·47		26th August 1889. 241·46		21st August 1896. 200·63		5th September 1901. 169·73		8th September 1901. 129·60		23rd August 1879. 96·25		26th August 1879. 69·25		20th August 1893. 31·52		14th August 1890. 64·70		25th September 1900. 36·90		24th July 1900. 179·41	
	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
				Below zero.		Below zero.				Below zero.				Below zero.									
1st		2·43	208·64	4·00	193·80	1·42	167·63	2·90	137·13	1·42	100·45	0·58	68·58	1·16	40·84	2·08	11·08	2·19	35·93	5·50	5 50	1·35	151·11
2nd		2 33	208·55	4 04	193·76	1·42	167·63	2 90	137·13	1·58	100·27	0·58	68 58	1·18	40·82	2·33	11·27	2·19	35·93	5·60	5·60	1 20	149·96
3rd		2·33	208 55	4·04	193·76	1·42	167·63	2·90	137·13	1·58	100·27	0·58	68 58	1·21	40·81	2·33	11·27	2·19	35·93	5·42	5 40	1 10	149 86
4th		2·25	208·47	4 04	193·76	1·42	167·63	2·90	137·13	1·67	100·18	0 50	68·51	1·22	40·78	2·08	11·02	2·19	35·93	4·20	4·20	1·09	149·76
5th		2·25	208 47	4·04	193 76	1·42	167·63	2·90	137 13	1·67	100·18	0·53	68·10	1·24	40·76	1·92	10·86	2·19	35·93	3 00	3 00	0·93	149·71
6th		2·17	208·39	4·04	193·76	1·42	167·63	2·90	137 13	1·67	100·18	0·42	68·42	1·26	40 74	1 67	10 61	2·17	35·91	2·90	2·80	0·85	149·71
7th		2·17	208·39	4·04	193 76	1 42	167·63	2·90	137·13	1·75	100 10	0·42	68·42	1·28	40 72	1·50	10·44	2·17	35·91	2·70	2·70	1·05	149·81
8th		2·17	208·39	4·04	193·76	1·42	167·63	2·90	137·13	1·75	100 10	0·33	68·33	1·30	40·70	1·42	10·36	2·17	35·91	3·00	3·00	1·00	149 76
9th		2·08	208·30	4·04	193·76	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·13	1·75	100 10	0·33	68·33	1·33	40·68	1·33	10·27	2·17	35·91	3·40	3·40	1·03	149·76
10th		2·08	208·30	4·04	193·76	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·13	1·75	100·10	0·21	68·21	1·34	40·66	1·50	10 44	2·17	35·91	4·10	4·10	0·95	149·71
11th		2·08	208·30	4·04	193·76	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·13	1·75	100·10	0·35	68·23	1 36	40·64	1·75	10·63	2·17	35·91	4·20	4·20	0·90	149·66
12th		2·00	208·22	4·00	193·80	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·13	1·75	100·10	0·21	68·21	1·38	40·62	1·58	10·86	2 17	35·91	4·80	4·80	0 90	149·66
13th		2 00	208·22	3 93	193 88	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·11	1·83	100·02	0·25	68·25	1·40	40·60	2·17	11·11	2·15	35·89	5·00	5 00	0 85	149·61
14th		2 00	208·22	3·92	193·88	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·13	1·83	100·03	0 17	68·17	1·42	40·58	2·25	11·19	2·12	35·86	5·50	5·50	0·80	149·56
15th		1·92	208·14	3·92	193 88	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·13	1·83	100·03	0·17	68·17	1·44	40·56	2·00	10·94	2·12	35·86	5·50	5·50	0·70	149 46
16th		1·92	208·14	3·96	193 84	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·13	1·92	99 93	0·08	68 08	1·46	40·54	2·00	10·94	2·10	35·84	5·10	5·10	0·70	149·46
17th		1·92	208·14	3·96	193·84	1·50	167 55	2·90	137·03	1·92	99·93	0·08	68·08	1 46	40 52	2·00	10·94	2·10	35·84	4·80	4·20	0·65	149·41
18th		1·83	208 05	3·96	193·84	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·03	1·92	99·93	0·08	68·08	1·50	40·50	2·00	10·94	2·08	35·82	3·80	3·80	0·60	149·36
19th		1 75	207·97	3·96	193·84	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·03	1 92	99·93	0 08	68·08	1·52	40·48	1·92	10·86	2·05	35·82	3·30	3 30	0·60	149 36
20th		1·67	207·89	3 83	193·97	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·03	1·92	99 93	0·00	68·00	1·54	40·46	1 83	10 77	2·08	35·82	3·00	3 00	1·10	149 86
21st		1·58	207 80	3·93	193·97	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·03	1·92	99 93	0·00	68·00	1·56	40·44	1·83	10 77	2·06	35·80	2·90	2·90	1·15	149·91
22nd		1·50	207·72	3·92	193·88	1·50	167·55	2 90	137·13	1·92	99·98	0·00	68·00	1·58	40·42	1·92	10·86	2·06	35·80	2·70	2·70	1·05	150·61
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26th		1·17	207·39	4 12	193·68	1·50	167·55	2·90	137·13	2·17	99·68	0·08	67·92	1·66	40·34	2·25	11·19	2·04	35·78				
		1·00										Above zero.											
27th		0·92	207 22	4·25	193·55	1·58	167·47	2·90	137·13	2·25	99·40	0·00	68·00	1·68	40·32	2·83	11·77	2·04	35·78	5·20	5·20	5·10	153 86
28th			207·14	4·33	193·47	1·58	167·47	2·90	137·13	2·42	99·43	0·00	68·00	1 70	40·31	3 42	12·36	2·04	35·78	5·50	5·50	5·20	153·96
29th		0·63	207·05	4·33	193·47	1·88	167·47	2·10	137·31	2·25	99·60	0·08	68·08	1·73	40·28	3·75	12·69	2·04	35·78	5·70	5·70	7·50	156·26
30th		0·75	206·97	4·42	193·58	1·75	167 30	3·10	137·33	2·25	99·60	0 05	68·05	1·74	40·26	4·00	12·94	2·04	35·78	6·10	6 10	9 50	158 26

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of June 1903, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1903-1904.		Tollage, 1902-1903.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5
Orissa Circle.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Taldanda Canal System	1,025 3 6	3,911 1 11	921 7 3	4,094 0 0
Kendrapara ditto	3,466 8 10	10,461 15 11	2,885 8 9	8,321 9 2
High Level, Range I	326 11 9	1,162 15 0	203 14 9	1,841 11 9
Ditto „ II	56 2 9	300 7 9	56 11 6	365 8 3
Ditto „ III	4 8 3	33 11 9	7 1 9	27 12 9
Jajpur Canal ...	59 13 9	129 9 0	37 0 0	92 11 6
Total Orissa Circle ...	4,939 0 10	15,999 13 4	4,111 12 0	14,743 5 5
South-Western Circle.				
Midnapore Canal ...	4,678 4 3	14,247 8 6	8,868 3 6	25,976 13 6
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	3,728 10 3	12,116 1 6	3,952 15 9	13,957 14 3
Total South-Western Circle	8,406 14 6	26,363 10 0	12,821 3 3	39,934 11 9
Sone Circle.				
Patna Canal System ...	1,087 1 3	3,899 4 6	282 12 9	1,912 11 6
Arrah ditto ...	448 1 3	2,093 1 9	442 13 0	2,633 1 3
Buxar ditto ...	292 2 6	1,046 5 0	266 13 9	1,013 1 6
Total Sone Circle ...	1,827 5 0	7,038 11 3	942 7 6	5,558 14 3
Grand Total ...	15,173 4 4	49,402 2 7	17,875 6 9	60,236 15 5

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of June 1903, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1903-1904.		Tollage, 1902-1903.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	13,903 2 6	47,695 10 5	14,855 8 6	48,588 2 9
Tolly's Nala ...	3,187 0 0	10,764 14 0	4,489 14 0	12,471 12 9
Total ...	17,090 2 6	58,460 8 5	19,345 6 6	61,059 15 6
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,129 10 0	8,776 2 0	1,838 6 0	7,338 12 9
Nadia Rivers ...	3,145 13 6	9,604 12 0	4,567 12 0	12,653 8 0
Grand Total ...	22,365 10 0	76,841 6 5	25,751 8 6	81,052 4 3

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1903-1904.

Areas leased for Irrigation up to end of May 1903.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Details of areas leased.							Rainfall, 1903-1904.		Rainfall, 1902-1903.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.					Grand Total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
		Taldanda System ...	1,242	24	.....	41	.....	46,282	.....	.....	26	15	41	46,923	2·53	2·72	3·46	5·44	Average rainfall of Kulsai, Balia, and Jagatsingpur.
		Kendrapara ditto ...	1,935	104	68	.....	16	59,944	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ..	59,944	2·19	2·37	4·18	6·90	Average rainfall of Kendupatna, Marsaghai, Kendrapara, Ichapur, and Nurtang.
		High Level, Range I ...	608	.....	.....	29	8	14,931	.....	.....	19	2	21	14,952	3·26	3·26	.....	.....	Average rainfall of Cuttack and Jenapur.
	Cuttack ...	Ditto, do. II ...	728	3	.....	.....	.....	4,725	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,725	3·50	3·50	3·16	8·69	Average rainfall of Jenapur and Akhoyapada.
		Jajpur Canal	700	.....	.....	51	46	6,664	.....	.....	14	32	46	6,710	3·75	3·75	4·89	7·19	Jajpur.
Orissa ...		Dudhai Channel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	Balasore ...	High Level, Range III ...	728	23	3·11	393	432	34,522	.....	.....	132	166	298	34,820	3·22	3·22	2·91	8·28	Akhoyapada.
		Total ...	.....	.....	.....	514	504	167,068	.....	.....	191	215	406	168,074	.....	.....	.....	.....	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	167,982	.....	.....	246	196	442	168,424	.....	.....	.....	.....	
		Midnapore	1,411	24*	.....	.....	.....	57,152	6,545	.....	.....	.....	6,545	63,697	2·41	3·06	7·22	13·37	Whole month discharging.
	Midnapore ...	Panchkura	522	9*	.....	.....	.....	17,985	31	.....	.....	.....	31	8,016	5·60	5·29	7·11	11·90	12 days' ditto.
South-Western.	Howrah ...	Tidal Reaches, Ranges I & II	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	217	10	.....	.....	.....	10	227	5·46	4·46	8·26	12·55	
		Total ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65,354	6,586*	.....	.....	.....	6,586	71,940	.....	.....	.....	.....	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	63,521	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	63,521	.....	.....	.....	.....	
		Western Main	4,342	648	73	300	970	13,249	.....	.....	.....	260	260	13,509	0·47	0·56	0·20	1·07	
	Shahabad ...	Buxar	1,236	109	97	4,238	5,887	62,213	.....	.....	.....	3,537	3,537	65,750	0·40	0·42	1·26	1·78	
		Arrah	2,000	390	336	13,103	16,320	104,267	.....	.....	.....	12,368	12,368	116,635					
Sone ...	Patna and Gaya.	Eastern Main	1,466	125	124	32	42	2,191	.....	.....	.....	32	32	2,223	0·03	0·03	1·19	1·40	
		Patna				2,630	2,561	56,246	.....	.....	.....	3,216	3,216	59,464					
		Total ...	.....	.....	.....	20,353	25,780	237,166	.....	.....	.....	19,413	19,413	256,581	.....	.....	.....	.....	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	266,663	.....	.....	.....	25,106	25,106	291,769	.....	.....	.....	.....	
		Grand Total ...	.....	.....	.....	20,867	26,284	470,188	6,586	.....	191	19,628	26,405	496,595	.....	.....	.....	.....	
		Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	498,166	.....	.....	246	25,302	25,548	523,714	.....	.....	.....	.....	

* Provisional lease.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 25th July 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 25th July 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 26th July 1902.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	152	29,175	384	320	32,700	403
Jute	13	3,150*	35	29	36,300†	297
Firewood	55	34,475	505	42	22,000	348
Other articles	394	1,15,950	1,200	481	1,07,050	1,141
Total ...	614	1,82,750	2,124	872	1,98,050	2,189

* Weight by canal measurement, 3,950 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 36,600 „

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 19th to 25th July 1903.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing directions.	Miles recorded.		
1903.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.	°	%			Inches.	
July	19th	142·1	4·2	29·525	84·5	87·9	8·2	79·7	81·2	1·016	79·7	88	ESE and SE ...	145	0·45	Chiefly cloudy, p.
,,	20th	141·9	2·0	·563	84·6	88·3	9·6	78·7	81·0	1·014	79·7	85	SE and SSE ...	100	0·72	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p, t.
,,	21st	147·9	6·2	·536	85·5	89·6	10·7	78·9	81·8	1·040	80·4	85	SSE and SSW ...	96	0·10	Partially cloudy, o, d.
,,	22nd	152·2	6·5	·474	85·0	91·9	12·0	79·9	81·6	1·034	80·3	86	ESE, ENE and E	112	0·05	Partially cloudy, o, d, t, p, ∠.
,,	23rd	147·9	7·5	·453	84·2	90·1	11·0	79·1	80·4	0·987	78·6	84	E and ESE ...	222	0·74	Partially cloudy, d, p.
,,	24th	143·7	3·6	·500	83·0	88·9	11·0	77·9	80·1	·989	78·9	87	ESE, SSE and SSW.	130	0·51	Chiefly cloudy, p.
,,	25th	145·1	5·4	·494	82·0	86·9	9·8	77·1	77·7	·893	75·8	82	SSW and S ...	94	0·45	Chiefly cloudy, o.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·506
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·518
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	35·4
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	92·9
	°
The mean temperature of the seven days	84·1
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	83·4
The extreme variation of temperature	14·8
The maximum temperature	91·9
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	14
	%
The mean relative humidity	85
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	86
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 19th to 25th July 1903	3·02
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	2·69
The total fall from 1st January to 25th July 1903	21·43
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	31·38

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

[Rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.]

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder; ', lightning.

N. B.—In the weekly abstract from 28th June to 4th July 1903 read 2·83 for 83 as the total fall of rain from 28th June to 4th July 1903.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 27th July 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,
for Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.

BENGAL-NAGPUR RAILWAY.

Abstract of principal commodities carried during the month of May 1903 as compared with the corresponding period of previous year.

ARTICLES.	1903.		1902.		Total, 1903.	Total, 1902.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.				
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	14	7	11	10	21	21	.....	.....
II.—Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways.	31,072	80,597	26,032	61,835	111,669	88,767	22,902	.....
III.—Cotton—								
(1) Raw	248	1,565	131	483	1,813	894	1,219	.....
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and yarn, European	1	79	2	136	80	138	.....	55
(b) Ditto, Indian .	400	946	249	1,040	1,346	1,288	50	.....
(c) Piece-goods, European ...	271	104	187	96	375	283	92	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian ..	43	226	44	217	268	261	7	.....
(e) Others	.....	.....	1	1	.....	2	.....	2
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre ...	17	7	13	13	24	25	.....	1
V.—Drugs—								
(1) Intoxicating, other than opium.	4	.....	3	1	4	4	.....	.....
(2) Non-intoxicating—								
(a) Medicinal preparations ...	.....	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	2
(b) Others	91	22	34	26	113	63	51	.....
VI.—Dyes and Tans—								
(1) Al (morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(2) Alizarine and aniline dyes ...	1	.....	.....	1	1	1	.....	.....
(3) Cutch	1	5	10	10	6	20	.....	14
(4) Indigo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(5) Myrabolams	2,381	738	2,440	365	3,119	2,805	314	.....
(6) Tanning barks	309	7	21	26	337	48	319	.....
(7) Turmeric	257	319	183	649	576	832	.....	256
(8) Others	64	19	68	259	83	327	.....	244
VII.—Fodder—								
(1) Oilcake	420	25	324	19	445	353	92	.....
(2) Hay, straw and grass	128	29	162	36	157	198	.....	41
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	519	301	540	669	910	1,218	.....	308
IX.—Grain and Pulse—								
(1) Gram and pulse	3,129	1,628	2,107	2,150	4,757	5,257	.....	500
(2) Jawar and bajra	830	182	44	301	1,002	345	657	.....
(3) Rice in the husk	236	2,555	513	5,891	2,891	6,334	.....	3,443
(4) ,, not in the husk	6,767	2,097	6,851	8,024	8,864	14,275	.....	5,411
(5) Wheat	5,347	501	11,605	310	5,848	12,115	.....	6,267
(6) ,, flour	101	58	153	36	239	189	50	.....
(7) Others	97	480	163	1,205	577	1,358	.....	781
X.—Hides and Skins—								
(1) Hides of cattle—								
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	430	630	281	625	1,060	906	154	.....
(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—								
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	3	7	6	9	10	15	.....	5
XI.—Horns	79	7	41	19	86	60	26	.....
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute	102	810	61	878	912	939	.....	27
XIII.—Jute—								
(1) Raw	19	8	32	2	27	34	.....	7
(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	771	205	971	246	976	1,217	.....	241
XIV—Lac	221	701	69	242	922	311	611	.....
XV.—Leather—								
(1) Unwrought ..	69	5	46	1	74	47	27	.....
(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1
XVI.—Liquors—								
(1) Ale and beer	11	97	24	68	108	92	16	.....
(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit and wine.	47	22	38	20	69	58	11	.....
(3) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XVII.—Metals—								
(1) Brass, unwrought	.....	25	.....	37	11	50	11	17
(2) ,, wrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(3) Copper, unwrought	21	2	13	2	23	14	9	.....
(4) ,, wrought ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(5) Iron and Steel—								
(a) Cast	24	.....	4	1	24	5	19	.....
(b) Unwrought ...	.....	.....	1	1	.....	2	.....	2
(c) Wrought	357	949	243	501	1,306	903	303	.....
(d) Manufactures	104	169	122	125	273	247	26	.....
(6) Others	16,381	51	20,363	92	16,432	20,455	.....	4,023
XVIII.—Oils—								
(1) Kerosine	1,335	125	922	154	1,460	1,076	384	.....
(2) Castor	9	95	15	9	104	24	80	.....
(3) Cocoanut	31	19	18	18	50	36	14	.....
(4) Mustard and rape	.....	.....	21	2	.....	23	.....	23
(5) Others	166	16	102	34	182	136	46	.....

ARTICLES.	1903.		1902.		Total, 1903.	Total, 1902.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.				
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
XIX.—Oilseeds—								
(1) Castor	84	704	342	425	788	767	21	.....
(2) Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
(3) Linseed	809	165	880	384	894	1,244	.....	250
(4) Poppy	.....	1	38	5	1	40	.....	39
(5) Rape and mustard	344	184	207	483	528	690	.....	162
(6) Til or jinjili	2,563	610	898	298	3,173	896	2,477	...
(7) Others	304	352	361	313	656	794	.....	68
XX.—Opium	3	.....	12	1	3	13	.....	10
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	32	3	29	67	35	96	.....	61
XXII.—Provisions—								
(1) Dried fruits and nuts	615	182	410	106	797	516	281	.....
(2) Ghee	77	134	29	120	211	149	62	.....
(3) Others	226	211	153	135	437	288	149	.....
XXIII.—Railway plant and rolling-stock carried for the public and foreign railways—								
(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	37	.....	.....	46	37	6	31	.....
(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	226	.....	.....	226	.....	226	.....
(3) Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	29	9	1	16	38	17	21	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3	.....
(c) Others	294	6,600	319	11,583	6,894	11,771	.....	4,947
XXIV.—Salt	4,901	7,986	3,625	7,411	12,887	10,936	1,951	...
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
(1) Saltpetre	.....	4	3	1	4	4	.....	.....
(2) Other saline substances	25	15	37	20	40	57	.....	17
XXVI.—Silk—								
(1) Raw—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	4	9	5	9	13	14	.....	1
(2) Piece-goods—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXVII.—Spices—								
(1) Betelnuts	866	38	381	108	904	489	415	.....
(2) Cardamoms	...	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1
(3) Chillies	109	298	218	353	407	581	.....	174
(4) Ginger	3	1	4	2	4	6	.....	2
(5) Pepper	2	1	3	.....	3	3	.....	.....
(6) Others	408	220	273	40	628	313	315	.....
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	707	2,530	304	3,969	3,265	4,273	.....	1,040
XXIX.—Sugar—								
(1) Refined or crystallized, including sugarcandy.	465	958	319	753	1,423	1,072	351	... ..
(2) Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	2	1	2	.....	3	2	1	.....
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	489	461	944	186	950	1,130	.....	180
XXX.—Tea—								
(1) Foreign	9	10	6	7	19	13	6	.....
(2) Indian								.....
XXXI.—Tobacco—								
(1) Unmanufactured	489	185	396	245	674	641	33	.....
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Cigars	.....	4	2	1	4	3	1	.....
(b) Other sorts	16	9	21	17	25	38	.....	13
XXXII.—Wood—								
(1) Timber, unwrought	1,657	2,119	1,761	2,554	3,776	4,295	.....	519
(2) Manufactured	57	31	54	71	89	125	.....	37
XXXIII.—Wool—								
(1) Raw	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1
(b) Piece-goods, European	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Ditto, Indian	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	.....	2
(d) Other sorts of manufactures	.....	1	.....	1	1	1	.....	.....
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—								
(1) Firewood	1,891	562	1,344	676	2,473	2,020	453	... ..
(2) Bamboos	1,546	612	1,518	753	2,158	2,071	287	.....
(3) Mohs	1,916	1,015	2,398	329	2,931	2,727	204	.....
(4) Others	1,350	1,760	1,078	1,104	3,110	2,182	928	.....
Total	95,456	125,189	94,303	119,636	220,614	213,939	35,895	29,220
Net Increase	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,675	.....

L GREENHAM,
for *Auditor, Bengal-Nagpur Railway.*

CALCUTTA, *the 18th July 1903.*

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of February 1903 compared with the corresponding period in 1902.

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	44	577	43	532	.....	.....	1	55	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	7,329	16,055	7,510	16,154	551	99	.....	.. .	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	88	674	31	441	.....	.....	57	233	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) } Twist and (European	21	139	24	232	3	93	.....	.....	
(b) } yarn. (Indian ...	334	3,474	394	4,703	60	1,229	.....	.....	
(c) } Piece-goods (European	1,257	11,125	1,424	12,870	167	1,745	.....	.....	
(d) } (Indian ...	395	3,057	401	3,198	16	.....	.....	459	
(e) Others	2	15	16	257	14	242	.....	.....	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	34	187	40	179	6	.....	.....	8	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	42	228	18	304	.....	76	24	.....	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	.....	.....	1	21	1	21	.....	.....	
(b) Others	346	2,788	951	6,046	605	3,258	.....	.....	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	4	63	2	28	.....	.....	2	35	
3. Cutch	5	35	5	50	3	15	.....	.....	
4. Indigo	306	2,803	66	538	.....	.....	240	2,264	
5. Myrabolams	5	46	4	62	.....	16	1	.....	
6. Tanning barks	139	1,036	.....	.....	.....	.....	139	1,036	
7. Turmeric	464	3,957	256	1,882	.....	.....	218	1,785	
8. Others	115	479	81	609	.....	130	34	.....	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	402	852	546	1,213	144	361	.....	.....	
2. Hay, straw, and grass ...	901	3,351	523	3,301	.....	50	378	.....	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	491	853	580	1,307	139	453	.....	.....	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse ...	3,073	14,595	5,506	27,218	2,522	12,623	.....	.....	
2. Jawar and bajra ...	888	5,429	165	713	.....	.....	673	3,716	
3. } Rice (in the husk ...	3,490	16,357	6,297	30,091	2,807	5,734	.....	.....	
4. } (not in the husk	16,598	73,277	30,163	1,41,201	13,565	67,924	.....	.....	
5. Wheat	988	4,897	3,122	16,173	2,134	13,276	.....	.....	Due to good crops.
6. Wheat-flour	115	1,010	146	1,251	31	241	....	.....	
7. Makai	8,676	50,370	9,467	47,772	791	.....	.....	2,598	
8. Others	4,001	23,566	4,290	16,818	289	.....	.....	6,748	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	1	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	5	
(b) Raw	604	3,732	813	5,551	209	2,820	.....	.....	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	1	4	1	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Raw	135	811	262	1,757	127	946	.....	.....	
XI.—Horns	18	142	8	62	.....	.....	10	80	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	723	3,350	764	3,908	38	.....	.....	48	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	138	667	294	2,481	256	1,814	.....	.....	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,345	7,110	1,496	9,564	253	2,454	.....	.....	
XIV.—Lac	151	800	110	699	.....	199	41	.....	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	3	26	4	76	1	50	.....	.....	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	47	176	9	55	.....	.....	38	121	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Wine	20	196	17	196	.....	.....	3	2	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	19	123	1	3	.....	.....	18	119	
2. ,, wrought ...	124	990	101	868	.....	.....	23	122	
3. Copper, unwrought ...	.....	.....	1	5	1	5	.....	.....	
4. ,, wrought ...	17	133	11	111	.....	.....	6	22	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	92	575	102	661	10	85	.....	.....	
(b) Unwrought ...	31	119	24	106	.....	.....	7	13	
(c) Wrought	737	4,217	584	3,443	.....	.....	153	772	
(d) Manufactures ...	276	1,591	296	1,888	20	297	.....	.....	
6. Others	213	1,304	172	1,232	.....	.....	41	102	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	1,368	5,284	1,306	6,241	.....	957	62	.....	
2. Castor	14	120	20	114	6	.....	.....	12	
3. Cocoanut	8	43	9	78	1	35	.....	.....	
4. Mustard and rape ...	91	378	56	508	.....	135	41	.....	
5. Others	67	286	13	71	.....	.....	55	151	

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	110	601	799	3,798	689	3,197	.....	.....	
2. Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Linseed	1,240	4,382	1,290	4,922	50	670	.....	.....	
4. Poppy	10	48	46	190	36	142	.....	.....	
5. Rape and mustard	4,672	29,703	6,275	39,483	1,603	9,780	.....	.....	
6. Til or jinjili	209	1,162	111	680	.....	.....	98	482	
7. Others	1,827	8,215	198	853	.....	.....	1,629	7,362	
XX.—Opium	44	371	303	4,097	259	4,468	.....	.....	
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	122	388	141	534	19	146	.....	.....	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts	88	1,031	91	1,057	3	26	.....	.....	
2. Ghee	563	4,272	397	4,258	.....	.....	166	14	
3. Others	1,396	3,821	2,973	8,799	1,576	4,978	.....	.....	Due to good pots to crops and demand.
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	16	40	131	250	115	210	.....	.....	
(c) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXIV.—Salt	11,562	29,337	8,889	36,261	.....	6,924	2,673	.....	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	1,674	5,696	1,468	5,736	.....	40	206	.....	
2. Other saline substances	377	557	339	1,641	.....	1,084	38	.....	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	243	1,963	252	2,254	7	301	.....	.....	
2. Cardamoms	96	1,034	11	156	.....	.....	85	878	
3. Chillies	639	5,896	847	4,127	218	.....	.....	1,769	
4. Ginger	47	428	195	1,947	148	1,519	.....	.....	
5. Pepper	32	294	53	597	21	303	.....	.....	
6. Others	204	2,052	230	2,317	26	265	.....	.....	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	1,167	2,727	899	2,789	.....	62	268	.....	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	1,487	10,203	1,263	8,899	.....	.....	224	1,304	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	434	3,969	1,109	7,648	675	3,679	.....	.....	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	12,123	47,575	12,417	65,781	294	18,206	.....	.....	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Indian	27	203	3	27	.....	.....	25	176	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	589	5,075	494	3,353	.....	.....	95	1,722	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	2	30	27	184	25	155	.....	.....	
(b) Other sorts	81	407	21	155	.....	.....	60	252	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought	530	1,159	1,233	3,030	703	1,871	.....	.....	Due to output from Government and Nepal forests.
2. Logs	730	1,294	930	1,777	200	483	.....	.....	
3. Poles	.....	.....	6	6	6	6	.....	.....	
4. Manufactures	115	912	343	2,404	228	1,492	.....	.....	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	3	31	1	14	.....	.....	2	17	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs	3	34	60	148	57	114	.....	.....	
(b) Piece-goods { European	1	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	9	
(c) Piece-goods { Indian	4	39	3	37	.....	.....	1	2	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	1	11	1	4	.....	.....	.....	7	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	1,672	12,422	1,532	19,298	.....	6,876	40	.....	
2. Firewood	1,654	2,360	1,217	2,048	.....	.....	437	312	
3. Others not specified above.	1,106	40,688	8,152	19,631	7,046	.....	.....	21,167	
Total	1,02,376	4,99,304	1,34,828	6,29,200	40,688	1,82,969	8,236	52,973	

J. Lightfoot,
Chief Auditor.

Gorakhpur, *the 23rd July 1903.*

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in staples carried during the five weeks ending 30th May 1903 as compared with the same period of 1902.

Staples.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accountrements, boots and shoes	13,771	6,471	5,930	6,504	.....	32	7,841	.....
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,40,07,114	19,84,037	1,36,73,487	16,93,035	.....	.....	3,34,027	2,91,002
Cotton—								
(1) Raw	1,19,734	62,924	47,191	34,249	.....	.....	72,543	28,675
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	5,153	4,304	2,954	3,277	.....	.....	2,199	1,327
(b) Ditto, Indian	44,421	15,479	46,120	16,615	1,767	1,336	.....	.....
(c) Piece-goods, European	2,45,382	2,11,569	2,54,356	2,61,736	9,074	50,167	.....	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian	20,361	8,973	28,003	12,423	7,682	3,450	.....	.....
(e) Others	2,713	1,749	3,873	2,427	1,160	678	.....	.....
Chemicals excepting saltpetre	9,789	6,732	8,739	5,204	.....	.....	1,050	1,528
Drugs—								
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	493	435	177	218	.....	.....	316	217
2.—Non-intoxicating	13,962	7,305	7,085	5,561	.....	.....	6,877	1,744
Dyes and Tans—								
1.—Al (Morinda citrifolia)	330	53	214	50	.....	.....	115	2
2.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	553	515	739	554	186	19	.....	.....
3.—Cutch	6,572	2,765	5,407	2,177	.....	.....	1,165	588
4.—Indigo	815	2,441	502	462	.....	.....	313	1,979
5.—Myrabolams	13,697	7,470	22,015	7,496	8,318	26	.....	.....
6.—Tanning barks	11,439	1,439	5,251	608	.....	.....	6,188	831
7.—Turmeric	33,894	24,220	28,024	16,366	.....	.....	5,870	7,854
8.—Others	14,206	4,909	10,364	4,006	.....	.....	3,842	903
Fodder—	1,27,350	24,008	1,18,027	18,854	.....	.....	9,323	5,654
1.—Oilcake	88,956	5,697	83,152	5,963	14,196	266	.....	.....
2.—Hay, straw and grass	20,664	9,935	18,490	7,948	.....	.....	2,174	1,987
Fruits and vegetables, fresh								
Grain and Pulse—	15,65,023	3,29,904	26,01,916	6,37,795	10,36,893	3,04,891	.....	.....
1.—Wheat	88,280	16,593	98,366	23,513	7,086	5,920	.....	.....
2.—Wheat flour	1,06,980	13,855	70,174	8,021	.....	.....	36,706	5,834
3.—Rice in the husk	6,36,620	1,50,694	3,86,931	58,961	.....	.....	2,50,589	91,729
4.—Rice not in the husk	34,549	4,586	21,315	3,203	.....	.....	13,754	1,383
5.—Jowar and bajra	10,98,859	2,58,280	8,58,225	2,05,385	.....	.....	2,40,634	52,895
6.—Gram and pulse	2,40,905	50,873	1,09,387	33,167	.....	.....	1,40,418	17,706
7.—Others								
Hides and Skins—	61,821	25,700	44,129	23,705	.....	.....	17,692	1,995
1.—Hides of cattle	20,002	14,903	24,314	14,618	4,312	.....	.....	285
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	2,032	1,069	793	521	.....	.....	1,239	548
Horns								
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	46,166	6,849	90,421	20,345	44,255	13,496	.....	.....
Jute—	1,08,351	17,117	21,757	5,105	.....	.....	86,594	12,012
1.—Raw	2,05,785	1,14,668	2,35,479	1,34,225	.....	19,557	30,304	.....
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	43,715	13,607	53,464	26,657	9,749	3,220	.....	.....
Lac								
Leather—	2,555	3,406	2,091	3,266	.....	.....	464	140
1.—Unwrought	1,891	2,848	774	701	.....	.....	1,047	2,147
2.—Wrought excepting boots and shoes								
Liquors—	13,536	4,767	19,538	6,508	7,002	1,741	.....	.....
1.—Ale and Beer	1,376	1,063	2,366	1,511	990	452	.....	.....
2.—Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit	3,010	5,425	4,352	4,848	2,316	1,423	.....	.....
3.—Wines								
4.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	509	289	84	94	.....	.....	425	195
Metals—	4,159	751	1,573	1,472	.....	721	1,586	.....
1.—Brass, unwrought	17,135	7,113	21,051	9,374	3,906	2,261	.....	.....
2.— Do., wrought	693	276	1,245	1,122	617	846	.....	.....
3.—Copper, unwrought	5,186	5,452	3,413	2,183	.....	.....	1,773	3,269
4.— Do., wrought								
5.—Iron and steel—	20,855	8,382	24,066	8,183	3,191	.....	.....	199
(a) Cast	53,743	2,901	28,453	3,211	.....	310	25,289	.....
(b) Unwrought	1,29,379	54,627	1,22,538	59,044	.....	4,417	6,453	.....
(c) Wrought	34,974	18,109	29,254	14,013	.....	.....	5,720	1,156
(d) Manufactures of iron and steel	7,178	4,905	3,897	3,032	.....	.....	3,281	2,383
6.—Zinc and spelter	12,803	6,631	12,989	9,429	636	848	.....	.....
7.—Others								
Oils—	1,31,720	65,426	1,78,090	61,519	46,370	.....	.....	3,907
1.—Kerosine	797	142	3,394	1,590	7,497	1,444	.....	.....
2.—Castor	5,929	2,252	6,922	2,220	993	98	.....	.....
3.—Cocoanut	8,813	4,048	13,978	6,165	7,703	1,197	.....	.....
4.—Mustard and rape	5,903	3,061	5,341	2,939	.....	.....	561	122
5.—Others								
Oilseeds—	1,27,670	29,473	1,09,902	24,000	.....	.....	17,968	5,473
1.—Castor	5	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	3
2.—Earthnuts	14,54,711	3,69,049	17,62,516	7,09,349	3,07,805	3,40,300	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	3,14,950	83,304	2,83,796	79,351	.....	.....	31,154	3,953
4.—Poppy	10,31,037	2,37,246	9,13,288	2,17,137	.....	.....	1,17,749	19,107
5.—Rape and mustard	15,923	1,579	20,307	4,598	4,385	3,019	.....	.....
6.—Til or jinjili	1,36,908	30,692	68,693	13,364	.....	.....	34,275	17,438
7.—Others	14,751	7,240	39,451	22,087	24,700	14,847	.....	.....
Opium	30,195	17,824	20,839	16,724	.....	.....	9,357	1,100
Paper and pasteboard								
Provisions—	13,832	5,201	11,867	6,919	.....	1,718	1,965	.....
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	42,134	36,593	41,409	29,377	.....	.....	7,672	7,216
2.—Ghee	1,01,193	60,704	79,215	14,107	.....	.....	21,977	26,597
3.—Potatoes	1,01,553	33,613	1,01,307	20,510	.....	.....	285	7,103
4.—Others								
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	.....	.....	207	2,638	207	2,638	.....	.....
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	946	161	1,299	305	353	214	.....	.....
3.—Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	9,488	3,797	11,108	1,631	1,633	.....	.....	2,176
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Other sorts	2,69,373	60,463	1,79,257	61,293	.....	30,830	1,03,995	.....
Salt	7,28,503	1,30,003	5,40,921	1,15,299	.....	.....	1,86,038	4,704

Staples.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1.—Saltpetre	64,777	26,493	53,933	23,763	.....	.....	10,839	2,730
2.—Other saline substances	45,313	13,412	56,969	14,602	11,656	1,190	.....	.....
Silk—								
1.—*Raw—*								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	365	364	3,525	1,462	3,160	1,098	.....	.....
2.—*Piece-goods—*								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	2,181	1,231	171	232	.....	.....	2,010	999
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	33,709	25,630	37,507	31,020	3,798	7,390	.....	.....
2.—Cardamoms	1,934	1,177	2,336	2,215	342	1,038	.....	.....
3.—Chillies	25,612	20,493	11,799	4,932	.....	..	13,813	15,560
4.—Ginger	1,495	646	2,044	832	549	186	.....	.....
5.—Pepper	2,327	2,342	2,306	2,290	.....	.....	21	52
6.—Others	38,337	20,504	62,813	36,827	24,476	16,323	.....	.....
Stone and lime	13,44,297	1,77,137	6,80,553	89,460	.....	.....	6,63,745	87,677
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	61,008	15,535	63,764	22,199	2,756	6,664	.	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	2,56,386	42,097	1,90,426	43,825	.....	1,728	65,960	.....
(b) *Gur*, rab, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce ...	2,27,042	42,464	2,66,928	44,211	39,886	1,747	.....	.....
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	4,612	2,425	2,283	1,787	.....	.....	2,329	638
Tobacco	2,56,404	90,439	1,82,685	48,535	.....	.....	1,33,719	41,894
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	1,14,066	29,787	1,61,882	19,005	47,816	.....	.....	10,782
2.—Manufactures	15,763	7,409	16,233	5,393	2,470	.....	.....	2,016
Wool—								
1.—Raw	5,681	5,383	2,494	1,617	.....	.....	3,187	3,766
2.—Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	1,067	1,529	1,786	2,404	719	875	.....	.....
(b) Piece-goods, European	.....	.....	151	76	151	76	.....	.....
(c) Ditto, Indian	327	483	744	945	417	462	.....	.....
(d) Other sorts of manufactures ...	1,281	819	1,556	831	275	12	.....	.....
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Bones	1,68,082	33,535	78,675	13,979	.....	.....	89,977	20,556
2.—Firewood	70,682	5,312	84,223	6,574	13,541	1,262	.....	.....
3.—Indigo seed	6,270	3,090	3,000	464	.....	.....	3,270	2,626
4.—Paints and colours	3,353	1,746	1,358	656	.....	.....	1,997	1,092
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	6,416	4,211	8,980	2,479	2,564	.....	.....	1,732
6.—Others	6,96,449	1,19,561	16,37,904	1,48,001	9,42,455	28,490	.....	.....
Total ...	2,74,50,188	53,49,935	2,73,23,128	54,06,498	.....	56,557	2,27,060	.....
Military stores	17,921	30,773	29,834	42,514	11,913	5,741	.....	.....
Coal for railway	15,67,413	1,23,127	14,41,536	1,13,652	.....	.....	1,25,877	9,475
Railway materials	35,70,673	98,132	16,33,817	75,067	.....	.....	17,37,056	20,065
Live-stock	.....	11,955	.....	1,405	.....	.....	.....	10,552
Total ...	3,24,06,395	56,19,923	3,03,28,315	55,42,138	.....	23,206	20,68,080	.....

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Traffic Audit Office, Goods Division, Calcutta, *the 25th June 1903.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 11 days of July 1903 on 1,926·13 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	705,575	5,96,640 0 0	65,12,883 0	11,56,402 0 0	45,553 0 0	17,98,595 0 0	176,590	239,896	416,486
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	309 12 2	... ..	600 6 0	23 10 5	933 12 7	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year.	.....	.....	.. .	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1½ weeks ...	705,575	5,96,640 0 0	65,12,883 0	11,56,402 0 0	45,553 0 0	17,98,595 0 0	176,590	239,896	416,486
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 12 days of July of previous year.	716,603	6,65,786 13 3	86,38,982 0	14,63,289 7 1	31,610 14 4	21,60,687 2 8	186,863	322,713	509,575
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	347 15 9	.....	764 12 11	16 8 4	1,129 5 0	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 1½ weeks of previous year.	716,603	6,65,786 13 3	86,38,982 0	14,63,289 7 1	31,610 14 4	21,60,687 2 8	186,863	322,713	509,575

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,926·13	11 days of July. ...	705,575	5,96,640	65,12,883	11,56,402	45,553	17,98,595	934	416,486	4 5 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

1,913·26	12 days of July ..	No. of Passengers. 716,603	Rs. 6,65,787	Mds. 86,38,982	Rs. 14,63,289	Rs. 31,611	Rs. 21,60,687	Rs. 1,129	No. 509,575	Rate. Rs. A. P. 4 3 0

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 11 days of July 1903, on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period	47,000	13,069 0 0	14,677 0	631 0 0	13 0 0	13,713 0 0	1,737	269	1,936
Or per mile of railway	.....	543 14 8	.....	26 6 2	0 8 7	571 13 5	.....	.....	...
For previous weeks of half-year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Total for 2½ weeks ...	47,000	13,069 0 0	14,677 0	631 0 0	13 0 0	13,713 0 0	1,737	269	7,936
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 12 days of July of previous year ...	40,961	10,020 1 6	72,606 30	1,574 2 0	9 12 3	11,603 15 9	1,845	223	2,068
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year	.....	450 11 11	.....	70 13 0	0 7 0	521 15 11	.....	.....	...
Total for corresponding 1½ weeks of previous year	40,961	10,020 1 6	72,606 30	1,574 2 0	9 12 3	11,603 15 9	1,845	223	2,068

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P.
22·23	11 days of July ...	47,000	12,069	14,677	631	12	12,712	572	1,936	6 9 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	12 days of July ...	40,661	10,020	72 607	1,574	10	11,604	522	2,068	5 9 9

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 11 days of July 1903 on 162·24 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period	35,731	30,852 0 0	1,06,755 0	14,526 0 0	61 0 0	45,439 0 0	15,073	5,644	20,717
Or per mile of railway	...	190 2 7	.....	89 8 7	0 6 0	280 1 2	...	...	..
For previous weeks of half-year ...	...	.....	. . ..	.....	.....	...	...	...	...
Total for 1½ weeks ...	35,731	30,852 0 0	1,06,755 0	14,526 0 0	61 0 0	45,439 0 0	15,073	5,644	20,717
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 12 days of July of previous year.	40,898	32,090 5 1	1,48,493 30	19,646 11 0	93 9 0	51,830 9 1	14,518	8,265	22,783
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	...	197 12 9	.....	121 1 6	0 9 8	319 7 6	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 1½ weeks of previous year.	40,898	32,090 5 1	1,48,493 30	19,646 11 0	93 9 0	51,830 9 1	14,518	8,265	22,783

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage	
		Number of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	11 days of July ...	35,731	30,852	1,06,755	14,526	61	45,439	280	20,717	2 3 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		Number of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	12 days of July ...	40,898	32,090	1,48,494	19,647	94	51,831	319	22,783	2 4 1

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 11 days of July 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	21,410	11,920 0 0	50,022 0	2,896 0 0	59 0 0	14,875 0 0	2,980	1,363	4,343
Or per mile of railway	.....	151 5 6	.....	36 12 4	0 12 0	188 12 10	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1½ weeks ...	21,410	11,920 0 0	50,022 0	2,896 0 0	59 0 0	14,875 0 0	2,980	1,363	4,343
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 12 days of July of previous year ...	23,554	12,210 9 6	70,807 0	4,577 8 0	39 15 6	16,833 1 0	3,260	1,631	4,961
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year ...	.....	155 0 7	.....	58 1 11	0 8 1	213 10 7	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 1½ weeks of previous year ...	23,554	12,210 9 6	70,807 0	4,577 8 0	39 15 6	16,833 1 0	3,260	1,631	4,961

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		Number of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	11 days of July ...	21,410	11,920	50,022	2,896	59	14,875	189	4,343	3 3 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

78·76	12 days of July ...	No. of Passengers. 23,554	Rs. 12,211	Mds. 70,807	Rs. 4,577	Rs. 40	Rs. 16,833	Rs. 214	No. 4,961	Rate. Rs. A. P. 3 6 3

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 11 days of July 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the first 11 days of July 1903	76,807	26,092 0 0	66,896 0	5,235 0 0	586 0 0	31,903 0 0	7,988	3,966	11,954
Or per mile of railway per week...	376	127 0 0†	315 0	24 0 0	3 0 0	154 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 2 weeks ...	76,807	26,092 0 0	66,896 0	5,235 0 0	586 0 0	31,903 0 0	7,988	3,966	11,954
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding first 11 days of previous year	76,087	27,083 0 0	60,560 0	5,571 0 0	1,068 0 0	34,022 0 0	6,927	5,013	11,940
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	341	123 0 0†	264 0	25 0 0	4 0 0	151 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	76,087	27,083 0 0	60,560 0	5,571 0 0	1,068 0 0	34,022 0 0	6,927	5,013	11,940

† Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for first 11 days of July 1903 on 622 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the 11 days ...	50,916	29,603 0 0	3,45,587 0	28,381 0 0	5,224 0 0	63,208 0 0	11,102	15,339	26,441
Or per mile of railway	81·86	47·59	557·46	44·41	8·13	99·85	17·85	23·86	41·71
For previous weeks of half-year	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 2 weeks ...	50,916	29,603 0 0	3,45,587 ·0	28,381 0 0	5,224 0 0	63,208 0 0	11,102	15,339	26,441
Comparison.									
Total for first 12 days of previous year	54,929	32,319 0 0	2,94,536 0	25,007 0 0	2,846 0 0	60,174 0 0	11,552	13,631	25,173
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	98·44	57·92	500·06	42·46	4·84	105·22	20·70	23·13	43 83
Total to corresponding date of previous year	54,929	32,319 0 0	2,94,536 0	25,007 0 0	2,846 0 0	60,174 0 0	11,552	13,631	25,173

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for first 11 days of July 1903.			Receipts for first 12 days of July 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 11th July 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 12th July 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	63,208	99·85	589	60,174	105·22	643	5,64,064	...	589	5,14,632	...	49,432	.....

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 11 days of July 1903 on 1,331 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the period (11 days) on 1,331 miles open ...	363,660	1,86,810	12,03,030	1,32,910	31,990	(a)3,01,710	64,899	(b)49,541	114,440
Or per mile of railway	273·37	102·79	903·85	99·86	24·03	226·68	.....	.....	.....
For previous nil weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for the period ...	363,660	1,86,810	12,03,030	1,32,910	31,990	3,01,710	64,899	49,541	114,440
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period (12 days) of previous year on 1,261 miles open	331,076	1,45,636	10,65,901	1,31,948	26,426	3,04,010	72,934	(c)45,506	118,440
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	259·63	115·49	845·36	104·64	20·96	241·09	.....	.....	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	331,076	1,45,636	10,65,901	1,31,948	26,426	3,04,010	72,934	45,506	118,440

(a) In the corresponding period of 1902, there was one day more than in current period.
(b) Includes 7,607 miles of Ballast Trains.
(c) Includes nil miles of Ballast Trains.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(WORKED BY THE B. & N.-W. RAILWAY.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the period (11 days) on 18 miles open	2,308	356	15,378	227	20	673	609	183	792
Or per mile of railway ...	128·22	19·78	854·33	16·50	1·11	37·39	.....	.....	.....
For previous nil weeks of half-year	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for the period ...	2,308	356	15,378	227	20	673	609	183	792
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period (12 days) of previous year on 18 miles open	3,763	390	22,909	466	6	862	604	239	864
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	209 06	21·67	1,272·72	25·89	0·33	47·89	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,736	390	22,909	466	6	862	604	249	864

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(WORKED BY THE B. & N.-W. RAILWAY.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the week ending 6th June 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	2,736	441 11 0	15,915	855 3 0	41 0 0	1,037 13 0	349	155	504
Or per mile of railway ...	152·00	24 8 3	885 83	30 13 5	2 4 5	57 10 6	.....	.....	.....
For previous 21½ weeks of half-year	45,192	10,472 12 11	3,98,577	10,070 6 0	517 2 0	21,060 4 11	6,613	4,349	10,962
Total for 23½ weeks ...	47,928	10,914 7 11	4,14,492	10,925 9 0	558 2 0	22,096 1 11	6,962	4,504	11,466
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,406	360 5 0	26,498	867 4 6	15 1 0	942 10 6	325	175	500
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	133·67	20 0 3	1,472·11	31 8 3	0 13 5	52 5 11	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	56,925	10,003 13 0	2,89,180	7,374 1 1	341 0 0	18,217 13 1	6,611	3,901	11,512

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 18th July 1903 ...	Coaching ...	7,941 0 0	20,739 0 0
	Goods ...	12,749 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	49 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	13,796 0 0	22,010 0 0
	Goods ...	8,167 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	47 0 0	
	Decrease ...		1,271 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 18th July 1903			406 10 4
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902			431 9 1
	Decrease ...		24 14 9
Receipts from 1st July to 18th July 1903			43,357 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902			44,025 0 0
	Decrease ...		768 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3381A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3324A.—The 1st August 1903.*—Babu Jnanendra Nath Choudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Monghyr district.

Monghyr.

No. 3326A.—The 1st August 1903.—Babu Basanta Krishna Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3353A.—The 3rd August 1903.—Mr. Ambica Charan Sen, District and Sessions Judge, Bankura, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Burdwan, during the Civil Court vacation in September and October 1903. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. F. R. Roe.

Bankura. Burdwan.

No. 3359A.—The 4th August 1903.—The Hon'ble Mr. L. P. Shirres, Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial and Municipal Departments, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 10th May 1903, *vice* Mr. E. N. Baker, C.S.I.

Calcutta.

POLICE.—*No. 3295A.—The 31st July 1903.*—The following Assistant Superintendents of Police, second grade, on probation, are confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 7th May 1903:—

Mr. R. Clarke. | Mr. C. W. T. Feilman.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3299A.—The 31st July 1903.*—The Revd. H. B. Cogan, Chaplain of Dum-Dum, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Junior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 15th July 1903.

24-Parganas. Calcutta.

No. 3361A.—The 4th August 1903.—The undermentioned Reverend gentlemen of the German Evangelical Lutheran Mission residing at Kumarkela, in the Native State of Gangpur, in Chota Nagpur, are authorised, under section 9 of Act XV of 1872, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians in the Native State of Gangpur in Chota Nagpur:—

Chota Nagpur.

(1) The Revd. August Koeppen. | (2) The Revd. Carl Pope.

No. 3369A.—The 4th August 1903.—The Revd. W. K. Firminger, Chaplain of St. Stephen's Church, Kidderpore, is also appointed to be Chaplain of the Presidency General Hospital, with effect from the 1st July 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may have taken over charge of the latter appointment.

Kidderpore. Calcutta.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3281A.—The 30th July 1903.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 45 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), and the orders issued thereunder, and with the previous sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to nominate Babu Kali Pada Ghosh, M.A., B.L., to be a member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, with effect from the 1st August 1903.

Council.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3314A.—The 31st July 1903.*—The following officers are appointed to act in the second grade of District and Sessions Judges until further orders:—

Mr. Lokendronath Palit, with effect from the afternoon of the 20th January 1903, *vice* Mr. W. H. Lee, on combined leave.

Mr. Syud Nurul Huda, with effect from the afternoon of the 8th March 1903, *vice* Mr. Ambika Charan Sen, on privilege leave.

No. 3317A.—The 31st July 1903.—Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, District and Sessions Judge, Bhagalpur, acted in the second grade of District and Sessions Judges from the afternoon of the 26th March 1903, *vice* Mr. A. Goodeve, on combined leave, up to the 15th May 1903, and again from the afternoon of the 16th May 1903, *vice* Mr. F. S. Hamilton, on privilege leave, up to the 12th July 1903.

Bhagalpur.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3311A.—The 31st July 1903.*—Mr. E. A. Gait, I.C.S., is allowed combined leave for one year and three months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th August 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

No. 3340A.—The 3rd August 1903.—Mr. W. S. Coutts, I.C.S., has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India extraordinary leave for three days without pay in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 28th March 1903.

POLICE.—*No. 3357A.—The 4th August 1903.*—Mr. J. E. Armstrong, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Jalpaiguri, was on leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the afternoon of the 27th May 1903 to the forenoon of the 13th June 1903.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 3020J.—The 4th August 1903.—Mr. H. G. Haultain, Officiating Superintendent, Calcutta Police, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Calcutta.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3336A.—The 3rd August 1903.*—Mr. F. G. Wigley, Secretary to the Bengal Council and Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department, is allowed leave for two months and twenty-six days, under articles 654 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th August 1903.

Calcutta.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—*No. 3371A.—The 4th August 1903.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Francis Alexander Slacke of his office of Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

The following orders are republished from the *Assam Gazette*:—

No. 6636G.—The 28th July 1903.—Privilege leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, is granted to Mr. E Muspratt, District Superintendent of Police, Darrang, with effect from the 26th August 1903.

No. 6792G.—The 30th July 1903.—In General Department Notification No. 5328G., dated the 12th June 1903, granting six weeks' privilege leave to Mr. B. B. Newbould, I.C.S., published at page 333 of Part I of the *Assam Gazette* of the 13th *idem*, *for* the words "6th July 1903, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it," *read* "5th July 1903."

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2452(For).—The 3rd August 1903.—The services of Mr. E. R. Stevens, Assistant Conservator of Forests, first grade, and Officiating Deputy Conservator of Forests, fourth grade, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Revenue and Agricultural Department, for employment in the United Provinces, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of the charge of the Singhbhum Forest Division.

Singhbhum.

No. 2453(For).—The 3rd August 1903.—Mr. H. K. Robinson, Assistant Conservator of Forests, attached to the Darjeeling Forest Division, is transferred and placed in charge of the Singhbhum Forest Division, during Mr. Stevens's absence on deputation to the United Provinces, or until further orders.

Darjeeling.
Singhbhum.

No. 2415O.—The 1st July 1903.—It is hereby declared that a competitive examination for four appointments in the Opium Department will be held in February 1904. At this examination only such European and Eurasian candidates as have been nominated by the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal and the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, each of whom is authorised to make as many nominations as he considers necessary or desirable, subject to ultimate approval by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, will be permitted to present themselves.

It must be clearly understood by competitors that the candidates who may be declared successful will not be entitled to obtain permanent appointments in the grade of Assistant Opium Agents, until permanent vacancies occur in that grade, nor until they have complied with the conditions of rule 12, but it is the intention of Government to appoint them at once to duty in the Department as Officiating Assistant Opium Agents on a salary of Rs. 140 a month each. If within two years of their appointment they succeed in passing the departmental examinations, and are well reported on, and there are vacancies in the Department at the time, they will be appointed on a salary of Rs. 200 per mensem each. Their pay thereafter will rise, with length of service, according to the following scale and the rules governing service in the Department:—

Years of service	Pay.
	Rs.
1, 2, 3	200
4, 5, 6	250
7, 8, 9, 10	300
11, 12, 13, 14	400
15, 16, 17, 18, 19	500
20, 21, 22, 23, 24	600

After 24 years' service all increases of pay will depend upon the occurrence of vacancies in the four highest grades of Sub-Deputy Opium Agents, viz., 4th grade on Rs. 700, 3rd grade on Rs. 800, 2nd grade on Rs. 900, and 1st grade on Rs. 1,000. Should a successful candidate not be provided with a permanent appointment within two years of his appointment, he will draw a personal pay of Rs. 170 a month, provided he has fully passed his departmental examinations and is well reported on.

2. A certificate of health and physical fitness, signed by a covenanted medical officer in the form given in the margin, will be required from each candidate, who should also furnish a copy of his baptismal certificate, in the absence of which sufficient evidence as to age should be forwarded with the application for admission to the examination. No one whose age will be below 19 years on the 1st February, 1904, or above 22 years on the 1st March, 1904, will be permitted to appear.

I do hereby certify that I have examined Mr. , a candidate for employment in the Opium Department, and that he has no disease, affection, or bodily infirmity, and is, in my opinion, possessed of a robust constitution, well fitted for the performance of the duties appertaining to such an appointment. His age is, according to his own statement, years and by appearance years.

Signature.
Description.

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3. A certificate that the candidate is able to ride and is of active habits, signed by a District Magistrate or by a Presidency Magistrate or the Commissioner of Police, in the case of applicants residing in Presidency towns, should also be submitted.

4. Applications for nominations by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, accompanied by the necessary certificates, must be sent to the Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Revenue Department, on or before the 1st January, 1904. Such applicants as are granted nominations will receive an intimation to that effect, and be required to pay a fee of Rs. 20 before they can appear at the examination. The fee is payable to the Under-Secretary aforesaid.

5. The examination will be held in Calcutta: the date and place of the examination and the order in which the different subjects will be taken up will be notified hereafter to such candidates as are allowed to present themselves at the competition.

6. The examination will be by written questions and answers and *viva voce*.

The subjects of examination and the number of marks to be allotted will be as follows :—

	Marks.
I.—Preliminary—	
(1) Dictation	100
(2) English composition (*i.e.*, essay or *précis*-writing) ...	100
(3) Arithmetic (the whole)	100
II.—Obligatory—	
(4) Algebra (up to and including Quadratic Equations) and Plane Trigonometry (including solution of triangles and mensuration)	100
(5) Euclid, Books I, II, III, IV and VI	100
*(6) English History	100
*(7) Indian History	100
(8) English Literature	100
(9) Hindustani—	
Urdu.—Translation of easy passages from English into Urdu; reading at sight from a book, such as the Bagh-o-Bahar; conversation. *Hindi.*—Translation of some piece into Hindi character; reading at sight from a printed book, such as the Baital Pachisi.	150
III.—Optional—	
(10) Latin (200) and French (150)	350
or	
(11) Botany (150) and Chemistry (150)	300

No text-books are prescribed for the different subjects, except for the subjects included in No. (11)—Botany and Chemistry. The text-books for these subjects are—

(*a*) Oliver's First Book of Indian Botany.
(*b*) Inorganic Chemistry, Theoretical and Practical, by W. Jago.

7. No books of any kind will be allowed at the time of examination.

8. Candidates who fail to obtain half the marks in each and all of the three subjects of the preliminary examination shall not be allowed to proceed further with the examination in the remaining subjects. The examination in the obligatory and optional subjects will not be held until the papers of the preliminary examination have been examined and marked, for which an interval of a day or two will ordinarily be allowed to the Examiners, and a list of the candidates successful in the preliminary examination will be published forthwith at the place of the examination.

9. In the obligatory subjects each candidate must obtain at least one-third of the marks allotted to each paper to be considered to have passed in that paper and half of the marks in the aggregate. Should no candidate obtain the minimum of qualifying marks according to this standard, the appointment will be made by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in such way as may be deemed proper.

10. The candidates will only be allowed to take up either, but not both, of the groups of the optional subjects, and the marks obtained will count towards the aggregate total.

The candidates must state in their applications which of the groups they will take up.

* Questions on these subjects may also include questions relating to the geography of these countries.

11. The candidates will be placed in order of precedence according to the aggregate number of marks obtained by them and the appointment will be made accordingly.

12. Candidates appointed to the Opium Department after examination, will be considered as probationers for the first two years of their service. The confirmation of a candidate in the Department will depend on his passing the departmental examinations and on the periodical reports submitted by the Opium Agents, showing the industry and intelligence with which he discharges his duties and his aptitude for service in the Department as displayed during the period of probation. He will be liable to be removed if he fails to pass all examinations within this period, or if his conduct is unsatisfactory and he is reported to be unfit for confirmation.

No. 2448-Opium—The 1st August 1903.—Mr C. F. Russell, Assistant Opium Agent, Shahjehanpur, Benares Opium Agency, is granted combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave for one month and fourteen days, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 338 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 2nd September 1903, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Shahjehanpur. (Benares Agency).

No. 2449-O.—The 1st August 1903.—Mr. G. O'B. Power, Assistant Factory Superintendent, Ghazipur, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 3rd August 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Ghazipur. Nawabganj.

Mr. H. A. Jones, Assistant Opium Agent, Nawabganj, is appointed to act as Assistant Factory Superintendent, Ghazipur, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. G. O'B. Power.

No. 2431L.R.—The 31st July 1903.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 10 of the Sonthal Parganas Settlement Regulation, III of 1872, and section 30 of the Sonthal Parganas Rent Regulation, II of 1886, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following revised rule should be substituted for rule XXVII of the rules for the conduct of settlement operations in the Sonthal Parganas, published with notification No. 1967L.R., dated the 10th April 1900, in Part I, pages 344 to 346 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, as amended by notification No. 365T R., dated the 3rd May 1902, published in Part I, page 600 of the same Gazette of the 7th idem:—

Sonthal Parganas.

"During the pendency of settlement proceedings all suits of the kind specified in section 5, Regulation III of 1872, shall be heard and determined by the officers appointed under section 2 of Act XXXVII of 1855, and by the officers of settlement appointed under section 10 of Regulation III of 1872, respectively, in accordance with the following rules; and the Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner, the Settlement Officer and the Subdivisional Officers, within whose jurisdiction the settlement is carried on, are hereby vested with the appellate and revisional powers specified in the said rules:—

(1) All pending suits, except suits for arrears of rent, shall be transferred to the Settlement Officer for disposal.

(2) All suits instituted after the area is notified for settlement, except suits for arrears of rent, shall be filed before the Settlement Officer, who will either try them himself or make them over to his assistants for trial.

(3) The Settlement Officer may, with the consent of the Deputy Commissioner, make over any case or class of cases for trial to the ordinary Courts having jurisdiction.

(4) Suits for arrears of rent instituted after the area is notified for settlement will be filed before and decided by the ordinary Courts having jurisdiction. If, however, in the course of trying a rent suit, it appears that the rate of rent or the area of the holding or the nature of the tenancy is in dispute, the trying court shall transfer the case to the Settlement Officer for disposal.

If application be made for eviction in execution of any decree for arrears of rent, the case will be made over to the Settlement Officer, whether execution proceedings were taken in the first place either before or after the area was declared under settlement.

(5) In cases tried by Sonthal Courts, the ordinary course of appeal will be followed as laid down in Regulation V of 1893.

If an Assistant Settlement Officer decides the case, there will be an appeal to the Settlement Officer, and if the Settlement Officer decides the case, there will be an appeal to the Commissioner. When the Settlement Officer differs from the Assistant Settlement Officer on appeal, there will be a second appeal to the Commissioner.

In other cases the order of the appellate court shall not be subject to further appeal, but the Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner, or the Settlement Officer may, of his own motion or otherwise, call for the record of any case decided by a Court under his control, in which an appeal does not lie, or in which, for cause shown to his satisfaction, an appeal has not been preferred within the limit of time prescribed in the succeeding rule, and may pass such orders as he thinks fit.

(6) All appeals must be presented within one month from the date of the decision appealed against."

No. 2432L.R.—The 31st July 1903.—The officers named below are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the districts of Bhagalpur and Purnea, with effect from the dates noted against their names:—

Bhagalpur. Purnea.

1.	Babu Hemanta Kumar Sen	...	2nd January 1903.
2.	,, Sital Prasad ...	...	2nd ,, ,,
3.	,, Sukumar Sen ...	...	2nd ,, ,,
4.	,, Dhanukdhari Lal ...	...	2nd ,, ,,
5.	,, Upendra Nath Mukerjea	...	2nd ,, ,,
6.	Maulvi Zahural Hussein	...	2nd ,, ,,
7.	,, Amirul Hussein ...	..	2nd ,, ,,
8.	Babu Bishun Lal ...	...	10th ,, ,,
9.	,, Shashi Bhusan Ghose ...	...	15th ,, ,,
10.	,, Chandra Madhab Prasad	...	17th ,, ,,
11.	Maulvi Abdul Latiff ...	...	23rd ,, ,,

No. 2474L.R.—The 3rd August 1903.—Babu Surendra Nath Chakravarti, Deputy Collector, employed on partition work in the district of Jessore, is allowed privilege leave for three weeks, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 2228L.R., dated the 21st July 1903.

Jessore.

[Second Publication.]

No. 2209(Mis.)—The 20th July 1903.—Ram Das Hazra, late a muharrir of the Burdwan Collectorate, having been dismissed from Government service is debarred from re-employment in any capacity under Government.

Burdwan.

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3455S.R.—The 29th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that in modification of the orders contained in rule 37 of the rules framed under sections 9, 105, and 130 of the Sea Customs Act, which were published under Notification No. 1390T.—F., dated 6th July 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor intends to increase the pay of the peons employed in inland bonded warehouses in Bengal from Rs. 6 to Rs. 7 per mensem, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within six weeks from the date of the publication of this notification.

No. 3494S.R.—The 4th August 1903.—Babu Basanta Coomar Raha, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax, in the district of Bankura, *vice* Babu Nagendranath Dutto, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Bankura.

L. P. SHIRRES,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2269Med.—The 4th August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 32 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to vest in the Commissioners of the Nawabganj Municipality, in the district of Malda, the control and administration of the public dispensary and the school situated within the jurisdiction of the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Malda.

L. P. SHIRRES,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3382A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3343A.—The 3rd August 1903.—Babu Gopi Krishna Banerjee, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Shahabad, is appointed temporarily to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Saran.

Shahabad.

No. 3355A.—The 4th August 1903.—In supersession of the order of the 25th July 1903, Babu Brajendra Kumar Biswas, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Lakhmipur, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Girindra Lal Roy, or until further orders.

Noakhali.

No. 2807J.—The 29th July 1903.—Munshi Jamaludin Mohamad is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Kendrapara, in the district of Cuttack.

Cuttack.

No. 2983J.—The 3rd August 1903.—Babu Lalit Mohan Bose is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Bhola, in the district of Backergunge.

Backergunge.

No. 3046J.—The 4th August 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Benches mentioned opposite their names in the district of Burdwan:—

Burdwan.

Babu Gopal Chandra Mitter	Asansol Bench.	Independent
„ Manmatha Nath Roy		
Maulvi Asimuddin		
Babu Umesh Chandra Mukerjee	Raniganj Bench.	Independent
Kumar Pramatha Nath Malia		
Babu Mrittunjay Chatterjee		
„ Bipin Behari Banerjee		
„ Gosta Behari Lal Singh		
Rev. Ashu Tosh Banerjee		
Babu Kedar Nath Sen	Kalna Bench.	Independent
„ Utanka Lal Mukerjee		
„ Isaneswar Bhattacharjee		
Babu Nilratan Mukerjee	Katwa Bench.	Independent
Maulvi Mahmood Ahmad	Sadar Bench.	Independent
Chaudhuri Afzal Rabie		

LEAVE.

No. 3322A.—The 1st August 1903.—Babu Bipin Behari Mukerji, Small Cause Court Judge of Dacca and Munshiganj, is allowed leave for two days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 20th June 1903.

Dacca.

No. 3374A.—The 29th July 1903.—Babu Gopal Krishna Ghose, Munsif of Contai, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th July 1903.

Midnapore.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 2812J.—The 29th July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Braja Sundar Mardaraj of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Kendrapara Independent Bench, in the district of Cuttack.

Cuttack.

No. 2910J.—The 31st July 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Jyot Kumar Mukerjee of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Serampore Independent Bench, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 3061J.—The 4th August 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Kripa Nath Dutt of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipal Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 3301A.—The 31st July 1903.—Babu Annadananda Sen, Deputy Magistrate, employed as Manager of the Jaipur Government Estates, in the district of Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Bogra.

No. 3367A.—The 4th August 1903.—Babu Manmatha Nath Sen, Deputy Magistrate, Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Dacca.

No. 3375A.—The 4th August 1903.—Babu Kshitish Chunder Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate, Pabna, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Pabna.

No. 2808J.—The 29th July 1903.—Munshi Jamaludin Mohamad, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Kendrapara, in the district of Cuttack, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Cuttack.

No. 2810J.—The 29th July 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Munshi Jamaludin Mohamad, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Kendrapara, in the district of Cuttack, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Cuttack.

No. 2835J.—The 31st July 1903.—Babu Uma Charan Kar, Munsif, Dacca, is vested, under article 8 of the second schedule of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, IX of 1887, with power to try, under the Small Cause Court Procedure, suits, not exceeding Rs. 50 in value, for the recovery of rents of homestead lands situated within the town of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 2984J.—The 3rd August 1903.—Babu Lalit Mohan Bose, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Bhola, in the district of Backergunge, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Backergunge.

No. 2986J.—The 3rd August 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Lalit Mohan Bose, who has been appointed to be Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Bhola, in the district of Backergunge, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Backergunge.

No. 3027J.—The 4th August 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Tarini Charan Lahiri, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Goalundo, in the district of Faridpur, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Faridpur.

No. 3047J.—The 4th August 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Benches mentioned opposite their names, in the district of Burdwan, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Burdwan.

Babu Gopal Chandra Mitter	Asansol Bench.	Independent
„ Manmatha Nath Roy		
Maulvi Asimuddin		
Babu Umesh Chandra Mukerjee	Raniganj Bench.	Independent
Kumar Pramatha Nath Malia		
Babu Mrittunjay Chatterjee		
„ Bipin Behari Banerjee		
„ Gosta Behari Lal Singh		
Rev. Ashu Tosh Banerjee		
Babu Kedar Nath Sen	Kalna Bench.	Independent
„ Utanka Lal Mukerjee		
„ Isaneswar Bhattacharjee		
Babu Nilratan Mukerjee	Katwa Bench.	Independent
Maulvi Mahmood Ahmad	Sadar Bench.	Independent
Chaudhuri Afzal Rabie		

Babu Gopal Chandra Mitter, an Hohorary Magistrate of the Asansol Independent Bench, in the district of Burdwan, is authorized to act singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the Subdivisional Officer.

Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Umesh Chandra Mukerjee, an Honorary Magistrate of the Raniganj Independent Bench, in the district of Burdwan, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No 3059J.—The 4th August 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Lal Babu, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Gaya, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Gaya.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3008J.—The 3rd August 1903.—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Mazharul Huq, authorising him to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within the police-stations of Barasat, Naihati, Habra and Deganga, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 3009J.—The 3rd August 1903.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Mazharul Huq, appointing him Kazi of thanas Barasat, Naihati, Habra and Deganga, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

24-Parganas.

No. 3011J.—The 3rd August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor, in pursuance of the power conferred on him by section 34 of Act V of 1861 (an Act for the Regulation of police), authorises the extension of the said section to the Municipality of Nawabganj, in the district of Malda.

Malda.

[Second Publication]

No. 2780J.—The 28th July 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of Bengal Act II of 1867 (an Act to provide for the punishment of public gambling and the keeping of common gaming-houses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend all the sections of that Act to the Municipalities of Jamalpur, Sherpur, Tangail, Netrakona, Kishorganj and Bajitpur, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 15th August 1903.

Mymensingh.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PROCLAMATION.

No. 3086J.—The 4th August 1903.—In accordance with a proclamation No. 2827J.—D., dated the 22nd September 1902, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, additional police were appointed for a period of one year in the villages of Galua, Kaibartakhali and Sripur in outpost Rajapur, police-station Jhalakati, in the district of Backergunge. Under section 15 of Act V of 1861 (as amended by Act VIII of 1895), the Lieutenant-Governor now declares that the proclamation shall remain in force, and that the additional police appointed thereunder shall remain quartered in the aforesaid villages for a further period of one year, with effect from the 22nd September 1903.

Backergunge.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 4th August 1903.

No. 108.—Mr. E. E. Desbruslais, Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, Upper Rajshahi Division, is granted privilege leave for one month, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th July 1903, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The 31st July 1903.

No. 149C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for the Naraingurh Inspection Bungalow, in the village of Kushbahar, pargana Naraingurh, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 bighas 8 cottahs 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the lakheraj land of Shaik Tofozal Hussen, on the east by Jagannath roadside land, on the south by the mâl lands held by Dalil Shaik and Samir

Shaik and the lakheraj lands of Shaik Tofozal Hussen, and on the west by the lakheraj lands of Tofozal Hussen and Nilamber Roy, is required within the aforesaid village of Kushbabar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Cossye Division.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 4th August 1903.

No. 48.—Notification.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased, under the provisions of section XI of Act V (B C) of 1864, to make the following rules in regard to the Madaripur bhil channel, as defined in this Department Notification No. 128, dated the 26th June 1900.

A draft of these rules has been published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the dates noted in the margin as Notification No. 35, dated the 16th June 1903, as required by the terms of section XII of Act V.

17th and 24th June, and 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th July 1903.

1. Every vessel passing through the bhil channel shall stop at the prescribed toll station, as notified in the schedule of tolls for the purpose of determining the tolls payable

2. For the purposes of these rules, vessels other than rafts, timbers, bamboos or other floating material shall be divided into two classes as below:—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build.

„ *II.*—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and such other square built boats as should, in the opinion of the Collector of tolls, be included.

3. The net tonnage of every vessel of class I, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of these rules, be determined by the following measurements:—

A.—The product of half the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches; the measurement of the breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting portions of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which tollage shall be charged shall be a simple multiple of 12½ maunds, rejecting any remainder, by which the maundage, calculated as above, may exceed such simple multiple.

4. For vessels in class II the tonnage shall be determined as follows:—

The tonnage of steamers shall be the registered tonnage as given in the certificate of survey of the steamer.

Tolls shall be levied on the actual weight of cargo carried on steamers, flats, barges and other vessels included in this class, as declared in the manifests.

5. Every vessel shall be furnished at the toll station with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the nature and weight of the cargo it contains, and the amount of toll charged, shall be entered.

6 This ticket may be demanded and checked by any navigation officer while the vessel is within the limits of the bhil channel, and must be kept on board and at hand for that purpose.

7. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed. Provided that the Collector of Tolls appointed under section VIII of the Act may at his discretion permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognized standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

8. The term "Navigation Officer," as used in Rule 6, shall include the Collector of Tolls appointed under section VIII of the Act and the officer or subordinate of the Public Works Department in charge of the subdivision or section within which the channel is situated.

[Fourth Publication.]

The 14th July 1903.

No. 41.—Notification.— In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 78 and 99 (*d*) of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following alteration in item 5 of the Schedule of Rates to be charged for water supplied from the Orissa Canals, as fixed in Notification No. 118, dated the 23rd May 1899, and subsequently modified in Notification No. 141, dated the 1st July 1902.

	Existing rate per man. Rs. A.		Proposed rate per man. Rs. A.
Item 5—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June ...	3 8	Item 5*—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June	3 4

* NOTE.—In the case of leases for a term of years which are in force at the rate of Rs. 1-8 per acre, the rate for the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June will remain Rs. 3-8 per acre.

W. A. INGLIS,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 4th August 1903.

No. 150R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appearst o the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the East Indian Railway Company's zone of safety and extension of shops at Lillooah station, in the villages of Beloor and Ballee, tahsil Boroe, district Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 113 bighas 19 cottahs 10½ chittaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 37 68 acres), bounded as stated below, are required within the aforesaid villages of Beloor and Ballee :—

Plot No.	Sheet No.	Name of village.	Area. B. C. CH.	Total. B. C. CH.	
1	3	Beloor ...	1 1 12·5	.....	For zone of safety.
1	4	Do. ...	61 19 10·5	63 1 7	
2	4	Do. ...	50 14 9·3	.....	For extension of shops.
2	4	Ballee ...	0 3 10·2	50 18 3·5	
		Grand Total ...		113 19 10·5	

Plot No. 1.—Bounded on the north by Pran Kristo Chatterjee's Lane, on the south by the Dakhinpara Lane, houses and lands of Atool Chandra Mukerjie, Abinash Chandra Chakrabharty, and Gangadhar Bhattacharjee and land and *dhoba* tank of Babu Nannhain Lall; on the east by the katcha road, Dakhinpara Road, Babu Rajendra Nath Bhattacharjee's, Digamber Bhattacharjee's, Rasick Lall Samant's houses and lands, Babu Jodu Nath Banerjie's tank and house, Babu Jogin Chandra Ghose's tank and garden, Sarat Chandra Banerjee's house and land, and on the west by the East Indian Railway Company's land and part of plot No. 2.

Plot No. 2.—Bounded on the north by the East Indian Railway Company's land and Khetra Mohon Ghosh's tank; on the south by the East Indian Railway Company's land; on the east by Tacoor Dass's Lane and Pran Kristo Chatterjee's Lane and part of plot No. 1, and on the west by the East Indian Railway Company's land.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Howrah, Land Acquisition Department, and in that of the Resident Engineer, New works, East Indian Railway, at Lillooah.

No. 151R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for the construction of the Jamwadoba-Baliari loop on the Jherria Coal lines of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the villages of Jorapokhur, Nonikdi, Bhutgarhia, Jeetpur, Kehadwad, Bhagabund and Balliari, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 122 acres 2 roods

and 30·3 poles, being equivalent to 371 bighas 2 cottahs and 10·8 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Jorapokhur, Nonikdi, Bhutgarhia, Jeetpur, Kehadwad, Bhagabund and Balliari.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the works for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause I of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Jherria district, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Modha.

No. 153R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for house accommodation for Loco. Staff, East Indian Railway, in the village of Beldee, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 30 bighas 10 cottahs 2 52 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 10 acres 13·64 poles), bounded on the north by the East Indian Railway land, on the south by the paddy lands of Monsha Bowri, Gopi Rai, Surju Rai, Godai Rai, Mohananda Rai and Madhu Rai, on the east by the paddy lands of Gopi Rai, Gofur Mia, Giroo Bowri, Udoy Majhi, Bhiku Bowri and a cooly road, and on the west by the Beldee road, is required within the aforesaid village of Beldee.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

No. 153R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the platform at Agarpara, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Tarapookooreah, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 16 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By land occupied by Prya Gopal Ghose, Ebrahim Shaik Fakir, Jagabandhu Ganguly, and Amrita Lal Chowdhury,

East—By land occupied by Jagabandhu Ganguly, Khetra Ghose, Prya Nath Ghose, and Ebrahim Shaik Fakir,

South—By Ghola road,

West—By land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway,

is required within the aforesaid village of Tarapookooreah.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other mineral lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and mineral as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (i), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land is available for inspection in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta District, Eastern Bengal State Railway

No. 154R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for staff quarters at Sinthee road block station on Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Sabeck Nowparra, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 12 cottahs $8\frac{11}{11}$ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by land occupied by Jago Bewa and Sarup Hazra, east by land belonging to the Eastern Bengal State Railway, south by the Municipal road, and west by land occupied by Jago Bewa and Nimai Das, is required within the aforesaid village of Sabeck Nowparra.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other mineral lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and mineral as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (i), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land is available for inspection in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta district, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 29th July 1903.

No. 90Marine.—Mr. E. O. Manning, Acting Branch Pilot, is granted privilege leave for two months and twenty-eight days, under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd August 1903, or any subsequent date he may avail himself of it.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 29th July 1903.

No. 91Marine.—Mr. H. M. Cox, Branch Pilot, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India leave for one month, on medical certificate, in extension of the period notified in this Department Notification No. 22Marine, of 24th February last.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 30th July 1903.

No. 92Marine.—Mr. H. D. Lindquist, Junior Master Pilot, is granted privilege leave for two months, under article 676 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th June 1903.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3383A.

No. 3292A.—The 31st July 1903.—Babu Kamal Chandra Datta, Sub-Deputy Collectort on revaluation work, Dacca, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Dacca

No. 3377A.—The 4th August 1903.—Babu Atul Gopal Ray, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Kishorganj, Mymensingh, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Mymensingh

No. 3379A.—The 4th August 1903.—Babu Haris Chandra Sarkar, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Netrokona, Mymensingh, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Mymensingh.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7686, dated the 28th July 1903.—Lieutenant W. V. Coppinger, M.D., I.M.S., made over charge of the Purulia Jail to Military Assistant Surgeon A. A. Allison on the forenoon of the 10th July 1903.

R. J. MACNAMARA, MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.

No. 7733, dated Calcutta, the 30th July 1903.—Military Assistant Surgeon J. C. Gillmon made over charge of the Dinajpur Jail to Kumar Bhobendra Narain on the forenoon of the 9th July 1903.

M. S. EMERSON,
for *Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 30th July 1903.—The orders of the 3rd July 1903, sanctioning the following arrangements, are cancelled :—

(1) Babu Ashutosh Banerjea, Clerk, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (class V), to be Head Clerk of the office of Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, *vice* Babu Giris Chandra Nandi, transferred.

(2) Babu Sarat Chandra Mukerjea, Head Clerk, Hooghly College (class VII), to be Clerk in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Banerjea, transferred.

(3) Babu Hari Lal Chakravarti, Head Clerk, office of Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division (class VIII), to be Head Clerk of the Hooghly College, *vice* Babu Sarat Chandra Mukerjea, transferred.

(4) Babu Girish Chandra Nandi, Head Clerk, office of Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, and Officiating Head Clerk, office of Inspector of Schools, Patna Division (class VIII), to be Head Clerk of the office of Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division, *vice* Babu Hari Lal Chakravarti, transferred.

Consequent on the retirement of Babu Jadu Nath Chakerbortty, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas, the following arrangements are sanctioned, with effect from the 1st August 1903 :—

(1) Munshi Samuel Bibhudan Mundle, B.A., Special Deputy Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas (class III), is appointed to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Jadu Nath Chakerbertty.

(2) Babu Krishna Lal Sadhu, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Rangpur Training School (class IV), is appointed to be Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Munshi Samuel Bibhudan Mundle.

Babu Kurjhingan Ram, a Sub-Inspector of Schools under the District Board of Shahabad (class VII), was granted by the Board privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 25th May 1903.

The 31st July 1903.—Babu Woomesh Chandra Sen, Head Clerk in the office of Inspector of Schools, Patna Division (class IV), is allowed leave of absence for nine months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 5th November 1902.

Babu Girish Chandra Nandi, Head Clerk, office of Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, and now Officiating Head Clerk in the office of Inspector of Schools, Patna Division (class VIII), will continue to act in the latter appointment, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Woomesh Chandra Sen, or until further orders.

Babu Jogesh Chandra Sarkar, Clerk in the office of Inspector of Schools, Patna Division, and now Officiating Head Clerk in the office of Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division (officiating in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service), will continue to act in the latter appointment, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Girish Chandra Nandi, or until further orders.

Babu Rames Chandra Gupta, M.A., an Assistant Master in the Arrah Zilla School (substantively *pro tempore* in class VII), is appointed, on probation for six months, to be Sub-Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Radha Kishna Sarkhel, deceased.

Babu Akshoy Chandra Sen, Assistant Accountant in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, acted as Cashier of that Institution and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, from the 23rd May to the 30th June 1903, in the resulting vacancy consequent on the death of Babu Jogendra Nath Mukerjee.

Babu Ashutosh Ganguli, Superintendent of the Native Mess and Librarian, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (class VII), is appointed to be Cashier of that Institution, with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Babu Jogendra Nath Mukerjea, deceased.

Babu Jadu Nath Banerjea, an Assistant Master in the Rajshahi Collegiate School (class VIII), is granted leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 18th June 1903, or such subsequent date as he may have availed himself of it.

Babu Bireswar Das, B.A., Assistant Head Master of the Hooghly Branch School (class VI), is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the Bankura Zilla School, *vice* Babu Upendra Kumar Chattopadhyaya, transferred.

The 1st August 1903.—Maulvi Faiz Baksh, Assistant Head Master in the Anglo-Persian Department of the Dacca Madrasah (class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th July 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may have availed himself of it.

Maulvi Abdul Khaleque, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Anglo-Persian Department of the Dacca Madrasah (and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service), on a salary of Rs. 25 a month, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Faiz Baksh, or until further orders.

Babu Amrita Lal Ghosh, a Sub-Inspector of Schools under the District Board of Burdwan (class V), has been granted by the Board privilege leave for two months and twenty-six days, with effect from the 7th June 1903.

A. C. EDWARDS,

Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

A.

Statement of stipends awarded to pupils and to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit First Examination, 1903, held by different Associations under the rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892, Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896, Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896, and the Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

(Held on the 11th and 12th March 1903.)

Sixty stipends are awarded to pupils, at Rs. 2 a month, for two years.
Twenty-five stipends of Rs. 6 a month, 25 stipends of Rs. 3 a month, and 4 Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 4 a month, are awarded to teachers (tenable for one year).

Name of Association.	Students.				Stipends to pupils.								Stipends to teachers.										Remarks.
	Number of students presented.		Number of students passed.		Available for merit at Rs. 2.		Available for backward localities.		Stipends on proportion to passes under different Associations.		Reserved for Orissa.	Total.	Available for merit at Rs. 8.		Available for backward localities at Rs. 6.	By adding up marks.		Reserved for Bihar.		Reserved for Orissa at Rs. 6.	Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends at Rs. 4.	Total.	
	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.			Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.		At Rs. 8.	At Rs. 6.	At Rs. 8.	At Rs. 6.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Dacca	102	15	44	4	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	
Bihar Sanskrit Sanjivan ...	496	85	82	11	...	...	...	1	2	4	...	7	..	1	2	1	4	1	1	...	...	10	
Ghatal Sanskrita Samiti ...	364	63	63	3	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	4	.	...	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	6	
Navadwipa Bibudha Janani Sabha ...	56	23	25	3	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	
Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha ...	68	28	19	7	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	286	59	100	24	...	...	...	...	3	8	...	11	...	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	4	9	
Rangpur Dharma Sabha ...	46	14	19	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha ...	84	8	34	3	1	...	...	1	1	..	...	3	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	3	
Orissa Sanskrit Samiti, Cuttack ...	72	1	32	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	
Balasore Sanskrit Samiti ...	70	5	32	3	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	5	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	4	
Puri Jagannath Samiti ...	46	5	15	3	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	3	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	3	
Narail Vidyotsahini Sabha ...	103	21	42	7	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Kotwalipara Aryya Siksha Samiti ...	31	15	11	8	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha ...	37	6	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	
Binnafair Sanskrit Association ...	22	1	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha ...	69	23	37	4	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	2	..	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Chittagong Vidyavinodini Sabha ...	55	2	15	1	..	...	1	1	..	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Mymensingh Dharma Sabha	70	14	27	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Berhampur Pandit Sabha	92	20	29	7	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Noakhali Suhrid Jammilani Sabha ...	37	7	14	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Total ...	2,206	414	666	98	2	4	2	4	15	30	3	60	4	6	10	14	11	1	1	3	4	54	

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd July 1903.

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B.

Statement of stipends awarded to pupils and to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit Second Examination, 1903, held by different Associations under the Rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892, Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896, and Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896, and the Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

(Held on the 11th and 12th March 1903.)

Twenty stipends of Rs 3 a month and 15 stipends of Rs. 4 a month, tenable for two years, and four Nyaya stipends of Rs. 3 a month, tenable for three years, are awarded to pupils.

Eighteen stipends of Rs. 10 a month, 16 stipends of Rs. 12 a month, three Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 5 a month, and two Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 6 a month (tenable for one year) are awarded to teachers.

Name of Association.	Students.				Stipends to pupils.											Stipends to teachers.													Remarks.
	Number of students presented.		Number of students passed.		Available for merit at Rs. 4.		Available for backward localities at Rs. 3.		Stipends in proportion to passes under different Associations.				Reserved for Orissa at Rs. 3.	Reserved for Nyaya at Rs. 3 for three years.	Total.	Available for merit at Rs. 12.		Available for backward localities at Rs. 10.	By adding up marks.		Reserved for Nyaya.		Reserved for Bihar.		Reserved for Orissa at Rs. 10.	Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends.		Total.	
	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar at Rs. 3.	Higher subjects at Rs. 3.	Kavya and Grammar at Rs. 4.	Higher subjects at Rs. 4.				Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.		At Rs. 10.	At Rs. 12.	At Rs. 10.	At Rs. 12.	At Rs. 10.	At Rs. 12.		At Rs. 5.	At Rs. 6.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Dacca	32	8	9	2	...	.	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Bihar Sanskrit Sanjivan	266	45	49	9	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	3	
Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti	257	31	49	10	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	5	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
Navadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha ...	25	47	11	10	...	...	...	...	.	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha	69	6	19	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Calcutta Pandit Sabha	195	65	52	18	1	2	...	...	1	3	2	3	...	1	13	1	2	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	11	
Rangpur Dharma Sabha ...	15	3	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Barisal Dharmarakshmini Sabha ...	31	3	15	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Orissa Sanskrit Samiti, Cuttack ...	14	1	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	
Balasore Sanskrit Samiti	14	2	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	
Puri Jagannath Sam ti	16	2	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	
Narail Vidyotsahini Sabha	24	4	16	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Kotwalipara Aryya Siksha Samiti ...	16	6	7	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha ...	17	1	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	
Binnafair Sanskrit Association ...	8	1	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha	32	2	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Chittagong Vidyavinodini Sabha ...	20	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Mymensingh Dharma Sabha ...	21	2	13	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Berhampur Pandit Sabha	65	12	21	3	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
Noakhali Suhrid Sammilani Sabha ..	15	1	5		.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Total ...	1,152	242	315	69	1	2	1	2	5	9	4	8	3	4	39	2	4	6	7	8	1	1	1	1	3	3	2	39	

Calcutta,

The 2nd July 1903

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C.

Stipends awarded to pupils on the results of the Sanskrit First Examination, 1903, held by different Associations under the rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896; Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896; and Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of Stipends to pupils and teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

FOR MERIT.

Name of Stipend-winner.	Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution, name of Association, and District.			Monthly amount of Stipend.	Period for which tenable.	Name and Residence of Teacher with whom the Stipend-winner purposes to continue study.			Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subject.	Remarks.
		Residence or Institution.	District.	Name of Association.			Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution.	District.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
					Rs.	Years.						
Trailokya Nath Chakravarti.	Biswanath Kavyatirtha...	Kuyarpur Tol ...	Balasore ...	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti.	2	2	Biswanath Kavyatirtha.	Kuyarpur Tol ...	Balasore ...	Kavya ...	...	
Anantakumar Mukhopadhaya.	Barada Kanta Smritibhushan.	Khalisakota ...	Backergunge ...	Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha.	2	2	Baradakanta Smriti Bhushan.	Khalisakota ...	Backergunge	Do. ...	...	
Manuja Mohan Bhattacharyya.	Sasibhushan Vedantatirtha.	Abhaya Chatuspathi, Gangatikuri.	Burdwan ..	Berhampore Pandit Sabha.	2	2	Sasibhushan Vedantatirtha	Abhaya Chatuspathi, Gangatikuri.	Burdwan ...	...	Mimansa.	
Haripada Bhattacharyya.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	Smriti.	
Upendra Nath Tripathi.	Baishnab Charan Vidyasagar.	Mayurbhanja Sanskrit Tol.	Mayurbhanj, Balasore.	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti.	2	2	Baishnab Charan Vidyasagar.	Mayurbhanj Sanskrit Tol.	Mayurbhanj, Balasore.	...	Puran.	
Sadasiva Das ...	Biswanath Mahapatra ...	Biswanath Tol, Puri ...	Puri ...	Puri Jagannath Samiti.	2	2	Biswanath Mahapatra	Biswanath Tol, Puri.	Puri ...	...	Do.	

FOR BACKWARD LOCALITIES.

					Rs.	Years.						
Baradacharan Bhattacharyya.	Sasanka Mohan Vyakaranatirtha.	Jagatpur Asram, tol ...	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Vidyavinodini Sabha.	2	2	Sasanka Mohan Vyakaranatirtha.	Jagatpur Asram tol.	Chittagong ...	Kalap ...	...	
Nagendranath Sannyal.	Chandidas Nyayatarkatirtha.	Binnafair ...	Mymensingh ...	Binnafair Sanskrit Association.	2	2	Chandidas Nyayatarkatirtha.	Binnafair ...	Mymensingh	Do. ...	...	
Mukundanarayan Satpati.	Umesa Chandra Vidyabhushan.	Sunyakone ...	Midnapore ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti.	2	2	Umesa Chandra Vidyabhushan.	Sunyakone ...	Midnapore ...	...	Smriti.	
Kapileswar Jha ...	Biswanath Jha ...	Darbhanga ...	Darbhanga ...	Bihar Sanskrit Sanjivan	2	2	Biswanath Jha ...	Darbhanga ...	Darbhanga ..	...	Nyaya.	
Baman Chandra Bhattacharyya.	Sasikumar Kavyatirtha	Paschimpar ...	Faridpur ...	Barisal, Dharmarakshini Sabha.	2	2	Sasikumar Kavyatirtha.	Paschimpar ...	Faridpur ...	...	Puran.	
Krishna Kanta Chakravarti.	Kali Kinkar Smritibhushan.	Kshitapchar ...	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Vidyavinodini Sabha.	2	2	Kali Kinkar Smritibhushan.	Khitapchar ...	Chittagong ...	...	Smriti.	

FIRST EXAMINATION, 1903.

STIPENDS IN PROPORTION TO PASSES.

DACCA.

Name of Stipend-winner.	Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution, name of Association and District.			Monthly amount of Stipend.	Period for which tenable.	Name and Residence of Teacher with whom the Stipend winner purposes to continue study			Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subject.	Remarks.
		Residence or Institution.	District.	Name of Association.			Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution.	District.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
					Rs.	Years						
Satis Chandra Chakravarti.	Madhusudan Kavyaratna.	Gopalpur ...	Faridpur ...	Dacca ...	2	2	Madhusudan Kavyaratna.	Gopalpur, Faridpur.	Faridpur ...	Mugdhabodha.	...	
Rajmohan Bhattacharyya.	Kailas Chandra Tarkatirtha.	Ibrahimpur, Tippera...	Tippera ...	Do. ...	2	2	Kailas Chandra Tarkatirtha.	Ibrahimpur, Tippera.	Tippera ...	...	Nyaya.	

BIHAR SANSKRIT SANJIVAN.

					Rs.	Years						
Ram Lakshman Misra	Mahabir Pandeya ...	Dharma Samaj School, Matihari.	Champaran ...	Bihar Sanskrit Sanjivan.	2	2	Bisveswarprasad Avasti	Dharma Samaj School, Matihari.	Champaran ...	Saraswa'a Chandrika.	...	
Biswanath Thakur ...	Sinheswar Jha ...	Baidyanath ...	Dumka, Sonthal Parganas.	Ditto ...	2	2	Sinheswar Jha ...	Baidyanath ..	Dumka, Santhal Parganas.	Laghukaumudi.	...	
Tejnarayan Sarma ...	Harihar Sarma ...	Mirchaigange, Patna...	Patna ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Harihar Sarma ..	Mirchaigange, Patna.	Patna ...	...	Vedanta.	
Jateswar Jha ...	Biswanath Jha ...	Darbhanga ...	Darbhanga ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Biswanath Jha ...	Darbhanga ...	Darbhanga ...	...	Nyaya.	
Sitala Prasad Misra	Harihar Sarma ...	Mirchaigange, Patna	Patna ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Harihar Sarma ...	Mirchaigange, Patna.	Patna ..	...	Mimansa.	
Garib Misra ...	Nityananda Misra ...	Balia, Darbhanga ...	Darbhanga ...	Ditto ..	2	2	Nityananda Misra ...	Balia, Darbhanga.	Darbhanga ...	...	Jyotish.	

GHATAL SANSKRIT SAMITI.

					Rs.	Years						
Babulal Adhikari ...	Bhutnath Bhattacharyya	Bhagwanpur ...	Midnapore ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti.	2	2	Bhutnath Bhattacharyya.	Bhagwanpur ...	Midnapore ...	...	Mugdhabodh.	
Ramdurlabh Chakravarti.	Sasibhushan Nyayaratna	Ayodhya ...	Bankura ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Sasibhushan Nyayaratna.	Ayodhya ...	Bankura ...	...	Sankshiptasar.	
Asutosh Bhattacharyya.	Rameswar Tarkasiddhanta.	Bhemua ...	Midnapore ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Rameswar Tarkasiddhanta.	Bhemua ...	Midnapore ...	Smriti ...	...	

					Rs.	Years.					
Ramanikanta Bhattacharyya.	Tara Prasanna Chudamani.	Chaitanya Chatuspathi, Navadwipa.	Nadia ...	Navadwipa Bibudha Janani Sabha.	2	2	Tara Prasanna Chudamani.	Chaitanya Chatuspathi, Navadwipa	Nadia ...	...	Kalap.
Sukhamohan Goswami.	Bisvesvar Tarkaratna ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Bisvesvar Tarkaratna...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Sankhya	...

BHATPARA PARIKSHA SABHA.

					Rs.	Years.					
Basanta Kumar Goswami.	Ram Krishna Tarkasastri	Navadwipa ...	Nadia ...	Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha	2	2	Ram Krishna Tarkasastri.	Navadiwpa ...	Nadia ...	...	Nyaya.
Achintyarup Bhattacharyya.	Digambar Tarkasiddhanta	Bhatpara ...	24-Parganas ...	Ditto	2	2	Digambar Tarkasiddhanta.	Bhatpara ...	24-Parganas	...	Puran.

CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.

					Rs.	Years.					
Srinath Bhattacharyya.	Hara Chandra Tarkapanchanan.	26 Prasanna Kumar Tagore's Street.	Calcutta ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha.	2	2	Hara Chandra Tarkapanchanan.	26 Prasanna Kumar Tagore's Street.	Calcutta ...	Mugdhabodh.	...
Sasibhushan Bhattacharyya.	Bhubaneswar Kavyatirtha.	23 Ram Kanta Bosu's 2nd Lane.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Bhubaneswar Kavyatirtha.	23 Ram Kanta Bosu's 2nd Lane.	Ditto ...	Kalap ...	...
Bijaya Krishna Chongdar.	Kedar Nath Smritiratna	Binapani Chatuspathi, Banigari.	Hooghly ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Kedar Nath Smritiratna.	Binapani Chatuspathi, Banigari.	Hooghly ...	Sankshiptasar.	...
Hari Charan Bandyopadhyaya.	Bishnu Charan Tarkaratna.	25 Haritakibagan Lane	Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Bishnu Charan Tarkaratna.	25 Haritaki Bagan Lane.	Calcutta ...	...	Nyaya.
Nepal Chandra Bhattacharyya.	Sita Nath Vedantasastri	Biswanath Chatuspathi, Chinsura.	Hooghly ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Sita Nath Vedantasastri.	Biswanath Chatuspathi.	Hooghly ...	...	Sankhya.
Baman Chandra Bhattacharyya.	Guru Nath Kavyatirtha	39 Bosepara Lane ...	Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Guru Nath Kavyatirtha	39 Bosepara Lane.	Calcutta ...	...	Puran.
Akshaya Kumar Mukhopadhyaya.	Durga Charan Vedantatirtha.	Bhagbat Chatuspathi, Bhawanipur.	24-Parganas ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Durga Charan Vedantatirtha.	Bhagbat Chatuspathi, Bhawanipur.	24-Parganas	...	Sankhya
Tarini Charan Chattopadhyaya.	Adya Charan Tarkabhushan.	Bijaya Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Adya Charan Tarkabhushan.	Bijaya Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	...	Nyaya.
Krishna Chandra Bhattacharyya.	Hara Chandra Tarkapanchanan.	26 Prasanna Kumar Tagore's Street.	Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Hara Chandra Tarkapanchanan.	26 Prasanna Kumar Tagore's Street.	Calcutta ...	...	Mimansa.
Kamini Kumar Bhattacharyya.	Haridas Vidyaratna ...	Uttarpara ...	Hooghly ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Haridas Vidyaratna ...	Uttarpara ...	Hooghly ...	...	Puran.
Yogendranath Mukhopadhyaya.	Radharaman Vidyabhushan.	Sampukur ...	Calcutta ..	Ditto ...	2	2	Radharaman Vidyabhushan.	Sampukur ...	Calcutta ...	...	Upanishad.

RANGPUR DHARMA SABHA.

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		Residence or Institution.	District.	Name of Association.			Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution.	District.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Mahendra Chandra Bhattacharyya.	Yadaveswar Tarkaratna	Kurigram ...	Rangpur ...	Rangpur Dharma Sabha.	Rs. 2	Years. 2	Yadaveswar Tarkaratna	Kurigram ...	Rangpur ...	...	Puran.	

BARISAL DHARMARAKSHINI SABHA.

Sarat Chandra Chakravarti.	Haran Chandra Siromani	Runsi ...	Backergunge ...	Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha.	Rs. 2	Years. 2	Haran Chandra Siromani.	Runsi ...	Backergunge	Kalap.	...	

ORISSA SANSKRIT SAMITI.

Mayadhar Kar ...	Braja Bandhu Kar ...	Mul Basanta ...	Cuttack ...	Orissa Sanskrit Samiti.	Rs. 2	Years. 2	Brajabandhu Kar ...	Mul Basanta ...	Cuttack ...	...	Kavya.	

BALASORE SANSKRIT SAMITI.

Upendra Misra ...	Buddhinath Kavyatirtha	Mayurbhanj Sanskrit Tol.	Mayurbhanj, Balasore.	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti.	Rs. 2	Years 2	Buddhinath Kavyatirtha.	Mayurbhanj, Sanskrit Tol.	Mayurbhanj, Balasore.	Chandrika.	...	
Loknath Dwivedi ...	Rudranarayan Kavyatirtha.	Syam Chandra Tol, Nilgiri Killa.	Nilgiri Killa ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Rudranarayan Kavyatirtha.	Syam Chandra Tol, Nilgiri Killa.	Nilgiri Killa	...	Smriti.	

JAGANNATH SAMITI, PURI.

Agadhu Misra ...	Biswanath Mahapatra ...	Biswanath Tol, Puri ...	Puri ...	Jagannath Samiti, Puri.	Rs. 2	Years 2	Biswanath Mahapatra	Biswanath Tol, Puri.	Puri ..	...	Smriti.	

NARAIL VIDYOTSAHINI SABHA.

					Rs.	Years.					
Krishna Chandra Nath.	Asutosh Smritiratna ...	Piljang ...	Khulna ...	Narail Vidyotsahini Sabha.	2	2	Ashutosh Smritiratna	Piljang ...	Khulna ...	Supadma ...	
Annada Charan Bhattacharyya.	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	...	Vedanta.
Kedareswar Chakravarti.	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	2*	2	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	...	Smriti.

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KOTWALIPARA ARYYA SIKSHA SAMITI.

					Rs.	Years.						
Syamakanta Chakravarti.	Kalidas Tarkaratna ...	Unasia	Faridpur ...	Kotwalipara Aryya Siksha Samiti.	2	2	Kali Kanta Siromani	Unasia ...	Faridpur ...	...	Puran.	
Harimohan Bhattacharyya.	Ananda Chandra Vidyaratna.	Kavirajpur ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Ananda Chandra Vidyaratna.	Kavirajpur ...	Ditto ...	...	Smriti.	
Yamini Kanta Bhattacharyya.	Asutosh Tarkaratna ...	Madanpar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Asutosh Tarkaratna ...	Madanpar ...	Ditto ...	...	Nyaya ...	Received stipend of Rs. 2 last year, which should be cancelled from 1st September 1903.

BAKLA ARYYA SAMMILANI SABHA.

					Rs.	Years					
Kalikrishna Bhattacharyya.	Harakanta Smrititirtha	Gohala	Faridpur ...	Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha.	2	2	Hara Kanta Smrititirtha.	Gohala ...	Faridpur ...	...	Smriti.

IDILPUR HITAISHINI SABHA.

					Rs.	Years.						
Prankanta Chakravarti.	Karuna Chandra Siddhanta Panchanan.	Hanarchar ...	Tippera ...	Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha.	2	2	Karuna Chandra Siddhanta Panchanan.	Hanarchar ...	Tippera ...	Kalap ...	...	
Janakinath Bhattacharyya.	Isan Chandra Smriti Panchanan.	Bijnisar	Faridpur ..	Ditto ...	2	2	Isan Chandra Smriti Panchanan.	Bijnisar ...	Faridpur ...	...	Smriti.	

MYMENSINGH DHARMA SABHA.

Name of Stipend-winner.	Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution, name of Association and District.			Monthly amount of Stipend.	Period for which tenable.	Name and Residence of Teacher with whom the Stipend-winner purposes to continue study.			Kavya and Grammar.	Higher Subject.	Remarks.
		Residence or Institution.	District.	Name of Association.			Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution.	District.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Rajani Kanta Adhikari.	Chandra Kanta Tarkaratna.	Masua Khal ...	Tippera ...	Mymensingh Dharma Sabha.	Rs. 2	Years. 2	Chandra Kanta Tarkaratna.	Masua Khal ...	Tippera ...	Kalap ...	...	

BERHAMPORE PANDIT SABHA.

Dinesa Chandra Bhattacharyya.	Durga Sundar Kritiratna	Jubilee Tol, Berhampore	Murshidabad ...	Berhamp Pandit Sabha	Rs. 2	Years. 2	Durga Sundar Kritiratna.	Jubilee Tol, Berhampore.	Murshidabad	...	Smriti.	
Rajani Kanta Bhattacharyya.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	2	2	Ditto ..	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	...	Do.	

NOAKHALI SUHRID SAMMILANI SABHA.

Rohini Chandra Bhattacharyya.	Annada Nath Vedanta Sastri.	Chaupali ..	Noakhali ...	Noakhali Suhrid Sammilani Sabha.	Rs. 2	Years 2	Annada Nath Vedanta Sastri.	Chaupali ...	Noakhali ...	...	Vedanta.	

RESERVED FOR ORISSA, 1903.

Balkrishna Nanda...	Trilochan Kavyatirtha ...	Dhenkanal ...	Orissa Gurzats	Orissa Sanskrit Samiti.	Rs. 2	Years. 2	Ananta Vidyabhushan	Denkanal ...	Orissa, Gurzats.	Prakriya Kaumudi.		
Radhakrishna Misra	Rudra Narayan Kavyatirtha.	Syam Chandra Tol, Nilgiri.	Nilgiri Killa ...	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti.	2	2	Rudra Narayan Kavyatirtha.	Syam Chandra Tol, Nilgiri.	Nilgiri Killa, Balasore.	Kavya	...	
Ananda Misra ...	Biswa Nath Mahapatra	Biswanath Tol, Puri ...	Puri ...	Jagannath Samiti, Puri.	2	2	Biswa Nath Mahapatra	Biswanath Tol, Puri.	Puri ...	...	Smriti.	

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd July 1903.

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FOR MERIT.

Name of Stipend-winner.	Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution, Name of Association and District.			Monthly amount of Stipend.	Period for which tenable.	Name and Residence of Teacher with whom the Stipend-winner purposes to continue Study.			Kavya and Grammar.	Higher Subject.	Remarks.
		Residence or Institution.	District.	Name of Association.			Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution.	District.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Surendranath Mazumdar	Collegiate School ...	Sanskrit College	Calcutta ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha.	Rs. ...	Years ...	Sanskrit Collegiate School.	Calcutta ...	Calcutta ...	Kavya ...	...	As he is a student of a school, he is not entitled to a stipend though he stands first.
Govinda Bandhu Adhikari.	Sitanath Kaviratna ...	Kumarkhali ...	Nadia ...	Ditto ...	4	2	Sita Nath Kaviratna ...	Kumarkhali ...	Nadia ...	Mugdhabodh, Grammar.	...	...
Raj Kumar Mukhopadhyya.	Sanskrit College Title Class.	Calcutta ...	Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	4	2	Sanskrit College ...	Calcutta ...	Calcutta ...	...	Samvedha.	Received stipend of Rs. 3 last year, which should be cancelled from 1st September 1903.
Banamali Bhattacharyya	Haris Chandra Tarkaratna.	Sanskrit tôl, Mulajore.	24-Parganas	Ditto ...	4	2	Haris Chandra Tarkaratna.	Sanskrit tôl, Mulajore.	24-Parganas	...	Smriti.	Received stipend of Rs. 4 last year, which should be cancelled from 1st September 1903.

FOR BACKWARD LOCALITIES.

					Rs.	Years.					
Taraknath Roy ...	Sasi Kumar Kavyatirtha.	Paschimpur, Kotwalipur	Faridpur ...	Barisal Dharma Rakshini Sabha.	3	2	Sasi Kumar Kavyatirtha.	Paschimpur, Kotwalipur.	Faridpur ...	Kavya ...	...	
Bibnath Bijar Barua ...	Krishna Chandra Smritiratna.	Chandura, Mymensingh.	Mymensingh	Mymensingh Dharma Sabha.	3	2	Krishna Chandra Smritiratna.	Chandura, Mymensingh.	Mymensingh	...	Smriti.	
Bib Das Goswami ...	Nivaran Chandra Smritititirtha.	Tarakeswar ...	Hooghly ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti.	3	2	Nivaran Chandra Smritititirtha.	Tarakeswar ...	Hooghly ...	...	Do.	

STIPENDS IN PROPORTION TO PASSES.

Dacca.

					Rs.	Years.					
Rameswar Kavyaratna	Kalidas Vidyavinode	Unasia ...	Faridpur ...	Dacca ...	3	2	Kalidas Vidyavinode	Unasia ...	Faridpur ...	...	Yajurveda.	

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		Residence or Institution, Name of Association and District.					Name and Residence of Teacher with whom the Stipend-winner purposes to continue Study.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
					Rs.	Years.						
Ratneswar Misra ...	Mukundaram Pandeya	Karnagar ..	Bhagalpur ...	Behar Sanskrit Sanjivan.	4	2	Mukundaram Pandeya	Karnagar, Bhagalpur.	Bhagalpur ...	Kavya ...	...	
Chandrahasa Dwivedi ...	Sarvananda Tripathi ...	Pramode Vidyalaya, Chapra.	Saran ...	Ditto ...	3	2	Sarvananda Tripathi ...	Promode Vidyalaya, Chapra	Saran ...	Do.	...	
Kalidas Bhattacharyya ...	Sasibhushan Smriti-tirtha	Karnagar ...	Bhagalpur ...	Ditto ...	4	2	Sasibhushan Smriti-tirtha.	Karnagar, Bhagalpur.	Bhagalpur ...	...	Smriti	
Chintamani Sarma ...	Bathan Jha ..	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	3	2	Bathan Jha ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	Jyotish	
GHATAL SANSKRIT SAMITI.												
					Rs.	Years.						
Dakshina Charan Chakravarti.	Murarimohan Kaviratna	Sarda ...	Midnapore ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti.	4	2	Murari Mohan Kaviratna.	Sarda ...	Midnapore ...	Kavya.	.....	
Janakinath Panda ...	Narayan Smartavagisa	Jhawa Govinda, Bera Bar.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	3	2	Narayan Smartavagisa	Jhawa Govinda, Bera Bar.	Ditto ...	Sankshiptasar.	.....	
Ramamrita Kavyatirtha...	Haran Chandra Tarkavagisa.	Khunberia ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	4	2	Haran Chandra Tarkavagisa.	Khun Beria ...	Ditto ...	.....	Puran...	Received stipend of Rs. 2 last year, which should be cancelled.
Nalininath Mallik Thakur	Raghuram Siromani ...	Bishnupur ...	Bankura ...	Ditto ...	3	2	Raghuram Siromani ...	Bishnupur ..	Bankura ...	.....	Sankhya.	
NAVADWIPA.												
					Rs.	Years.						
Radharaman Chattaraj.	Brajaraj Goswami ...	Chaitanya Chatuspathi, Navadwipa.	Nadia ...	Navadwipa Bibudha Janani Sabha	4	2	Brajaraj Goswami ...	Chaitanya Chatuspathi, Navadwipa.	Nadia ...	.....	Puran.	
Krishna Chandra Bandyopadhyaya.	Devendra Nath Smriti-ratna.	Samudragar ...	Burdwan ...	Ditto ...	3	2	Devendra Nath Smriti-ratna.	Samudragar ...	Burdwan ...	.....	Do.	
BHATPARA PARIKSHA SABHA.												
					Rs.	Years.						
Ramananda Chaudhuri ...	Rajani Kanta Smriti-bhushan.	Tiluri ...	Bankura ...	Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha.	3	2	Rajani Kanta Smriti-bhushan.	Tiluri ...	Bankura ...	Mugdhabodh	.....	Received stipend o Rs. 2 last year, which should be cancel ed from 1st September 1903.

STIPEND IN PROPORTION OF PASSES.

Kirtivas Panda ...	Brajendra Nath Smrititirtha.	Narayani Chatuspathi, Mahespur.	Jessore ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha.	Rs. 4	Years 2	Brajendra Nath Smrititirtha.	Narayani Chatuspathi, Mahespur.	Jessore ...	Sankshiptasar.	.....	
Asutosh Samajdar ...	Gopal Chandra Bhattacharyya.	16 Kaliprasad Chakravartee's Street, Calcutta.	Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	4	2	Gopal Chandra Bhattacharya.	16 Kaliprasad Chakravartee's Street, Calcutta.	Calcutta ...	Kavya ...	.....	
Kartik Chandra Bhattacharyya.	Bholanath Ray ...	Bally ...	Hooghly ...	Ditto ...	3	2	Bholanath Ray ...	Bally ...	Hooghly ...	Do. ...	.....	
Radhaballabh Acharyya	Brajendra Nath Smrititirtha.	Narayani Chatuspathi, Mahespur.	Jessore ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha.	4	2	Title Class ...	Sanskrit College	Calcutta ...	...	Jyotish.	
Ramratna Bhattacharyya	Sitanath Vedantasastri	Chinsura ...	Hooghly ...	Ditto ..	4	2	Sitanath Vedantasastri	Biswanath Chatuspathi, Chinsura.	Hooghly ...	...	Smriti	Received stipend of Rs. 3 last year, which should be cancelled from 1st September 1903.
Yatindramohan Kavyatirtha.	Harinath Vedantavagisa.	Bijaya Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	Ditto ...	4	2	Harinath Vedantavagisa.	Bijay Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	...	Do.	
Rajendranath Bhattacharyya.	Nivaran Chandra Smrititirtha.	Tarakeswar ...	Hooghby ...	Ditto ...	3	2	Nivaran Chandra Smrititirtha.	Tarakeswar ..	Hooghly ...	...	Do.	
Panchanan Kavyatirtha	Harinath Vedantavagisa.	Bejaya Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	Ditto ...	3	2	Harinath Vedantavagisa.	Bejay Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	...	Do.	
Ramesa Chandra Kavyatirtha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	3	2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	Vedanta	Received stipend of Rs. 3, last year, which should be cancelled from 1st September 1903.

NABAIL VIDYOTSAHINI SABHA.

Rajanikanta Bhattacharyya.	Yadab Chandra Smritiratna.	Bally ...	Hooghly ...	Narsil Vidyotsahi Sabha.	Rs. 4	Years. 2	Yadab Chandra Smritiratna.	Bally ...	Hooghly ...	...	Smriti.	

KOTWALIPARA ARYA SIKSHA SAMITI.

Haridas Kavyatirtha ...	Ananda Chandra Vidyaratna.	Kavirajpur ...	Faridpur ...	Kotwalipara Arya Siksha Samiti.	Rs. 4	Years. 2	Ananda Chandra Vidyaratna.	Kavirajpur ...	Faridpur ...	...	Smriti.	

IDILPUR HITAISHINI SABHA.

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		Residence or Institution.	District.	Name of Association.			Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution.	District.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Kali Chandra Bhattacharyya.	Isan Chandra Smriti Panchanan.	Bijnisar ...	Faridpur ..	Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha.	Rs. 3	Years. 2	Isan Chandra Smriti Panchanun.	Bijnisar ...	Faridpur ...	...	Smriti.	

BERHAMPUR PANDIT SABHA.

Gopeswar Goswami ...	Rasvehari Sankhyatirtha.	Hasanpur ..	Murshidabad	Berhampur Pandit Sabha.	Rs. 3	Years 2	Rasvehari Sankhyatirtha	Hasanpur Tôl ..	Murshidabad	Kavya ...	...	
Hrishikesa Bandyopadhyaya.	Sasi Bhushan Vedantatirtha.	Abhaya Chatuspathi, Gangatikuri.	Burdwan ...	Ditto ...	3	2	Sasi Bhushan Vedantatirtha.	Abhaya Chatuspathi, Gangatikuri.	Burdwan ...	...	Vedanta.	

RESERVED FOR ORISSA.

Ram Chandra Misra ...	Kirtivas Nyayaratna...	Amardatol Mayurbhanja.	Mayurbhanja, Balasore.	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti.	Rs. 3	Years 2	Kirtivas Nayaratna ...	Amarda Tôl, Mayurbhanj.	Balasore ...	Kavya ...	...	
Gopal Mahapatra ..	Gurucharan Tarkadarsantirtha.	Ramkrishna Tôl	Puri ...	Puri Jagannath Samiti.	3	2	Guru Charan Tarkadarsantirtha.	Ramkrishna Tôl	Puri ...	...	Vedanta.	
Gopal Satpati ...	Padmanabha Kavyatirtha.	Govinda Deb, Cuttack.	Cuttack ...	Orissa, Sanskrit Samiti, Cuttack	3	2	Padmanabha Kavyatirtha.	Govinda Deb ..	Cuttack ...	Kavya ..	...	

RESERVED FOR NYAYA

Purna Chandra Kavyatirtha.	M. M. U. Ramnath Siddhantapanchanan	Unasia ...	Faridpur ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha.	Rs. 3	Years. 3	M. M U. Sib Chandra Sarbabhauma.	Mulajore, Shamnagore.	24-Parganas	...	Nyaya	Received stipend of Rs. 3 last year, which should be cancelled from 1st September 1903.
Navakrishna Goswami ...	Abinas Chandra Nyayaratna.	Nadia ...	Nadia ...	Behar Sanskrit Sanjivan.	3	3	Abinas Chandra Nyaratna.	Nadia ...	Nadia ...	..	...	
Ram Chandra Misra ...	Ramkrishna Tarkasastri.	Navadwipa ...	Do. ...	Orissa Sanskrit Samiti, Cuttack.	3	3	Ram Krishna Tarkasastri	Navadwipa ...	Do. ...	...	...	
Ramesa Chandra Bhattacharya.	Kailas Chandra Tarkatirtha.	Ibrahimpur ...	Tippera ...	Dacca ...	3	3	Kailas Chandra Tarkatirtha.	Ibrahimpur ...	Tippera ...	...	...	

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd July 1903.

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TENABLE FOR ONE YEAR.

FOR MERIT.

Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution.	District.	Name of Association.	Stipend per month.	Kavya and Grammar	Higher subjects.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
				Rs.			
Biswanath Kavyatirtha ...	Kuyarpur tol	Balasore ...	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti	8	Kavya.		
Barada Kanta Smritibhushan ...	Khalisakota	Backergunge ...	Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha.	8	Do.		
Chandra Kanta Tarkaratna ...	Masua Khal	Tippera ...	Mymensingh Dharma Sabha.	8	Kalap.		
Ramani Mohan Vidyaratna ...	Hemangini Chatuspathi, Natore	Rajshahi ...	Rangpur Dharma Sabha...	8	Do.		
Biswanath Mahapatra ...	Biswanath tol, Puri ...	Puri ...	Jagannath Samiti, Puri ...	8	...	Smriti.	
Rudranarayan Kavyatirtha ...	Syam Chandra tol, Nilgiri ...	Nilgiri, Balasore ...	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti	8	...	Ditto.	
Baidyanath Vedantabhushan ...	Pratapkati	Jessore ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	8	...	Mimansa.	
Bishnu Charan Tarkaratna ...	25, Hartukibagan Lane ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	8	...	Nyaya.	
Harihar Sarma ...	Mirchaiganj	Patna ...	Behar Sanskrit Sanjivan	8	...	Vedanta.	
Yadaveswar Tarkaratna ...	Rangpur	Rangpur ...	Rangpur Dharma Sabha	8	...	Puran.	

FOR BACKWARD LOCALITIES.

				Rs.			
Umanath Misra	Sajwan Vidyalaya, Tikari ...	Gaya ...	Bihar Sanskrit Sanjivan ...	6			
Ramnandan Misra ...	Buxar	Shahabad ...	Ditto ...	6			
Umesa Chandra Vidyabhushan	Sunyakone	Midnapore ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	6			
Ram Charan Smritiratna ...	Bahiri	.....	Ditto ...	6			

FOR BACKWARD LOCALITIES—*concld.*

Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution.	District.	Name of Association.	Stipend per month.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
				Rs.			
Lakshmidhar Tripathi ...	Rajnagar	Cuttack ...	Orissa Sanskrit Samiti ...	6			
Lalitmohan Das Gupta ...	Kavindra College, Goila ...	Backergunge ...	Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha.	6			
Chandidas Nyayatarkatirtha ...	Binnafair	Mymensingh ...	Binnafair Sanskrit Association.	6			
Udaya Chandra Siromani ...	Dhalghat	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Vidyavinodini Sabha.	6			
Govinda Chandra Kritiratna ...	Masua	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh Dharma Sabha	6			
Annada Nath Vedanta Sastri ...	Chawpalli	Noakhali ...	Noakhali Suhrid Sammilani Sabha.	6			
BY ADDING UP MARKS, 1903.							
				Rs.			
Sib Chandra Siddhantavagisa ...	Bajapti	Tippera ...	Idilpur, Hitaishini Sabha	8	...	...	
Sitanath Vedanta Sastri ...	Biswanath Chatuspathi, Chinsura.	Hooghly ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	8	...	...	
Uditnarayan Jha ...	Chanwar	Darbhanga ...	Bihar Sanskrit Sanjivan ...	8	...	...	
Rajani Kanta Smritibhushan ...	Tiluri	Bankura ...	Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha	8	...	...	
Kalidas Tarkaratna ...	Aryya Vidyalaya, Unasia ...	Faridpur ...	Kotwalipara Aryya Siksha Samiti.	8	...	...	
Dinanath Kavyatirtha ...	Basudevbere	Midnapore ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	8	...	...	
Harinath Vidantavagisa ...	Bijaya Chatuspathi, Burdwan	Burdwan ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	8	...	...	
Murarimohan Kaviratna ...	Sarda	Midnapore ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	8	...	...	
Sasi Kumar Kavyatirtha ...	Kotwalipara, Paschimpar ...	Faridpur ...	Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha.	8	...	...	
Durgasundar Kritiratna ...	Jubilee tol, Berhampore ...	Murshidabad ...	Berhampore Pandit Sabha	8	.	...	
Rajani Kanta Vidyaratna ...	Baruikhali	Jessore ...	Narail Vidyotsahini Sabha	8	...	...	
Ananda Chandra Vidyaratna ...	Kavirajpur	Faridpur ...	Kotwalipara Aryya Siksha Samiti.	8	...	...	
Karuna Chandra Siddhanta-panchanan.	Hanarchar	Tippera ...	Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha	8	...	...	
Nibaran Chandra Smrititirtha...	Tarakeswar	Hooghly ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	8	...	...	
Raghunandan Misra ...	Madhuvani	Darbhanga ...	Bihar Sanskrit Sanjivan...	6	...	...	
Nirsan Misra	Rajnagar	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	6	...	...	
Baidyanath Misra ...	Sanskrit School, Puri ...	Puri ...	Jagannath Samiti, Puri ...	6	...	...	

Rajanikanth Padaratna ...	Kirtipasa	Backergunge ...	Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha.	6	...	...	
Durga Charan Sankhyatirtha ...	Bhagvat Chatuspathi, Bhawanipur.	Calcutta ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	6	...	...	
Buddhinath Kavyatirtha ...	Sanskrit tol, Mayurbhanja ...	Mayurbhanja, Balasore.	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti	6	...	...	
Gurucharan Vidyabhushan ...	Paschimpur, Kotwalipur ...	Faridpur ...	Aryya Sammilani Sabha, Bakla.	6	...	...	
Rameswar Tarkasidhanta ...	Bhemua	Midnapore ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	6	...	...	
Sinheswar Jha ...	Baidyanath	Dumka, Sonthal Parganas.	Bihar Sanskrit Sanjivan ...	6	...	...	
Gopi Krishna Chaube ...	Dharmasamaj School, Musaffarpur.	Muzaffarpur ...	Ditto ...	6	.	...	
Taraprasanna Chudamani ...	Chaitanya Chatuspathi, Navadwipa.	Nadia ...	Navadwipa Bibhuda Janani Sabha.	6	...	...	

HARAKUMAR TAGORE TOL STIPEND.

				Rs.			
Asutosh Vidyabhushan ...	5, Doctor's lane, Taltola ...	Calcutta ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	4			
Dinanath Nyayaratna ...	Harinavi	24-Parganas ...	Ditto ...	4			
Haridas Vidyaratna ...	Utterpara	Hooghly ...	Ditto ...	4			
Taraprasanna Kavyatirtha ...	Banagram	Pabna ...	Ditto ...	4			

RESERVED FOR ORISSA.

				Rs.			
Basudev Misra ...	Sriramchandra tol, Balasore ...	Balasore ...	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti	6			
Brajabandhu Kar ...	Mul Basanta	Cuttack ...	Orissa Sanskrit Samiti, Cuttack.	6			
Yogendra Kavyavisarad ...	Sanskrit School, Puri ...	Puri ...	Jagannath Samiti, Puri ...	6			

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd July 1903.

A. C. EDWARDS,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction Bengal.

F.

Stipends awarded to Teachers on the result of the Sanskrit Second Examination in 1903, held by the different Associations under the Rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896; Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896; and the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal's, Rules for the distribution of Stipends to Pupils and Teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

TENABLE FOR ONE YEAR.

Name of Teacher.	Residence or Institution.	District.	Name of Association.	Stipend per month.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
FOR MERIT.							
				Rs.			
Sitanath Kaviratna ...	Kumarkhali	Nadia ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	12	Mugdhabodh Vyakarana.	...	
Kirtivas Nyayaratna, Mahamahopadhyaya.	Amardatol, Mayurbhanja ...	Mayurbhanja, Balasore.	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti	12	Kavya ...	...	
Ramnath Siddhantapanchanan	Kotwalipara	Faridpur ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	12	...	Nyaya ...	
Haris Chandra Tarkaratna ...	Sanskrit tol, Mulajore ..	24-Parganas ...	Ditto ...	12	...	Smriti ...	
Brajaraj Goswami ...	Chaitanyachatuspathi, Navadwipa.	Nadia ...	Navadwipa Bibudha Janani Sabha.	12	...	Puran ...	
Haran Chandra Tarkavagisa ...	Khunberia	Midnapore ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	12	...	Do. ...	
BACKWARD LOCALITIES.							
				Rs.			
Mukunda Pandeya ...	Karnagar	Bhagalpur ...	Bihar Sanskrit Sanjivan	10	...	...	
Sarada Charan Vidyaratna ...	Sonachaka	Noakhali ...	Noakhali Suhrid Sammilani Sabha.	10	...	...	
Haris Chandra Tarkavagisa ...	Kurigram	Rangpur ...	Rangpur Dharma Sabha	10	...	...	
Dwarkanath Nyayabhushan ...	Mugberia	Midnapore ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	10	...	...	
Kalikanta Siromani ...	Kotwalipara	Faridpur ...	Kotwalipara Aryyasiksha Samiti.	10	...	...	
Sasankamohan Kavyatirtha ...	Jagatpur Asramtol ...	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Vidyavinodini Sabha.	10	...	...	

BY ADDING UP MARKS.

				Rs.		
Asutosh Smritiratna ...	Piljang	Khulna ...	Narail Vidyotsahini Sabha	12	.....	.....
Sridhar Chandra Siromani ...	Purushottampur	Midnapore ...	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	12	.....	.....
Rasvehari Sankhyatirtha ..	Hasanpur	Murshidabad ..	Berhampore Pandit Sabha	12	.....	.....
Panchanan Kaviratna ...	Binnafair	Mymensingh ...	Binnafair Sanskrit Association.	12	.....	.....
Digambar Tarkasiddhanta ...	Bhatpara	24-Parganas ...	Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha	12	.....	.....
Ramsaran Vidyavagisa ..	Jubilee tol, Berhampore ...	Murshidabad ..	Berhampore Pandit Sabha	12	.....	.....
Gurucharan Smritiratna ...	Katihali	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh Dharma Sabha.	12	.....	.....
Devendra Nath Smritiratna ...	Samudragarh	Burdwan ...	Navadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha.	12	.....	.....
Sarada Charan Smritibhushan ...	Sanskrit tol, Mulajore ...	24-Parganas ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	10	.....	.....
Hara Chandra Tarkapanchanan	26, Prasannakumar Tagore's Street.	Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	10	.....	.....
Asutosh Kavyatirtha ...	Khalsakota	Backergunge ...	Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha.	10	.....	.....
Purushottam Vidyanidhi ...	Bani tol, Bellyabera ...	Midnapore ...	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti	10	.....	.....
Sasibhushan Vedantatirtha ...	Abhaya Chatuspathi, Gangatikuri.	Burdwan ...	Berhampore Pandit Sabha	10	.....	.....
Suryakumar Tarkabhushan ...	Sanskrit tol, Mulajore ...	24-Parganas	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	10	.....	.....
Yajneswar Vedantabhushan ...	Konnagar	Hooghly ...	Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha	10	.....	.....

RESERVED FOR ORISSA.

				Rs.		
Baishnab Charan Vidyasagar ..	Mayurbhanja	Mayurbhanja, Balasore	Balasore Sanskrit Samiti	10	.....	.....
Yameswar Misra ...	Baldevji	Cuttack ...	Orissa Sanskrit Samiti ...	10	.....	.....
Gadadhar Tripathi ...	Raghunandan tol ...	Puri ...	Jagannath Samiti, Puri ...	10	...	.....

RESERVED FOR NYAYA.

				Rs.		
Kailas Chandra Tarkatirtha ...	Ibrahimpur	Tippera ...	Dacca	12	.....	Nyaya.
Ramkrishna Tarkasastri ...	Pacca tol, Navadwipa ...	Nadia ...	Orissa Sanskrit Samiti, Cuttack.	10	.....	Do.

SECOND EXAMINATION.

NAME OF TEACHER.	Residence of Institution.	District.	Name of Association.	Stipend per month.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher Subjects.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
HARAKUMAR TAGORE TOL STIPEND.							
				Rs.			
Brajendranath Smritirtha ...	Narayani Chataspathi, Maheshpur.	Jessore ...	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	6			
Haranath Sastri ...	25, Syampukur Street ...	Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	6			
Bhubaneswar Kavyatirtha ...	23, Ram Kanta Basu's Lane, Bagbazar.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	5			
Kali Krishna Smritirana ...	Dhanyakuria	24-Parganas ...	Ditto ...	5	.....	.....	
Gopal Chandra Kavyatirtha ...	Pabna	Pabna ...	Ditto ...	5			

ERRATUM.

Read Dacca *for* Faridpur. Published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 16th September 1902, in the list of stipends awarded to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit First Examination, 1902, page 2, third column, against the name of Kailas Chandra Vidyabhushan, 6th name in the list of "By adding up marks."

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd July 1903.

A. C. EDWARDS,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal

G

Special stipends to Teachers under Revised Rule No. 23, paragraph 2 of the Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892, and Rules for the distribution of stipends to Teachers, [section (e), dated the 18th January 1901.]

[On the Results of the Sanskrit First and Second Examinations, 1903.]

TENABLE FOR ONE YEAR.

Name of Association.	Name of teacher.	Residence or Institution.	District.	Value of stipend.	Examination.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs.		
Behar Sanskrit Sanjiban ...	Chitradhar Misra ...	Darbhanga ...	Darbhanga ...	12	Second examination...	
	Sarvananda Tripathi ...	Chapra ...	Saran ...	10	Ditto ...	
	Suresa Misra ...	Baidyanath ...	Santhal Parganas ...	8	First examination ...	
	Dukha Mochan Jha ...	Hatua ...	Saran ...	6	Ditto ...	

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd July 1903.

A. C. EDWARDS,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

Results of the Final Examination of the Cuttack Survey School for the Session 1902-1903.

FIRST DIVISION.

1. Lal Behari Shikdar.
2. Bhim Rout.

SECOND DIVISION.

1. Manmatha Nath Sah.
2. Padma Charan Das.
3. Rama Nath Singh.
4. Surendra Nath Mukhapadhaya.
5. Basanta Kumar Das.
6. N Narhari Chowdhury.
7. Modekwety Sunyasirow.
8. Bepin Behary Sircar.
9. Tarapada Mukhopadhaya.
10. W. Venkateswara Sarma.

THIRD DIVISION.

1. Nakur Chandra Bose.
2. Radhashyam Mahanty.
3. Naba Kumar De.
4. Dasrathi Panda.
5. Tara Charan Sen.
6. Radha Govinda Ghose.
7. Protap Chandra Ghose.
8. Pindico Pattanaik.
9. Narendra Nath Bhattacharjee.
10. Shyama Charan Mitra.
11. Radha Ballav Das.
12. Hari Prosad Mahanty.
13. Altivilli Suryanarayana.
14. Netranand Naik.
15. Surendra Nath Moitra
16. Brindabon Chandra Mahanty.
17. Banchha Nidhi Das.
18. Aparti Nand.
19. Umesh Chandra Ghose.
20. Govinda Meghi.
21. Madhu Sudan Das.
22. Sitala Kanta Sen Gupta.

CALCUTTA,
The August 1903.

A. C. EDWARDS,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

OFFICE MEMO.

RULES FOR APPEARING AT THE F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS FOR CANDIDATES FROM THE RAJSHAHI DIVISION, WHO ARE NOT STUDENTS OF ANY AFFILIATED INSTITUTION.

DEPUTY INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS, Sub-Inspectors of Schools, and *bonâ fide* masters of English schools, who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or of six months after the examination of the same class last held by the University, in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations. The applications of school-masters should be accompanied by certificate of length of service from the Secretaries or Managers of the schools in which they are employed, and should reach this office not later than the 6th January 1904. The application of a school-master for permission to appear at the F.A. or B.A. examination should be signed by him in the *presence* of the Secretary or a Member of the Managing Committee of the School in which he is employed. The application should be forwarded to this office for countersignature, together with the Registrar's certificate, to prove, if this be the case, that the candidate has appeared at the examination in a previous year, and the certificate in proof of his having passed the Entrance or F.A. examination, as the case may be, and it will be sent back to him (the candidate) who will have to send it, together with the examination fee, to the Registrar of the University *direct*. School-masters are not required to pay any fee for getting their application for permission to appear at either of the abovementioned examinations countersigned by this office.

2. Candidates should read carefully the form of the certificate which this office is required to sign, and should be careful to supply all information and documents required, including the Registrar's receipt in the case of those school-masters who have been admitted to a former examination of the same class, without which the Inspector must decline to sign the certificate.

3. By *bonâ-fide* masters of schools are to be understood masters who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools, teaching at least the M.E. course.

JALPAIGURI,
The 24th July 1903.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.

Rajshahi Divisional Inspector's Office Memo.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. *Private students* are those who do not appear from any school or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector. The term 'private student' includes *schoolmasters*.

2. Private students must appear at the test-examination of one of the following institutions:—

Those from the	At the test-examination of	Date of test-examination.
1	2	3
1. Rajshahi district ...	Rajshahi Collegiate School (with the Principal's permission).	On the dates fixed by the Principal of the Rajshahi College.
2. Pabna ,, ...	Pabna Zilla School ...	14th December 1903.
3. Bogra ,, ...	Bogra ditto ...	
4. Rangpur ,, ...	Rangpur ditto ...	
5. Dinajpur ,, ...	Dinajpur ditto ...	
6. Jalpaiguri ,, ...	Jalpaiguri ditto ...	
7. Darjeeling ,, ...	Darjeeling High School ...	

The examinations will begin as stated above, and each private student will pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the head of the institution at which he appears for examination. The balance, after payment of expenses (stationery, etc.), will go as remuneration to the examiners.

3. Applications for permission to appear must be sent so as to reach *this office* not later than the 24th November, with the following information, etc.—

From Private Candidates proper.

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.
(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate from the same; or
(*c*) In the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.
(*d*) Age of the candidate.

From Schoolmasters.

(*e*) A certificate from the Secretary or Proprietor of the school in which the candidate is serving, to the effect that he has been a *bonâ-fide paid* teacher of the school in which he teaches, and has been so ever since the 1st June 1903. In case of a schoolmaster who has served *in more than one school*, he must produce certificates from the several schools in proof of his having been a *bonâ-fide paid* teacher all along since the 1st June 1903.

Failing to produce the above certificate or certificates, a schoolmaster will be subject to the rules applicable to *bonâ-fide* private candidates, as given above.

4. If this office is satisfied that all is in order, the Inspector will countersign and return the application, and this then will be the candidate's passport for admission *to the test-examination.*

5. The Head Master of an institution (one of those named above) should direct private students to appear before him not later than the 2nd January with their applications for admission to the Entrance examination, and in the case of those candidates who have satisfied the test, he will cause them to sign their application forms in his presence and will grant the necessary certificates, and then forward the applications to this office for countersignature, after which they will be sent by the Inspector *direct* to the candidates.

6. Expedition is necessary in carrying out all these instructions, and candidates should be *most careful* to give their names and addresses written legibly and distinctly, so that no mistake may be likely to occur.

7. *Under no circumstances should the entrance fee be sent to this office.*

8. Private students will understand that the test-examination of any schools other than those named above will not be accepted by this office.

9. Addresses of private students should be supplied to this office.

JALPAIGURI,
The 24th July 1903.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.

ORISSA DIVISION AND THE ORISSA TRIBUTARY MAHALS.
OFFICE MEMORANDUM OF THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, ORISSA DIVISION.

Rules for appearing at the F.A. and B A. Examinations in 1904 for candidates from the Orissa Division and the Orissa Tributary Mahals who are not students of any affiliated institution.

DEPUTY INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bonâ fide* teachers of recognised English schools who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or for a term of six months after an examination of the same class last held by the University in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations. All applications from school-masters should be accompanied by certificates of length of service from the Secretaries of the schools in which they are employed, and should reach this office not later than the 5th January 1904. The application of a school-master for permission to appear at the F.A. or B.A. Examination should be signed by him in the presence of the Secretary or a member of the Managing Committee of the school in which he is employed. The application should be forwarded to the office of the Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division, for countersignature, together with the Registrar's receipt to prove, if this be the case, that the candidate has appeared at the examination in a previous year, and the certificate in proof of his having passed the Entrance or F.A Examination, as the case may be. Such papers will be sent back to him (the candidate), who will have to send them, together with the examination fee, to the Registrar of the University direct.

2. Candidates should read carefully the form of the certificate which the Inspector of the Division will sign, and should be careful to supply all information and documents required, including the Registrar's receipt, in the case of those who have been admitted to a former examination of the same class, without which the Inspector must decline to sign the certificate applied for.

3. By *bonâ fide* teachers of schools are to be understood teachers who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools teaching at least the Middle English course.

CUTTACK,
The 17th July 1903.

HERBERT A. STARK,
Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.

MEMORANDUM.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. Private students are those who do not appear from any school, or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector.

2. The term "Private students" includes School Masters

3 Private students must appear at the test examination of any one of the undermentioned schools on dates to be fixed by Head Masters:—

(1) Ravenshaw Collegiate School (with the permission of the Principal of the College).	(2) Balasore Zilla School. (3) P. M. Academy. (4) Puri Zilla School.

4. Every private candidate must satisfy the following conditions:—

(*a*) That he has not failed at the test examination of any Entrance school in the current session.

(*b*) That he has not failed to gain promotion to the first class of any Entrance school at the results of the annual examination of the second class in the last session.

(*c*) That he has left the school in which he last read with a transfer certificate, or (in case of a failed student) is in possession of the Registrar's receipt.

5. Every private candidate must pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master of the school at which he is to appear for the examination.

6. He must arrange for his identification to the officer conducting the test examination, and he should satisfy the Head Master as to his character, if necessary.

7. The Head Masters of the abovenamed schools are requested to sign the application forms of eligible candidates having a reasonable probability of success at the final examination, and forward the same to this office for countersignature *in time*. Private candidates should make their own arrangements to remit their examination fees and application forms to the Registrar of the Calcutta University.

CUTTACK,
The 17th July 1903.

HERBERT A. STARK,
Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 7784, dated Calcutta, the 29th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Mohendra Nath Dutt is appointed to act at the Motihari Dispensary, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Harendra Kumar Das, or until further orders.

No. 7787, dated Calcutta, the 29th July 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Harendra Kumar Das, officiating at the Motihari Dispensary, is allowed privilege leave for two months and ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 7937, dated Calcutta, the 1st August 1903—Assistant Surgeon Gopal Chunder Mukerjee is appointed as Teacher of Medical Jurisprudence in the Campbell Medical School, Calcutta, with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Devendra Nath Roy, retired.

R. D. MURRAY, M.B., LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
for *Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.*

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU SUKUMAR HALDAR, Deputy Collector, has been temporarily placed in charge of the Dacca Treasury from the afternoon of the 22nd July 1903, *vice* Babu Nagendra Nath Mitra, transferred.

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA, *the 27th July 1903.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MAULVI MUHAMMAD YUSUF ALI is placed in charge of the Shahabad Treasury and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 28th July 1903.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU JOTINDRA NATH GUPTA has been temporarily placed in charge of the Palamau Treasury for a week, with effect from the 21st July 1903.

W. MAUDE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

RANCHI, *the 30th July 1903.*

BABU NARENDRA KUMAR CHAUDHURI, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Dacca Treasury from the forenoon of the 30th July 1903, *vice* Babu Sukumar Haldar.

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 1st August 1903.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

NOTIFICATION.

BABU BEHARI LAL BANERJEE, Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh, is appointed to be a District Delegate under section 235A of Act X of 1865 and section 52 of Act V of 1881 respectively, within the jurisdiction of the district of Mymensingh.

By order of the High Court,

H. L. STEPHENSON,
Offg. Registrar.

Sheriff's Office, the 29th July 1903.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Criminal Sessions of the year 1903 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the seventeenth day of August next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

W. A. BANKIER, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৩ সাল তারিখ ২৯শে জুলাই।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে স্থবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৩ সালের ১৭ই আগষ্ট সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টে আপন আদালত স্থরে সন ১৯০৩ সালের চতুর্থ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ডবিউ, এ, ব্যাঙ্কিয়ার, সরিফ।

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6572B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Wednesday, the 2nd September 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

		Chests
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Total	...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th September 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 17th September 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory ; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory ; about chests.	Total ; about chests.
On or about Monday, 12th October 1903...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 2nd November ,, ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December ,, ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	6,000	6,000	12,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th July 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be Commissioners of the Berhampore Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, at the seventh general elections held on the 23rd May 1903 :—

Ward No. I.

Gorabazar ... Babu Mohendra Nath Mukherji.
„ Radha Raman Mukherji.
„ Purna Chandra Dubey.

Ward No. II.

Cantonment ... P. E Gourju, Esq.

Ward No. III.

Berhampore ... Babu Vishnu Charan Sen
„ Srivan Behari Sen.
„ Sashi Sekhar Banerji.
Maulvi Abdul Alim.
Babu Hara Sankar Bhattacharji.

Ward No. IV.

Khagra ... The Hon'ble Maharaja Manindra Chandra Nandi
Babu Lalit Mohan Banerji.
„ Satyendra Narain Bagchi.
„ Panchanan Dutt.

Ward No. V.

Saidabad ... Babu Baikant Nath Sen.
„ Ramani Mohan Sen.
„ Banwari Lal Gossami.

Ward No. VI.

Kosimbazar ... Babu Radhika Charan Nandi.

CHANDIDAS GHOSE, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 8th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the seventh general election of the Commissioners of the Deoghar Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, under Act III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, will be held on Monday, the 21st September 1903.

C. R. MARRIOTT, *Offg. Commissioner*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 21st July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on Monday, the 7th September 1903, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884, as amended by Act IV (B.C.) of 1894, in Ward No. IV of the Arrah Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, for the election of a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Mirza Wajabat Hussain, deceased.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 31st July 1903.*

ERRATUM.

IN the notification of the 16th July 1903, published at page 974, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, showing the names of the gentlemen elected as Commissioners of the Ranaghat Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the seventh general election held on the 23rd May 1903, *for* "Babu Mohendra Nath Pramanik," an elected Commissioner of Ward No. 1 of the Municipality, *read* "Babu Manmatha Nath Pramanik."

P. C LYON, *Offg Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 3rd August 1903.*

ERRATUM

IN the notification of the 14th July 1903, published at page 947, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, showing the names of the gentlemen elected to be Commissioners of the Birnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the seventh general election held on the 23rd May 1903, *for* "Babu Surendra Nath Khan," an elected Commissioner of Ward No. III, *read* "Babu Sujendra Nath Khan."

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 3rd August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Rules for Hospitals and Dispensaries, that the District Board of Faridpur, at its meeting held on the 25th April 1903, appointed the Second and Third Munsifs of Bhanga to be *ex-officio* members of the Committee appointed for the management of the Bhanga Charitable Dispensary.

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 31st July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (B) of the Dispensary Manual, Mr. George Oliver and Dr. Sarada Prosad Bhattacharya have been appointed members of the Managing Committee of the Garulia Municipal Dispensary, in the district of 24-Parganas, in the place of Mr. J. A. Crabtree and Dr. Jadu Nath Ganguli, resigned.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., *the 31st July 1903.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 30th July 1903.

No. 926.—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed permanently at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the dates noted against their names:—

Captain D. R. Green, M.D., Indian Medical Service (Bengal),—5th June 1903.
Captain C. A. Lane, M.D., Indian Medical Service,—24th March 1903.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 30th July 1903.

No. 939.—The services of the Reverend C. G. Stokoe, Junior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces, with effect from the 1st July 1903, or the subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his duties at Calcutta.

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 31st July 1903.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Behar Light Horse.

No. 796.—John Macleod Cameron, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, with effect from the 15th June 1903, to fill an existing vacancy.

Calcutta Light Horse.

No. 797.—Lieutenant Archibald John Pugh to be Captain, with effect from the 26th May 1903, *vice* Apostolides, promoted.

Second-Lieutenant Thomas Horatio Westmacott to be Lieutenant, with effect from the 26th May 1903, *vice* Pugh, promoted.

Second-Lieutenant Guy Shorrock to be Lieutenant, with effect from the 26th May 1903, to fill an existing vacancy.

Alfred Donald Pickford, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, with effect from the 26th May 1903, *vice* Westmacott, promoted.

Latham Blaker Hamilton, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, with effect from the 26th May 1903, *vice* Shorrock, promoted.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

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PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2018M.—The 29th July 1903.—Under section 82 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following modifications in the Municipal Account Rules, published under Notification No. 5472M., dated the 13th December 1897, at pages 297 to 358, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem:—

Rule 60.—For the memorandum of agreement *substitute*:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance as per cash-book			
Deduct—			
Balances of separate accounts of the Dispensary Funds in the Treasury as per detailed accounts received from the Managing Committees			
Rs. A. P.			
Dispensary Fund			
Ditto			
Ditto			
Total			
Net balance of cash-book			
Add—			
Amount of uncashed cheques			
Total ...			
Balance as per pass-book of the Municipal Fund ...			

Rule 103.—Substitute the following for the present rule:—

The register for the record of donations and subscriptions of a Charitable Dispensary shall be kept by the Managing Committee in Form No. XL. Columns 10 or 11, as the case may be, of this register shall be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge or the Secretary of the Managing Committee when the money is sent to the Municipal Office or remitted to the

treasury. Separate receipts need not be granted to the donors or subscribers unless they specially ask for them.

FORM XL.

Dispensary Subscription Register.

Name of donor.	Amount promised.	Outstandings.			Amount paid	Date and initials of Donor.	Balance outstanding.	Initials of Officer in Charge.	Date when sent to Office.	Date when remitted to Treasury.	Remarks.
		Arrear.	Current	Total							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.				

Rule 104.—In line 1 *after* "dispensaries" *insert* " in Class II-B."

Add the following rule:—

Rule 104A.—For hospitals and dispensaries in class II-A a separate banking account is allowed at the Treasury. All receipts of these institutions will be paid into the Treasury direct by the Managing Committee, and all payments on account of them will also be made by the Committee direct without the intervention of the Municipal Office, either from the imprest in the hands of the Medical Officer or by cheques drawn by the Secretary or President upon the Treasury. The income from the endowments and investments will, however, be realised by the Municipality and remitted to the Treasury for credit to the account of the Dispensary Fund, an intimation being at the same time sent to the Managing Committee.

Before the 5th of the following month, the Managing Committee will furnish the Municipal Office with an account showing all the receipts and charges of the Dispensary Fund and a memorandum reconciling the closing balance of the account with that shown at credit of the fund in the pass-book. On receipt of this account, the transactions will be incorporated in the accounts of the Municipality under the proper heads.

The credits shown in the accounts of the Committee on account of contributions paid by the Municipality should be taken under the head "Advances" to which the corresponding payments in the Municipal accounts should also be debited.

No. 2021Medl.—The 29th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following modifications in the Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries, published under Government Notification, dated the 5th January 1892, at pages 6 to 11 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem:—

Rule 25.—Omit the whole.

Rule 26.—Omitthe words "all subscriptions, ... shall be kept."

Insert the following additional rules:—

Rule 26A.—Dispensaries in class II are subdivided for purposes of Account into two classes: class IIA—Dispensaries for which separate banking accounts are allowed to be opened in the Treasury with the sanction of the Government, and class IIB—Dispensaries for which separate accounts are not allowed at the Treasury, but the funds of which are kept under the direct control of the local authority.

(*a*)—CLASS IIA—DISPENSARIES.

(1). All subscriptions and donations shall be collected by the Managing Committee, and shall be paid into the Treasury for credit to the Dispensary Fund. The income from endowments and investments shall, however, be realised by the local authority, and shall be remitted by it to the Treasury for credit to the Dispensary Fund, an advice being sent at the same time to the Managing Committee. If any cheques or remittance orders are received, they should be sent intact to the Treasury for *per contra* credit to the Dispensary Fund.

All claims should be discharged either by payments from the imprest placed by the Committee in the hands of the Medical Officer in charge or by cheques drawn by the Secretary or the President upon the Treasury in favour of the actual payees. The imprest in the hands of the Medical Officer shall not ordinarily exceed Rs. 25.

(2). If it is necessary for the local authority to make a contribution to supplement the Dispensary Funds, such contribution should be paid in quarterly instalments on the first day of each quarter by cheques which should be made payable by transfer to the credit of the dispensary account in the Treasury These amounts will be credited in the cash-book of the Managing Committee as contribution from the local authority by *per contra* debit as remitted to the Treasury.

(3). The Managing Committee shall keep a cash-book in Form No. IX-A, in which shall be entered all receipts and payments with necessary details as soon as the transactions occur. The cash-book should be closed every month, and a memorandum recorded reconciling the balance with that shown in the pass-book. A copy of the monthly account supported by vouchers for the payments made and signed by the President of the Committee shall be forwarded to the office of the local authority before the 5th of the succeeding month for incorporation in their accounts.

The transactions of the Dispensary Fund with the Treasury will be shown in a pass-book, which will be supplied gratis by the Treasury. The pass-book shall be closed and balanced at the end of every month. It should be examined by the Secretary of the Committee every time that it is received back from the Treasury to see that all the transactions have been duly entered therein. At the close of every month the Treasury Officer will prepare a memorandum showing the opening balances, monthly receipts and payments and the closing balances of the several Dispensary Funds banking with the Treasury, and enter this memorandum in the pass-books of the local authority to which the dispensaries belong, to enable it to verify the balances.

(*b*)—CLASS IIB—DISPENSARIES.

(1). As regards these dispensaries, the interest on the investments will be accounted for by the local authority direct. But all donations and subscriptions will be collected by the Managing Committee and paid into the office of the local authority, and there accounted for in the usual way.

(2). All claims in respect of these institutions shall be either paid from the imprest in the hands of the Medical Officer in charge, or discharged by the local authority concerned on bills duly passed by the Managing Committee, by issue of cheques upon the Treasury.

(3). The Managing Committee shall keep a monthly account showing all transactions of the dispensary, including the contributions payable by the local authority, and forward a copy of this account to the local authority at the end of every month for comparison with the accounts kept at the office of the local authority concerned.

Insert the following new form:—

FORM No. IXA.

Cash-Book of Class IIA.—Dispensary Fund.

Date.	Nature of Receipt.	Cash.	Treasury.	Remarks.	Date.	Nature of Payment.	Cash.	Treasury.		Remarks.
								Cheque No.	Amount.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11

No. 2132M.—The 29th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Murshidabad Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, of Raja Bahadur Ranajit Sinha to be their Chairman.

Murshidabad.

No 2134L.S.-G.—The 29th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Bhola Local Board, in the district of Backergunge, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the said section, to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Bhola to be the Chairman of that Local Board.

Backergunge.

No. 2136M.—The 29th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Baraset Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Uma Charan Banerjee.	Babu Adya Nath Banerjee.
„ Amrita Lal Banerjee.	Maulvi Erteza Hossein.
„ Jadu Madhab Chatterjee.	Babu Hari Nath Ghosal.

No. 2138L.S.-G.—The 29th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Backergunge, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen to be their Chairman.

Backergunge.

No. 2141M.—The 30th July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, to be a Commissioner *ex-officio* of the Darjeeling Municipality.

Darjeeling.

No. 2149L.S.-G.—The 29th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the rules framed under clause (*a*), section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, and in partial supersession of Government Notification No. 2458L.S.-G., dated the 25th August 1902, published in Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to fix the 9th October 1903 as the date for holding the election of three members for the Bihar thana and of three members for the Islampur and Silao thanas jointly for the Bihar Local Board, in the district of Patna.

Patna.

No. 2151L S.-G.—The 29th July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that paragraph 2 of Government Notification No. 248L.S.-G., dated the 19th January 1903, published at page 12, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st January 1903, appointing, under section 10 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Maulvi Moain Azhar *alias* Budhu Babu, of Baen, to be a member of the Bihar Local Board, in the district of Patna, is cancelled.

Patna.

No. 2168M.— The 31st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Nilmoni Das.	Babu Kala Chand Banerji.
	Shaik Atiar Rahaman.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, under section 16 of the Act, Babu Benode Kisore Goswami to be a Commissioner of the said Municipality.

No. 2170M.—The 31st July 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Dumka Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of Part IX of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 2172M.—The 31st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Ghatal Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, of Babu Krittibas Mondal to be their Chairman.

Midnapore.

No. 2174M.—The 31st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Bhagalpur Municipality, in the district of Bhagalpur, of Babu Upendra Nath Ragchi to be their Chairman.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2176M.—The 31st July 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Sub-divisional Officer of Kendrapara to be Chairman *ex-officio* of the Kendrapara Municipality, in the district of Cuttack.

Cuttack.

No. 2178M.—The 31st July 1903.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 1 of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, II of 1891, and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby extends the provisions of the said Act to the Cuttack Cantonment with effect from the date of this notification.

Cuttack.

No. 2182L.S.-G.—The 1st August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Kishoregunge Local Board, in the district of Mymensingh, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Guru Prosad Chakrabutty to be their Chairman.

Mymensingh.

No. 2184L.S.-G.—The 1st August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Contai Local Board, in the district of Midnapore, having failed to elect their Chairman within the time prescribed by rule 77 of the rules framed under section 138 (*c*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, under the said rule, the Subdivisional Officer of Contai to be Chairman of the said Local Board.

Midnapore.

No. 2186L.S.-G.—The 1st August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Jamalpur Local Board, in the district of Mymensingh, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the said section, to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Jamalpur to be the Chairman of that Local Board.

Mymensingh.

No. 2228M.—The 3rd August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Monghyr Municipality, in the district of Monghyr:—

Monghyr.

The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr ... *Ex-officio.*

Mr. G. W. Scott.
„ W. A. Thomas.
Rai Camaleshwari Prosad Singh Bahadur
Babu Shyamal Das Chakrabarti.
Mr. J. McL. Bolton.

No. 2230L.S.-G.—The 1st August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Tangail Local Board, in the district of Mymensingh, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the said section, to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Tangail to be the Chairman of that Local Board.

Mymensingh.

No. 2232L.S.-G.—The 1st August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Sitamarhi Local Board, in the district of Muzaffarpur, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the said section, to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Sitamarhi to be Chairman of that Local Board.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 2234M.—The 1st August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Motihari Municipality, in the district of Champaran, having at a meeting requested the Local Government, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. J. H. Bernard, I.C.S., to be their Chairman.

Champaran.

No. 2244L.S.-G.—The 3rd August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 6, clause (*b*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to take possession of the private ferries in the districts of Darbhanga and Monghyr named below and to declare them to be public ferries:—

Darbhanga.
Monghyr.

(1) Private ferry named Mirzapur, situated at the point where the District Board road from Samastipur to Narhan, No. 11, crosses the Bur Gandak river in mauza Narhan, No. 12, thana Dalsingsarai.

(2) Private ferry named Fafaut, situated at the point where a village track crosses the Bur Gandak in mauza Narhan, No. 12, thana Dalsingsarai.

(3) Private ferry named Soorowly, situated at the point where the Local Board road, Gangawly to Dalsingsarai, No. 15, crosses the Byntee river in mauza Raghopur, No. 23, thana Dalsingsarai.

(4) Private ferry named Rampur, situated at the point where the Local Board road, Soorowly-Pattailia ghat road, No. 13, crosses the Bur Gandak river, in mauza Pattailia, No. 15, thana Dalsingsarai.

(5) Private ferry named Matihani Pattali, situated at the point where the Local Board road, Soorowly to Pattailia, No. 13, bifurcated and crosses the Bur Gandak river, in mauza Pattailia, No. 15, thana Dalsingsarai.

The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 35 of the aforesaid Act, to direct that the above ferries shall be managed by the District Board of Darbhanga, and that all the proceeds of the ferries, and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof, shall be paid into the District Fund with effect from the date of this notification. The net receipts from the ferry shall be divided equally between the District Funds of Darbhanga and Monghyr.

Mymensingh.

No. 2247L.S.-G.—The 4th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Mymensingh, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Mohendra Nath Majumdar, to be their Chairman.

Chittagong.

No. 2249M.—The 4th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Chittagong Municipality, in the district of Chittagong, of Mr. E. Good, to be their Chairman.

Jessore.

No. 2255M.—The 4th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Maheshpur Municipality, in the district of Jessore:—

Babu Dina Nath Rai Chaudhury.	Babu Hira Lal Datta.
„ Nithoremay Banerjee.	„ Hira Lal Madak.

Babu Smarajit Chandra Rai Chaudhury.

Nadia.

No. 2257M.—The 4th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Ranaghat Municipality, in the district of Nadia:—

The Sub-Inspector of Schools, Ranaghat ... *Ex-officio.*

Babu Kanai Lal De.	Babu Ram Krishna Mukerjee.
„ Abinas Chandra Pal.	„ Ram Chandra Ghose.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 2265M.—The 4th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Muzaffarpur Municipality, in the district of Muzaffarpur, having at a meeting requested the Local Government, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. E. V. Levinge, I.C.S., to be their Chairman.

Tippera.

No. 2267M.—The 4th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. S. Lucas to be a Commissioner of the Chandpur Municipality, in the district of Tippera, *vice* Mr. A. G. Rogers, resigned.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Calcutta.

No. 2225M.—The 1st August 1903.—In declaration No. 2245T.M., dated the 22nd October 1902, published in Part IB, page 203 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th October 1902, relating to the acquisition of land for improving Baburam Seal's Lane in Calcutta, *for* "No. 23 Baburam Seal's Lane" in line 5 *read* "No. 23-1 Baburam Seal's Lane."

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2263M.—The 4th August 1903.—In Notification No. 1298T.—M., dated the 25th June 1903, published at page 126, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st July 1903, publishing the revised boundaries of the North Barrackpore Municipality, *for* the words "Naihati Municipality" in the definition of the northern boundary of the Municipality, *read* "Bhatpara Municipality."

24-Parganas.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2251M.—The 4th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Bhatpara Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a moribund-house and a pathway leading to it at Muktearpur, in the village of Bhatpara, pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 cottahs 4 chitaks of standard measurement is required. The land is bounded on the north by the Muktearpur khal, on the east by Kamarpara road and Jadu Nath Chatterjee's garden land, on the south by Jadu Nath Chatterjee's garden land, and on the west by the river Hooghly.

24-Parganas.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the Office of the Deputy Collector of Barasat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2259M.—The 4th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a square in Jorabagan in Ward No. V of the Calcutta Municipality, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, No. 16-4, Jorabagan Street, in the town of Calcutta, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 1 cottah 13 chitaks and 35 square feet, is required. The boundaries of the land are as follow :—

24-Parganas.

On the North—Horo Lal Dass's Lane.
On the East—Boistob Charan Sett's Lane.
On the South—Jorabagan Street.
On the West—Municipal sewered ditch.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the Office of the Commissioners.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following return, dated the 24th July 1903, of an appointment by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, under section 8 of Bengal Act III of 1899, of a Commissioner under that Act, is hereby published in pursuance of sub-section (2) of section 58 of the Act—

The Hon'ble Mr. Earnest Cable.

R. T. GREER,
Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta.

The 4th August 1903.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1903.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or share of estates in the district of Bhagalpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th of August 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Names of estate, thana and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
336	Bikrampur Chakrami Nisf taluqa, pargana Chhai, thana Bihpur.	7,701 1 0	.....	Ijmali—				
				Chakrami ... A. G. C. kt. D. R. 16 0 0 0 0 0	Abu Zafar and others.	1,375 7 0	.....	214 8 2
				Basulpur Kabir 16 0 0 0 0 0	W. M. Grant and others.			
				Hasanpur Marar 16 0 0 0 0 0	Ditto.			
				Shankarpur Gosaindass ... 9 12 0 0 0 0	Mohi Misra and others.			
				Sewanandpur Bahir *alias* Gopalpur 8 0 0 0 0 0	M. B. Morisson.			
				Bikrampur ... 6 12 1 0 1 5	Raghu Nandan Singh and others.			
				Hariharpur ... 6 12 1 0 1 5	Ditto.			
				Jamaluddinpur 1 10 0 0 0 0	Jhingar Kumar and others.			
				Bishenpuramri ... 0 16 1 2 2 15	W. M. Grant and others.			
				Syed Naruddinpur 0 6 2 0 2 0	Ditto.			
				Bishenpur Gopal Tekwazpur ... 0 5 0 0 0 0	Sharafat Hossain.			
				Jalkara (5) ... 12 12 3 0 0 0	Jhagru Kumar and others.			
338	Makrohi, pargana Naredigar, thana Supaul.	3,768 0 0	.....	A. G. C.				
				Piprasi . 16 0 0				
				Badekalapatti . 16 0 0	Separate account No. 11.			
				Gamherpur ... 16 0 0				
				Bharwa ... 16 0 0				
				Dubrahi ... 8 19 1				
						753 10 0	.....	141 2 0

Bhagalpur Collectorate, the 17th July 1903.

A. N. MOBERLY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 1st Asvin 1310 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1533	Taluk Krishna Prosad Guha, pargana Rajirgomedpur.	Rs. A. P. 3,960 15 8	Whole estate.	.....	Brojo Lal Rai Chowdhury and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 32 1 6½	Rs. A. P.
1720	Zamindari pargana Chandradvip 8a. 1rg. 2c. 2kt. share, pargana Chandradvip.	44,537 13 6	...	Separate account No. 6, share 14g. 3c. 1kt. 7t. 3ch.	Raj Kumar Rai Chowdhuri	3,627 7 10½	...	592 4 11½
1764	Zamindari, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur, 3a. 1g. 2c. 1kt. share, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur.	8,543 6 8	Whole estate.	.....	Ananda Chandra Rai ...	...	830 8½	.....
1997	Taluk Fate Mahamad, pargana Khanja Bahadurnagar.	738 3 9	Ditto ...	.....	Kusum Kumari Debi Chowdhurani.	.....	93 4 7	.....
3843	Zamindari pargana Selimabad, 13a., pargana Selimabad.	3,599 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Nabin Chandra Sen Chowdhuri and others.	.....	292 11 11	.
3844	Ditto ...	3,599 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Sareda Prosad Sen Chowdhuri and others.	..	312 5 4	..
4534	Char Sarikal, pargana Zazira	3,441 11 3	Ditto ...	....	Rahimannessa Khatun and others.		2,641 11 3	.. ..

Barisal, the 24th July 1903. D. WESTON, Offg. Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the village of Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona, at 12 o'clock noon, on the 20th August 1903, corresponding with 3rd Bhadra 1310, Bengali era.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset prices, which have been fixed by the Collector. The purchaser of these estates will be considered as the proprietor of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him permanently free of rent.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.		
2705	Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	0 0 7	Will be sold revenue free.	
2707	Ditto, ditto ...	0 0 21		

Ghatal, the 7th July 1903. AHMAD, Subdivisional Officer.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and sharer of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th August 1903 at noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Taun No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Permanently-settled estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
537	Shakarpura, pargana Pharkia.	1,036 4 0	Whole ...	.....	Mosamat Jainti Kumri and others.	.....	300 0 0	..
815	Sihanwan, pargana Malki (Sihanwan Karari in revenue-roll).	1,120 7 0	.....	Ijmali share, excluding separate accounts No.— Rs. A. P. 2. Chethroo Singh ... 112 0 0 3. Kali Prosad ... 213 6 0 5. Kharag Singh 5 40 6. Fazal Rahman, *alias* Sagruddin ... .. 2 5 0 7. Goomani Rai ... 4 6 0 8. Mahesh Singh, &c. .. ... 43 9 0 9. Bhim Singh, &c. 9 10 0 10. Jhandoo Singh, &c. ... . 74 7 0 11. Bhagwan Pershad, receiver of estate Suja .. 31 15 0 12. Birjbehari Singh, &c. ... .. 26 4 0 13. Gannoo Singh and others . 79 0 0 14. Rohi Chaudhri, &c. ... ... 17 14 0 Total ... 630 0 0	Mosamat Raghunatho Kumri, &c.	500 7 0	.....	213 13 6
1072	Baikunthpur, Khanjehanpur, pargana Bhusari.	1,193 8 0	... ...	Ijmali share consisting of Baikunthpur, 11a. 7g. 9c. 4dt 5kt. 18r. 2p. and Khanjehanpur, 13a. 19g. 11k. 2dt. 2k. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Abunasar Jelaludin, Manager of Mosamat Girjabati Kumri and others.	987 14 0	.....	23 4 7
1078	Taluka Siripur, pargana Bhusari.	3,563 6 0	.....	6a. 16g. 6c. 7dt. 10kt. ijmali share All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Ram Lagan Sahu and others.	1,491 0 0	.....	187 14 2
1166	Qasba Sheikhdih and Hetampur, pargana Musjidpur.	1,026 5 0	.....	Ijmali share consisting of— A. c. Sheikhdih ... ... 16 0 Hetampur ... ... 13 5 All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Turant Lal, &c. ...	946 9 0	.....	196 10 2
1339	Arazi Tikarampur, pargana Monghyr.	3,073 6 0	Whole ...	... ..	Mahanth Sharam Dass, Mahanth Mahabir Dass (minor) under guardianship of Mahanth Sarju Dass.	....	576 2 0	.....
4420	Sihanwan Diara Gangbarar, pargana Malki.	2,881 8 0	.....	2a. 15g. 3c. 1kt. 1dt. 8r. ijmali share. All other shares besides that specified and separate account 9 are excluded from sale.	Ramtahal Singh, &c.	802 4 0		13 13 9
7992	Parihara Hari Singh Patti Mosamat Jainti Kumri, pargana Balia.	1,719 8 0	Whole ...		Mosamat Jainti Kumri.	.....	420 13 3	....
				Temporarily-settled estates.				
1321	Arasi Jagdispur Karari, pargana Suragarha.	1,173 8 0	.....	13 annas ijmali share— All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Udwant Singh and others.	997 8 0	.....	83 6 3
1360	Agar Tappa Saronja, pargana Pharkia.	1,711 10 0	Whole ...	.....	Rambahadur Singh, &c.	.....	97 13 6	.....
1406	Bhawanandpur *alias* Ramdeori, pargana Malki.	10 690 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Jagatdhar Narain Pershad, minor, under the guardianship of his mother Mosamat Tribeni Kumri.	.....	5,340 8 0	
1433	Akbarpur Karari, pargana Malki.	1,836 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Udwant Singh and others.	.....	137 0 0	.

Monghyr Collectorate, the 14th/15th July 1903.

F. P. DIXON, *Offg.* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th August 1903 at 12 o' clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
211	Gauripagar, pargana Bagowan.	Rs. A. P. 1,189 2 0	...	14a. 2g. 1c. 2kag share ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ganga Mani Brahmanya	Rs. A. P. 1,040 7 9	.....	Rs. A. P. 1 14 9

Nadia Collectorate, the 9th July 1903.

KEDAR NATH MUKERJI, Deputy Collector in charge.

Sale Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Monday, the 24th August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 16th Bhado 1310Fasli, for arrears of land revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
434	Mahuli Khurd, pargana Arrah.	Rs A. P. 550 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Rambaran Singh and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 190 13 0	Rs. A. P. .....
1929	Khurampore, pargana Chousa.	533 10 7	Do. ...	.....	Ramadhin Rai and others.	.....	6 11 7	.....
1966	Pipradh Fariksani, pargana Chousa.	320 14 3	Do. ...	.....	Dewa Pandey and others.	.....	256 3 6	.....
2065	Aukhara, pargana Chainpore.	814 14 11	Do. ...	.....	B. Brindaban and others.	.....	146 10 3	.....
2378 Joint.	Nouanjhonti, pargana Chainpore.	814 14 11	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is 10a. 7p. 10k. Other shares are excluded from sale with the exception of separate account I, which will also be sold.	Sri Sitaram Naikdaji Kalia and others.	541 2 7	.....	17 1 5
2308 Joint	Dawath, pargana Danwar.	1,174 6 5	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is in villages— A. P. K. M. D. Dawath ... 8 7 13 6 15 Bhurkundia ... 7 1 6 13 10 Lilkhanthpore 2 11 19 19 0 Gothani ... 2 11 19 19 0 Patibodhri ... 8 9 3 6 15 Khet Tuara ... 5 11 13 6 15 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Ramdalim Singh and others.	553 15 10	.....	94 8 10
2946 Joint	Narwar, pargana Dinara.	1,082 2 0	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is 10a. 8p. Other shares are excluded from sale.	Lakhmi Chand, *alias* Raja Lal and others.	1,121 6 8	.....	66 10 7
4078 Joint	Pawana, pargana Pawar.	4,725 14 7	...	The ijmali share to be sold is— A. P. Souna ... ... 8 0 Amailangerseupore ... 8 0 Pati Ekoni ... ... 8 0 Chela ... ... 16 0 Sonra ... ... 16 8 Naroni ... ... 16 0 Pati Pawar ... ... 16 0 and other shares are excluded from sale.	Raja Rajeswari Prasad Singh and others.	2,005 14 5	.....	22 6 10
6458	Kaup, pargana Peoro.	809 6 0	Whole ...	.....	Sheotahal Rai and others.	.....	277 13 6	.....
6472	Berath, pargana Nonur.	1,467 2 7	Do. ...	.....	Bhirgunath Singh and others.	.....	189 9 8	.....
7062	Balbhadarpore Darihat, pargana Sasaram.	1,339 11 5	Do. ...	.....	Ganga Prasad Sahu and others.	.....	469 9 5	.....
3198	Toufir* Makhdumpore, pargana Barahgawan.	5,672 6 3	Do. ...	.....	Ram Rajendradeonarain.	.....	5,623 12 4	.....

* This is temporarily-settled estate

Dated Arrah, the 23rd July 1903.

R. G. KILBY, Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 28th August 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of Land Revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares are excluded from sale.

Class I. Permanently-settled Estates.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	2	Magura Kangaluria and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,828 15 2½	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Deb and others.	.....	Rs. A. P. 229 0 1½	.....

Alipore, the 27th July 1903. R. C. GHOSH, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
4	Sonbhum, pargana Sonbhum, thana Bolpur.	Rs. A. P. 41,230 7 8	.....	Residuary share, excepting separate accounts Nos. 1, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rajabalika Goswamini and others.	Rs. A. P. 1,926 15 11	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 34 7 7
17	Kagas, pargana Mouresswar Sabek, thana Labpur.	17,182 13 0	.....	Separate account No. V ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Mukherjee and others.	4,645 4 0	....	36 10 11
145	Bagdola, pargana Akbarshahi, thana Suri.	1,033 7 0	.....	Residuary share amounting to 12 annas' share, excepting separate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Gnanendra Chandra Mukherjee and others.	775 1 3	...	17 9 0

Birbhum Collectorate, Suri, the 27th July 1903. A. AHMAD, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th September 1903 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Elahabad zamindari, pargana Elahabad.	Rs. A. P.	Share ...	Residuary share 8 annas.	Latifannessa Choudhurain, Golapoo Choudhurain.	Rs. A. P. 852 3 4	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Land revenue— 131 12 8 Road cess— 116 12 0 248 8 8

B. C. SEN, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Jessore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 17th September 1903 at 2 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
188	Mahamudpur, pargana Isafpur.	729 9 2	Yes ...	...	Chandra Kanta Siddhanta-bagisa Bhattacharji.	.....	29 14 7	...
5110	Rampur, pargana Mulghar.	6,040 8 8	Yes ...	.....	Badan Chandra Choudhuri and Debendra Nath Singha Roy.	.	71 8 0	.....

Jessore Collectorate, the 31st July 1903. J. T. BABONAU, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Khulna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
161	Fingri, pargana Fingri ...	Rs. A. P.	No ...	Share No. 1, 15a. 5g. ...	Pares Nath Mitra and others.	Rs. A. P. 918 0 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 41 5

Khulna Collectorate, the 29th July 1903. S. C. MUKERJEE, Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the Collector's Office of that district on 7th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
6518	Pargana Havili, taraf Mahamudpur, mahal Salehpur.	Rs. A. P. 1,017 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Probhat Chandra Chattopadhya.	..	Rs. A. P. 202 0 0	.....

Faridpur, the 30th July 1903. F. W. WARD, Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of the district on 10th September 1903 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
829	Sothgaman, pargana Bhala.	Rs. A. P. 503 13 1	The whole	.....	Pun Nath Jha, guardian of Kamla Nath Jha and Mussamat Gun lata Dai.	...	Rs. A. P. 56 9 11	...

Darbhanga Collectorate, the 25th July 1903. W. B. HEYCOCK, Collector.

SALE PROCLAMATION.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Bhagalpur.

PRESENT:

Rai Suresh Chunder Ghose Bahadur, M.A.B.L.

EXECUTION CASE No. 466 OF 1903.

Kumar Kalanund Sing, major, and Kumar Kirtyanund Sing, minor, through his brother and guardian Kumar Kalanund Sing, of Deodhi Champanagger, pargana Haveli, district Purnea, decree-holders, *versus* Kumar Nityanund Singh, of 13 Beadon Street, Calcutta, at present residing at Benares, judgment-debtor.

ALONG with other properties, the Government revenue of which is less than Rs. 500, and putnies, etc., situate in the districts of Bhagalpur, Monghyr, Purnea, Malda, and Darbhanga, belonging to the judgment-debtor, aforesaid, the following mortgaged properties, together with all asli and dakhili villages, kamat, and all the zamindari rights shall be sold on the 7th September 1903 at 12 noon by the Nazir of the Court of the District Judge of Bhagalpur, in pursuance of a mortgage decree passed by the above Court in suit No. 1/3 of 1901, in which the said decree-holders were plaintiffs and the said judgment-debtor and another were defendants, for the recovery of Rs. 4,89,679-3-9, the amount due to the decree-holders.

Be it known that properties Nos. 22 to 27 mentioned below shall be sold subject to the mortgage lien of Rai Kamleshri Prosad, of Monghyr, under mortgage bond executed by the judgment-debtor for two lakhs, dated 6th Jeth 1301F., besides interest.

Serial No.	Serial No. in the decree-holder's application.	Name of mahal.	Tauzi No.	Government revenue of the entire estate.	District and Collectorate.	Pargana, thana and registration.	Approximate value.
		As. P.		Rs. A. P.			Rs.
1	1	Share ... 2 8 Tappeh Jamalpur	525	23,746 14 0	Monghyr ..	Pargana Farkya, thana registration Gogri.	1,000
2	6	Do. ... 2 8 Mohiba	553	1,216 8 0	Ditto ..	Bal ia	10
3	7	Do. ... 2 8 Madhopur Gangbarar	4421	3,479 8 0	Ditto ...	Pargana Farkya, Gogri ...	10
4	8	Do. ... 2 8 Amanut Sircar Ratan ...	2480	543 8 0	Ditto ...	Ditto	10
5	22	Do. ... 2 8 Talka Telhar	2554	2,520 13 0	Bhagalpur .	Kubkhand, Bongaon, Supaul	100
6	24	Do. ... 2 8 Nohata	2556	2,183 13 0	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	2,000
7	26	Do. ... 16 0 Terakardah	1293	2,403 12 0	Purnea ..	Terakarda, Malihari. Araarya	25,000
8	29	Do. ... 2 8 Dhappar	2943	20,883 6 0	Bhagalpur ...	Dhappar, Partabgunge ...	20,000
9	30	Do. ... 5 4 Bhimnagger	2844	1,182 0 0	Ditto ...	Ditto	200
10	35	Do. ... 2 8 Roshunathpur	2876	514 2 0	Ditto ..	Ditto	500
11	39	Do. ... 2 8 Khandputtee	2563	962 7 0	Ditto ...	Utterkund, Bongaon, Supaul	200
12	40	Do. ... 16 0 Shahpur	2524	1,424 5 6	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,000
13	41	Do. ... 2 8 Talka Saifabad	2596	546 11 0	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	200
14	42	Do. ... 2 8 Talka Agwanpur	2527	1,895 13 0	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,000
15	44	Do. ... 2 8 Chainpur	2521	820 12 0	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,000
16	46	Do. ... 16 0 Monanpur Nohatta	2556	865 12 0	Ditto ...	Kubkhund, Bongaon, Supaul	100
17	61	Do. ... 2 8 Akbarabad	65	23,530 4 0	Malda ...	Akbarabad, Malda	10,000
18	62	Do. ... 2 8 Mahinagger	568	3,537 3 0	Do. ...	Mahenager, Malda	2,000
19	63	Do. ... 2 8 Praninagger	528	605 3 0	Do. ...	Ditto	500
20	71	Do. .. 16 0 Sota Bunbhag	201	5,365 14 6	Purnea ...	Haveli, Purnea	1,000
21	75	Do. ... 5 4 Serpra Kamee	1233	515 3 2½	Ditto ...	Shahpur, Purnea	200

Serial No.	Serial No. in the decree-holder's application.	Name of village.	Tauzi No.	Government revenue of the tauzi No.	District and Collectorate.	Pargana, thana and registration.	Approximate value.
				Rs. A. P.			Rs.
22	90	Share 2a. 9p. of mauza Jamalpur, Nisanpur, Belasmari, Jagua, Bisa, Baliha, Belta, Latera, Bahadurpur, Belanabad, Dariapur, Belba, Bundhera, Pipipralatif, Bojua, Pasraha, Chuk-parsag, Parmanandpur, Pachrasee, Petunjia, Poura, Beermalpurbatha, Teemapur, Logarh, Tetarabad, Temptha, Rheimpur, Jamalpur, Chandbakurd, Janjira, Cheehua, Garibargaon, Jamalnagger, Balgaon, Chittersaree, Chainpur, Chuckiberkal, Chandbakalan, Nainpur, Hamidpur, Hajipur, Khorasan, Deorhi, Dahsa, Doomariakhud, Degaon, Deokol, Dagroja, Ramchunderpur, Rajdas, Rampur, Rohiama, Zorabarpur, Patpur, Rohiar, Jorabarpur, Sonsarpur, Shapurbhagman, Somaspur, Somasuddinpur, Sahori, Sahoria, Sirnia, Sirnia, Sadutpur, Agwani, Selituta, Samarkurd, Samarkalan, Lebakmetiuruph Fatehpur, Kabela, Kachout, Kengri, Kolbara, Karna, Kolsarha, Generson, Kobalia, Kolbara, Gobindpur, Gohachari, Gogri, Karagpura, Doomoriabujrug, Bela, Katgarah, Mauzi, Luchmeepur, Mohesbkhunt, Mawaji, Mustafapur, Dariapur, Mohamudpur uteara, Madhopur, Malia, Mohiuddinpur, Moduban, Maharua, Nandania, Hardaschuck, Harperead, Harinmar, Madhopurpatpur, Tetrabad, Dodraha, Badchater, Temthakarari.	525	23,746 14 0	Monghyr ...	Parkya, Gogri	20,000
		As. P.		Rs. A. P.			Rs.
23	85	Share ... 2 8 Mauza Mohabba	553	1,216 8 0	Monghyr ...	Balia, ditto Begusaria ...	100
24	86	Do. ... 2 8 Madhopur Gangbarar ...	4421	3,479 8 0	Ditto ...	Parkya, Gogri	100
25	87	Do. ... 2 8 Amanut Sircar thana Ratan ...	2480	543 8 0	Ditto ..	Ditto	100
26	111	Do. ... 2 8 Talka Telhar mauza Kasimpur 16a. Raj Bandu.	2554	2,520 13 0	Bhagalpur ...	Kubkund, Bongaon Supaul ...	500
27	112	Do. ... 2 8 Talka Nohatta	2556	2,183 13 0	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	2,000

Bhagalpur Sub-Judge's 1st Court, the 27th July 1903. (831—1) SURESH CHUNDER GHOSE, Sub-Judge.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Patna.

EXECUTION CASE No. 372 OF 1902.

Nathuni Sahu, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Dhanukdhari Singh and others, judgment-debtors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following properties of the abovenamed judgment debtors will be sold in the above execution case by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court in the verandah of the District Judge of Patna on the 17th August 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for realization of Rs 21,391-6-9.

In the following properties the right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor, Babu Dhanukdhari Singh, is to be sold :—

Serial No.	Tauzi No.	Sadar jama of the entire 16 annas	Description of the property to be sold.	Thana.	Sub-registry.	Share to be sold.	Estimated value.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs.
1	348	1,860 6 1	Mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, asli, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Bikram .	Naubatpur ...	0 8 0	225
2	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Raghunathpur Jagbadan, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
3	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Bishunpur Sarwan, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. .	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
4	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Mominpur Nadauna, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
5	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Sheodaspur Kurkuri appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do.	Ditto	0 8 0	175
6	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Hasanpur Lachhuman *alias* Khanpura, asli, mauza Chainpura, and Nisarpur Shaikh Syed *alias* Bhagwanpur dakhli, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
7	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Bela Gobindpur, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
8	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Abdullahpur Khan Phooli, appertaining to maha Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ...	Ditto	0 8 0	175
9	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Moazamabad Pali Pakri, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
10	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Ganapur Solauri, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
11	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Kasim chak, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. .	Ditto .	0 8 0	175
12	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Ahmadabad Khaira, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ..	Ditto .	0 8 0	175
13	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Alumpur Zarkha, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur, Bhadaur	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
14	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza chak Shamsuddin, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur	Do. ...	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
15	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Mascompur Anouli, appertaining to Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto .	0 8 0	175
16	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Sarauti, appertaining to Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto .	0 8 0	175
17	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Dariapur Anant, appertaining to Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do.	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
18	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Katari Baluri, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
19	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Kodhra, appertaining to Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
20	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Panscohi, appertaining to Akbarpur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto	0 8 0	175
21	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Majhanpura, appertaining to Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
22	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Sherpur, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ..	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
23	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Keshopur, appertaining to Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
24	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Walipur Karaiya, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
25	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Koopapur, appertaining to Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ..	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
26	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Raghunathpur Mora, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
27	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Brahmdaspur Arandi, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha district Patna	Do. ..	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
28	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Parsurampur Har appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. .	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
29	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Parsurampur Kanak *alias* Aspura, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. .	Ditto	0 8 0	175
30	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Hardia Bedauli, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ...	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
31	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Jalalpur Elahi *alias* Jalpura, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ..	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
32	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Bishonpur Manahahi, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto	0 8 0	180
33	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Patawna appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
34	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Patringa, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do.	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
35	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Sikaria, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur pargana Masandha district Patna	Do. ...	Ditto .	0 8 0	175
36	348	1 860 6 1	Mauza Gangachuk, together with Narampur, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ..	Ditto ..	0 8 0	175
37	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Shahzadpur Mauri, Bahadurpur, Chandrahna and Chuck Attaullah appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto .	0 8 0	200
38	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Karanpura, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto	0 8 0	175
39	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Rampur Misrouli, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
40	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Allapur Rookoon, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur pargana Masandha district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
41	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Hadi Nagar, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
42	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Behta, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
43	348	1,860 6 1	Mauza Madopur *alias* Nirkhpur, together with bazar Paliganj, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do ..	Ditto ..	0 8 0	200
44	336	819 6 1	Mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, asli, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	180
45	336	819 6 1	Mauza Panscohi, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
46	336	819 6 1	Mauza Alumpur Jarkha, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175

Serial No.	Tauzi No.	Sadar jama of the entire 16 annas.	Description of the property to be sold.	Thana.	Sub-registry.	Share to be sold.	Estimated value.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs.
47	526	819 6 1	Mauza Karanpura, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Dikram ...	Naubatpur ...	0 8 0	175
48	526	819 6 1	Mauza Ganspur Silhouri, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
49	526	819 6 1	Mauza Shahzadpur Mauri, together with Bahadurpur Chandrahna and chuk Attaullah, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, district Patna.	Do. .	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
50	526	819 6 1	Mauza Kasim chuk, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do.	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
51	526	819 6 1	Mauza Jadopur Pali, together with Nerikhpura, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	200
52	526	819 6 1	Mauza Sekaria, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	200
53	526	819 6 1	Mauza Sarampur, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	200
54	526	819 6 1	Hadinagar, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. .	Ditto ...	0 8 0	150
55	526	819 6 1	Mauza Patawna, appertaining to mahal Akbarpur Bhadaur, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	175
56	19	336 12 3	Mahal Bhudsara Bhalua, Bhudsara khurd, Beorpur, Indersenpur and Jalalpur Khanda.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 4 0	200
57	19	336 12 3	Mauza Bhadsara, khas, appertaining to mahal Bhadsara, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 2 6	175
58	19	913 3 3	Rakhtaurpur Raghunath *alias* Baipura, mauza Zabtipur Sangram Chainpur, Udaichand and mauza Kasempur, appertaining to mahal Bhadsara, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 4 0	300
59	19	345 1 5	Mauza Achhoca and chak Achhoca, appertaining to mahal Bhadsara, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ..	0 2 6	400
60	19	77 5 4	Mauza Rampur Mohkura *alias* Bharuthpura and chak Bakiari, appertaining to mahal Bhadsara, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 4 0	200
61	19	261 5 5	Mauza Nazampur Ular, Bhagabugha, and Bharuthpura, appertaining to mahal Bhadsara, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 4 0	300
62	19	169 9 9	Mauza Kalyanpur Kohil, appertaining to mahal Bhadsara, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto	0 4 0	300
63	19	26 5 0	Mauza Sarkoona and Mirzapur Sarkoona, appertaining to mahal Bhadsara, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 4 0	75
64	19	108 14 1	Mauza Kundapur *alias* Dandapur, appertaining to mahal Bhadsara, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto .	0 4 0	200
65	235	101 9 4	Mauza Pipradaha, sabti Jageer Nawab Monirul daula, deceased, asli with dakhli, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ..	Ditto ...	0 8 0	200
66	175	49 8 0	Mauza Piprawan, asli with dakhli, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	250
67	257	65 12 3	Mauza Rampur Sia, asli with dakhli, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto	0 4 0	250
			In the following properties the right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor Miss Aboo Mohamad is to be sold :—				
71	240	137 13 3	Mauza Gobindpur Sadabha, asli, mauza Rampur Arna, Mohanpur Hadoori, Helha and Banan, dakhli, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 16 0	300
72	243 Tafriki No. 5.	137 9 3	Mauza Rampur Sia, appertaining to mahal Gobindpur Sadabha, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	200
73	243 Tafriki No. 2.	19 13 10	Ditto ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	1 0 0	175
74	244 Tafriki No. 1.	27 5 10	Mauza Helha Benan and Rampur Sia, appertaining to mahal Gobindpur Sadabha, pargana Masandha, district Patna.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 16 0	175

Bankipore, the 27th July 1903 (837—1) ASWANI KUMAR GUHA, Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Patna.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 28th July 1903.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 1,04,74,384 9 8			
Ditto ditto at Branches „	83,74,473 14 1	1,88,48,858	7	9
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		8,16,16,201	9	0
Bank Post Bills, &c.		3,67,218	8	5
Sundries		17,40,683	2	1
Rupees ...		13,47,22,961	11	3

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	1,59,78,208	0	0
Other authorised investments	43,70,609	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	2,71,24,392	1	2
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	1,78,59,359	2	3
Bills discounted and purchased	1,61,95,519	0	9
Balances with other Banks	9,70,400	6	7
Bullion	1,263	9	7
Dead Stock	18,11,264	7	3
Stamps	12,206	7	4
Sundries	10,96,745	8	1
	8,54,19,967	11	0
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 2,41,68,19 5 10			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches† ... „ 2,51,34,799 10 5	4,93,02,994	0	3
Rupees ...	13,47,22,961	11	

* Includes Govt. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,42,280 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 2,27,565 0 0
Rs. 3,69,795 0 0

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 30th July 1903.

H. F. FRESHWATER, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 18·06.

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Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st July 1903.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—				GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1848-49.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1893-94.	Of 1900-1901.	Total.	Of 1852-53	Of 1856-58.	Of 1948-49.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.		Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 15th July 1903	1,27,57,000	1,71,28,000	11,29,66,300	2,58,41,200	1,27,64,100	100	21,00,600	17,08,00,300	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,38,65,734
ADD—																				
Amount of transferred to In London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 31st July 1903 ...	.....	.....	2,000	... ...	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	2,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 22nd July 1903	.....	.....	3,00,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,00,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	3,00,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st July 1903 ...	1,00,000	5,000	2,50,000	7,500	.....	.....	... ...	2,62,500	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	... ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	3,62,500
	1,28,57,000	1,71,33,000	11,35,18,300	2,58,48,700	1,27,64,100	100	21,00,600	17,13,64,300	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,43,30,234
DEDUCT—																				
Amount written off in the Loan on registers ..	4,50,000	33,000	50,000	9,25,000	32,400	.....	.....	10,41,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	14,91,000
Balance on 31st July 1903	1,24,07,000	1,70,99,400	11,34,68,300	2,49,23,700	1,27,31,700	100	21,00,600	17,03,23,300	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,28,39,234

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st May 1903—Enfaced from India 11,190 lakhs; retransferred from London 10,699 lakhs.
" 1st June 1903 " 15th June " " " " 1 lakh " " " 3 "
" 16th " " " 30th " " " " 1 " " " " 6 "
" 1st July " " 15th July " " " " 4 lakhs " " " 15 "
" 16th " " " 31st " " " " 6 " " " " 15 "
11,202 " 10,729 "
10,723 "
Balance against India 474 "

E HILDRETH,
Superintendent.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(840—1)

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 1st August 1903.

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported, and when.	Remarks.
Mr. Richard Cartwright, late of Allahabad.	Allahabad	15th April 1903 ...	District Judge of Allahabad, 10th July 1903.	No Will. No application.
Mr. Robert Smith, late of Allahabad.	Ditto	8th March ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Mr. Robert Sterling, late a Covenanted Driver, E.I.R.	Ditto	31st May ,, ...	District Judge of Allahabad, 24th June 1903.	Said to have left a Will. No application.

Calcutta, the 4th August 1903. C. E. GREY, Offg. Administrator-General of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Estate of James Nisbett Turnbull, deceased.

PURSUANT to section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1866, the creditors and all persons interested in the estate of James Nisbett Turnbull, late of the Malrucherra Tea Estate in Sylhet, Assam, who died at the Malrucherra Tea Estate aforesaid on the 26th day of December 1902, and probate of whose will was on the 27th day of July 1903 granted by the High Court, Calcutta, to David Nisbett Turnbull, of "Egerton Hall," Dharmsala, in the Punjab, but at present of Calcutta, and David Fraser Campbell, of the Lackatoorah Tea Estate, Sylhet, the executors therein named, are hereby required to submit particulars of their claims with vouchers attached to the said D. N. Turnbull or D. F. Fraser on or before the 15th September 1903 next, after which date no claims will be admitted and the assets of the estate will be distributed. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment of their respective debts without delay.

MORGAN & Co., Attorneys for the executors.

Dated Calcutta, this 29th day of July 1903.

(832—3—742)

The Writers' Building Provident Benefit Fund, Limited.

NOTICE OF GENERAL MEETING OF MEMBERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the next Annual General Meeting of the Members of the Writers' Building Provident Benefit Fund, Limited, will be held at the verandah on the second floor over the Central Portico of the Writers' Buildings on Saturday, the 5th September 1903, at 4 P.M., to transact the following business:—

(1) To consider the Directors' Report of working, and pass the Audited Accounts of the Fund, for 1900-1901, 1901-1902, and 1902-1903

(2) To elect the Directors for 1903-1904.

The meeting is open to all Government officers and employés.

NEMAI CH. DEY, Honorary Secretary.

Calcutta, the 25th July 1903. (846—1—746)

Notification.

UNDER Rule I (*viii*) of the Rules made by the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal, under section 19 of the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, VI of 1876, it is hereby notified that the property of Babu Chandra Bhanu Singh, son of late Janardan Singh, of Kera, thana Chakradharpur, district Singhbhum, which was under the management of the Revenue Authorities—*vide* Bengal Government order No. 705T., dated the 9th July 1881—was released from the management of the said Revenue Authorities with effect from the 1st April 1903, under the provisions of section 12, Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, as the debts due by the estate have all been paid off.

W. MAUDE, Offg Commissioner.

Ranchi, the 30th July 1903

Howrah Municipality.

APPLICATIONS with copies of testimonials addressed to the Chairman will be received by the undersigned up to 1st September next for the appointment of Food Inspector for the Howrah Municipality on a salary of Rs. 150—5—200 per mensem, inclusive of all allowances.

None need apply who has not passed the L.M.S. or M.B. examination of the Calcutta University.

The successful candidate must be a whole-time man, and private practice will not be allowed to him.

K. N. TAGORE, Secretary.

Howrah, the 29th July 1903. (833—2)

Estate Frank Robert Stanley Collier, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased above named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 7 Hare Street, Calcutta, on or before the tenth day of September 1903, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 16th day of July 1903.

W. H. TAYLOR, Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased, 7 Hare Street, Calcutta. (761—3—624)

Estate Charles Graham Dingwall Fordyce.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased above named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co, 7 Hare Street, Calcutta, on or before the tenth day of September 1903 after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 15th day of July 1903.

W. H. TAYLOR, Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased, 7, Hare Street, Calcutta. (760—3—625)

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION.

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1 Pound tin Rs. 16, or, post free, Rs. 16-8.
½ " " " 8 " " " " 8-6.
¼ " " " 4 " " " " 4-6.

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans. 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight-ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

WANTED a passed Compounder for the Serampore Hospital and Dispensary on a salary of Rs. 15 a month. No quarters provided.

Applications with copies of diploma and of testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than 10 A.M. on 15th August.

A. W. BOTHAM,
Chairman, Serampore Dispensary Committee.

Serampore, East Indian Railway, the 21st July 1903. (806—3)

WANTED a passed Compounder for Mahesh-Rishra Dispensary on a salary of Rs. 15 a month. No quarters provided.

Applications with copies of diploma and of testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than 10 A.M. on 15th August 1903.

A. W. BOTHAM,
Chairman, Mahesh-Rishra Dispensary Committee, Serampore.

Serampore, the 21st July 1903. (807—3)

WANTED a District Engineer for the District Board of Murshidabad on a salary of Rs. 200 rising to Rs. 300 by biennial increment of Rs. 20 and travelling allowance according to rules. Applications will be received by the Chairman of the District Board up to 15th August 1903. The selected candidate will have to produce certificates required by rules in force.

C. K. MAJUMDAR, Vice-Chairman.

Murshidabad District Board, Berhampur, the 27th July 1903. (830—2)

SARAT CHANDRA LAHIRI intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court. (719—4—600)

BABU UDAY KUMAR DAS. B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (725—4—599)

NAGENDRA NATH GHOSE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court. (766—4—608)

Important Notice.

AS the Offices of the Inspector and the Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, as well as the Office of the Deputy Inspector of Schools, Calcutta, will be removed from No. 4 Dalhousie Square, from the 1st August 1903, all communications to those officers should be directed to No. 12 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, in future.

P. MUKERJI, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

4 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 25th July 1903.

Wanted

A GUARDIAN for the Lunatic Zamindar of the Barsalupara Estate under the supervision of this Court on a monthly salary of Rs. 50. Preference will be given to a Hindu who has retired from Government service. The selected candidate will have to furnish a security of Rs. 1,000 in Government Promissory Notes, and will live with the Lunatic Zamindar at Benares. Free quarters will be allowed. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 1st September 1903.

C. FISHER, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 1st August 1903. (841—3)

WANTED a Gymnastic Master for the Northbrook School at Darbhanga on a monthly salary of Rs. 15. Candidates are asked to forward their applications to the undersigned on or before the 15th August 1903.

W. BILLING,
Offg. Inspr. of Schools, Patna Divn.

Bankipore, the 28th July 1903.

Notice.

WANTED a Female Hospital Assistant on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem with free quarters for the Dhubri Hospital.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th August 1903.

A. H. CUMING,
Depy. Commr. of Goalpara, Assam.

Dhubri, the 1st August 1903.

Notice.

WANTED by the District Board of Hazaribagh a Hindi knowing Sub-Inspector of Schools on Rs. 50 besides travelling allowance under the Civil Service Regulations. None need apply who do not possess the qualifications required by the Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 486T.—G. and 658, dated 2nd September 1893 and 8th February 1901, respectively.

Candidates must file certificates of health, age, and moral character. The successful candidate must give an undertaking to stick to the post for at least three years.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th August 1903.

SYED KARAM HOSSAIN, Vice-Chairman.

Hazaribagh, the 20th July 1903. (800—2)

Notice.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of khas mahal Head Clerk, Monghyr. Pay Rs. 40—60 by biennial increment of Rs. 2.

Applicants should state their qualifications and age in their applications which should reach the undersigned on or before the 6th August 1903. Preference will be given to one who can read "Urdu" manuscripts with facility.

RAI KRISHNA BAHADUR,
Khas Mahal Deputy Collector,
for Collector of Monghyr.

Monghyr, the 23rd July 1903.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following scale of charges framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta under section 105, Act III (B.C) of 1890, and approved by the Local Government in letter No. 1252 Marine, dated 30th July 1903, for the landing, shipping, and storing of petrol or other dangerous petroleum at the Moyapore Depôt, is published for general information under the provisions of section 107, Act III (B.C.) of 1890 :—

	Per gallon. A. P.
(1) Wharfage charge to cover storage for one month	1 0
(2) Thereafter rent to be charged for every month or part of a month that the petrol or other dangerous petroleum remains in the depôt, at the rate of	0 6

By order of the Commissioners,
R. A. DONNITHORNE,
Secretary.

Port Commr.s' Office, Calcutta, the 4th August 1903.
(847—1)

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that the Tolly's Nala will be closed to traffic from the 15th to the 30th August 1903, both days inclusive, for the purpose of constructing a syphon for the Suburban drainage scheme of the Calcutta Municipality.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta, the 4th August 1903.

Proceedings at the Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors and Shareholders of the Bank of Bengal, held on Monday, the 3rd August 1903, in terms of section 49 of the Presidency Banks Act, 1876.

Mr. W. A. Bankier, President of the Board of Directors in the Chair.

THE Secretary having read the notice convening the Meeting, the Chairman submitted the papers noted below, relative to the business for the year ended 30th June 1903.

On the motion of Mr. W. A. Bankier, seconded by Mr. W. R. T. Aitken, the accounts for the year were approved and passed.

On the motion of Mr. W. A. Bankier, seconded by Mr. J. M. G. Prophit, Mr. W. R. T Aitken and Mr. J. C. Shorrock were re-elected Directors.

On the motion of Mr W. C. Graham, seconded by Mr. C. E. Grey, Mr. A. F. Simson, of Messrs. Mougens, King and Simson, and Mr. A. S. Lovelock, of Messrs. Lovelock and Lewes, were elected Auditors for the ensuing year, and their remuneration fixed at Rs. 3,500 for each audit, or Rs. 1,750 to each Auditor.

The Proceedings terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chairman, proposed by Mr. W. R. T. Aitken, and carried unanimously.

W. A. BANKIER,
Chairman.

I.—Copy of the Statement of the Affairs of the Bank on 31st December 1902, transmitted to Government agreeably to Section 43, Act XI of 1876.
II.—Directors' Report for the half-year ended 31st December 1902 and the Report of the Auditors.
III.—Copy of the Statement of the Affairs of the Bank on 30th June 1903, transmitted to Government agreeably to Section 43, Act XI of 1876.
IV.—Directors' Report for the half-year ended 30th June 1903 and the Report of the Auditors.
V.—Statement of the Profits for six months, viz., from 1st July to 31st December 1902.
VI.—Statement of the Profits for six months, viz., from 1st January to 30th June 1903.
VII.—Statement of the whole Profits for twelve months, viz., from 1st July 1902 to 30th June 1903.
VIII.—List of Proprietors and Shareholders.

(848—1)

Lost

THE upper half of Government Promissory Note No. 144289 of the 3½ per cent. of 1st May 1865, for Rs. 200, originally standing in the name of Raj Krishna Mukherji and last endorsed to Sital Chandra Chatterji, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

W. RATTRAY,
for Deputy Commissioner, Manbhum.

Purulia, the 24th July 1903. (812—3)

In the Court of J. N. Ghose, Esq., Subordinate Judge of Rangpur.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 143 OF 1903.

Rahut Mal Bothra and another, decree-holders, *versus* (1) Lalit Mohon Shaha, (2) Horo Mohon Shaha, and (3) Khogendra Nath Shaha, are all heirs of late Jogo Mohon Shaha, judgment-debtors.

PRESENT :

J. N. Ghose, Esq., Subordinate Judge of Rangpur.

TO be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Rangpur, in the ordinary sale place at 12 noon on the 6th day of August 1903 for the satisfaction of the decretal debt amounted to Rs. 1,190-8-3 :—

1. One anna and seven gandas share of Lot Faridpur, hisha 10 annas 2½ koras, in pargana Amdohor, at an annual revenue payable in 10 annas 2½ koras, Rs. 2 926-4-1, and in judgment-debtor's share payable Rs. 390-2-8 3 krants, situated within the sub-registry of Gaibandha and Mithapukhor and police-station Shadullapur, bearing tauzi No. 946 of the Rangpur Collectorate. The approximate value is Rs 500.

2. Five annas four pies share out of the sixteen annas of Lot Badolkhan, situated within the sub-registry and police-station Gaibandha, bearing Rangpur Collectorate's tauzi No. 509, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 726-2-2, the approximate value of which is Rs. 300.

3. Five annas four pies share of darpatni mahal of mauza Banspukhoria, Kalu Daspara, Ashinarpara, Shoruppur, Mothagar, Bhobanipur Goiroho at an annual rental of Rs. 2,040 in sixteen annas share. The approximate value is Rs 200.

Be it noted that the abovementioned properties are mortgaged to Raja Janoki Bullove Sen, of Kancongo Tola, police-station Mahiganj, district Rangpur.

J. N. GHOSE, Subordinate Judge.

Rangpur, the 22nd July 1903. (819—2)

In the Court of J. N. Ghose, Esq., Subordinate Judge of Rangpur.

OTHER EXECUTION CASE No. 109 OF 1903.

Raja Janoki Bullove Sen, decree-holder,
versus

1. Lalit Mohon Shaha ...
2. Horo Mohon Shaha ...
3. Khogendra Nath Shaha ...
All are heirs of late Jogo Mohon Shaha ... } Judgment-debtors.

PRESENT :

J. N. Ghose, Esq., Subordinate Judge of Rangpur.

TO be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Rangpur, in the ordinary sale-place at 12 o'clock noon on the 5th day of August

1903, for the satisfaction of the mortgage debt, Rs. 34,534-12-9.

1. Five annas 4 pies share out of the 16 annas of lot Badalkhan, situated within the sub-registry and police-station Gaibandha, bearing Rangpur Collectorate tauzi No. 569, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 725-2-2, and total collection of which is Rs. 1,404-15-7, the approximate value of which is Rs. 5,000.

2. One anna and 7 gandas share out of 4 anna 1 ganda of lot Faridpur, situated within sub-registries Gaibandha and Mithapukhor and police-station Gaibandha and Pirgang, bearing tauzi No. 246 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Annual revenue payable in 4 anna 1 ganda share is Rs. 1,170-8-3 krants and payable in 1 anna 7 gandas share is Rs. 390-2-10½ krants and total collection of which is Rs. 1,193-2, the approximate value of which is Rs. 7,000.

3. Four annas 8 pies share out of 14 annas of mauza Bherbheri, situated within sub-registry Kishorganj, police-station Jaldhacca, bearing tauzi No. 92 by No. 1 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Annual revenue payable is Rs. 219-7-3-7 krants and total collection is Rs. 754-7-6. The approximate value is Rs. 4,000.

4. One-third share out of 5 annas 6½ gandas share of mauza Ketkibari, situated within sub-registry Nilphamari, police-station Dimla, bearing tauzi No 50 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Annual revenue payable is Rs 171 5-3, and total collection is Rs. 398-15-9. The approximate value is Rs. 2,000.

5. One-third share of kishmut Hari Ram, situated within the sub-registry of Rangpur, police-station Kotwali, bearing tauzi No. 18 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Annual revenue payable is Rs. 18-2-3-10 krants and total collection is Rs. 34-2-1. The approximate value is Rs. 110.

6. One-third share of kishmut Rambullove, situated within the sub-registry of Rangpur, police-station Mahiganj, bearing tauzi No. 541 by No. 2 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Anual revenue is Rs. 26-10-1-3 krants and total collection is Rs. 104-2-9. The approximate value is Rs. 500.

7. Five annas 4 pies share of *Uponchowki* mahal of taluk Gulal Budhai, *kisha* 8½ annas, under the zamindar Babu Sarat Chandra Roy Chowdhury, situated within sub-registry of Rangpur, police-station Kotwali, bearing tauzi No. 1 of the Rangpur Collectorate. Annual rent is Rs. 43-5-10, and total collection is Rs. 140-8. The approximate value is Rs. 800.

8. Five annas 4 pies share of *Uponchowki* mahal in taluk Ram Ram Miser, *kisha* 8½ annas at an annual rental of Rs. 6-0-4 under the zamindar Babu Sarat Chandra Roy Chowdhury, situated within the sub-registry of Rangpur, police-station Kotwali, bearing tauzi No. 1 of the Rangpur Collectorate, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 2-0-1-7 krants. Total collection is Rs. 22-5 4. The approximate value is Rs. 150.

9. Five annas 4 pies share of *dar patni* mahal of mauza Banspukhoria, Kalu Daspara, Ashinarpara, Shoruppur, Mothagari, Bhabanipur, *goiroho* under the Patnidar Jomaher Kumari Debi at an annual rental of Rs. 2,040 in 16 annas share and Rs. 680 in judgment-debtor's share and total collection is Rs. 1,044-3-6, situated under the sub-registry Mithapukhor, police-station Pirgang, bearing tauzi No. 184 of the Rangpur Collectorate. The approximate value is Rs. 3,000.

10. Five annas 4 pies share out of 2 annas share of the entire *darpatni* mahal in mauza Bherbheri under the zamindar Rohimonnessa Bibi Chowdhurani at an annual rental of Rs. 46-5-4 total collection of which is Rs. 107-12-4 situated under the sub-registry of Kishoreganj, police-station Jaldhacca, bearing tauzi No. 92 of the Rangpur Collectorate. The approximate value is Rs. 500.

11. Five annas 4 pies share out of 16 annas share of the entire *istamurar jote* in mahal Bherbheri at an annual rental of Rs 198 in 16 annas and in judgment-debtor's share Rs. 26-10; total collection is Rs. 209-2-8, situated under the sub-registry Kishoreganj, police-station Jaldhacca, bearing tauzi No. 92 by No. 1 of the Rangpur Collectorate. The approximate value is Rs. 1,000.

12. One south-facing one-storied building containing two rooms with wooden doors and windows, bounded on the north by Bhoirob Chandra Shaha's inner mahal, on the west by judgment-debtor's own jote, on the south by *esmal* pond, situated under the sub-registry of Rangpur, police-station Kotwali, in taluk Nrisiugha known as Gazaghanta. The approximate value is Rs. 1,000.

J. N. GHOSH, Subordinate Judge.

Rangpur Subordinate Judge's Court, the 22nd July 1903. (818—2)

In the Court of the District Judge of Gaya.

EXECUTION CASE No. 18 OF 1903.

Mussamat Rameshwar Koer and others, decree-holders, *versus* Babu Chottay Narain Singh, judgment-debtor.

THE following property belonging to the judgment-debtor will be sold by auction in the sale room of Gaya Judge's Court on the 14th day of September 1903 at 10 A.M. in the execution of decree for Rs. 3,105-9-3 in the abovementioned case :—

The entire 16 annas of village Shamaspore, asli mai dhakli, situated in pargana Sanout, zilla Gaya, appertaining to lot Nimsar, bearing former tauzi No. 2903 and present tauzi No. 5151, and Government revenue Rs. 64,454-6-4, being a permanent hereditary mokarari right of the judgment-debtor and for which a rental of Rs. 1,773-12 annually is payable to the 9-annas Tikari Raj, being the right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor. Approximate value Rs. 3,000.

C. W. E. PITTAR, District Judge.

Gaya, the 29th July 1903. (838—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Gaya.

EXECUTION CASE No. 19 OF 1903.

Mussamat Rameshwar Koer and others, decree-holders, *versus* Babu Chottay Narain Singh, judgment-debtor.

THE following property belonging to the judgment-debtor will be sold by auction in the sale room of Gaya Judge's Court on the 14th day of September 1903 at 10 A.M. in the execution of decree for Rs 3,112-15-3 in the abovementioned case :—

Eight annas out of 16 annas of Turka Doman Bigha *alias* Tel Bigha, asli mai dakhli, appertaining to mahal Sibnagar, bearing tauzi No. 5151 and Government revenue Rs. 1,16,403-3, being a permanent hereditary mokarari right of the judgment-debtor for which a rental of Rs. 14-11-9 annually payable to the proprietress, being the right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor. Approximate value Rs. 1,500.

C. W. E. PITTAR, District Judge.

Gaya, the 29th July 1903. (839—1)

NOTIFICATION.

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge, Backergunge.

RENT EXECUTION CASE No. 3 OF 1903.

Kumar Satya Bhushan Ghosal, Bahadur, and others, decree-holders, *versus* Raj Kumar Roy and others, judgment-debtors.

THE undermentioned property of the judgment-debtor will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Backergunge, on the 17th August 1903 for the realization of the judgment-debt of Rs. 6,620-0-6 :—

The right, title and interest of the judgment-debtors in the jumba Broja Narain Roy, lying within 5 annas

15 gandas zamindari of the plaintiffs (decree-holders) in pargana Shilemabad and in kismats Parmalu, Muragata, Nakta, Doshana Kanda, Bankathi Shakhagachi, Betra, Simulia, Kuniary, Mohabarpur, Poshanda within the police-station and sub-registry office Jhalakati, and in kismats Nanduhar, Iluhar, Shantihar, Chimankathi, and Bharatkathi within the police-station and sub-registry office Sharupkathi. The annual rental of the jimba Rs. 1,040. The entire tenure will be sold for the arrears of rent.

GOBIND CHANDRA BASAK, Sub-Judge, 1st Court.

Barisal, the 31st July 1903. (843—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, 24-Parganas.

Woopendra Nath Ghose, decree-holder, *versus* Annada Mohan Roy, judgment-debtor.

EXECUTION CASE No. 140 OF 1903.

For sale

THE undermentioned properties of the judgment-debtor, situate in the district of 24-Parganas. The judgment-debtor's interest in the following properties is one-fourth, except in lot No. 13, in which the judgment-debtor's interest is 16 annas. The properties will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge at 12 noon on 10th August 1903 :—

1. Sundarband lot No. 45, Davis Abad, separate account No. 209-28C, rent-free, within thana and sub-registry Canning Town, pargana Sundarband, district 24-Parganas. The annual cess payable is Rs. 865-1. Approximate value Rs. 400.

2. Sundarband lots Nos. 46 and 47, Abad Daria, separate account No. 209-27C, rent-free; annual cess payable is Rs. 1,672-13, within same thana, sub-registry, district, and pargana. Approximate value Rs. 2,000.

3. Seven annas 13 gandas 1 cowrie and 1 kranti share of zamindari taluk mahal No. 1359-2 of the tauzi of Collectorate, lot No. 52, Daltala, rent-free, annual cess Rs. 88-1-6, within same thana, sub-registry, district and pargana. Value Rs. 200.

4. Seven annas 13 gandas 1 cowri and 1 kranti share of zamindary taluk mahal No. 1437-2 of the tauzi of the Collectorate lot No. 53, Taldi; revenue payable is Rs. 214-15-3, within same thana, sub-registry, district and pargana Value Rs. 150.

5. Six gandas 2 cowries 2 krantis share of patni taluq mahal No. 1359 of the tauzi of the Collectorate, lot No. 52, Daltala; revenue assigned by the proprietor Rs. 3-13-3, within same thana, sub-registry, district and pargana. Value Rs. 150.

6. Six gandas 2 cowries 2 krantis share of patni taluq mahal No. 1437 of the tauzi of the Collectorate, lot No. 53, Taldi; revenue assigned by the proprietor Rs. 9-5-6, within same thana, sub-registry, district and pargana. Value Rs. 150.

7. Zamindari taluk mahal No. 420 of the tauzi of the Collectorate Harimall, revenue payable Rs. 70-10, within same thana, sub-registry, and district, pargana Hatiaghur. Value Rs. 150.

8. Sundarband lots Nos. 91 and 92, Eshabpur-Bhawanipur, separate account No. 209-11-C, annual cesses payable Rs. 1,517-15, within thana and sub-registry Basirhat, district 24-Parganas and pargana Sunderband. Value Rs. 500.

9. Eight annas share of valid rent-free estate lot No. 86, Bayaronari; annual cess payable is Rs. 103-6-3, within pargana Sundarband, thana Basirhat, sub-registry Husnabad, district 24-Parganas. Value Rs. 125.

10. Eleven annas share of the tauzi No. 2184 of the Collectorate of the 24 Parganas, dihee Taramaria; annual rent payable is Rs. 847-1, within district 24-Parganas and Nadia, thana Naihati and Birahi, sub-registry Naihati and Haringhata, pargana Ukhra. Value Rs. 200.

11. Five annas share of the said tauzi No. 2184 of the Collectorate of the 24-Parganas held in patni from the proprietor, Babu Kedar Nath Chatterjee and others. Net malikana, exclusive of revenue assigned, Rs. 570, within same thana, sub-registry, district, and pargana. Value Rs. 150.

12. Ancestral dwelling house in Bhowanipur, within the registry district of 24-Parganas, sub-registry Alipore, thana Bhawanipur, dihee Panchannagram, Division C, subdivision K, and being No. 46, Chakraberia Road; the ancestral dwelling-house, together with the brick-built two-storied, three-storied, and one-storied buildings and brick-built privy and wall, &c., and thereon tanks, trees, &c., and purchased two-storied house No. 45, stable in mauza East Chakraberia, holding No. 169, and kutcha and brick-built tenanted houses with waste fields and gardens, &c.; in all about five bighas of land. The boundaries are :—

East.—Madhab Chatterjee's Lane (2nd).

North.—Houses of Jagabandhu Bose and Thakamani Dashi and others.

West.—Chakraberia Road (north).

South.—Houses of Dinanath Saha, Mohesh Chandra Bose, Dina Nath Mullik, and Rakhal Das Addya, and Padyapukur Road.

Within these boundaries there are about five bighas of land.

Value Rs. 400.

13. A plot of garden land in mauza Tollygunge, thana Sadar, sub-district and sub-registry Alipore, district 24-Parganas. The measuring about 26 bighas, surrounded with pucca wall and containing tank with pucca ghat and two-storied buildings with door, windows, and all other fixtures, but of the 26 bighas about 9 bighas 3 cottahs 15 chitaks is rent-free and for 7 bighas 19 cottahs an annual mourasi mokrari rent of Rs. 17-3-5 gandas has to be paid to Radha Mohan Mundal and for another 7 bighas 19 cottahs a similar annual rent has to be paid to Shama Charan Biswas and others, and for 1 bigha 3 cottahs, being holding No. 100, bearing annual rent of Rs. 2-1-7 pies, payable to the dihee Panchannagram serista of the Collectorate of the 24-Parganas. This property is purchased from Rakhal Das Addya on 5th Jaista 1309 B S.

BOUNDARY.

North.—Garden land of Balai Chand Paik and Rahim Ostagar's land.

East.—Arack Nais's lane from Mullahati Road (a portion of Rahim Ostagar's garden land).

South.—Mullahati Road.

West.—Bridge Road, i.e., the road to Kasibagan from Mullahati Road.

Value Rs. 15,000.

14. Seventy-nine bighas and seven cottahs of rent-free land of dags No. 1 to No. 10 of the measurement, chitta of the Mathla Railway surplus land of Class B, described in map No. 9 and situate in mauza Lakhsmipura, pargana , thana Canning Town, sub-registry Mathla, district registry 24-Parganas, and , within the following boundaries :—

(1) Boundaries of the eastern plot of the land—

North.—Public road.

East.—Boundary of the mauza Taldi.

South.—Land Nos. 111 and 112 of Class B.

West.—Mathla Railway Road.

(2) Boundaries of the western plot of the land—

North.—Public road.

East.—Mathla Railway Road.

South.—Land No. 113 of Class B.

West.—Boundary of mauza Taldi.

Value Rs. 80.

All the lots, except lot No. 13, together with the other properties of the judgment-debtor in other districts, are subject to a mortgage debt of Rs. 1,25,000 to Mr. T. Palit of Ballygunge.

KALI KUMAR BOSE,
Sub-Judge

Alipore, the 30th July 1903. (844—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, 3rd Court, Hooghly.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 79 OF 1903.

Beni Madhav Das and others, decree-holders, *v.* Sm. Bibi Jarao Kumari, judgment-debtor.
Amount of claim Rs. 2,404-3.

THE immoveable property described below of the judgment-debtor in the above case will be sold on the 11th August 1903 at the sale-room of the District Judge of Hooghly:—

Description.

Half-share of lot Mamudanipur, in tauzi No. 3839 of Hooghly Collectorate as patni tenure of judgment-debtor; patni jama is Rs. 40.071-9-9½ of said half-share. The jama is to be paid to Maharaja Sir Jotintra Mohan Tagore. In the above tauzi the whole of mauza Lalooah, thana Domjur, district Howrah, and three other mauzas—Belgechhia, Daribarakpur, and Ghushri, thana Golabati, district Howrah. These four mauzas stand in the name of Issan Chandra Dey, purchased by Gadadhar Bhatta as darpatni right.

KALIDHUN CHATTERJEE,
Subordinate Judge, 3rd Court.

Chinsura, the 3rd August 1903. (845—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of RAM LAL MULLICK, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 10th day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid."

S. C. Ghose, Attorney. (849—1)

In the matter of LOKENAUTH MEHRA, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 3rd instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 10th day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Abinas Chunder Dey, Attorney. (850—1)

In the matter of PARUSATHAM BHATIA and BHAGWAN BHATIA, insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvents, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 10th day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvents desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Anil Nath Bose, Attorney. (851—1)

Chief Clerk's Office, the 4th day of August 1903.

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

In the matter of Nafar Chandra Mandal, an insolvent.

NAFAR CHANDRA MANDAL, son of Thakur Das Mandal, of Khurut-Kashunda, thana Shibpur, district Hooghly, was, on the 3rd day of July 1903, declared an insolvent and discharged on the 27th idem under section 351, Civil Procedure Code.

G. K. DEB, District Judge.

Hooghly District Judge's Court, the 28th July 1903.
(829—1—744)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

In the matter of Karamtulla Mondol, an insolvent.

KARAMTULLA MONDOL, son of Barku Mondol deceased, of Krishnarampur, police-station Nawabganj, district Dinajpur, was, on the 27th day of July 1903, declared an insolvent and discharged under section 351 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

C. FISHER, District Judge.

Dinajpur Judge's Office, the 29th July 1903.
(835—1—743)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 22 OF 1902.

ANANDA MOHON PAL, son of late Dina Nath Pal, of Kurigopalpur, police-station Budergunge in Rangpur, was, on the 8th May 1903, declared an insolvent.

K. N. ROY, District Judge.

Rangpur Judge's Office, the 30th July 1903.
(836—1—745)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	6th Aug.	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	5th ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ..	10th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	7th ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *Lightning*.
Burma	6th ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	8th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	8th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	10th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Port Blair	14th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Shahjehan*.
South Africa (letters) ...	14th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Umlazi* from Colombo.
Ditto (parcels) ...	14th ,,	,, 5	

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—
For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—
For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—
For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and the Madras Presidency, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8-45 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails, *vid* Bombay, the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by sea. Foreign Mails for despatch *vid* Madras or Tuticorin are received up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee up to 8-45 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 4th August 1903.* } JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 31st July 1903.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water sounding. Ft.	in.	REMARKS.
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	12	0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	12	6	Mominiola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	11	6	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	6	3	Amaniganj.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	5	0	Mrimpore.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	7	0	Bhurnedanga.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	13	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	12	0	Akriganj.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	12	0	Kashadanga.
	Thence to Patkabari ,, ...	13	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	11	6	Jitpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	7	6	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	7	3	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	7	6	Meghna.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	7	9	Ma ipara.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	9	6	Mohesh pur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissenganj and Hanskhali ...	9	0	Nidhirpota.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	REMARKS.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj ...	1-8-1903	6	14·67	82·67	Rising.
	Rampur Boalia...	1-8-1903	12	11·68	53·68	,,
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	2-8-1903	7	...	63·40	,,
	Entrance of Bhyrab, Jalangi, Akriganj ...	2-8-1903	7	...	51·90	,,
	Entrance of Mathabhanga	1-8-1903	...	11·75	...	,,
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	2-8-1903	...	...	88·50	,,
	Berhampore ...	3-8-1903	10	12·93	40·58	,,
	Katwa ...	31-7-1903	6	14·90	30·96	,,
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	31-7-1903	...	11·16	...	,,
	Sarupganj ...	1-8-1903	12	...	12·90	,,
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ...	1-8-1903	...	10·19	...	,,

S. S. PAUL, C.E.,
Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 3rd August 1903.

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The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1903.

PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber on Saturday, the 18th July, 1903.

Present:

The Hon'ble MR J. A. BOURDILLON, C.S.I., Acting Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding.*

The Hon'ble MR. L. P. PUGH, *Offg.* Advocate-General of Bengal.

The Hon'ble MR. C. E. BUCKLAND, C.I.E.

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The Hon'ble MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. L. P. SHIRRES.

The Hon'ble Mr. A. EARLE

The Hon'ble MR. R. T. GREER.

The Hon'ble MR. W. A. INGLIS.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, M.A., D.L., F.R.A.S., F.R.S.E.

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The Hon'ble MAHARAJA MANINDRA CHANDRA NANDY, of Cossimbazar.

The Hon'ble MR. H. ELWORTHY.

The Hon'ble MR. A. A. APCAR.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble MAHARAJA SIR RAVANESHWAR PRASHAD SINGH BAHADUR, K.C.I.E., of Gidhour.

NEW MEMBERS.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE, the Hon'ble MR. MACPHERSON, and the Hon'ble MR. SHIRRES took their seats in Council.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

SUBORDINATE JUDGE FOR NOAKHALI.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, asked—

Has the attention of the Government been called to a letter of the Noakhali correspondent, published in the *Bengalee* of the 28th June, 1903, regarding the inconvenience and harassment caused to litigants, owing to the delay in the disposal of Civil Suits by the District Judge of Noakhali, in consequence of the greater portion of his time being taken up by Sessions Cases and Criminal Appeals?

In view of the above, will the Government be pleased to post a Subordinate Judge at Noakhali; or make some other arrangement to redress the grievances of the people?

The Hon'ble MR. MACPHERSON replied:—

"The Lieutenant-Governor has read the letter in the *Bengalee* newspaper to which the Hon'ble Member refers.

"The question of appointing a Subordinate Judge in Noakhali has been for some time under the consideration of the Hon'ble High Court and the Bengal Government, and the matter is now before the Government of India."

CIRCULAR ISSUED BY THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE OF MYMENSINGH

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, asked—

Has the attention of the Government been called to an article in the *Amrita Bazar Patrika* of 6th June, 1903, headed "A most dangerous Circular"? Is it a fact that such a Circular has really been issued by the District Magistrate of Mymensingh to the Subordinate Magistrates of the district? If so, does not the Government think that it is calculated to interfere with the judicial independence and discretion of the Subordinate Magistrates?

The Hon'ble MR. MACPHERSON replied:—

"The article to which the question refers was brought to the notice of the Lieutenant-Governor. The District Magistrate's attention has been drawn to the High Court's Circular Order of the 16th June, 1900, and he was requested to withdraw any circular which he may have issued in transgression of that order."

RE-ORGANIZATION OF THE SUBORDINATE EXECUTIVE SERVICE

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, said—

The Hon'ble the Financial Secretary, in laying on the table the Bengal Budget Estimate for 1903-1904, observed: "The re-organization of Sub-Deputy Collectors has not yet been finally sanctioned"; and in that estimate Rs. 1,00,000 was allotted for the improvement of the status of the Sub-Deputy Collectors, one-half of which was shewn under the head of "Land Revenue", and the other half under the head of "Law and Justice"; and further in paragraph 30 of the explanatory notes on that estimate it was stated that "the increase under (1) is due to larger provision made under salaries for the proposed re-organization of the Subordinate Executive Service, which is awaiting the sanction of the Government of India." Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the scheme for such re-organization, shewing how it has proposed to spend the said sum of Rs. 1,00,000, and to state whether such scheme has since received the sanction of the Government of India?

The Hon'ble MR. MACPHERSON replied:—

"The scheme has not yet received the sanction of the Government of India, and it is not at present possible to publish the details of it, which are still under careful consideration."

MISCONDUCT OF RAILWAY EMPLOYÉS AT ASANSOL STATION.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, asked—

Has the attention of Government been drawn to a scrap appearing in the *Amrita Bazar Patrika* of 13th June, 1903, complaining of the oppressive and impertinent conduct of Railway employés towards respectable passengers, and, amongst them, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate at the Asansol station, travelling with his family?

The Hon'ble MR. INGLIS replied:—

"The East Indian Railway authorities have instituted inquiries into this matter, and will no doubt deal with it effectively."

WAITING-ROOM FOR NATIVE LADIES AT ASANSOL STATION.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, asked —

Is the Government aware that there is no suitable waiting-room for native ladies at the Asansol Railway station, and that a memorial has been presented to the East Indian Railway Authorities with a view to remove this want?

Will the Government be pleased to direct the Railway Authorities to arrange for some sort of *purda* accommodation on the down platform of the Asansol Railway station for native ladies, who are put to very great inconvenience on this account?

The Hon'ble MR. INGLIS replied:—

"The Lieutenant-Governor is informed that there is already a room set apart for native ladies on the up platform, and one on the down platform is being provided."

SUPERINTENDENT OF STAMPS AND STATIONERY

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, asked—

Will the Government be pleased to state whether, in disposing of the post of Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery on retirement of Mr. Manson, it is not intended to give preference to the claims of such members of the Executive Branch of the Provincial Service as have, by their ability, experience and meritorious work, fitted themselves for that post?

The Hon'ble MR. SHIRRES replied:—

"The whole question of the organization of the Stamps and Stationery Department, and of the status of the officer who may, in future, be appointed to hold charge of it, is now under consideration. Until the question is decided, Government is not in a position to say how future incumbents of the post of Superintendent will be recruited."

THE CHOTA NAGPUR TENANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1903.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE in presenting the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act and the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897, said:—"I have now, Sir, the honour to present to this Council the Report of the Select Committee on the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Bill, 1903, and in so doing would, with your permission, make some remarks with regard to certain of the matters referred to in the revised Bill. Copies of the Bill, as originally introduced, were sent to all those most interested in the districts to which it applies. The Bill itself was considered at a very representative meeting held at Ranchi in April last. The views then expressed have been duly considered, and the

Hon'ble Members of the Select Committee have been most materially assisted by the gentleman who will shortly take his seat in this Council as the Member for Chota Nagpur.

"In the Statement of Objects and Reasons attached to the Bill, as introduced into this Council, it was stated that the proposed amendments were designed to meet certain objects, eleven in number. Of these, one has been abandoned by the Select Committee, *viz.*, that to prevent the exacting of more than customary rates of rent from non-occupancy raiyats. The reasons for this have been stated in the Report. Five additional objects have been provided for in the clauses of the revised Bill. They are the following: (1) to make certain changes in procedure; (2) to provide for an appeal against orders passed in execution of decrees; (3) to grant the right of a second appeal to the High Court; (4) to remove, as far as possible, the causes which have tended to foster the agitation that has been disturbing the *Mundáris* for so long a time; and lastly (5) to bring the procedure of the Commutation Act of 1897 into line with that followed by the Settlement Officer, with regard to the record-of-rights when a survey and record-of-rights is being prepared, and predial services, etc., have to be compulsorily commuted.

"The first essential with regard to the admissibility of a proposed change was whether urgency could be pleaded in its favour. Unless this could be satisfactorily demonstrated, the adoption of a suggested amendment has not been recommended to this Council. Failing the necessary data which cannot as yet be furnished by the Settlement Officer, and which will not probably be fully available for a few years, it is impossible now to say to what extent the principle contained in the term 'settled raiyat' should be applied to Chota Nagpur. This affects the provision in the original Bill for facilitating the acquisition of occupancy rights. Although imperfect, it has been retained because it met some cases. Any attempt to improve it further would have led to the adoption, in some shape or other, of the principle of the 'settled raiyat,' a subject which, as I have just said, cannot be yet discussed.

"But advantage has been taken of the present opportunity to embody in the Bill a custom which is generally followed by all good landlords, *viz.*, to declare that the holder of lands known as *Korkor* or some other synonymous term has a right of occupancy in them. I would explain that *Korkor* is the term used to designate a field which a raiyat, by his own efforts, has converted from upland into riceland by terracing, and it presupposes the existence of a village which the term *khunt katti* does not. Clause 4 of the Bill restricts the sale or transfer of a raiyat's holding. The necessity for these restrictions must be explained. The right of a raiyat to sell his holding is not recognized in the Division, save in pargana Dhalbhum, in the district of Singhbhum.

"But though not recognized, raiyats are gradually more and more, though slowly, beginning to sell their holdings, and in course of time a custom will be established, unless measures are now taken to check it. Not to check the growth of any such custom would most probably result in the reduction of a vast number of the raiyats to the condition of serfs. There are already signs that this may happen, for in Dhalbhum the purchases by *mahajans* of raiyati holdings for the purpose of subletting them again at heavy rentals are increasing rapidly. To prohibit sale merely would not suffice.

"There are two recognised systems of usufructuary mortgage, *viz.*, the *zarpeshgi* and the *bheoghut bundha*. Under the former of these the profits arising from the land go merely to repay the interest due. Under the latter such profits extinguish both principal and interest. The former system is a most dangerous one among an aboriginal people, for though the debtor—a man who never thinks of the morrow and is always carried away by impulse—does not part with his land out and out and knows that he can get it back again on payment of the principal, yet in many cases such repayment is quite outside the man's means. Thus the *zarpeshgi* system tends to create a landless race, and the provisions in the Bill will, if accepted, do away with it.

"Of the danger of allowing transfer a good example is to be found in Ranchi in the case of the tenures registered under Bengal Act II of 1869. Of the tenures with which this Act dealt, one class, known as *bhuinharri*, was

in reality merely holdings, and consisted of small areas of a few acres each cultivated by the aboriginal holders themselves. It was then held that the right of transfer attached to such tenures. The result has been ruinous, for to-day but very few are in the possession of the original holders or their decsendants, having been parted with to others to obtain loans.

"The section in the original Bill which prohibited the sale of a raiyati holding, under any circumstances, was copied from the Central Provinces Act. In the Bill relating to that Act provision was made for the sale of a raiyati holding in execution of a decree for arrears of rent, but this was abandoned in the interests of the landlords who considered that the power of ejecting a defaulter was more to their advantage than that his holding should be brought to public sale. Here the converse is the case. The good landlords in Chota Nagpur consider that ejectment for failure to pay rent in the case of an occupancy raiyat is too harsh a remedy, and they point out that unless sale in execution of a decree for arrears of rent accruing on the holding itself is allowed, the defaulter will inevitably lose a portion of the value of the labour which he and his predecessors have put into the holding.

"Chota Nagpur is an undulating series of plateaus full of valleys, which in course of time have been, through the exertions of the tenants, terraced and converted into rice-fields. The gross value of the labour by which this conversion has been effected is immense. On the other hand, the total prohibition of sale and the retention of ejectment as the remedy has in one case been welcome as a means for getting rid of aboriginal tenants, and introducing in their places others who are better cultivators. Under these circumstances, I trust that the course selected by the Select Committee will commend itself to this Council, *viz.*, in the case of an occupancy raiyat to prohibit ejectment for failure to pay rent and allow a remedy by the sale of the holding, but only for arrears of rent accruing on the holding itself.

"To facilitate the obtaining of loans from Government under the Loans Act, it is provided that a holding for which a loan may have been granted can be sold to liquidate the debt. For this there is a precedent in the Central Provinces Act.

"In favour of the retention of the penalties provided in clauses 5 and 6 of the Bill with regard to the levy by landlords of anything in excess of what is legally due and to the non-giving of receipts, I would bring to the notice of this Council that much of the discontent that now characterises the relations between landlords and tenants in some parts of the Chota Nagpur Division, especially Ranchi, is due to the absence of any practical remedy to check such exactions, and to ensure that receipts are given. It is true that under the present Act a raiyat in the case of the landlord levying anything in excess of what is due, has a remedy by suit, but experience has fully shown that to give an aboriginal a remedy by suit is to give him no remedy at all. The tenant who has the means to institute a suit is not the tenant who will be oppressed, and the vast majority of the tenants in Chota Nagpur are persons who have not the means to go to the Courts.

"The preparation of a record-of-rights, such as is now being made, will provide landlords with what they have never hitherto possessed, *viz.*, data that are beyond suspicion and which can be utilized for the enhancement of rents. I have already pointed out that the law, even when amended as proposed, will not be satisfactory with regard to the question of occupancy right, and that nothing at present can be done to remedy this.

"The existing law is also sadly wanting in safeguards as to enhancement of rents. These two defects cannot be remedied until the work now being carried on by the Settlement Officers has progressed far enough to furnish the requisite data. The Settlement Officer at present is not allowed to enhance or fix fair rents, but is restricted to recording the existing rents, including settlements and predial services. Until these defects in the law have been removed, it is clear that unless some protection to the tenantry is now given much injustice may be done, and in all probability the people, seeing what will result, would probably stop any further continuance of the Settlement Officer's work. The periods provided in the original Bill were fifteen years in the case of occupancy raiyats and five for non-occupancy. To the Select Committee it appeared that for the purpose in view fifteen years for the former

was too long a period, and seven has been suggested. It will be for the Council to decide whether this is sufficient.

"It may be asked why any protection should be given to non-occupancy raiyats. To this I would reply that so far as the information at the disposal of the Settlement Officer goes, the majority of the raiyats, unlike what is the state of affairs in Bengal, are, as the law now stands, non-occupancy raiyats. This is due to the machinations of the petty landlords, and when the question of occupancy right comes to be dealt with finally, I feel sure that the bulk of those who have now to be recorded as non-occupancy raiyats will be converted into occupancy raiyats. It is to the interest of the petty landlords to prevent the growth of occupancy rights, and this, owing to the defective state of the law, as well as the ignorance and poverty of the people, they are able to a very great extent to effect.

"Under the existing law (section 34) if the transferee by way of succession or inheritance in the case of a certain class of tenures fails to register his transfer in the landlord's *sarrishta* within a given time, the landlord can apply to the Deputy Commissioner to be put in *khas* possession of the tenure, such application being dealt with by a summary procedure. This provision in practice was found generally unworkable; for the objection almost invariably raised was that the tenure did not come within the class to which the law referred. Such objection the Deputy Commissioner naturally refused to decide summarily, and referred the parties to the Civil Court. It has therefore been considered by the Local Authorities quite unnecessary to retain this provision in the Act, and the Select Committee, agreeing with them, have proposed to strike it out.

"The zamindars, who are most concerned, have, except in one instance, agreed to this, and the Maharaja of Chota Nagpur, whose estate covers about 8,000 square miles of country, considers that the retention of such a provision is inadvisable. The exception is the proprietor of the Padma or Ramghar estate, which includes about two-thirds of the district of Hazaribagh. In this estate there are many tenures, of which the terms of the grants give the grantor the right of entry on failure of the grantee to pay the rent due. Such right the gentleman in question considers will be imperilled if the section in question be removed. The Select Committee failed to see how this can result. Moreover, if this section be elided, a means for blackmailing will be removed.

"At present the grantee of a resumable tenure or his direct heir sells the tenure to another person, reserving a nominal rent charge. The purchaser can not register his sale in the zamindar's *sarrishta*, for the zamindar would by allowing this lose his right to resume the tenure on the happening of the contingency which gives him the right. On the death of the seller his heir, on the threat that he will not register his transfer by inheritance and thereby give the zamindar an opportunity to resume the tenure, effectually in some instances blackmails the purchaser, or the heir goes to the zamindar and in collusion with him omits to register his succession and so gives the latter the requisite opportunity. This state of things, in the opinion of the Maharaja of Chota Nagpur, should not be allowed to continue. In lieu of the existing procedure the revised Bill simply provides for the registration in the landlord's *sarrishta*, on payment of a fee of the transfer of any tenure, subject to certain provisos in order to safeguard the landlord's right to resume if the tenure is one liable to resumption. Inability to sue for arrears of rent is the penalty imposed on a transferee for failure to register, but no time, as proposed in the orginal Bill, is laid down within which he must register; for if that were done then in case he omitted to comply with it he could for ever be debarred from suing for arrears of rent.

"Clause 23 of the Bill provides a most momentous change in the interests of the landlords as regards tenures, and also a procedure for the sale of raiyati holdings. In Chota Nagpur there is a very large number of tenures resumable by the grantor or his successor in interest on the happening of a certain contingency, very often the failure of male heirs in the male line of the original grantee. Now the grantees, or their descendants, have in many instances parted with their grants to others, reserving for themselves some nominal amount of rent. The rents and cesses payable to the landlord fall into arrears. The landlords, for fear of losing their rights to resume, cannot sue the transferees for the arrears, and it is useless to sue the heir of the original

grantee. Consequently for some time the landlords have been unable to realise their rents and cesses, and are losing very large sums of money. The changes now proposed to be made have the effect of enabling the landlord to sell up the tenures without imperilling their right to resume where they have such right.

"I now come to the portion of the Bill dealing with the subject of *Mundari khunt kattidari* tenancies. The *Mundaris* are an aboriginal people, the first so far as we know to occupy the Ranchi plateau. They number about four lakhs, are now mostly congregated in the eastern part of the Ranchi and the western part of the Singhbhum districts. Others than *Mundaris* hold *khunt katti* tenancies in the Chota Nagpur Division, but as yet nothing has transpired to show the necessity for protective legislation with regard to them. In the Bill as originally drafted, no provisions exist analogous to those that have now been inserted. Their omission was due, not to any failure to recognize the need of such legislation, but because the materials on which to base the requisite provisions had not been collected. To obtain the information, a careful and minute local inquiry was needed. This Mr. Lister, the Settlement Officer, has, during the working season of the past and part of the current year, carried out.

"Owing to the non-recognition of their rights, the *Mundaris* for more than three-quarters of a century have been in a state of agitation, which from time to time has culminated in outbursts. In 1822 a horde of middlemen was let loose over the country by the then Maharaja of Chota Nagpur. These persons were up-country men. They were ignorant of, or oblivious to, the rights and customs of the aborigines, among whom naturally much discontent arose. This found a vent in the great *Munda* rebellion of 1832-1833, the immediate cause of which was an attempt by the Thakur of Sonpurgarh to destroy *khunt katti* rights in Bandgaon and Kochang in the district of Ranchi. The attempts to destroy the *khunt kattidars'* rights did not then cease, and they were the cause of the disturbances between landlords and tenants in that district in the year of the Mutiny. Both sides took advantage of the disorder that then prevailed—the landlords to oust the *khunt kattidars* who were holding at low permanent rentals, the *khunt kattidars* to recover the *khunt katti* lands which the landlords had previously succeeded in making *rajhus* or *manjhihas*, *i.e.*, raiyati or *sir*.

"Eventually the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act of 1869 was passed, and effected some improvement. But it omitted to deal with all the privileged lands, as it took no notice of intact *khunt katti* villages. This omission left such villages at the mercy of the spoliator. The destruction of the *khunt katti* tenancies went on, and the discontent thereby created brought about the outburst of 1888, when what is locally known as the *Sardar Zarai* began, and has not yet ceased. Utilising the bitter feelings of the *Mundaris*, some of their fellow-clansmen—they came to be known afterwards as *sardars*—persuaded the people that the Hindus had no right to the lands, that the lands belonged to the *Mundaris*, that no rents should be paid, and that the Sovereign had given a decree to this effect. The outburst that occurred at the time was put down, but it again broke out in 1899-1900 under the leadership of one Birsa, who styled himself a God.

"This prolonged disaffection is the reason that has led Government to have a survey and record-of-rights made of the *Mundari* country. But if steps are not taken to safeguard by legislation the rights of those people and to secure the finality of the record-of-rights, the latter by itself will not suffice to quieten the agitation. As long ago as 1839 it was reported that unless these people are protected in the possession of their lands, we never can be certain of the peace of the country. Once the necessary facts have been obtained, as is now the case, such legislation cannot be delayed, because the attacks which have been made on those rights so pertinaciously and for so long a time will be carried on with a greatly increased vigour, owing to the need of acting before the law can intervene.

"A *khunt kattidar* is the founder or the male descendant in the male line of the founder of the village in which are situated his *khunt katti* lands.

"The tenancy is of two kinds, the difference between them being merely one of area. It is either the tenancy of the whole brotherhood, the descendants

of the original founder, or that of an individual member of the brotherhood over the lands in his immediate possession.

"The Settlement Officer, owing to the burial custom of the *Mundaris*, can easily ascertain whether the claim to hold certain lands as *khunt katti* is true or not. No *Mundari* can rightly be buried save in the burial ground of the village of which his ancestor on the paternal side was the founder. When a *Mundari* wished to found a new village he either alone or with some of his kinsmen on the paternal side obtained the jungle tract he desired. The area so acquired was invariably large, in some cases extending to square miles. His object was to bring by himself, or through his male descendants, portions of it under cultivation, but it was open to him or his male descendants acting jointly, to give portions to other *Mundaris* either to cultivate as raiyats or to establish other *khunt katti* villages. The system is one which originated long before the advent of the Hindus into Chota Nagpur. Originally no rent was payable, but this was changed. Rent and services came to be demanded, and were given. This rental was, and is in most cases a permanent one, and cannot be enhanced save under certain circumstances as given in section 19 of the existing Act.

"It has therefore been found, *firstly*, that the landlord has no power of control over the internal affairs of the village. *Secondly*, that the *khuntkattidars* of a village must be the male descendants of one family, and hence members of the same *killi* or *gotra*. *Thirdly*, that the tenancy is not a tenure or a raiyati holding in the sense that now attaches to those terms, but that it partakes, to some extent, of the nature of both. *Fourthly*, that where the pure *khuntkatti* system prevails there is no recognized system of transfer, save (*i*) to men of the same race, and that only for cultivation, or (*ii*) to *mahajans* temporarily for financial needs. *Fifthly*, that a transfer requires the joint consent of the brotherhood. *Sixthly*, that the resident male descendants of the original grantee have equal rights. *Seventhly*, that the rental can only be enhanced under the conditions given in section 19 of the Act.

"For the purposes of village administration it is necessary that there should be an executive and also a spiritual head. The former is the *Munda*, and the latter the *Pahan*. The grantee, if alone, combined both offices, and on his death his eldest son became the *Munda*, and his second son the *Pahan*. These posts became as a rule hereditary in the families of these sons. The *Munda* is the spokesman and representative of the brotherhood in secular matters relating to the village, and so far as the brotherhood is concerned has no greater rights than any of the other members. But in his name the village came to be registered in the *sarrishta* of the landlord, and hence arose one of the causes that has led to the disintegration of so many of these *khuntkatti* villages and the discontent of the *Mundaris*. Seeing that the tenancy was in the name of the *Munda* only, the Courts treated him as a tenure-holder and the other members of the brotherhood as his tenants. Consequently when the rent fell into arrears he alone was sued, and his supposed rights sold. On getting possession the purchaser, an alien, proceeded to treat the other members of the brotherhood as if they were raiyats or even as mere tenants-at-will. The knowledge of this has also induced many *Mundas* themselves to destroy the rights of their weaker brethren, and thereby gradually obtain for themselves the position of petty zamindars.

"Wherever in a *khuntkatti* village the process of disintegration has set in, there will be found some lands in the possession of the descendants of the original founder and held by them as *khuntkatti* lands. Such portions of land were those that were registered and dealt with under the name of *bhuinharri* lands by the Special Commissioners who carried out the provisions of the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869. Babu Rakhal Dass Haldar, an officer, who for over nine years was engaged on this work, described such lands as the remnants of the old *khuntkatti* tenures.

"As I have already said, the Act to which I have just referred did not provide for the registration of whole *khuntkatti* villages, though their nature and that of the *bhuinharri* lands was the same. In 1871 Mr. Oliphant, then Deputy Commissioner of what is now known as Ranchi, recommended that a simple demarcation with registration should be made of all such *khuntkatti* villages in order to make the holders secure in the possession of their holdings.

But Colonel Dalton, the then Commissioner, thought this would be exceedingly difficult, except as part of a regular revenue survey of the district. Accordingly the proposal was rejected by Government on the ground that nothing had occurred to bring the *khuntkattis* to special notice. It is much to be regretted that no such survey and registration was then effected. For since 1871 many villages, then wholly *khuntkatti*, have ceased to be such. The work of destruction has been chiefly effected through the agency of the Courts assisted by a political agitation in the shape of a refusal to pay rent and by the greed of the *Mundas*. Such villages became what, for want of a better term, I can only call mutilated *khuntkatti* villages. They are to be found in all stages of decay, but in each are lands held by descendants of the founder and claimed as *khuntkatti*. I have refrained from using the term *bhuinharri* to describe such lands because since the passing of the Act of 1869 a certain legal significance has become attached to that term, which it is not desirable to adopt here. Apart from this, however, the terms are really synonymous. They were so employed by Dr. Davidson in 1839, and are still so used by the people in the south-east of Ranchi.

"The sections in the revised Bill with regard to *Mundari khuntkattidari* tenancies embody what the Select Committee, after hearing and examining Mr. Lister, consider to be essential in order to allay, as far as possible, the agitation which has been going on for so long a time among the *Mundaris*. Their acceptance will greatly weaken the agitation, but will not satisfy the extreme party of the *Mundaris*, whose wishes are impossible of attainment, as they want the Government to go back to what, in their opinion, was the state of the country before the Hindus entered it.

"The objects it is desired to secure are (1) to prohibit sale; (2) to stop all forms of mortgage save that known as *bhoghut bundha*, and thereby prevent these savages becoming the serfs of money-lenders; (3) to follow recognized custom and allow certain forms of transfer to other *Mundaris;* (4) to invest the Deputy Commissioner with power to give effect to this prohibition of sale and certain restrictions on transfer; (5) to provide for the realization of arrears of rent; (6) to secure the finality of the record-of-rights. The joint and individual responsibility of the members of the brotherhood of a *Mundari khuntkattidari* tenancy with regard to the rent will be noted in the record-of-rights as well as the nature of the right, whatever it may be, of the landlord to resume. As to prohibition of sale, I would point out that the idea of sale is repugnant to the *Mundaris*, wherever they have not come under the influence of alien theories. Writing in 1871, Mr. Oliphant, whom I have previously mentioned, advocated the enforcement by law of the prohibition issued in 1832-33 by Captain (afterwards Sir Thomas) Wilkinson, the Governor-General's Agent, forbidding *Mundars* to part with their lands to foreigners or aliens. Speaking of the rules under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act in relation to *bhuinharri* lands, Mr. Webster, I.C.S., in 1875, pointed out that the right of transfer thereby granted was an innovation. Writing in 1880, Babu Rakhal Das Haldar, to whom I have already referred, stated with regard to *bhuinharri* lands that where they were held jointly or under the control of a single Head *bhuinharri*, no transfer can be made unless with the consent of all the members. The procedure devised for the realisation of arrears of rent in the case of tenancies for which a record-of-rights has been prepared will for the first time give the *Munda* a practical means to compel defaulting members of the brotherhood to pay up their quotas. Hitherto he was quite unable to do this, as he had not the means, for the cost of a suit was prohibitive, since in individual cases the sums due amounted to only a few annas. Hence when through the advice of the *sardars* the members of the brotherhood refused to pay any rent the *Munda* was helpless, and when the *Munda's* own credit no longer sufficed to enable him to raise the requisite sum, the tenancy was sold up. Under the powers now proposed to be given, the Settlement Officer will be able not only to secure for the members of a *Mundari khuntkatti* brotherhood in an intact *khuntkatti* village the safe enjoyment of their tenancy, but will also be able to protect from further molestation the *Mundaris* who are the descendants of the original founder of a village and hold *khuntkatti* lands in mutilated *khuntkatti* villages.

"It may be asked why not, instead of these sections, employ the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act of 1869? To that I would reply that this Act either does not go far enough or goes too far. It does not provide for intact *khuntkatti* villages. It provides no prohibition against sale. It does not regulate transfer other than sale. It does not provide for recovery of arrears of rent. It treats such tenancies as tenures, which they are not. Lastly, it provides for retrospective effect, and that in the present instance could not be asked for. I would here read to the Council what the Settlement Officer states on the subject, since it describes exactly what is intended to be done:—

'In other villages the descendants of the *khuntkattidars* are treated as ordinary raiyats by the *Munda* or by the Dikku zamindar. Here, too, we must ascertain what lands they have continued to cultivate from *khuntkatti* days, and record them as *khuntkatti*. Even if the zamindar has enchanced the rent of such lands, contrary to the customary rights of the cultivators, whilst we cannot repair the injury, we can prevent future wrong-doing by recording the real nature of the lands.'

"Turning to the proposed amendments in the Commutation Act of 1897 (Ben. IV of 1897), it will be seen that in the revised Bill certain changes in procedure are proposed where a survey and record-of-rights is being carried out, and Government has issued an order under section 5 of the Act for the compulsory commutation of *rakumats* or payments in kind and predial services. The commutation of these *rakumats* and services having been decided on, the experience gained by the Settlement Officer shows that unless the procedure under the Act is assimilated to that for the record-of-rights, a large part of the work will have to be done twice over, and as the cost of commutation will have wholly to be met by the landlords and tenants, this will entail on them a heavy burden. To save this, which for the district of Ranchi alone would come to some lakhs of rupees, the change in procedure has been suggested."

The Council was adjourned to Saturday, the 1st August, 1903.

CALCUTTA;
The 4th August, 1903.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council and
Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 258.

[First Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—North Island—Port Nicholson.

Evans bay—Rock, Buoy, Beacon.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 520 of 1903) of a rock in Evans bay, port Nicholson, which dries at low water, situated with the northern end of the Barracks south of Halswell point bearing S. 68° E., distant $1\frac{6}{10}$ cables, and Halswell point N. 21° E.

This rock, about 70 yards in length in a north-easterly and south-westerly direction, has been marked by a can buoy, painted red, in a depth of 24 feet off its south-western end.

An iron beacon has been erected on the ledge extending from the first point to the southward of the above rock, and is situated with the northern end of the Barracks bearing N. 62° E., distant $1\frac{7}{10}$ cables, and mount Crawford S. 64° E.

Approximate position of northern end of the Barracks, lat. 41° 17½′ S., long. 174° 49¾′ E.

(*Variation 15° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 171; and Supplement, 1903, page 22.

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Port Officer of Calcutta.

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Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 259.

[First Publication.]

JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—Gulf of Tokyo.

Yokohama bay—Position of Quarantine Ship.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 532 of 1903) that the Quarantine Ship in Yokohama bay is situated with the red light on the northern breakwater bearing N. 64°

W., distant 19¾ cables, and Treaty point S. 39° W., or about 6¾ cables S. 55° E. from the position shown on the Charts.

Approximate position, lat. 25° 26½′ N., long. 139° 41¾′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Gulf of Yedo, No. 2657; Yokohama bay, No. 3109 : Also, China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, pages 304, 307; and Supplement, 1898, page 16.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 260.

[First Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Tsungming crossing and Harvey point channel—Buoys altered

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 540 of 1903) that the undermentioned buoys in the Tsungming crossing and Harvey point channel have been altered :—

Tsungming crossing—

(*a*) The West spit buoy, painted in red and black vertical stripes, has been replaced by a light buoy painted in a similar manner, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*, moored in a position from which Chung Pao Sha quarantine beacon bears S. 44° E., distant 2$\frac{1}{10}$ miles, and the Cupola S. 69° W.

(*b*) The East entrance buoy, painted black, has been replaced by a light buoy painted in a similar colour, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*, moored in a position from which Chung Pao Sha quarantine beacon bears S. 61° W., distant 5$\frac{4}{10}$ miles, and the Two trees N. 45° W.

Approximate position, Quarantine beacon, lat. 31° 26½′ N., long. 121° 31′ E.

Harvey point channel—

(*c*) The south-east spit buoy, situated about 4¾ miles to the westward of Pien Tan Sha beacon, has been replaced by a light buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds.*

Approximate position, lat. 31° 36′ N., long. 121° 18′ E.

The above occulting lights show thus:—light, *four seconds;* eclipse, *two seconds.*

The present direction of Tsungming crossing is about N. 80° E and S. 80° W., the least depth at its eastern end being 3¼ fathoms and at its western end 4¼ fathoms at low water. The northern edge of Tsungming bank is marked by two black buoys placed at equal distances between the east Entrance light buoy and the West Spit buoy.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Kue Shan to the Yang tse kiang, No. 1199; approaches to the Yang tse, No. 1602; Shanghai to Nanking, No. 2809 : Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, pages 446, 447.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 261.

[First Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Bombay harbour—Changes in Government moorings.

NOTICE TO MARINERS No. 73 of 1903, issued by the Bombay Government, is republished.

The following changes have been made in Government Moorings:—

Moorings Nos. 2 and 3 have been removed and a new No. 2 placed about half way between the old position of the two buoys removed.

The buoys have been renumbered in accordance with the change, old No. 4 now becoming No. 3 and so on, No. 10 becoming No. 9, the last number.

'A' buoy (Assaye) has been removed.

As the vessels that composed the Defence Squadron have been abolished, buoys are no longer referred as formerly after the names of the ships that occupied these moorings.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port of Bombay, No. 655.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 262.

[First Publication.]

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—GULF OF ADEN.

Aden Harbour—Light vessel replaced.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 51, dated 13th February 1903, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 74 of 1903) that the Aden Light Vessel having completed her repairs will be replaced in position on or about 9th July 1903 and the temporary Light Vessel removed.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 263.

[First Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Karnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

THE Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the river channels by soundings taken on the 29th July and reduced to zero:—

	Ft.	in.
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	10	6
Batten beacon and pillar on hill	12	0
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on ball and cross	17	0
Track No. 4—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	17	0

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 264.

[First Publication.]

PERSIAN GULF—Bassora bar.

A Conical buoy placed at S. E. end of Abadan bank.

The British Vice-Consul, Bushire, has given notice, dated 22nd July 1903, that the Captain of the British India Steam Navigation Company's S.S. *Kola* reports having placed a large Conical buoy painted red-white vertically on S.-E. end of the Abadan bank (Bassora bar) in 11 feet L. W. S. The position of the buoy is—

Outer bar buoy bears from it S. 48° E. (true), distant 3 miles, and
No. 1 Can buoy on the Abdalla bank N. 41° W., distant 2¾ miles.

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Calcutta, *the 3rd August 1903.* *Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 250.

[Second Publication.]

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Borneo, east coast.

Bulungar river approach—Reef reported.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 499 of 1903) of the existence of a reef about one cable in length and half a cable in breadth, with a least depth over it of 6 inches, situated about 6 miles S. 75° W. from Bulik Taba beacon.

Approximate position, lat. 2° 32¾′ N., long. 117° 56′ E.

There are depths of from 9 to 10 fathoms around this reef.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Strait of Makassar, No 2636: Also, Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1893, page 339.

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Calcutta, *the 25th July 1903.* *Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 251.

[Second Publication.]

AFRICA, SOUTH—Madagascar, N. W. coast.

Nosi Bé—Rock reported in Fotaka (Befotaka) Bay.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 503 of 1903) of the existence of a rock, with a depth of 5 feet over it at lowest tide, in Fotaka (Befotaka) bay, situated with Tanilatsaka conspicuous tree bearing S. 11° E., distant 6 miles, and Amporaka point N. 75° E.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 13′ S., long. 48° 12¼′ E.

(*Variation 7° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Pasindava and adjacent bays, No. 708; Also, Islands in Southern Indian Ocean, 1891, page 184; and Supplement, 1898, page 22.

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Calcutta, *the 25th July 1903.* *Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 262.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA SEA—GASPAR STRAIT.

Shoal water (Ondiepwater) island light—Character altered.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 15, dated 9th January 1903, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 505 of 1903) that the character of Shoal water (Ondiepwater) island light has been altered from white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every fifteen seconds*, the duration of the flash being *three seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 19′ S., long. 107° 13′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China Sea, No. 1263; Eastern Archipelago, No. 941a; Gaspar and Banka Straits, No. 2149; Gaspar Strait, No. 2137: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 530; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 433.

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W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.

CALCUTTA, *the 25th July 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 263.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA SEA—COCHIN CHINA AND TONG KING GULF.

Intended lights.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 508 of 1903) that it is intended to establish lights at the undermentioned places in Cochin China and in the Tong king gulf:—

1. Fan rang bay.—A lighthouse is in course of construction in Fan rang bay, but the character of the light to be exhibited from it is not yet decided.

   Approximate position, lat. 11° 34′ N., long. 109° 4′ E.

   The exact position of the lighthouse is not stated.

2. Lon (Tré) island.—A lighthouse is being constructed on Lon island from which it is intended to exhibit a *white group flashing* light showing groups of *three flashes every fifteen seconds*. The tower will be of granite, 40 feet high, and the duration of each flash will be under one-tenth of a second. The light will be elevated 315 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 24 miles.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 11¼′ N., long. 109° 19′ E.

   This light will probably be exhibited for experiment in 1904.

3. Nhatrang bay.—A lighthouse is in course of construction on the site of an old fort on Chut point, but the character of the light to be exhibited therefrom has not yet been decided.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 13′ N., long. 109° 12′ E.

4. Cape Varella.—A *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two flashes every ten seconds* will be established in a cylindrical tower of granite, 46 feet high, now being erected on the point to the southward of cape Varella, the duration of each flash will be one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 318 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 24 miles.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 53¾′ N., long. 109° 26¼′ E.

   This light will probably be exhibited experimentally at the end of 1903.

5. Pulo Gambir (Kambir).—A *white group flashing* light showing groups of *four flashes every fifteen seconds* will be established in a cylindrical tower of granite, 42 feet high, now being constructed on the summit of the eastern point of Pulo Gambir or Kambir. The duration of each flash will be under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 387 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 26 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 36½′ N., long. 109° 20½′ E.

This light will probably be exhibited experimentally in 1904.

6. Kin Hon harbour.—A *white fixed* light, elevated 164 feet above high water, and visible from a distance of 8 miles over an arc of 275°, will be established on an iron gibbet attached to a dwelling now being constructed on the south-west point of the Huong Mai peninsula entrance to Kin Hon or Thi Nai harbour.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 45¼′ N., long. 109° 13¼′ E.

The light will probably be exhibited for experiment at the end of 1903.

7. Nau Chau island.—A *white flashing* light *every five seconds*, elevated 341 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 26 miles, will be established in a cylindrical tower of stone, 62 feet high, now being erected on the summit of Nau Chau island.

Approximate position, on Chart No. 875, lat. 20° 54′ N., long. 110° 35½′ E.

This light will probably be exhibited experimentally in March 1904.

Further notice will be given when the above lights are exhibited.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Saigon river to Kam ranh bay, No. 1261; Fan rang bay to Tong king gulf, No. 1342; Tong king gulf, No. 2068; Kam ranh bay to Vung-ro bay, No. 1008; Plan of Kin Hon harbour on Chart No. 264, Nau Chau passage on Chart No. 875: Also, List of Lights, prat VI, 1903, pages 122, 126; China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, pages 396, 399, 406, 412, 413, 505; and Supplement; 1901, page 18.

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CALCUTTA, *the 25th July 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 254

[Second Publication.]

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST COAST—RED SEA.

Suez bay—Beacons constructing at Kal ah Kebireh shoal.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 509 of 1903) that beacons are being constructed on the north, south and west sides of Kal ah Kebireh shoal, Suez bay, from each of which it is intended to exhibit a light of a distinctive character.

The lights exhibited from the present beacon will be discontinued.

Approximate position, lat. 29° 54¾′ N., long. 32° 31¾′ E.

Further Notice will be given when this alteration has been made.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Suez, No. 757; Suez bay, No. 734, Also, List of Lights, part V., 1903, No. 1340; part VI, 1903, No. 165; and Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 89.

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AFRICA, EAST COAST—TANGA BAY.

Ulenge reef—Non-existence of tower.

THE British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 519 of 1903) that the tower on the nothern end of Ulenge reef is no longer in existence; it has, therefore, been expunged from the Chart.

Approximate position, lat. 5° 2½′ S., long. 39° 10½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mansa and Tanga bays, No. 663; Also, Africa Pilot, part III., 1897, page 473.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 256.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST—GULF OF KUTCH.

Juria Bandar—Intended exhibition of light.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 68 of 1903) that from 1st August 1903, a white fixed light elevated 36 feet above high water and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles between the bearings of from N. 21° W. to S. 69° W. (270°) will be exhibited from a cast-iron column on rubble masonry tower erected on the extreme north end of quay wall at Juria Bandar.

The light will be dioptric of the 6th order.

Approximate position—

Lat.	...	...	...	...	22° 43′ 30″ N.
Long.	...	...	...	...	70° 19′ 00″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Coasts of Sind and Kutch including the Gulf of Kutch, No. 42; Gulf of Kutch, No. 43; and Gulf of Kutch to Viziadurg, No. 2736; also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 4th Edition, 1898, page 284; and List of Lights, Part VI, 1903, page 36."

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CALCUTTA, *the 27th July 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 257.

[Second Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Rangoon river—Position of Hastings Shoal Wreck buoy altered.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 71 of 1903) that information has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, dated 4th July 1903, that the small wreck buoy on the Hastings Shoal which had drifted out of position has been replaced by an old-fashioned conical channel buoy painted green.

The position of the buoy is close to the south edge of the wreck.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Rangoon River and Approaches, No. 833; and Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd Edition, 1901, page 353.

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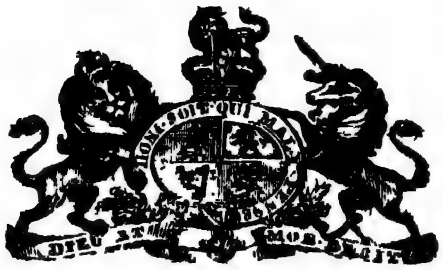

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The August 1903.—The following extracts from the Resolution and Returns of the Board of Revenue on the working of the Income-Tax Department in Bengal in the year 1902-1903 are published for general information.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION.

INCOME-TAX BRANCH.

THE HON'BLE MR. C. E. BUCKLAND, C.I.E.

Dated Calcutta, the 10th July 1903.

THE statistical information regarding the Income-tax Department, for the year 1902-1903, has been compiled with reference to the Government of India's Resolutions Nos. 2316S.R., dated the 8th May 1901, and 83S.R., dated the 14th January 1903.

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3. The following statement compares the receipts, charges and net revenue with those of the previous year:—

YEAR.	Receipts.	Charges.	Percentage of charges.	Net revenue.
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
1902-1903 ...	58,66,787	2,12,463	3·6	56,54,324
1901-1902 ...	56,56,735	2,13,398	3·8	54,43,337
	+2,10,052	−935	−2	+2,10,987

The net revenue showed an increase of 3·9 per cent., as compared with an increase of 7·5 per cent. in 1901-1902.

4. *Return No. III.*—The collections upon the profits of companies showed a noticeable increase of Rs. 1,02,393, or 18·4 per cent. in comparison with the preceding year, and it is explained by the Collector of Income-tax, Calcutta, that the assessments on Jute Companies and Jute Presses were mainly responsible. Coal Companies do not manifest much improvement, and the returns from Cotton Mills and Insurance Companies were poor. Outside Calcutta, the receipts under this head were largest in the district of Dacca, where the collections advanced from Rs. 152 during 1901-1902 to Rs. 7,285 during the year under report, but the Commissioner has not explained the fluctuation. The results under other parts did not present special features.

5. *Return No. V.*—The amount of tax remitted rose from Rs. 71,130 in 1901-1902 to Rs. 1,04,158 during the year under report. The remissions in Calcutta (Rs. 85,159 in comparison with Rs. 51,017 during the preceding year) were mainly responsible for this result, but the figures were unduly swollen by the inclusion of remissions of Rs. 35,976 on account of the year 1899-1900 and of Rs. 25,052 on account of the year 1900-1901. The figures for the year 1901-1902 had only included remissions on account of previous years (1898-1899) to the extent of Rs. 29,516.

6. *Return No. VI.*—The number of persons finally assessed shows an increase of 2,053, or 1·7 per cent., as compared with 3·8 per cent. during the previous year. The final demand for the year rose by Rs. 1,47,989, or by 2·9 per cent. in comparison with 8·2 per cent. during 1901-1902. The demand increased by over 10 per cent. in the districts of Balasore (30·01), Singhbhum (19·3), Tippera (14·3) and Hazaribagh (10·2),—attributable, generally, to more thorough assessments. The results in Balasore are reported to have been mainly achieved by the enhancement of the demand from well-to-do assessees who had been previously under-assessed.

The demand decreased by over 10 per cent. in Manbhum (11·06), owing to the exemption from assessment of bonuses paid for the settlement of coal-bearing lands and to the dull state of the coal trade.

7. The percentage of collections on the final demand on account of the tax for the year was 96·6, as compared with 96·3 during 1901-1902. The districts of Burdwan, Dacca, Noakhali, Champaran and Malda succeeded in collecting the entire demand within the year. The prescribed standard of 95 per cent. was attained in all the other districts except Jalpaiguri, the 24-Parganas and Calcutta, where the percentages were 94·7, 94·03, and 94·7, respectively. The low percentage of collections in Jalpaiguri was due to the non-realisation of the sum of Rs. 1,041-10-8, being the tax of one assessee whose objection was pending before the Commissioner. As regards the 24-Parganas, it is reported that, a larger area having been taken up for revision than in previous years, a considerable number of assessments could not be completed earlier than the close of the third quarter of the year, and consequently a large amount of tax covered by objections was not legally due before the end of the year. There was also some difficulty experienced on account of the wide publicity given to the Government notification raising the assessable minimum from Rs. 500 to Rs. 1,000, towards the end of the year, several assessees professing to believe that these orders had retrospective effect. The failure in attaining the prescribed standard of collection in Calcutta during the year is ascribed to the fact that many assessments had to be made during the last quarter of the year. The difficulty is with the assessment of firms and companies and after special enquiry during the year, the Board were persuaded that it was a practical one.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

H. WHEELER,

Secretary.

RETURN No. I.

Statement showing the collections of the Tax under Act II of 1886, from Salaries, Pensions, Annuities and Gratuities paid by the Government in the year 1902-1903.

Class.	Income.	Paid by the Government.								Remarks.
		Salaries.		Pensions and annuities.		Gratuities.		Total.		
		Number of assessees.	Amount of tax.	Number of assessees	Amount of tax.	Number of assessees.	Amount of tax.	Number of assessees.	Amount of tax.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Rs. Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.	
I	500, but less than 750	3,139	40,928	353	4,419	...	...	3,492	45,341
II	750 ,, 1,000	1,109	21,802	183	3,287	...	.	1,352	25,089
III	1,000 ,, 1,250	774	20,257	159	3,939	...	...	933	24,196
IV	1,250 ,, 1,500	268	8,006	72	2,073	...	...	340	10,081
V	1,500 ,, 1,750 ..	339	11,722	63	2,303	...	...	402	14,025
VI	1,750 ,, 2,000 ..	327	13,121	52	2,284	...	...	379	15,405
	Total I to VI ..	6,016	1,15,838	882	18,299		.	6,898	1,34,137
VII	2,000, but less than 2,500 ...	445	26,821	68	4,405	...	...	513	31,226
VIII	2,500 ,, 5,000 ..	804	78,337	128	13,579	...	...	932	91,916
IX	5,000 ,, 10,000	424	77,890	48	7,683	...	...	472	85,573
X	10,000 ,, 20,000 ...	191	65,427	14	4,320	...	...	205	69,747
XI	20,000 ,, 30,000 ..	74	45,150	2	1,950	...	...	76	47,100
XII	30,000 ,, 40,000	28	23,287	...	...	...	...	28	23,287
XIII	40,000 ,, 50,000 ...	15	17,682	2	2,213	...	...	17	19,895
XIV	50,000 ,, 1,00,000	2	3,149	1	2,599	...	...	3	5,748
XV	1,00,000 and more	...	..	1	5,208	...	...	1	5,208
	Total VII to XV	1,983	3,37,743	264	41,957	.	...	2,247	3,79,700
	Grand Total	7,999	4,53,581	1,146	60,256		..	9,145	5,13,837
	Total of previous year ..	8,558	4,43,557	1,216	58,313	4	5	9,778	5,01,904

RETURN No. II.

Statement showing the Collections of the Tax under Act II of 1886 from Interest on Securities in the year 1902-1903.

Class.	Rate of tax.	Securities of the Government of India.		Securities of Local authority or Company.		Total.		Remarks.
		Amount of securities.	Amount of tax.	Amount of securities.	Amount of tax.	Amount of securities.	Amount of tax.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
I to VI	At 4 pies in the rupee	5,57,800	53	4,000	3	5,61,800	56	
VII to XV	,, 5 ,, ,, ...	2,58,59,300	16,292	10,51,46,500	85,593	13,10,05,800	1,01,885	
	Total ...	2,64,17,100	16,345	10,51,50,500	85,596	13,15,67,600	1,01,941	
	Total of previous year	2,65,19,720	16,622	7,73,31,800	81,432	10,38,51,520	98,054	

RETURN

Statement showing Collections of the Tax under

Class.	Amount of Income.	Salaries, pensions, annuities and gratuities paid by the Government.		Salaries, pensions, annuities and gratuities paid by local authorities.		Salaries, &c., paid by companies, public bodies, associations and private employers.				Profits of companies.	
						Tax levied under—					
						Section 9 (1).		Section 9 (3).			
		Number of assessees.	Amount of tax.	Number of assessees.	Amount of tax.	Number of assessees.	Amount of tax.	Number of assessees.	Amount of tax (including remissions allowed under B. G. rule 18).	Number of assessees.	Amount of tax.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Rs. Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.
I	500, but less than 750 ...	3,492	45,341	1,373	11,157	3,273	27,736	5,893	53,778	11	155
II	750 „ „ 1,000 ...	1,552	25,089	285	4,685	573	9,552	1,270	22,945	7	247
III	1,000 „ „ 1,250 ...	933	24,196	209	4,943	474	10,820	949	21,771	8	294
IV	1,250 „ „ 1,500 ...	340	10,081	79	2,340	192	5,072	576	16,380	4	137
V	1,500 „ „ 1,750 ...	402	14,025	55	2,235	157	5,378	474	15,770	3	117
VI	1,750 „ „ 2,000 ...	379	15,405	56	2,494	178	6,227	775	29,919	3	145
	Total I to VI ...	6,898	1,34,137	2,057	28,253	4,847	65,425	9,924	1,63,563	36	995
						Collections under Part III				...	...
VII	2,000, but less than 2,500 ...	513	31,226	70	4,059	270	15,401	655	37,907	7	423
VIII	2,500 „ „ 5,000 ...	932	91,916	134	12,103	520	46,474	1,623	1,43,941	27	2,533
IX	5,000 „ „ 10,000 ...	473	85,873	74	12,317	243	41,640	823	93,068	26	4,962
X	10,000 „ „ 20,000 ...	205	69,747	12	4,037	40	13,065	118	40,030	29	11,366
XI	20,000 „ „ 30,000	76	47,100	1	750	2	1,165	9	5,383	14	8,966
XII	30,000 „ „ 40,000 ...	28	23,357	1	819	2	1,088	2	2,130	12	10,807
XIII	40,000 „ „ 50,000 ...	17	19,895	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	13,346
XIV	50,000 „ „ 1,00,000 ...	3	5,748	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	40,139
XV	1,00,000 and more	1	5,308	...	...	...	...	1	3,125	60	5,57,734
	Total VII to XV ...	2,247	3,79,700	292	34,085	1,077	1,19,434	2,931	3,25,584	214	6,69,963
						Collections under Part III				...	
	Grand Total	9,145	5,13,837	2,349	62,338	5,924	1,84,859	12,855	4,89,147	250	6,60,057
						Collections under Part III				...	.
	Total of previous year ...	9,778	5,01,904	2,420	63,755	6,108	1,84,226	12,459	4,73,275	247	5,57,644
						Collections under Part III				...	...

* Actually refunded
To be refunded

Total

No. III.

Act II of 1886 in the year 1902-1903.

Interest on securities.	Other sources of income.		Total collection of tax.		Penalties by Collector.	Fines by Magistrate.	Miscellaneous.	Total of columns 17 to 20.	Refunds.	Net collections (including remissions allowed under B. G. rule 13). (Column 21 *minus* column 22.)	Arrears of previous years.	Remarks.
Amount of tax.	Number of assessees.	Amount of tax.	Number of assessees. (Total of columns 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 and 14.)	Amount of tax. (Total of columns 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 13, and 15.)								
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Rs.		Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
...	50,729	5,06,490	64,771	6,44,687	5,699	...	5,338	6,55,724	1,939	6,53,785	20,674	
...	16,244	2,43,835	19,740	3,05,363	1,810	...	1,938	3,09,011	612	3,08,189	12,723	
...	10,697	2,13,538	13,250	2,75,451	1,212	...	1,582	2,78,345	689	2,77,656	13,289	
...	5,042	1,40,951	6,233	1,75,761	531	...	711	1,76,983	304	1,76,689	7,246	
...	3,899	1,25,562	4,690	1,63,177	363	...	558	1,64,148	261	1,63,887	8,298	
...	2,784	1,16,704	4,173	1,73,894	500	...	636	1,75,026	149	1,74,877	12,068	
...	89,095	13,46,960	112,857	17,38,333	10,131	...	10,783	17,59,247	4,154	17,55,093	80,438	
56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	3,089	1,64,226	4,574	2,53,343	541	...	1,084	2,54,868	558	2,54,310	13,061	
...	4,634	3,26,762	7,370	6,25,734	1,152	...	2,740	6,99,626	1,671	6,97,955	22,613	
...	2,168	3,65,946	3,506	6,03,496	545	...	2,235	6,06,276	1,518	6,04,758	19,623	
...	920	3,18,028	1,330	4,56,115	383	...	2,751	4,59,249	1,971	4,57,278	15,808	
...	304	1,83,664	496	2,47,057	20	...	511	2,47,588	733	2,47,155	13,660	
...	124	1,04,751	169	1,43,462	10	...	38	1,43,524	...	1,43,524	5,812	
...	75	83,732	108	1,16,873	10	...	39	1,16,922	13	1,16,909	5,860	
...	124	2,10,805	158	2,65,292	5	...	32	2,65,430	...	2,65,430	10,205	
...	61	4,49,299	123	10,15,360	...	...	3,706	10,19,074	...	10,19,074	3,255	
...	11,475	22,76,213	18,226	37,96,783	2,666	...	13,433	38,12,857	6,464	38,06,393	1,09,597	
91,355	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	1,90,570	36,24,873	131,093	55,35,091	12,797	...	24,216	55,72,104	10,618	55,61,486	1,90,095	
91,411	...	...	...	91,411	...	...	62	91,473	62	91,411	10,668	
			Total ...	56,26,502	12,797	...	24,278	56,63,577	10,680	56,52,897	2,00,763	
					Add excess collections on account of previous years						2,707	
					Total collections ditto ditto						2,03,210	
					Deduct refunds on account of previous years						12,707	
					Net collections ditto ditto						1,90,503	
...	98,126	35,81,091	129,138	53,61,896	11,541	...	23,008	53,96,444	10,365	53,86,079	1,58,887	
90,439	...	...	...	90,439	...	...	323	90,762	323	90,439	7,392	
			Total ...	54,52,334	11,541	...	23,331	54,87,206	10,688	54,76,518	1,66,279	
					Add excess collections on account of previous years						3,650	
					Total collections ditto ditto						1,69,929	
					Deduct refunds on account of previous years						10,670	
					Net collections ditto ditto						1,59,259	

	Rs.
...	6,618
...	4,062
...	10,680

The 4th August 1903.—The following Resolution by the Board of Revenue regarding the administration of the Stamp Department in Bengal in the year 1902-1903 and an abstract of the receipts and charges for the year are published for general information.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION.

STAMPS.

THE HON'BLE MR. C. E. BUCKLAND, C.I.E.

Dated Calcutta, the 6th July 1903.

THE annual statistics of the Stamp Department for the year 1902-1903 are submitted to Government in the forms of Statements I to VII as revised by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department Resolution No. 83S.R., dated 14th January 1903, which formed an enclosure to the Bengal Government order No. 672S.R., dated the 6th February 1903.

2. The figures of general receipts and charges for the year 1902-1903, furnished in Statement I, though obtained from the Accountant-General, have not as yet been finally verified, and are therefore liable to subsequent adjustment.

3. The revenue collected under the Stamp and Court-fees Acts amounted to Rs. 1,95,68,939, against Rs. 1,90,05,559 in the previous year, with a consequent increase of Rs. 5,63,380. The figures adopted for the revised budget estimate for the year were Rs. 1,95,00,000, and the actuals therefore exceeded the estimate by Rs. 68,939. The increase of revenue occurred both under judicial and non-judicial stamps. The total charges during the year amounted to Rs. 4,95,497, or an increase of 0·3 per cent. over the figures for 1901-1902. The increased expenditure was mainly due to the allowance of discount to vendors on the larger sales effected.

4. Statements II and III, which show the receipts from the sale of the different kinds of stamps under the heads Judicial and Non-judicial in the several districts, have been compiled mainly from figures furnished by the Superintendent of Stamps, Calcutta. It will be noticed that there is a discrepancy of Rs. 72 between the figures of total receipts in these statements and those furnished in Statement I. This cannot be reconciled until finally verified statistics are received from the Accountant-General.

5. The sale-proceeds of court-fee stamps, excluding stamps for copies, rose from Rs. 1,26,43,091 to Rs. 1,31,09,400, that is, by Rs. 4,66,309. The largest increase, amounting to Rs. 1,87,665, occurred in Calcutta, which the Collector attributes mainly to the payment of probate duty in respect of three large estates. The increase of Rs. 45,547 in the 24-Parganas is chiefly due to the large number of applications made for mutation of names in respect of holdings in the Government estate Panchannogram. The advance in other districts is generally attributed to an increase in the number and value of civil suits. Decreases of over Rs. 10,000 occurred in the districts of Hooghly (Rs. 12,771), Backergunge (Rs. 18,046), Noakhali (Rs. 10,674), Patna (Rs. 30,853), Shahabad (Rs. 18,267), Muzaffarpur (Rs. 36,770), and Purnea (Rs. 17,083). The smaller value of civil litigation is usually adduced in explanation, but in two of the three districts of the Patna Division (Patna and Shahabad) the prevalence of plague affected the work of the Courts, and in Purnea the figures of the preceding year had been unusually swollen by one particular case (paragraph 28 of the Board's report upon the operations of the triennium ending 1901-1902).

6. Non-judicial stamps yielded an increased revenue to the extent of Rs. 48,722, or 0·9 per cent., compared with the year 1901-1902. The increase was shared by all classes of stamps, except impressed stamps, *hundis*, share transfer, and notarial stamps. The revenue derived from the sale of impressed

stamps amounted to Rs. 35,59,590, against Rs. 36,05,461 in the preceding year. No very conclusive explanation is forthcoming; fewer deeds were executed, and hence the result. The revenue derived from the sale of *hundis*, or inland bills of exchange, was Rs. 1,25,486, showing a decrease of Rs. 7,054 as compared with the receipts of the preceding year. The largest increase (Rs. 76,442) is under the head of impressed labels, which are used only in Calcutta, and it is attributed to the more extensive execution of conveyances and trust mortgages on account of the holders of debentures of certain Companies. There was a satisfactory increase in the sale of one-anna receipt stamps, which was especially marked in Calcutta. The increase in the sale of forms for cheques or receipts is attributed to the briskness of trade and to the use of embossed cheques by municipalities and other local bodies.

7. Statement IV shows the number of vendors entrusted with the sale of stamps, as also the discount allowed to them. The total number of vendors employed in the sale of judicial and non-judicial stamps during the year was 6,821, or an increase, as compared with the previous year, of 66 persons. A considerable reduction in the number of vendors was effected in the Chota Nagpur Division by the elimination of those whose transactions were insignificant.

The expenditure during the year exceeded that of that preceding by Rs. 2,135,—the result of the increased sales and the larger discount allowed in consequence.

8. Statement V exhibits the number of cases in which deficient duty and penalty were levied by the Courts or by persons entitled to receive evidence under section 35, and by Collectors under sections 32, 37, 40, and 41 of Act II of 1899. The total number of cases dealt with by Civil Courts during the year shows an increase of 377, but there was a decrease of Rs. 4,260 in the duty and penalty realised, in comparison with the figures of the preceding year. This was especially noticeable in the district of Dacca. On the other hand, there was a decrease of 536 in the number of cases decided, but an increase of Rs. 27,622 in the duty and penalty realised by Revenue Officers, as compared with the figures of the preceding year. The large increase in the amount of duty and penalty is mainly due to the payment of Rs. 29,170 on seven instruments dealt with by the Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, but the Board had occasion to complain of a certain want of discretion displayed in several of the orders passed by this officer, and in more than one case reductions in the amount of penalty assessed were ordered on appeal.

9. Statement VI shows the results of the prosecutions instituted for the infringement of the provisions of the Stamp Act. The number of cases instituted was 220, in which 252 persons were brought to trial, against 567 cases and 497 persons in the preceding year. The fines imposed amounted to Rs. 1,557 in comparison with Rs. 4,047 in 1901-1902, while the amount distributed in rewards was Rs. 551, against Rs. 2,647. The falling off in the number of cases instituted in Calcutta was very marked, but no special explanation has been given.

10. Statement VII shows the results of the action taken by Collectors to test the valuation of estates in respect of which probates and letters of administration had been applied for during the year ending the 31st March 1903. In one case appertaining to Calcutta, for the year 1901-1902, the administratrix of an estate failed to pay the amount of deficit court-fees adjudged, and under the orders of the Board, a penalty of Rs. 200 was inflicted. Realisation was effected during the year under report. Of the cases reported during 1902-1903, 78·2 per cent. were enquired into. The corresponding percentage in the preceding year, was 75·9. The proportion borne by the deficit duty realised, to the amount originally paid, was 14·0 per cent., as compared with 8·8 per cent. in the preceding year.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER,

Secretary.

STATEMENT I.—*Abstract of Receipts and Charges for the year ending the 31st March 1903.*

	Receipts.	Charges.				Net receipts.	Cost of general supervision.	Cost of stamps and plain paper supplied from central depôt.
		Discount and establishment for sale of stamps.	Refunds.	Other charges.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Under the Stamp Act ...	53,99,895	2,06,301	59,697	4,652	2,70,650	51,29,245	84,501	1,13 320
Under the Court-fees Act	1,41,69,044	1,24,747	1,00.100	...	2,24,847	1,39,44,197		1,89,876
Total ...	1,95,68,939	3,31,048	1,59,797	4,652	4,95,497	1,90,73,442	84,501	3,03,196
Total of previous year	1,90,05,559	3,28,911	1,60,143	4,935	4,93,989	1,85,11,570	83,314	3,04,694

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 3rd August 1903.

Burdwan.—Rain at Sadar 2·13, Kalna 1·32, Katwa 0·27, Raniganj 0·24. Weather cloudy with occasional showers. Transplantation of *aman* continues except in Katwa and Raniganj where it has been retarded for want of water. Condition of sugarcane, *aus* and jute fair, but more rain wanted. Water insufficient in some parts of thanas Katwa and Mangalkot. Condition of cattle good. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar ·82, Rampur Hât ·93. Weather cloudy and windy. Rain is badly wanting for preserving the paddy seedlings and for transplantation. Sugarcane doing well. Fodder sufficient, but water wanted. Rice is sold at 10½ seers per rupee.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar ·48, at Vishnupur ·83. Rain very badly wanted for transplantation. Common rice sells at 10 seers a rupee. Fodder and water hardly sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·63, Contai ·68, Tamluk ·38, Ghatal 1·47. Transplantation continues. More rain urgently required. Jute doing well. Weather hot and cloudy with occasional rain. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Contai	12	0	
Tamluk	11	12	
Ghatal	11	0	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·10, Serampore 1·27, Arambagh 1·03. Prospect of standing crops fair. Rain badly wanted for transplantation which has stopped at thana Kristonagore. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	8	per rupee.
Serampore	10	4	
Arambagh	10	6	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·71. Weather cloudy and seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continues. Condition of jute fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice is selling at 11 seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·69, Barasat 1·69, Basirhat 0·68, Diamond Harbour 0·35. Weather hot. Rainfall insufficient throughout the district. *Aus* and jute doing well. Transplantation of *aman* retarded for want of rain. Prospect of *aus* and jute fair; that of *aman* scarcely so. Farming operations are practically at stand still in the Sunderbans. Average price of food-grains 11¼ seers; 10⅝ seers per rupee in Diamond Harbour. Damage to crops by insects, blight, hailstorms, etc., nil. Condition of cattle good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·06, Kushtia 0·89, Meherpur 0·20, Chuadanga 0·49, Ranaghat 1·37. Rain insufficient. Standing crops suffering from want of rain. More rain urgently needed in Kushtia. Sowing of winter rice normal. Transplantation of winter rice has not commenced in other parts. Seedlings partly withering. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kushtia	12	4	
Meherpur	11	4	
Chuadanga	12	0	
Ranaghat	11	8	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·42, Kandi ·75, Jangipur ·52, Lalbagh ·25. Weather hot and cloudy at times. Heavy showers badly needed for transplantation of *hainanti aus* in ears, but may wither if there be no rains shortly. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kandi	11	8	
Jangipur	13	8	
Lalbagh	12	0	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·97, Jhenida 0·37, Magura 0·48, Narail 0·80, Bangaon 0·82. Weather hot and cloudy with drizzling rain. Prospect of crops fair. Rainfall not general. More rain is wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Mohamedpur. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee
Jhenida	12	0	
Magura	12	0	
Narail	12	5	
Bangaon	13	5	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·58, Bagerhat 0·14, Satkhira 0·80. More rain urgently wanted. Transplantation of winter rice retarded. Sowings of autumn rice and *til* estimated at 83 and 55 per cent. respectively. Prospects of the standing crops not very favourable. Cattle-disease reported from Kachua, Kaligunge, and Budhatta. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Bagerhat	13	0	
Satkhira	12	0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·25, Nator 0·33, and Naugaon 0·11. Prospects of standing crops not favourable. Rain badly wanted. Paddy and jute suffering for want of rain. Transplantation of *aman* retarded. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·20. Weather hot and oppressive. Rain is badly wanted throughout the district. Transplantation of winter rice is retarded and in some places seedlings are withering. Jute and *bhadoi* suffering. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice is selling at 13 seers a rupee.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·76, Alipur Duars ·85. Weather very hot. Rain is badly wanted for transplantation of *haimanti* paddy. *Bhadoi* paddy and jute are in progress. Common rice sells at 11½ seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall 3·47. Weather seasonable. *Hills*—*Bhutta*, *kagni* and *chota marua* maturing. Potato being harvested. *Phapher* progressing. *Bhadoi*, *bara marua*, and *haimanti dhan* being planted. *Terai*—Transplantation of winter rice going on. Prospects fair. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Hills	9	0	per rupee.
Terai	13	0	

Bhutta sells at Darjeeling at 14 seers and at Kalimpong at 12 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·13. Slight fall. Weather very hot. Rain badly wanted for transplantation of *aman*. Harvesting of *bhadoi* going on, but cutting of jute retarded for want of water. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Nilphamari	12	0	
Kurigram	12	0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar ·08. Very slight fall in parts of the district. Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Rain is urgently needed for transplantation. Common rice is selling at 13½ seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·78, Sirajganj 0·11. Weather partially cloudy and hot. Prospects of standing crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. More rain is urgently wanted everywhere. Common rice is selling at 12 seers 12 chitaks a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar ·4. Fall general. Prospects of crops good. Weather hot and cloudy. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice is selling at 12 seers 12 chitaks a rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·09, Kishorganj 0·88, Jamalpur ·79, Netrokona 1·80. Jute and *aus* being reaped. Transplantation of winter rice and jute-steeping suffering from want of rain. Rain wanted. Weather hot. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Kishorganj	13	0	
Jamalpur	15	0	
Netrokona	16	4	

Faridpur:—Rainfall at Sadar 0·38, Goalundo 0·74, Madaripur 0·44. The prospects of paddy crops unsatisfactory, but those of jute better. Rain is wanted. Weather rather sultry. Common rice sells at 13 seers a rupee. Fodder available.

Barisal.—Rainfall general. Sadar 4·95. Weather seasonable. Prospects good. Reaping of *aus* begun in Sadar subdivision. Fodder sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Pirojpur, Patuakhali, Dakhin Shahbazpur subdivisions. Common rice sells at 12 seers 8 chitaks a rupee.

Tippera.—Rain at Sadar 1·47, Brahmanbaria ·55. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects good, but more rain wanted. Harvesting of *aus* and reaping of jute in progress. Transplantation of *aman* continues. Fodder and water available No cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells at Sadar at 14 seers a rupee. No report from Chandpur.

Noakhali.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·22, Feni ·15. Weather dry. Prospects not good. Cattle-disease in one thana. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	4	per rupee.
Feni	15	0	

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·77, Cox's Bazar 0·40. More rain badly wanted. Cultivation of *aman* crop going on. Cattle-disease reported. Water and fodder sufficient. Common rice sells at 12 seers 10 chitaks per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Rainfall 2·78. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of *aus* paddy finished. Prospects promising. More rain needed. Maize doing well. Rice sells at 13 seers a rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Patna 0·42, Bihar 0·15, Barh nil, Dinapore ·38, Hilsa 0·18, Bikram nil, Islampur ·31. Weather hot and dry. Rainfall at all stations practically nil. Prices have slightly increased since last week. Standing crops withering. Unless rain falls very soon, *bhadoi* crop will be a total failure and will in any case be a very poor one. *Dhan* in almost as bad a condition. Water-supply for cattle still sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	8	per rupee.
Barh	13	0	
Bihar	11	0	
Dinapore	13	0	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·15, Nawadah 0·22. Weather hot and cloudy at times. Transplantation of paddy has not commenced except in canal and private *pain* irrigation areas. *Bhadoi* crops and paddy seedlings withering for want of rain, which is anxiously wanted. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Average price of common rice is 11½ seers per rupee.

Shahabad—No rain. Here will be no *bhadoi* and no paddy outside irrigated area. Prospect serious. Prices rising. Rice sells at Sadar at 9 seers a rupee.

Saran.—Rainfall at Sadar nil, Siwan 0·01, Gopalganj ·60. Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Standing crops suffering for want of rain. In many places they are withering. Prospects bad if rain does not fall within 10 days. Cattle-disease at Manjhi continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of common rice is 13 seers and of maize 18 seers per rupee at Chapra.

Champaran.—Rain at Motihari nil, Bettiah 0·15. Rain urgently wanted for *bhadoi* and transplantation of winter rice which is retarded. Prospects still favourable. *Bhadoi* paddy in ear. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 16 seers and maize at 22¾ seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall nil. Weather hot and occasionally cloudy with east wind Transplantation of paddy has been much retarded for want of rain. *Bhadoi* crops have been damaged to a considerable extent, specially in the Hajipur subdivision. Rain urgently wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices are—Common rice 12½ seers and maize 19 seers a rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·20, Samastipur 0·06, Madhubani 0·28. Weather hot with east wind. Rain urgently wanted for transplantation of paddy and *marua*. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	4	per rupee.
Samastipur	15	0	
Madhubani	14	11	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar nil, Begusarai ·47, Jamui ·40. Weather too hot. Sugarcane doing well. *Bhadoi* and paddy crops suffering badly for want of rain. Very little prospects of *bhadoi* if there be no rains within a week. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	2	per rupee.
Begusarai	12	0	
Jamui	11	0	

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·12, Banka ·93, Supaul ·51. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of paddy stopped, seedlings withering at Banka and Madhipura. Prospect of *bhadoi* fair at Madhipura. Transplantation of *aghani* is about to be stopped for want of rain, and standing crops, *bhadoi*, paddy and *marua* are suffering at Supaul. Rain urgently needed throughout the district. Prices of food-grains have risen considerably at the Sadar subdivision. *Aghani* paddy in Shahkund outpost has been destroyed to the extent of four annas, and at Gopalpur *bhadoi* and *rabi* have been destroyed to the extent of twelve annas. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	8	per rupee.
Banka	11	14	
Madhipura	18	0	
Supaul	10	8	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·10, Kishanganj 1·68, Araria 0·15. Fall partial and scanty. Weather hot and sultry. Rain wanted everywhere for the standing crops. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	13	0	
Araria	14	0	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar ·43, Chanchal ·12, Shibganj 1·21. Weather hot and cloudy with easterly wind *Bhadoi*, jute, *makai* and other standing crops suffering, and transplantation of winter rice stopped for want of sufficient rain. Cattle-pox reported from Kharba thana. Fodder and water available. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Sonthal Parganas.—Rainfall at Dumka 0·50, Godda 0·59, Jamtara 0·62, Pakaur 0·58. Weather hot with occasional light showers. Transplantation has almost stopped for want of rain. Standing crops suffering from drought. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice has risen to 11 seers at Dumka.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·86. Fall general. Weather seasonable. *Beali* is in ears. Puddling, transplantation, and weeding of *sarad* going on. *Achua* cotton being harvested. *Arhar*, jute and sugarcane growing. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at $15\frac{1}{16}$ seers per rupee at Sadar.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·92. *Beali* paddy being weeded and in ears at places. *Sarad* crop being puddled and transplanted. Other standing crops doing well. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 14 seers and 12 seers at Sadar and Bhadrak respectively.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·29, Bisipara 4·99. Weather rainy and seasonable Puddling and transplantation of paddy going on. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Common rice sells at 14 seers and $13\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals respectively. Fodder and water sufficient.

Puri.—Rainfall 1·59 inches. Weather hot and cloudy. Paddy is being weeded. *Mandia* is being planted. Miscellaneous crops are doing well. Harrowing of *beali* paddy lands commenced. *Datua* is being harvested. Outturn expected to be 12 annas. Cotton pods are being plucked. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·45, Giridih 0·28. Fall not general. Weather hot. Transplantation not commenced for want of rain. Fodder sufficient. Water still scarce. Common rice sells at $11\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·75. Weather seasonable. Sowing of *urid*, *kurthi*, and *sirguja* in progress. Transplantation of paddy in full swing. Cattle-disease reported from several thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at $11\frac{1}{2}$ seers and at Gumla at 14 seers per rupee.

Palamau.—Rice and *bhadoi* crops suffering severely for want of rain. Sugarcane doing well. Cattle-disease continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices at Sadar are—Rice at 12 seers 6 chitaks and maize at 20 seers 2 chitaks per rupee.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·69. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. More rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease not reported. Common rice sells at Sadar at 10 seers per rupee. Gobindpur report not received.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 1·58. Rain scanty. Transplantation affected. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

General Summary.—Except in the Orissa and Chittagong Divisions and in parts of the Burdwan, Presidency, and Dacca Divisions, the rainfall during the week was very slight, while in four districts there was no rain. More rain is urgently wanted in the Burdwan, Presidency, Rajshahi, Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions, and in parts of the Chittagong and Chota Nagpur Divisions. Transplantation of winter rice is being retarded for want of rain in eighteen districts, and in some of them it has altogether stopped. Standing crops are suffering in eight districts, and in six districts the seedlings of winter rice are withering. Prospects are unfavourable in the Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions. Cattle-disease reported from nine districts. Fodder and water for cattle generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in 21 districts, has fallen in three and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 4th August 1903.

No.

Imports of Principal Articles into Calcutta by Rail, Road, River,

Whence imported	Food-grains								Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
Bengal	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	79,704	30,732	111,411	560	.....	7,425	35	119,431	.....	32,900	2,486	.....
Birbhum	194,221	14,604	208,348	.....	.....	1,531	.....	204,879	.....	3,640	1,023	.....
Bankura	529	.....	529	.....	.....	...	3	532	6	1,365	.....	.....
Midnapore	178,121	4,250	180,777	.....	134	1,507	4	182,422	175	13,904	4,089	.....
Hooghly	127,003	32,017	147,014	590	2	7,966	64	155,636	6,243	1,507,918	4,105	2,079
24-Parganas	402,359	55,868	437,275	... ..	57	6,475	.....	443,807	10,275	2,046,012	3,694	225
Nadia	13,341	1,302	14,155	22,596	311	246,039	2,065	285,166	2,444	14,903	157,477	76
Murshidabad	41,139	1,131	41,846	3,633	40	5,917	.....	51,436	7,866	3,080	5,005	.....
Jessore	15,227	6,220	20,739	250	.....	45,398	.....	66,392	962	1,470	3,945	1,075
Khulna	1,259	56,619	36,646	.....	.....	.....	.....	36,646	.....	280	391	.....
Rajshahi	1,546	305	1,737	1,121	.....	3,373	.....	6,231	502	280	11,094	.....
Dinajpur	3,245	356	3,467	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,467	1,439	91,770	.....	.....
Jalpaiguri	... .	... ..	.... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,390	42,525	217	.....
Darjeeling	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,285	.....	.....
Rangpur	160	.....	160	96	.....	171	.....	427	48,857	2,240	394	412
Bogra	14,562	4,130	17,143	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,143	3,311	2,100	197	187
Pabna	22,735	.....	22,735	601	.....	555	.....	23,891	153,033	71,085	3,117	1,944
Cooch Behar	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.... .	6,985	140	.....	.....
Dacca	4,499	5	4,502	1,366	.....	82	21	5,971	107,739	5,285	9,345	6,094
Mymensingh	439	486	743	86	... ..	295	.....	1,124	15,424	2,625	4,910	11,773
Faridpur	1,800	425	2,066	4,551	1,751	43,163	.....	51,530	20,592	9,380	28,274	11,647
Backergunge	304,677	1,353	305,348	450	.....	1,370	.....	307,068	3,858	4,480	3,639	480
Tippera	2,761	1	2,762	.....	.....	101	... .	2,863	2,794	2,030	11,711	250
Noakhali	8,875	200	9,000	.....	... ..	10	.....	9,010	.....	1,470	13,364	.....
Chittagong	1,360	.....	1,360	.....	.	.....	.....	1,360	.....	10,175	.....	.....
Total Bengal	1,419,952	232,482	1,565,353	35,900	2,296	371,272	2,192	1,976,912	414,555	3,876,172	267,346	36,211
Bihar												
Patna	.....	.....	.....	11,961	.....	127,023	3,502	142,486	.....	.....	243,877	54,379
Gaya	.....	.....	.....	1,046	.....	24,320	2,431	25,797	.....	20,440	153,400	17,824
Shahabad	.....	.....	... .	12,230	.....	58,932	.....	71,162	.... .	.....	135,526	392
Saran	.....	.....	.....	106	.....	1,415	314	2,395	.....	.....	6,113	7,067
Champaran	.....	.....	.....	1,680	.....	302	... ..	2,081	.....	.....	61,574	5,553
Muzaffarpur	67	2,004	1,319	893	.....	7,840	5,480	15,535	.....	5,550	159,887	18,730
Darbhanga	113	.....	113	2,738	.....	960	.....	3,810	.....	375	195,888	16,277
Monghyr	24	.....	24	9,100	... ..	105,597	6,285	120,006	.....	.....	52,431	49,325
Bhagalpur	1,460	.....	1,460	20,128	.....	83,033	406	105,032	... .	1,610	86,018	31,534
Purnea	17	... ...	17	11,055	.....	520	57	11,649	46,375	1,960*	6,147	4,625
Malda	561	... .	561	1,014	.....	268	.....	1,843	1,811	35	1,396	.....
Southal Parganas	361	1,315	1,183	35,081	.....	18,386	.....	54,630	.....	.....	21,358	20,833
Total Bihar	2,803	3,319	4,676	106,104	.....	426,571	18,975	556,326	48,186	30,370	1,123,615	226,519
Orissa												
Cuttack	3,131	1	3,132	.....	.....	1,024	.....	4,156	.....	365	.....	.....
Balasore	73,890	10,920	80,715	332	4	26,870	.....	107,921	351	1,962	678	39
Puri	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	500	.....	.....
Total Orissa	77,021	10,921	83,847	332	4	27,894	.....	112,077	351	2,827	678	39
Chota Nagpur												
Hazaribagh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Palamau	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	5,066	1,037
Manbhum	226	.....	226	.....	...	.....	... ..	226	.....	.....	.....	.....
Singhbhum	974	.....	974	.....	.....	2	.....	976	.....	175	1,556	.....
Total Chota Nagpur	1,200	.....	1,200	.....	.....	2	.....	1,202	.... .	175	6,614	1,037
Total from the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	1,500,775	246,722	1,654,976	142,336	2,299	825,739	21,167	2,646,517	463,092	3,909,444	1,398,153	263,806
Other Provinces and Places												
Burma	9,203	.....	9,203	167	.....	109	.....	9,479	.....	1,600	.....	.....
Assam	2,173	40	2,197	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,197	315	5,265	46,297	93,196
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	902	.....	902	2,271,423	.....	300,032	190,100	2,763,457	1,754	.....	847,711	567,647
Panjab	40	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	3,171
Central Provinces	.....	.....	.....	377	.....	1,064	.....	1,441	127	.....	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,197	.....	1,197	.....	.....	4,424	2,937
Bombay	8	.....	8	... ..	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	104	.....	104	.....	.....	2,966	.....	2,070	3	300	.....	.....
Port Blair	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	. ...	1	.....	.....	.....
Grand Total 1903	1,513,204	246,762	1,667,430	2,414,303	2,299	1,131,007	211,267	5,426,306	465,292	3,916,609	2,298,585	1,029,971
Grand Total 1902	1,698,849	359,662	2,123,037	876,409	13,614	1,307,033	14,185	4,334,278	2,447,676	4,013,333	1,879,422	1,159,194
Grand Total 1901	1,653,597	706,877	1,997,907	670,514	7,243	939,153	94,125	3,708,942	1,326,955	2,744,011	1,903,197	1,112,173

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

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Canal, and Sea (coastwise) in the months of April and May 1903

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco		Whence imported
					Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
...	...	.	7,947,023	...	...	574	77	...	Burdwan
...	...	102	...	...	...	...	159	...	Birbhum
...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	2	Bankura
...	300	75	14,451	...	...	4,283	521	...	Midnapore
...	242	...	4,522	...	641	23,606	15,809	1,194	Hooghly
...	6,933	...	4,590	...	709	47,200	6,005	950	24-Parganas
...	323	...	...	...	...	1,825	6,348	...	Nadia
...	...	1,238	...	...	...	...	31	41	Murshidabad
...	493	...	...	...	72	8,639	3,743	...	Jessore
...	38	...	...	...	...	5,700	...	...	Khulna
...	51	521	...	.	...	...	...	...	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	...	Dinajpur
3,884	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,030	...	Jalpaiguri
10,946	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Darjeeling
...	1,742	...	...	...	...	.	33,551	...	Rangpur
...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bogra
...	52	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	Pabna
...	...	....	...	...	...	...	627	...	Cooch Behar
7	10,250	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dacca
...	267	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mymensingh
...	278	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	Faridpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Backergunge
...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Noakhali
289	26,520	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong
15,130	47,496	1,931	7,970,591	...	1,482	94,029	73,956	2,187	Total Bengal
									BIHAR
...	567	...	...	...	....	1,103	1,571	2,263	Patna
...	...	...	...	...	...	2,395	...	3,114	Gaya
...	...	...	...	...	...	2,898	...	...	Shahabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	5,115	...	...	Saran
...	164	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Champaran
...	273	...	...	219	...	...	816	...	Muzaffarpur
...	79	...	...	...	...	...	816	...	Darbhanga
...	210	...	...	...	...	105	11	28	Monghyr
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhagalpur
...	31	...	...	...	...	...	25,896	...	Purnea
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	Malda
...	58	...	755	...	...	...	400	80	Sonthal Parganas
...	1,382	...	755	219	...	17,646	29,527	5,485	Total Bihar
									ORISSA
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuttack
...	15	...	...	...	...	...	189	...	Balasore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Puri
...	15	...	...	...	...	...	189	...	Total Orissa
									CHOTA NAGPUR
..	...	...	214,273	...	...	...	...	.	Hazaribagh
...	...	...	...	...	..	.	...	...	Palamau
205	...	32	4,221,681	...	...	...	...	...	Manbhum
...	25	286	...	...	...	...	...	...	Singhbhum
205	25	318	4,435,954	...	...	...	...	...	Total Chota Nagpur
15,335	48,918	2,249	12,407,300	219	1,482	111,675	103,672	7,672	Total from the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
									OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
...	2,939	...	...	...	...	...	395	107	Burma
25,874	1,045	93	38,071	...	...	...	...	...	Assam
66	50,437	...	...	23	131	616	128	...	United Provinces of Agra and Oudh
37	8,987	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Panjab
...	1	3	.. ..	...	...	...	...	12	Central Provinces
...	19,429	.. ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rajputana and Central India
94	400	38	...	...	337	...	...	27	Bombay
25	1,463	..	...	...	22,874	10,344	2	209	Madras
...	... ..	...	...	..	...	... ..	...	...	Port Blair
41,451	133,709	2 378	12,446,371	242	24,824	122,635	103,998	8,027	1903
41,821	186,332	2,876	9,986,983	409	10,788	150,528	100,168	6,591	1902 } GRAND TOTAL
25,990	118,778	1,896	10,852,785	278	26,388	138,577	138,530	5,643	1901

No II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No I were imported into Calcutta in the months of April and May 1903

Routes	Food-grains						Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice	Paddy	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags*	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
By boats	703,466	126,413	22,592	126	182,803	509	55,594	3,317,619	56,989	18,054
„ river steamers ...	22,475	872	954	42	2,372	528	181,242	28,175	76,287	99,711
„ rail — E. I. Railway	313,168	74,813	2,380,178	.....	735,079	209,018	58,229	124,425	1,967,281	809,239
„ rail — E. B. S. Railway	107,749	2,255	10,080	2,062	170,821	1,209	148,234	404,915	162,623	11,047
„ rail — Assam-Bengal Railway	259	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,335	9,779	924
„ rail — Bengal-Nagpur Railway	43,878	4,584	332	8	1,309	3	161	10,430	6,323	
„ rail — Bengal-Central Railway	403	189	.....	.....	3,628	.....	12,159	1,610	14,968	96
„ road	270,296	30,584	.....	57	5,291	.....	9,321	12,800	4,336	.....
„ sea	51,510	7,051	107	4	29,614	.....	352	3,300	.....	...
Total ... 1903 ...	1,513,204	246,762	2,414,303	2,299	1,131,007	211,267	465,292	3,916,609	2,298,585	1,929,071
Total ... 1902 ...	1,898,849	359,662	876,409	13,614	1,367,033	14,185	2,447,678	4,013,233	1,879,422	1,159,194
Total ... 1901 ...	1,653,597	705,577	670,514	7,243	929,153	94,125	1,326,055	2,744,011	1,903,197	1,113,172

Routes	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By boats	.....	2,395	.....	16,423	.....	1,410	30,696	17,406	2,259
„ river steamers ...	18,129	9,516	75	38,971	.....	.....	946	315	505
„ rail — E. I. Railway	223	80,097	1,653	10,910,419	242	131	18,884	3,280	3,466
„ rail — E. B. S. Railway	18,738	5,651	582	.....	.....	72	3,750	69,184	.....
„ rail — Assam-Bengal Railway	3,848	2,228	32	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ rail — Bengal-Nagpur Railway	105	180	3	1,473,828	.....	.....	.....	.....	14
„ rail — Bengal-Central Railway	.....	706	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,048	.....	.....
„ road	.....	3,750	.....	7,630	.....	.....	54,972	13,134	1,440
„ sea	408	29,186	33	.....	.....	23,211	10,344	586	343
Total ... 1903 ...	41,451	133,709	2,378	12,446,271	242	24,824	122,635	103,995	8,027
Total ... 1902 ...	41,821	188,332	2,876	9,985,983	499	10,788	130,528	100,168	6,591
Total ... 1901 ...	25,990	118,778	1,856	10,852,785	278	26,388	138,577	138,530	5,642

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

No III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the months of April and May 1903

	Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil
	European	Indian	European	Indian		
	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
From Foreign Countries—						
United Kingdom	2,60,19,572	.....	24,572	.....	878,599	2
Other countries	2,05,709	.....	1,417	.....	449,828	582,158
Total ...	2,62,25,281	.....	25,989	.....	1,328,427	583,160
Coastwise—						
Bombay	40,453	3,88,329	.....	19,592	13,855	.....
Sind	1,345	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	3,713	22,122	.....	1,546	.....	.....
Other ports in Madras	625	5,039	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burma	48,660	1,422	.....	4	.....	292,813
Pondichery	4,197	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other Ports	.....	300	.....	53	.....	...
Total ...	96,993	4,17,212	.....	21,195	13,855	292,813
Total ... 1903 ...	2,63,24,274	4,17,212	25,989	21,195	1,342,282	875,973
Total ... 1902 ...	2,82,92,498	4,54,077	18,225	32,153	1,617,451	757,118
Total ... 1901 ...	2,23,05,451	4,14,362	29,521	32,444	1,579,758	819,783

No IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (coastwise and to foreign countries) in the months of April and May 1903.

	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags*
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Bombay	167,932	.....	167,932	110	.....	7,021	75	175,138	26	4,603,225
Sind	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	257,400
Madras	61	.....	61	3,351	2,823	145,368	1,508	153,111	27	544,800
Other ports in Madras ...	167,600	13,180	175,927	.....	1,305	20,858	24	198,114	.....	776,106
Burma	8,310	22	8,324	1,721	24,838	46,104	3,101	84,088	99	3,514,425
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	8	377	1,266	.....	1,651	.....	164,800
Allepey ...	259	.....	259	.....	.....	137	.....	396	.....	14,500
Other Indian ports	.....	.....	.....	61	2,180	1,980	.....	4,221	.....	107,553
Total ...	344,262	13,202	352,503	5,251	31,523	222,734	4,708	616,719	152	10,482,805
To Foreign countries—										
United Kingdom	115,569	.....	115,569	793,306	.....	279,981	212,914	1,401,859	146,379	4,234,780
Other countries	1,049,355	2,328	1,050,810	218,702	23,141	61,070	5,301	1,359,024	528,448	70,151,904
Total ...	1,164,924	2,328	1,166,379	10,12,097	23,141	341,051	218,215	2,760,883	674,827	74,386,684
Total ... 1903 ...	1,509,176	15,530	1,518,882	1,017,348	54,064	563,785	222,923	3,377,602	674,979	84,869,467
Total ... 1902 ...	1,352,054	5	1,352,037	306,295	48,896	645,685	29,524	2,437,437	1,088,784	58,240,235
Total ... 1901 ...	1,280,898	5	1,280,898	14,099	57,617	234,859	19,249	1,606,921	1,375,651	58,643,119

	Linseed	Mustard seed	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
								Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
Bombay	.....	4,512	2,027	99	.....	5,190,515	.....	577	.....	.....	67
Sind	.....	.....	41	.....	.....	321,794	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	.....	99	49	.....	11	692,724	.....	50	.....	.....	21
Other ports in Madras ...	.....	11,669	.....	.....	.....	384,078	.....	23	.....	.....	50
Burma	.....	.....	732	27	5	1,407,934	.....	1,646	1,761	11,797	248
Pondichery ...	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Allepey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	163	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other Indian ports	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,227	1	8,405	1,513	1,322	12
Total ...	1	16,300	2,849	126	16	8,003,435	1	10,701	3,274	13,119	398
To Foreign countries—											
United Kingdom	677,704	67,441	20,787	710	517	.....	922	.....	.....	.....	118
Other countries	794,330	35,588	2,861	60,525	1,605	2,196,637	605	84	140	3,941	253
Total ...	1,472,034	103,029	23,648	61,235	2,122	2,196,637	1,527	84	140	3,941	371
Total ... 1903 ...	1,472,035	119,329	26,497	61,361	2,138	10,199,072	1,528	10,785	3,420	17,060	769
Total ... 1902 ...	2,046,837	440,455	45,193	102,228	3,459	10,203,547	3,615	9,019	2,386	16,742	1,358
Total ... 1901 ...	1,801,326	7,498	22,688	63,183	2,553	29,681,994	2,269	6,158	3,120	23,125	1,528

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

No V

Exports of certain Articles from Calcutta by Rail, Road, River, Canal, and Sea (coastwise) in the months of April and May 1903.

	Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny bags†
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge*	
Bengal	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Burdwan	4,01,864	... ..	289	1,716	63,458	536	14,982	98,990
Birbhum	2,59,905	2,496	290	2,260	37,610	21	7,338	134,590
Bankura	39,368	.....	.. .	784	...	.....	.....	1,435
Midnapore	4,32,273	...	1,000	1,835	41,019	178	2,601	14,767
Hooghly	2,32,973	11,100	1,017	81	19,399	9,406	3,901	43,854
24-Parganas	5,80,627	11,540	1,093	.....	19,650	13,261	3,071	50,231
Calcutta	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	90,467	... ..
Nadia	4,63,754	.....	2,336	680	62,043	1,137	17,571	187,954
Murshidabad	2,07,975	320	38	199	23,806	40	3,749	56,600
Jessore	29,674	.....	244	25	25,342	6,708	3,522	15,995
Khulna	16,337	.. ..	27	.....	1,713	1,180	446	2,635
Rajshahi	2,81,319	.....	362	30	25,385	103	9,267	34,020
Dinajpur	2,53,452	4,096	42	508	37,586	313	8,291	52,430
Jalpaiguri	1,51,393	768	82	561	22,225	206	9,056	15,540
Darjeeling	1,91,485	2,048	177	616	17,787	209	6,800	13,965
Rangpur	4,83,510	1,472	485	633	66,137	170	16,342	21,350
Bogra	4,06,408	160	143	447	42,813	143	7,185	48,490
Pabna	2,67,826	52	994	93	74,192	.....	43,351	18,690
Cooch Behar	97,979	384	... .	353	10,349	49	1,404	1,225
Dacca	7,50,915	.....	3,574	84	138,424	870	37,677	24,780
Mymensingh	3,98,761	.....	369	274	40,289	20	14,178	14,140
Faridpur	2,81,442	.....	2,251	272	31,887	21,292	6,600	40,670
Backergunge	3,62,465	.....	3,196	.....	37,379	4,267	24,464	56,245
Tippera	2,59,876	.....	1,846	... ..	33,492	10	7,267	55,545
Noakhali	1,38,093	.....	1,154	... .	34,907	1,400	.....	12,915
Chittagong	1,37,892	.....	994	.....	247	11	17	43,746
Total Bengal	71,39,587	34,416	21,955	11,460	907,941	61,590	340,134	1,111,094
Bihar								
Patna	7,35,978	3,264	717	1,045	19,633	105	14,493	385,430
Gaya	5,86,612	.....	.....	2,366	30,063	.....	5,149	97,965
Shahabad	10,44,536	.....	13	1,092	53,647	8	2,749	155,295
Saran	8,20,357	.....	106	42	28,513	.....	2,748	40,005
Champaran	7,22,431	.....	.....	339	20,196	35	4,836	85,715
Muzaffarpur	7,81,015	.....	.....	168	34,856	.....	6,863	45,710
Darbhanga	8,50,215	.. ..	.....	933	48,708	17	8,309	157,395
Monghyr	8,48,062	.....	109	1,349	33,454	180	7,976	247,730
Bhagalpur	10,90,861	.....	112	947	43,199	.....	6,125	246,350
Purnea	6,19,920	128	58	2,215	73,359	23	15,247	40,600
Malda	1,17,675	... .	355	413	9,100	.....	1,645	32,200
Santhal Parganas	4,65,322	... ..	350	1,530	59,126	. ....	11,180	129,570
Total Bihar	86,83,384	3,392	1,819	12,950	453,853	368	89,320	1,663,935
Orissa								
Cuttack	80,655	.....	.....	5,266	.... .	6	9,935	2,905
Balasore	76,805	.....	900	5,589	13,642	3,949	2,462	82,692
Puri	13,518	256	.....	.. ...	.....	1	40	4,445
Total Orissa	1,70,978	256	900	10,855	13,642	3,956	12,437	90,042
Chota Nagpur								
Hazaribagh	1,64,860	.....	.....	1,402	20,896	38	3,050	4,270
Palamau	1,10,253	...	.....	441	13,158	.....	412	8,485
Manbhum	2,30,139	1,792	181	2,680	60,371	111	2,778	8,690
Singhbhum	35,746	.....	.....	130	14,052	68	1,500	21,290
Total Chota Nagpur	5,40,978	1,792	181	4,653	108,907	217	7,749	42,865
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	1,65,24,027	39,856	24,855	39,924	1,483,343	66,131	449,640	2,907,736
Other Provinces and Places								
Burma	1,43,430	14,573	539	13,315	.....	150	.....	3,814,425
Assam	10,10,740	2,176	904	2,033	97,446	1,376	27,254	133,035
U. Provinces of Agra and Oudh	77,92,707	12,511	1,919	181	63,483	419	37,129	2,936,185
Panjab	12,74,000	1,926	688	12.	11	41	6,064	803,645
Central Provinces	1,50,850	64	6	491	.....	123	28,523	439,320
Rajputana and Central India	2,41,803	100	134	.....	.....	20	3,645	92,035
Berar	6,783	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,835
Nizam's Territory	1,464	154	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,280
Bombay	18,560	.....	.....	30	.....	1	.....	4,828,775
Madras	1,12,153	102	31	1,165	.....	34	5,417	1,345,085
Cochin	97	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.. ....
Allepey	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,600
Pondichery	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	164,800
Sind	3,557	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	257,400
Port Blair	7,340	.....	.....	7	.....	87	.....	.... .
Grand Total 1903	2,72,66,816	71,528	29,076	57,276	1,644,283	68,588	557,672	17,612,056
Grand Total 1902	2,89,23,017	1,47,483	34,635	42,593	1,497,853	70,359	591,713	15,242,020
Grand Total 1901	2,41,47,207	2,23,483	33,921	44,574	1,377,617	59,147	625,318	13,369,213

* Represents the trade registered at the traffic registering stations only.
† Including gunny cloth, 3 yards = 1 bag

No VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in table No V were exported from Calcutta in the months of April and May 1903

			Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene Oil		Gunny-bags*
			European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
			Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
By boats			2,65,000	11,100	777	.....	104,361	37,054	35,068	75,913
„ river steamers			28,93,742	.....	13,412	71	377,543	1,313	164,593	255,220
„ rail	East Indian Railway		1,79,61,801	21,695	3,219	18,819	648,235	1,495	160,941	5,450,270
	Eastern Bengal State Railway		39,19,109	9,088	7,139	7,056	330,348	2,104	143,107	602,434
	Assam-Bengal Railway		3,46,228	2,176	1,905	321	11,276	432	45	16,730
	Bengal Nagpur Railway		5,51,844	320	.....	13,841	76,014	282	45,293	139,440
	Bengal Central Railway		33,308	.....	308	.....	15,763	4,361	.....	13,845
	North-Western Railway		1,51,196	102	121	.....	.....	25	.....	624,155
	Railways under the Government Examiner of Railway Accounts, Bombay		1,75,020	934	166	7	.....	4	.....	140,725
„ road			6,06,078	11,540	1,264	.....	12,929	17,617	.....	10,925
„ sea			3,35,468	14,573	1,773	17,161	7,813	4,161	.....	10,662,803
Total		1903	2,72,88,816	71,523	29,076	57,276	1,644,983	68,556	557,672	17,812,056
		1902	2,69,23,017	1,47,483	34,635	42,593	1,497,853	70,359	591,713	15,348,020
		1901	2,41,47,207	2,23,483	32,922	44,574	1,377,647	59,147	635,318	13,909,213

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

August 3, 1903.

R. E. Enthoven,
Offg Director-General of Statistics.

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IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1903-1904

Areas leased for Irrigation up to end of June 1903.

CIRCLE.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.							Rainfall, 1903-1904.		Rainfall, 1902-1903.		REMARKS.
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.					Grand Total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		Talcanda System ...	C. ft. 1,342	C. ft. 74	C. ft.	Acres. 41	Acres.	Acres. 48,537	Acres.	Acres.	Acres. 26	Acres. 15	Acres. 41	Acres. 48,578	Inches. 4·27	Inches. 6·99	Inches. 2·76	Inches. 8·20	Average rainfall of Kulsai, Balia, and Jagatsingpur.
		Kendrapara ditto ...	1,935	103	43	.. ...	16	60,561	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	60,561	7·01	9·38	5·05	11·95	Average rainfall of Kendupatna, Marsag'ai, Kendrapara, Nurtang and Ichapur.
		High Level, Range I ...	606	56	30	574	8	14,980	47	.....	19	2	68	15,018	5·49	8·63	6·86	14·30	Average rainfall of Cuttack and Jenapur.
	Cuttack ...	Ditto, do. II ...	728	41	13	.....	150	4,750	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	4,750	5·74	9·24	4·45	13·38	Average rainfall of Jenapur and Akhoyapada.
ORISSA ...		Jajpur Canal	700		... ..	51	33	7,640	.....	.....	14	32	46	7,686	8·91	12·68	4·90	13·79	Jajpur.
		Dudhai Canal ...	... .		... ..	.....	15	.... .	....	.. ...	.....	.....	.	.....	.	. ...	...	.. ...	
	Balasore ...	High Level, Range III ...	728	143	100	500	1,574	34,886	.....	.. ...	168	167	335	35,221	6·89	13·11	3·33	12·30	Akhoyapada.
		Total .	.....	... .	.....	1,166	1,796	171,354	47*	.. ...	227	216	490	171,844	.....	.....	.. . .	.... .	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year ...	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	169,451	36	... ..	246	212	494	169,945	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	83	42	40	5,447	57,377	7,247	.....	.....	.....	7,247	64,624	7·35	10·41	5·15	15·52	Whole month's discharging.
SOUTH-WESTERN.	Midnapore ..	Panchkura	522	6	0·45	5	665	7,985	31	.. ..	.....	.....	31	8,016	6·11	11·40	1·81	13·71	9 days' ditto.
	Howrah ...	Tidal Reaches, Ranges I & II	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	217	10	.....	.....	.....	10	227	9·73	14·18	4·27	16·82	
		Total ...	.....	.....	.....	45	6,112	65,579	7,288*	.....	.....	.....	7,288	72,867	.....	.....	.....	.....	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	60,645	6,783	.. ...	.....	.....	6,783	67,428	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	Shahabad ..	Western Main	4,342	672	124	4,609	5,391	14,400	91	.....	.....	260	351	14,751	4·76	5·32	0·84	2·21	
		Buxar	1,226	175	141	20,938	23,152	61,062	1,620	.....	.....	3,627	5,247	66,309					
		Arrah	2,900	537	456	14,488	46,537	104,267	15,266	.....	.....	13,352	31,618	135,885	2·46	2·88	1·68	3·46	
ECHE ...	Patna and Gaya.	Eastern Main	1,466	305	234	706	581	2,191	.. ...	.....	.....	34	34	2,225	1·84	1·87	1·78	3·18	
		Patna				18,822	18,488	55,248	583	... ..	.....	3,448	3,971	59,219					
		Total ...	... ..	.....	.....	59,795	93,929	237,168	20,500	...	.....	20,721	41,221	278,389	.....	.....	.....	... ..	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year ...	.....	.....	.....	....	... .	266,663	1,446	.....	.....	25,782	27,228	293,891	.....†	.....	.....	... .	
		GRAND TOTAL ...	.....	.....	.....	61,006	101,837	474,101	27,838	.....	227	20,937	48,909	523,100	.....	.....	. ....	.....	
		Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	426,759	8,265	.....	246	25,994	34,505	531,264	.....	.....	.....	.....	

* Provisional lease.

CALCUTTA,
The 4th August 1903.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 1st August 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 1st August 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 2nd August 1902		
	Number of boats	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	203	46,100	707	404	41,850	587
Jute	8	2,625*	29	40	16,675†	208
Firewood	36	16,000	245	119	1,03,580	1,580
Other articles	472	1,29,190	1,460	512	1,06,772	1,301
Total ...	719	1,93,915	2,441	1,075	2,68,797	3,676

* Weight by canal measurement, 3,162 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 17,475 „

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 26th July to 1st August 1903

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature				Hygrometry				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
					Mean	Maximum	Range.	Minimum	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction	Miles recorded.		
1903.		°		Inches	°	°	°		°	Inch		%			Inches.	
July	26th	148·7	1·6	29·485	82 6	87·9	10·8	77·1	79 5	0·970	78·3	87	SSE and SE by E	51	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p
,,	27th	150·2	6 5	·471	83·3	90 5	12·4	78·1	80 1	·973	78·4	83	SE by E, E and ESE.	134	0·11	Partially cloudy, o, d.
,,	28th	146 1	8·2	·507	84·8	89·3	10 0	79·3	80·8	·999	79·2	83	E by S, ESE and SE	171	0·10	Partially cloudy, p, d.
,,	29th	154·4	6·0	·519	85·3	90·9	12·0	78·9	79·9	·949	77·6	78	ESE and SSE ...	125	0 24	Partially cloudy, d
,,	30th	149·6	8·6	·489	86 0	92 8	13·7	79·1	81·2	1·001	79 3	80	ESE, E and SE by E.	134	0 03	Partially cloudy.
,,	31st	152·4	9 0	·490	85·9	91·8	12·2	79·6	81·1	0 998	79·2	80	E and ENE ...	147	Nil	Partially cloudy, d.
Aug.	1st	148·2	5·5	·490	83·4	88 7	8·5	80·2	79·8	·970	78·3	85	E and SE ...	156	0 02	Partially cloudy, p.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·493
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·548
		Hours
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		45·4
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		92·2
		°
The mean temperature of the seven days		85·2
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·0
The extreme variation of temperature		15·7
The maximum temperature		92·8
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		12
		%
The mean relative humidity		82
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		86
		Inches
The total fall of rain from 26th July to 1st August 1903		0·50
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		4·04
The total fall from 1st January to 1st August 1903		21·93
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		35·42

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended *four feet* above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

[Rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.]

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 3rd August 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,
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EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of April 1903 as compared with the same month of the previous year.

No.	Staples.	1903.	1902.	Increase in 1903.	Decrease in 1903.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	59	37	22	.....	
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	31,940	24,453	7,487	.....	
3	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	87	221	.....	134	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European	161	217	.....	56	
	(b) Ditto, Indian	306	199	107	.....	
	(c) Piece-goods, European	1,843	1,986	.....	143	
	(d) Ditto, Indian	31	51	.....	20	
	(e) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	76	38	38	.....	
5	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium	28	77	.....	49	
	(2) Non-intoxicating—					
	(a) Medicinal preparations	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Others	46	108	.....	62	
6	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Cutch	26	11	15	.....	
	(4) Indigo	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(5) Myrabolams	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(6) Tanning barks	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(7) Turmeric	356	818	.....	462	
	(8) Others	18	9	9	.....	
7	Fodder—					
	(1) Oilcake	672	644	.....	15	
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	2,648	2,520	128	.....	
8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh	945	856	89	.....	
9	Grain and pulse—					
	(1) Gram and pulse	6,840	10,018	.....	3,178	
	(2) Jawar and bajra	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Rice in the husk	2,067	7,568	.....	5,501	
	(4) Do. not in the husk	8,915	7,929	986	.....	
	(5) Wheat	159	671	.....	513	
	(6) Do. flour	396	394	2	.....	
	(7) Others	50	178	.....	128	
10	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	1,815	936	879	.....	
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	212	55	157	.....	
11	Horns	16	3	13	.....	
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	958	289	669	.....	
13	Jute—					
	(1) Raw	4,051	26,192	.....	21,341	
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	1,399	1,998	.....	599	
14	Lac	54	13	41	.....	
15	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	.....	.....	.....	.....	
16	Liquors—					
	(1) Ale and beer	44	28	16	.....	
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	120	86	34	.....	
	(3) Wine					
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	
17	Metals—					
	(1) Brass, unwrought	28	77	.....	49	
	(2) Do., wrought	120	151	.....	31	
	(3) Copper, unwrought	22	75	.....	53	
	(4) Do., wrought	14	70	.....	56	
	(5) Iron and steel—					
	(a) Cast	195	94	101	.....	
	(b) Unwrought	.....	11	.....	11	
	(c) Wrought	2,120	1,594	526	.....	
	(d) Manufactures	278	501	.....	223	
	(6) Others	216	231	.....	15	
18	Oils—					
	(1) Kerosine	13,398	11,960	1,438	.....	
	(2) Castor	19	13	6	.....	
	(3) Cocoanut	129	175	.....	46	
	(4) Mustard and rape	520	282	238	.....	
	(5) Others	59	58	1	.....	
19	Oilseeds—					
	(1) Castor	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Linseed	4,742	6,355	.....	1,613	
	(4) Poppy	4	.....	4	.....	
	(5) Rape and mustard	3,079	7,492	.....	4,413	
	(6) Til or jinjili	.....	31	.....	31	
	(7) Others	6	82	.....	76	
20	Opium	.....	5	.....	5	
21	Paper and pasteboard	915	594	321	.....	
22	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	.....	3	.....	3	
	(2) Ghee	77	52	25	.....	
	(3) Others	1,156	1,169	....	13	

No.	Staples.	1903.	1902.	Increase in 1903.	Decrease in 1903.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
23	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof	59	59	.....	.....	
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	49	34	15	.....	
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	82	153	.....	71	
	(c) Others	609	586	23	.....	
24	Salt	9,603	7,690	1,913	.....	
25	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	13	.....	13	.....	
	(2) Other saline substances	295	78	207	.....	
26	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	15	23	.....	8	
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	1	.....	1	.....	
27	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	944	868	76	.....	
	(2) Cardamoms	20	29	.....	9	
	(3) Chillies	980	177	803	.....	
	(4) Ginger	249	163	86	.....	
	(5) Pepper	34	38	.....	4	
	(6) Others	280	160	120	.....	
28	Stone and lime	2,585	3,220	.....	635	
29	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallised, including sugar-candy.	1,027	853	174	.....	
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	1,243	859	384	.....	
	(b) Gur, *rab*, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	2,037	951	1,086	.....	
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Indian	148	334	.....	186	
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	2,909	2,875	34	.....	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars	32	27	5	.....	
	(b) Other sorts					
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	790	955	.....	165	
	(2) Manufactures	200	402	.....	202	
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw	253	222	31	.....	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs					
	(b) Piece-goods, European	.....	14	.....	14	
	(c) Ditto, Indian					
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures ...					
34	All other articles of merchandise	9,831	9,791	40	.....	
	Total ...	132,575	150,239	18,358	40,022	

HARPRASAD DAR,
for Examiner of Accounts, E. B. S. Railway.

CALCUTTA, *the 31st July 1903.*

SEGOWLI-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of February 1903, compared with the corresponding period in 1902.

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	26	3	28	1	3	...	...	2	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	436	6	2,038	18	1,602	13	...	...	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	274	362	107	5	...	...	167	21	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Twist and yarn. European	2	1	7	1	5	...	...	...	
(b) Twist and yarn. Indian ..	519	20	546	19	27	...	...	1	
(c) Piece-goods European	1,751	112	1,658	84	...	...	93	48	
(d) Piece-goods Indian ...	1,028	58	1,238	27	210	...	...	31	
(e) Others	...	...	215	6	215	6	...	...	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Others	31	3	37	2	...	...	24	1	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Cutch	9	1	...	...	...	...	9	1	
4. Indigo	27	2	8	1	...	...	19	1	
5. Myrabolams ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
6. Tanning barks	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
7. Turmeric	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
8. Others	79	6	79	2	...	...	...	4	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Hay, straw and grass ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh ...	178	3	6,494	94	6,316	91	...	...	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse	520	8	20	1	...	...	500	7	Good crops.
2. Jawar and bajra	4	1	...	...	...	...	4	1	Good crops.
3. Rice in the husk ...	5,400	114	25,021	570	19,621	456	...	...	Good crops.
4. Rice not in the husk...	8,043	124	21,390	315	13,356	191	...	...	Good crops.
5. Wheat	...	..	74	3	74	3	...	...	Good crops.
6. Wheat-flour	43	1	101	3	58	2	...	...	Good crops.
7. Maksi	30	1	...	...	...	...	30	1	Good crops.
8. Others	3	1	2,319	50	2,316	55	...	...	Good crops.
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Raw	230	5	226	7	...	2	10	...	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Raw	210	11	50	2	...	...	160	9	
XI.—Horns	...	...	23	1	23	1	...	...	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	200	4	...	...	...	...	200	4	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth ...	445	15	757	24	312	9	...	...	
XIV.—Lac	23	2	...	...	...	...	23	2	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	15	1	...	...	...	...	15	1	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Wine	3	1	5	1	2	...	...	...	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. ,, wrought ...	116	6	124	4	8	...	...	2	
3. Copper, unwrought ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. ,, wrought ...	...	...	62	2	62	2	...	...	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	317	8	25	1	...	...	292	7	
(b) Unwrought ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Wrought... ...	1,805	53	447	8	...	...	1,358	44	
(d) Manufactures ...	389	18	266	7	...	...	117	11	
6. Others	101	7	63	7	...	...	38	...	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	5,164	100	4,976	58	...	...	388	42	
2. Castor	21	1	...	...	...	...	21	1	
3. Cocoanut	7	1	38	1	31	...	..	...	
4. Mustard and rape ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Others	43	5	7	1	...	...	35	4	

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Earthnuts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Linseed	437	10	1,675	32	1,238	22	...	...	
4. Poppy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Rape and mustard	150	4	1,122	27	972	23	...	...	
6. Til or jinjili	...	...	6	1	6	1	...	...	
7. Others	38	2	536	14	498	12	...	...	
XX.—Opium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	19	3	29	2	10	...		1	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts	177	11	58	2	...	13	119	...	
2. Ghee	29	1	15	1	...	...	14	...	
3. Others	1,130	59	214	4	...	...	916	55	
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXIV.—Salt	3,742	81	3,633	95	...	14	109	...	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Other saline substances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	271	15	382	15	111	...	...	...	
2. Cardamoms	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Chillies	115	4	27	1	...	...	88	3	
4. Ginger	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Pepper	27	3	82	3	55	...	...	...	
6. Others	114	6	164	7	50	1	...	...	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	7	1	824	18	817	17	...	...	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	190	7	848	19	653	12	...	...	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	...	...	11	1	11	1	...	...	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	...	...	519	5	519	5	...	...	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Indian	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	105	5	379	20	274	15	...	...	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	40	4	173	18	133	16	...	...	
(b) Other sorts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought	1,541	24	653	6	...	...	888	18	
2. Logs	2,810	39	...	...	...	...	2,810	39	
3. Poles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Manufactures	24	4	39	3	15	...	...	1	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) (c) Piece-goods { European / Indian	20	1	...	...	...	...	20	1	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Firewood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Others not specified above.	3,994	163	—146	95	...	...	3,140	68	
Total	41,516	1,154	79,488	1,701	49,480	980	11,508	433	

J. Lightfoot,
Chief Auditor.

Gorakhpur, *the 30th July 1903.*

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Abstract of principal Commodities carried over the Bengal Central Railway during the month of May 1903, as compared with the same month of previous year.

ARTICLES.	1903.		1902.		TOTAL.		Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	1903.	1902.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	....	....	1		...	1	.....	1
II.—Coal and Coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	1,531	.....	1,690		1,531	1,690	.....	159
III.—Cotton—								
1. Raw	.....	27	6	66	27	72	.....	45
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and yarn, European	55	.....	43	.....	55	43	12	.....
(b) Ditto, Indian ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
(c) Piece-goods, European ...	172	.....	103	.....	172	103	69	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian ..	.....	...	2	.....	...	2	.....	2
(e) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
V.—Drugs—								
1. Intoxicating, other than opium	.	.....	1	.. ...	... ..	1	.....	1
2. Non-intoxicating—								
(a) Medical preparations ...	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....
(b) Others	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	10	.....	10
VI.—Dyes and Tans—								
1. Indigo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Myrabolams	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Cutch	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Turmeric	3	121	7	47	124	54	70	.....
5. Alizarine and Aniline Dyes ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6. Al (Morinda Citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7. Tanning barks	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8. Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
VII.—Fodder—								
1. Oilcake	126	6	75	55	132	130	2	
2. Hay, straw and grass	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3	.....
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	407	491	119	520	898	639	259	.....
IX.—Grain and Pulse—								
1. Wheat	85	34	19	41	69	60	9	.....
2. Rice in the husk	7	280	17	86	287	103	184	.....
3. Do. not in the husk	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Jawar and bajra	34	314	46	107	348	153	195	.....
5. Gram and pulse	16	.....	17	4	16	21	.....	5
6. Wheat flour	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1
7. Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
X.—Hides and Skins—								
1. Hides of cattle—								
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	.....	75	.....	41	75	41	34	.....
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—								
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	.....	7	.....	9	7	9	.....	2
XI.—Horns	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	....	243	.....	36	243	36	207	.....
XIII.—Jute—								
1. Raw	.....	172	27	646	172	673	.....	501
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	17	7	11	4	24	15	9	.....
XIV.—Lac	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....
XV.—Leather—								
1. Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XVI.—Liquors—								
1. Ale and beer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Spirit of all kinds, including country spirit.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Wine	3	.....	4	.....	3	4	.....	1
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XVII.—Metals—								
1. Copper, unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Brass, ditto	1	1	.....	.....	2	.....	2	.....
3. Copper, wrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Brass, ditto	3	.....	22	3	3	24	.....	21
5. Iron and steel—								
(a) Cast	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....
(b) Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Wrought	23	.....	31	.....	23	31	.....	8
(d) Manufactured	2	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	.....
6. Others	9	21	24	18	30	42	.....	12
XVIII.—Oils—								
1. Kerosene	300	.....	234	5	300	239	.....	39
2. Castor	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....
3. Cocoanut	16	.....	13	.....	16	13	3	.....
4. Mustard and rape	72	.....	65	.....	72	65	7	.....
5. Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XIX.—Oilseeds—								
1. Linseed	.....	182	2	169	182	171	11	.....
2. Rape and mustard...	385	48	174	35	333	209	124	.....
3. Til or jinjili	.....	16	.....	21	16	21	.....	5
4. Poppy	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5. Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6. Castor	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7. Others	.....	6	.....	.....	6	.....	6	.....
XX.—Opium	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	18	.....	11	.....	18	11	7	.....
XXII.—Provisions—								
1. Ghee	2	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	.....
2. Dried fruits and nuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Others	10	7	4	6	17	10	7	.....

Articles.	1903.		1902.		Total.		Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	1903.	1902.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
XXIII.—Railway plant and rolling-stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—								
1. Locomotives, engines, and tenders, and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Carriages and trucks, and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Other sorts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXIV.—Salt	377	.....	405	.....	377	405	.....	28
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1. Saltpetre	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....
2. Other saline substances	14	.....	7	.....	14	7	7	.....
XXVI.—Silk—								
1. Raw—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Silk piece-goods—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXVII.—Spices—								
1. Betelnuts	1	238	4	165	229	169	60	.....
2. Pepper	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Ginger	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Chillies	4	28	1	1	33	3	30	.....
5. Cardamoms	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6. Others	.....	74	1	40	74	41	33	.....
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	444	16	108	1	460	109	351	.....
XXIX.—Sugar—								
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	25	.....	31	.....	25	31	.....	6
2. Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	77	283	19	367	360	386	.....	26
(b) Gur, rab, molasses, jaggery, and other saccharine produce.	.....	22	8	11	22	19	3	.....
XXX.—Tea—								
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXXI.—Tobacco—								
1. Unmanufactured	160	41	147	43	201	189	12	.....
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Cigars	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Other sorts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXXII.—Wood—								
1. Timber, unwrought	50	37	101	29	87	130	.....	43
2. Manufactures	10	13	6	10	23	16	7	.....
XXXIII.—Wool—								
1. Raw	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Piece-goods, European ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Ditto, Indian ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise ...	349	492	295	167	741	462	279	.....
Total ...	4,429	3,294	3,930	2,750	7,723	6,670	2,007	914

H. E. BENTHALL,
Chief Auditor and Accountant.

CALCUTTA, *the 30th July 1903.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th July 1903 on 1,926·13 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	384,365	3,57,547 0 0	44,21,112 0	7,48,067 0 0	28,987 0 0	11,34,601 0 0	111,901	165,558	277,459
Or per mile of railway ...	... ..	185 10 1	.....	388 0 1	15 0 9	589 0 11	... ..	.....	.....
For previous 1½ weeks of half-year.	705,575	5,96,640 0 0	65,12,883 0	11,56,402 0 0	45,553 0 0	17,98,595 0 0	176,590	239,896	416,486
Total for 2½ weeks ...	1,089,940	9,54,187 0 0	1,09,33,995 0	19,04,469 0 0	74,540 0 0	29,33,196 0 0	288,491	405,454	693,945
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	441,138	3,78,461 5 3	47,42,890 20	8,02,446 0 9	16,684 11 11	11,97,612 1 11	109,300	179,230	288,530
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	197 13 1	.....	419 6 7	8 11 6	625 15 2	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 2½ weeks of previous year.	1,187,741	10,44,208 2 6	1,33,81,872 20	23,65,735 7 10	48,295 10 3	33,58,299 4 7	296,162	501,943	798,105

(a) The decrease is chiefly in coal traffic.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,926·13	11 days of July ...	705,575	5,96,640	65,12,883	11,56,402	45,553	17,98,595	934	416,486	4 5 1
1,926·13	Week ended 18th ,, ...	384,365	3,57,547	44,21,112	7,48,067	28,987	11,34,601	589	277,459	4 1 5
	Totals up to date ...	1,089,940	9,54,187	1,09,33,995	19,04,469	74,540	29,33,196	592	693,945	4 3 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,913·26	13 days of July ...	716,603	6,65,787	86,38,983	14,63,289	31,611	21,60,687	1,129	509,575	4 3 10
1,913·26	Week ended 19th ,, ...	441,138	3,78,461	47,42,891	8,02,446	16,684	11,97,612	626	288,530	4 2 5
	Totals up to date ...	1,187,741	10,44,208	1,33,81,873	23,65,735	48,296	33,58,299	647	798,105	4 3 4

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th July 1903 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	22,759	5,310 0 0	9,164 0	414 0 0	7 0 0	5,931 0 0	1,065	123	1,188
Or per mile of railway	.....	247 13 10	.....	18 10 0	0 5 0	266 13 10	.....	.....	...
For previous 1½ weeks of half-year	47,000	12,069 0 0	14,677 0	631 0 0	12 0 0	12,712 0 0	1,737	209	1,936
Total for 2½ weeks ...	69,759	17,379 0 0	23,841 0	1,045 0 0	19 0 0	18,643 0 0	2,792	332	3,124
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	31,057	6,928 14 11	10,697 10	402 14 0	10 2 3	7,341 15 2	1,084	148	1,232
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	311 11 1	.....	18 2 0	0 7 3	330 4 4	.....	.....	...
Total for corresponding 2½ weeks of previous year	71,718	16,949 0 3	23,294 0	1,977 0 0	19 14 8	18,945 14 11	2,923	371	3,309

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	11 days of July ...	47,000	12,089	14,677	631	12	12,712	573	1,936	6 9 1
22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	22,759	5,610	9,164	414	7	6,031	267	1,188	4 15 10
	Totals up to date ...	69,759	17,679	23,841	1,045	19	18,643	836	3,124	5 15 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.. Rs. A. P.
22·23	12 days of July ...	40,661	10,090	72,607	1,574	10	11,604	522	2,068	5 9 9
22·23	Week ended 19th ,,	31,057	6,829	10,687	403	10	7,242	330	1,232	5 15 4
	Totals up to date ...	71,718	16,919	83,294	1,977	20	18,846	814	3,300	5 11 10

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th July 1903 on 162·24 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
al traffic for the week	21,700	19,507 0 0	87,922 0	13,382 0 0	42 0 0	31,931 0 0	9,596	3,630	13,226
per mile of railway ...	.....	120 3 9	... ...	76 5 1	0 4 2	196 13 0	... ..	.. ...	
previous 1½ weeks of half-year	35,731	30,852 0 0	1,06,755 0	14,536 0 0	61 0 0	45,439 0 0	15,073	5,644	20,717
Total for 2½ weeks ...	57,431	50,359 0 0	1,94,677 0	26,908 0 0	103 0 0	77,370 0 0	24,669	9,274	33,943
COMPARISON.									
al for corresponding week of previous year.	22,411	17,961 14 11	5,69,416 10	15,267 12 6	42 5 9	33,272 0 8	8,647	5,060	13,707
mile of railway corresponding riod of previous year.	.....	110 11 5	.....	94 1 8	0 4 2	205 1 3	.....	.....	.....
al for corresponding 2½ weeks previous year.	63,308	50,052 4 0	7,10,910 0	34,914 7 0	136 14 9	85,103 9 9	23,166	13,324	36,490

3. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1903.*

Open leage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		Number of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
02·24	11 days of July ...	35,731	30,852	1,06,755	14,536	61	45,439	280	20,717	2 3 1
03·24	Week ended 18th ,, ...	21,700	19,507	87,922	13,382	42	31,931	197	13,226	2 6 8
	Totals up to date ...	57,431	50,359	1,94,677	26,908	103	77,370	186	33,943	2 4 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		Number of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
02·24	12 days of July ...	40,396	32,020	1,48,494	19,647	94	51,831	319	22,783	2 4 7
02·24	Week ended 19th ,, ...	22,411	17,942	5,62,416	15,269	42	33,272	205	13,707	2 6 10
	Totals up to date ...	63,308	50,052	7,10,910	34,915	136	85,103	193	36,490	2 5 4

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th July 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	12,731	7,239 0 0	40,840 0	2,740 0 0	35 0 0	10,014 0 0	1,833	923	2,756
Or per mile of railway	.....	91 14 8	.....	34 12 7	0 7 1	127 2 4	.....	.....	.....
For previous 19 weeks of half-year	21,410	11,920 0 0	50,022 0	2,896 0 0	59 0 0	14,875 0 0	2,890	1,353	4,243
Total for 20 weeks ...	34,141	19,159 0 0	90,862 0	5,636 0 0	94 0 0	24,889 0 0	4,723	2,276	6,999
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	12,311	6,580 15 0	33,421 20	2,135 2 0	7 15 3	8,724 0 3	1,961	697	2,678
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	83 8 11	.....	27 1 9	0 1 7	110 12 3	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 20 weeks of previous year ...	35,864	18,791 8 6	1,04,318 20	6,713 10 0	47 14 9	25,552 1 3	5,961	2,378	7,339

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		Number of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	11 days of July ...	21,410	11,920	50,022	2,896	59	14,875	189	4,243	3 8 1
78·76	Week ended 18th ,, ...	12,731	7,239	40,840	2,740	35	10,014	127	2,756	3 10 3
	Totals up to date ...	34,141	19,159	90,862	5,636	94	24,889	193	6,999	3 8 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of Passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	19 days of July ...	23,554	12,311	70,897	4,577	40	16,928	214	4,961	3 6 5
78·76	Week ended 19th ,, ...	12,311	6,581	33,421	2,135	8	8,724	111	2,678	3 4 1
	Totals up to date ...	35,864	18,792	1,04,318	6,713	48	25,652	130	7,639	3 5 6

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th July 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	33,461	15,705 0 0	49,988 0	4,587 0 0	93 0 0	18,385 0 0	4,942	2,546	7,488
Or per mile of railway	257	105 0 0*	360 0	33 0 0	1 0 0	139 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	76,807	36,092 0 0	68,898 0	5,225 0 0	586 0 0	31,903 0 0	7,903	3,955	11,858
Total for 3 weeks ...	110,268	30,797 0 0	1,18,886 0	9,812 0 0	679 0 0	50,288 0 0	12,845	6,501	19,346
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	34,066	15,194 0 0	58,160 0	3,447 0 0	53 0 0	18,694 0 0	3,590	2,315	5,905
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	263	117 0 0*	375 0	26 0 0	.....	143 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	110,153	42,276 0 0	1,13,720 0	9,318 0 0	1,130 0 0	53,716 0 0	9,617	7,208	16,825

* Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING N. B., K.-D., DACCA, AND ASSAM-BEHAR SECTIONS.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th July 1903 on 898 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	242,000	1,15,430 0 0	7,39,410 0	1,15,290 0 0	8,590 0 0	2,39,310 0 0	40,890	35,223	76,043
Or per mile of railway	270	129 0 0	823 0	128 0 0	1 0 0*	258 0 0*	...	...	...
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	408,630	1,83,500 0 0	12,10,650 0	1,65,640 0 0	9,780 0 0	3,79,120 0 0	64,277	57,598	121,875
Total for 3 weeks ...	650,630	2,98,930 0 0	19,40,060 0	3,01,130 0 0	18,370 0 0	6,18,430 0 0	105,097	92,821	197,918
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	236,781	1,16,085 0 0	7,11,690 0	1,21,185 0 0	8,201 0 0	2,45,471 0 0	39,118	33,256	72,374
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (881 miles)	275	135 0 0	827 0	141 0 0	1 0 0	277 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	662,835	3,10,535 0 0	18,67,143 0	3,12,220 0 0	19,037 0 0	6,41,801 0 0	104,669	87,711	192,380

* Excluding ferry earnings Rs. 7,620.

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th July 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	6,780	2,170 0 0	14,080 0	1,210 0 0	30 0 0	3,430 0 0	1,094	556	1,650
Or per mile of railway	114	37 0 0	237 0	21 0 0	...	58 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	12,920	3,550 0 0	10,790 0	860 0 0	50 0 0	4,470 0 0	1,832	808	2,640
Total for 3 weeks ...	19,700	5,730 0 0	24,870 0	2,090 0 0	80 0 0	7,900 0 0	2,926	1,394	4,320
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,551	1,846 0 0	19,378 0	1,860 0 0	17 0 0	3,723 0 0	1,092	1,268	2,360
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	110	31 0 0	326 0	31 0 0	...	63 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	18,667	5,383 0 0	37,409 0	3,583 0 0	88 0 0	9,053 0 0	3,396	3,168	6,564

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th July 1903 on 53·14 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	8,080	2,110 0 0	7,090 0	530 0 0	10 0 0	2,650 0 0	1,166	298	1,464
Or per mile of railway ...	152	40 0 0	150 0	10 0 0	.	50 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	12,320	3,160 0 0	7,760 0	660 0 0	30 0 0	3,850 0 0	1,684	448	2,132
Total for 3 weeks ...	20,400	5,270 0 0	15,750 0	1,190 0 0	40 0 0	6,500 0 0	3,070	746	3,816
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,407	2,213 0 0	5,623 0	325 0 0	11 0 0	2,549 0 0	1,283	203	1,484
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	139	42 0 0	105 0	6 0 0	.....	48 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	21,623	5,933 0 0	15,851 0	986 0 0	40 0 0	6,959 0 0	3,190	1,488	4,678

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th July 1903 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	25,010	6,810 0 0	12,050 0	1,230 0 0	180 0 0	8,220 0 0	3,230	1,140	4,370
Or per mile of railway ...	291	79 0 0	150 0	15 0 0	2 0 0	96 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	55,730	15,270 0 0	22,350 0	2,070 0 0	330 0 0	17,670 0 0	4,813	3,125	7,938
Total for 3 weeks ...	80,730	22,080 0 0	35,280 0	3,300 0 0	510 0 0	25,890 0 0	8,043	4,265	12,308
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	27,708	7,582 0 0	12,769 0	1,259 0 0	245 0 0	9,086 0 0	2,711	2,401	5,112
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	322	88 0 0	148 0	15 0 0	3 0 0	106 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	80,005	21,043 0 0	30,344 0	3,001 0 0	376 0 0	25,320 0 0	7,411	5,600	13,110

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th July 1903, on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	2,060	980 0 0	6,140 0	900 0 0	50 0 0	1,930 0 0	472	1,580	2,052
Or per mile of railway ...	79	29 0 0	183 0	26 0 0	1 0 0	56 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	4,790	1,770 0 0	12,480 0	1,650 0 0	40 0 0	3,460 0 0	720	2,312	3,032
Total for 3 weeks ...	7,450	2,750 0 0	18,620 0	2,550 0 0	90 0 0	5,390 0 0	1,192	3,892	5,084
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2,316	790 0 0	7,165 0	1,073 0 0	22 0 0	1,891 0 0	290	727	1,027
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	69	24 0 0	213 0	32 0 0	.....	56 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	6,668	2,319 0 0	14,622 0	2,168 0 0	51 0 0	4,538 0 0	734	2,406	3,140

Ballast train-miles 1,200.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 18th July 1903 on 622 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	30,452	18,347 0 0	2,36,659 0	18,913 0 0	1,645 0 0	38,905 0 0	7,249	9,128	16,377
Or per mile of railway	48·96	29·50	380·05	29·41	2·56	61·47	11·65	14·20	25·85
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	50,916	29,603 0 0	3,45,587 0	28,381 0 0	5,224 0 0	63,208 0 0	11,102	15,339	26,441
Total for 3 weeks ...	81,368	47,950 0 0	5,82,246 0	47,294 0 0	6,869 0 0	1,02,113 0 0	18,351	24,467	42,818
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	27,397	16,440 0 0	1,54,781 0	15,064 0 0	999 0 0	32,503 0 0	6,397	8,855	15,452
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	49·04	29·46	262·79	25·58	1·70	56·74	11·32	15·03	26·35
Total to corresponding date of previous year	82,296	48,758 0 0	4,40,309 0	40,071 0 0	3,848 0 0	92,677 0 0	18,149	22,476	40,625

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 18th July 1903.			Receipts for week ending 19th July 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 18th July 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 19th July 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	38,905	61·47	589	32 803	56·74	643	6,10,927	...	589	5,69,769	...	41,158	.....

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 18th July 1903 on 1,331 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,331 miles open	315,790	(a)87,590	6,53,230	(b)81,900	21,700	1,91,380	41,318	(c)29,605	70,923
Or per mile of railway	162 13	65·81	513·32	61·60	16·30	143·71	.....	... ..	. ....
For previous 1½ weeks of half-year	363,800	1,36,810	12,03,030	1,32,910	31,990	3,01,710	64,899	49,541	114,440
Total for 2½ weeks ...	679,590	2,24,400	18,56,260	2,14,900	53,690	4,93,090	106,217	79,146	185,363
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,261 miles open	197,551	74,893	5,53,049	58,163	17,231	1,50,277	41,307	(d)35,105	76,412
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	156 65	59·39	438·58	46·12	13·66	119·17	.....	... ..	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	528,607	2,30,529	16,15,950	1,90,111	43,647	4,64,287	114,291	80,611	194,902

(a) The increase occurred mainly under local and foreign outward passengers.
(b) The increase was principally under foreign outward goods.
(c) Includes 4,920 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 8,978 miles of ballast trains.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 19th July 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	1,159	181	5,091	171	16	368	415	89	504
Or per mile of railway ...	64·39	10·05	282 83	9·50	0·89	20·44	... ..	.....	.....
For previous 1½ weeks of half-year	2,308	356	15,378	297	20	673	609	183	792
Total for 2½ weeks ...	3,467	537	20,469	468	36	1,041	1,024	272	1,296
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	1,890	193	12,862	230	5	443	369	135	504
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	105·00	10·72	714·56	13·89	0·28	24·89	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,633	583	35,771	716	11	1,310	973	336	1,309

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 25th July 1903 on 1,331 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs			
Total traffic for the week on 1,331 miles open	209,720	(a) 89,110	7,45,910	(a)76,260	23,780	(a) 1,89,150	41,798	(b)31,604	73,402
Or per mile of railway ...	157 57	66·95	560·41	57·29	17·87	142·11	... ...	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year	579,650	2,24,400	18,86,260	2,14,900	63,630	4,92,990	100,217	79,146	185,363
Total for 35 weeks	789,370	3,13,510	26,32,170	2,91,160	77,470	6,82,140	142,015	110,840	258,865
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,251 miles open	184,596	71,567	6,53,453	46,090	23,136	1,40,815	43,813	(c)27,140	70,953
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	146·30	56·75	518·20	36 55	18 37	111 67	...	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	713,203	2,93,096	23,72,403	2,36,203	65,805	5,95,103	158,109	107,751	265,860

(a) The increase is chiefly under Local and Foreign Outward traffic.
(b) Includes 4,596 miles of ballast trains.
(c) ,, 4,390 ,, ,,

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 25th July 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	1,251	190	9,902	232	8	430	357	147	504
Or per mile of railway	69·50	10·56	550·11	12·89	0·44	23·89	.....	... .	....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year	3,467	537	20,469	463	36	1,041	1,024	272	1,296
Total for 35 weeks ...	4,718	727	30,371	700	44	1,471	1,381	419	1,800
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,112	213	5,637	122	11	346	443	72	504
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	117 33	11·83	313·17	6·78	0·61	19·22	...	... .	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	7,765	796	41,466	839	22	1,656	1,405	467	1,872

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the week ending 13th June 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open ...	2,602	406 13 7	16,065	480 4 0	36 0 0	925 1 7	350	174	504
Or per mile of railway ...	144 78	22 11 5	943 61	26 10 11	2 0 0	51 6 4	... ..	.. ...	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year	47,928	10,914 7 11	4,14,322	10,625 8 0	558 2 0	22,098 1 11	6,902	4,504	11,406
Total for 25 weeks ...	50,530	11,323 5 6	4,31,907	11,105 12 0	594 2 0	23,023 3 6	7,252	4,678	11,930
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,307	339 5 0	10,096	457 12 0	10 2 0	807 3 0	384	120	504
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	128·17	18 13 7	944 33	25 6 11	0 9 0	44 13 6	.....	....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	61,252	10,342 1 0	3,06,157	7,831 13 1	851 2 0	19,025 0 1	8 795	3,121	11,916

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 25th July 1903 ...	Coaching ...	3,826	0	0			
	Goods ...	12,905	0	0	16,799	0	0
	Other earnings ..	68	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	5,695	0	0			
	Goods ...	9,642	0	0	15,408	0	0
	Other earnings ...	71	0	0			
	Increase ...				1,391	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 25th July 1903					329	6	3
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					302	1	10
	Increase ...				27	4	5
Receipts from 1st July to 25th July 1903					60,056	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					59,433	0	0
	Increase ...				623	0	0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR will leave Sealdah for Darjeeling on Monday, the 17th August 1903, at 16-57 Railway time, arriving at the latter station on Tuesday, the 18th idem, at 13-30 P.M. Both the departure and arrival will be private. The salute will be fired at Calcutta on the Lieutenant-Governor's departure.

The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Mrs. Bourdillon.

E. L. L. Hammond, Esq., I.C.S., Private Secretary.

Captain E. Harding-Newman, A.-D.-C.

E. L. L. HAMMOND, I.C.S.,

Offg. Private Secretary.

No. 3545A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3467A.—The 10th August 1903.*—Mr. J. A. L. Swan, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Saran, is appointed to have charge of the Sirajganj subdivision of the Pabna district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. Marr, or until further orders.

Saran.
Pabna.

No. 3522A.—The 11th August 1903.—Mr. C. Fisher, District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Purnea, during the Civil Court vacation of September and October 1903.

Dinajpur.
Purnea.

He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. F. S. Hamilton.

POLICE.—*No. 3296J.—The 11th August 1903.*—Mr. J. G. Bell, Superintendent of the Calcutta Police on Rs. 400, is promoted to the grade of Rs. 450, with effect from the 23rd January 1903, *vice* Superintendent A. Forsyth, deceased.

Calcutta.

No. 3298J.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Brojendra Nath Chatterjee, Superintendent of the Calcutta Police on Rs. 300, is promoted to the grade of Rs. 400, *vice* Superintendent J. G. Bell.

Calcutta.

In modification of the order of the 4th July 1902, he is also appointed to act as Superintendent on Rs. 450, with effect from the 5th February 1903, *vice* Superintendent R. Davies, on leave, or until further orders.

No. 3300J.—The 11th August 1903.—In modification of the order of the 4th July 1902, Babu Kristo Charan Banerjee, Superintendent of the Calcutta Police, Detective Department, on Rs. 350, acted on Rs. 450 up to the 4th February 1903.

Calcutta.

No. 3302J.—The 11th August 1903.—Mr. S. C. Aldridge, First Class Inspector of Police, Calcutta, is appointed to be a Superintendent on Rs. 300, with effect from the 23rd January 1903.

Calcutta.

In modification of the order of the 4th July 1902, Mr. Aldridge acted as a Superintendent on Rs. 350 up to the 4th February 1903. He is confirmed as a Superintendent on Rs. 350, *vice* Superintendent Kristo Charan Banerjee, and appointed to act on Rs. 400, *vice* Superintendent Brojendra Nath Chatterjee, with effect from the 5th February 1903.

No. 3304J.—The 11th August 1903.—In modification of the order of the 4th July 1902, Mr. H. G. Haultain, First Class Inspector of the Calcutta Police, acted as a Superintendent on Rs. 300 up to the 4th February 1903.

Calcutta.

Mr. Haultain is confirmed in the grade of Rs. 300, and appointed to act on Rs. 350, *vice* Superintendent S. C. Aldridge, with effect from the 5th February 1903.

No. 3306J.—The 11th August 1903.—In modification of the order of the 14th May 1903, Mr. M. B. Ellis, First Class Inspector of the Calcutta Police, Detective Department, is appointed to act as Superintendent on Rs. 300, with effect from the 5th February 1903, *vice* Superintendent H. G. Haultain.

Calcutta.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3471A.—The 10th August 1903.*—Mr. J. A. Cunningham, B.A., who has been appointed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India to the Indian Educational Service to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Mr. E. F. Mondy, is appointed temporarily to be a Professor in the Presidency College, with effect from the date on which he joins that appointment.

Calcutta.

No. 3475A.—The 10th August 1903.—In modification of the order of the 15th June 1903, Mr. Jogendra Nath Das Gupta, a Professor of the Provincial Educational Service in the Presidency College, is appointed to act as a Professor of the Indian Educational Service in that College, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr A. C. Edwards, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 3477A.—The 10th August 1903.—In modification of the order of the 14th May 1903, Babu Bijay Gopal Mukerjea, Professor, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, is appointed to act as a Professor in the Presidency College, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. Jogendra Nath Das Gupta, or until further orders.

Cuttack.
Calcutta.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—*No. 3408A.—The 5th August 1903.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 45 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67) and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), and the orders issued thereunder, and with the previous sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to nominate the Hon'ble Dr. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya, M.A., D.L., F.R.A.S., F.R.S.E., to be a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, with effect from the 8th August 1903.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3441A.—The 7th August 1903.*—Mr W. Maude, Deputy Commissioner, Ranchi, is allowed leave for one month and two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 24th August 1903.

Ranchi.

No. 3465A.—The 10th August 1903.—Mr. A. Marr, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, Pabna, is allowed leave for two months and thirty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd September 1903.

Pabna.

No. 3488A.—The 11th August 1903.—The Hon'ble Mr. C. W. Bolton, C.S.I., Member of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, is allowed combined leave for seven months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd August 1903, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

Calcutta.

No. 3519A.—The 11th August 1903.—Mr. J. D. Cargill, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th August 1903.

Nadia.

No. 3543A.—The 11th August 1903.—Maulvi Abul Khair Mahomed Abdus Subhan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is allowed leave for one month and nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th August 1903.

Patna.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3461A.—The 10th August 1903.*—Honorary Captain and Paymaster C E. Vining, Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding the Presidency District, leave of absence for eighteen months, with effect from the 1st September 1903.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3514A.—The 11th August 1903.*—Mr. J. S. Slater, Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, is allowed combined leave for six months and five days, viz., privilege leave for two months and eighteen days, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st April 1903, and furlough on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 311 of the Regulations.

Howrah.

This cancels the order of the 23rd May 1903, granting Mr. Slater leave for two months and seventeen days, under articles 272 and 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st April 1903.

EXCISE.—*No. 3530A.—The 11th August 1903.*—Babu Kali Kisor Taluqdar, Special Excise Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 26th August 1903.

Bhagalpur.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3405A.—The 4th August 1903.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Babu Joy Gobind Law, C.I.E., of his office of Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, with effect from the 8th August 1903.

Council.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3398A.—The 5th August 1903.*—Babu Haris Chunder Rai, Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Faridpur.

No 3481A.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Bhabani Prosad Neogi, Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Backergunge.

No. 3536A.—The 11th August 1903.—Mr. P. W. Murphy, Covenanted Deputy Collector, Patna, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Patna.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION—No. 3512A.

The 11th August 1903.—In continuation of the notification of this Government, No. 1859A.D., dated the 6th July 1903, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, it is hereby notified that Mr. J. D. Boylan, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, passed in Bengali by the higher standard at the half-yearly departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, held on the 4th May 1903 and the two following days.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2627-O.—The 8th August 1903.—Mr. W. S Burt, Assistant Opium Agent, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India seventeen days' furlough in extension of that granted in this Department Notification No. 2699-O., dated the 17th July 1902.

Bareilly.

No. 2545.—The 4th August 1903.—Whereas the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, by an order, No. 567L R, dated the 27th January 1902, which was published at page 210, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, notified for general information that the estimate of the probable expenses to be incurred in respect of the repairs, maintenance, and works connected therewith of the *takavi* embankments in the district of Midnapore, for a period of three years, commencing from the 1st April 1901 (on the termination from the 31st March 1901 of the previous seven years' contract), amounts to Rs. 1,65,893:

Midnapore.

And whereas, as required by section 63 of Act II (B.C.) of 1882, this estimate was locally published, with a general notice calling on all persons interested to prefer to the Collector of Midnapore any objections they might think proper against such amount being fixed as the total sum payable:

And whereas the Collector of Midnapore has reported that no objections have been preferred thereto, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under section 63 of Act II (B.C.) of 1882, to fix the estimated amount of Rs. 1,65,893 as the sum payable during the period of three years, commencing from the 1st April 1901, by the zamindars of the estates benefitted by such repairs, maintenance, and works.

No. 2547.—The 4th August 1903.—Babu Mohananda Gupta, Deputy Collector of Calcutta, is vested with special appellate powers under section 87 of the Land Registration Act, VII (B.C.) of 1876.

Calcutta.

No. 2626L.R.—The 8th August, 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by Raja Ram Ranjan Chakravarty Bahadur, proprietor of estate Dubrajpur, tauzi No. 545, in the district of Birbhum, for a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands situated in that estate, and whereas he has agreed to deposit the estimated cost of the operations:

Birbhum.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said estate, in thana Dubrajpur, in the district of Birbhum.

2. The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.

(*e*) The rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

(*j*) The name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2633L.R.—The 11th August 1903.—An application having been filed, under section 18 of the Bengal Embankment Act, II (B.C.) of 1882, for the removal of the Government embankment on the left bank of the Peali river from Kolaboroo to Srikristapore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, and for the construction of a new one in its place with two drainage sluices, the Collector of the district, after holding the necessary enquiry into the matter under sections 10 and 18 of the Act, has submitted

24-Parganas.

a report in favour of the proposal, which has received the support of the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and of the Board of Revenue, by whom it has been submitted to Government for orders. The Lieutenant-Governor, having considered the report and the Board's recommendation of the project, is pleased to order, under section 14 of the Act, that the embankment in question shall be removed and a new one with two drainage sluices constructed in its place at an estimated cost of Rs 68,151, in accordance with the plans prepared by the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, and approved by the Chief Engineer, Irrigation Department, Bengal.

No. 2651L.R —The 11th August 1903.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, V of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all lands lying in estates Sadatpur, tauzi Nos. 2762 and 2763, in the district of Murshidabad, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the said lands

Murshidabad.

No. 2652L.R.—The 11th August 1903.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, Maulvi Muhammad Choinuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey for the purpose of carrying out the survey and demarcation of boundaries of the following petty estates under settlement in the district of Murshidabad:—

Murshidabad.

Jangipur Subdivision.

Government Estate Ganj Jangipur, T. No. 557.
Resumed Estate Chur Dabter, „ 562.
Ditto Chur Enaitnagar and Balighta Khidirpur, T. No. 1480.
Ditto Dear Sekandra, T. No. 1488.
Government Estate Chur Gota, „ 558.
Resumed Estate Chur Alatuli, „ 565.
Ditto Chandpur Bagdanga, „ 2722.
Ditto Dumkol, „ 1458.
Ditto Kismat Dumkal, „ 1491.

Notification No. 2194L.R., dated the 18th July 1903, published in Part I, page 955 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2653L.R —The 11th August 1903.—Maulvi Muhammad Choinuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jangipur, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Murshidabad. He is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue Officers for the purpose of survey and the preparation of record-of-rights in the following estates under settlement in the district of Murshidabad. He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Government Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act:—

Murshidabad.

Jangipur Subdivision.

Government estate kismat Bahirgram Kalahapur, T. No. 1472.
„ „ „ Hilosa, T No. 2837.
„ „ mauza Masumabad, T. No 365.
„ „ kismat mauza Masambad, T. No. 740.
„ „ Bahalnagar, T. No. 2959.

Notification No. 2193L R., dated the 18th July 1903, published in Part I, page 955 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2654L.R.—The 11th August 1903.—Mr. William Raha, Sub-Deputy Collector, is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue Officers for the purposes of survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights in the following estates under settlement in the district of Murshidabad. He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule I, Chapter VI of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, with effect from 1st May 1903:—

Murshidabad.

(1) Rajdharpur, tauzi No 393.
(2) Satlakhi. tauzi No. 2955.
(3) Dear Fatehjungpur, tauzi No. 1465.

No. 2664L.R.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Dutta, Deputy Collector at present employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in North Bihar, is allowed privilege leave for eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the six weeks' leave granted to him in Notification No. 789T.R., dated the 28th May 1903.

Saran.
Darbhanga.
Monghyr.
Purnea.

No. 2544.—The 4th August 1903.—Whereas the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, by an order, No. 4215, dated the 28th November 1902, which was published at pages 1657-1658, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 3rd December 1902, notified for general information that the estimate of the probable expenses to be incurred annually in respect of the repairs, maintenance, and works connected

Midnapore.

therewith of the *takavi* embankments in the district of Midnapore, for a period of fifteen years, commencing from the 1st April 1904 (on the termination from the 31st March 1904 of the existing three years' contract), amounts to Rs. 49,761:

And whereas, as required by section 63 of Act II (B.C.) of 1882, this estimate was locally published, with a general notice calling on all persons interested to prefer to the Collector of Midnapore any objections they might think proper against such amount being fixed as the sum annually payable:

And whereas the Collector of Midnapore has reported that no objections have been preferred thereto, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under section 63 of Act II (B.C.) of 1882, to fix the estimated amount of Rs. 49,761 as the sum annually payable, during the period of fifteen years, commencing from the 1st April 1904, by the zamindars of estates benefited by such repairs, maintenance, and works.

No. 2534.—The 3rd August 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. R. S. Greenshields, Officiating Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, to be the officer to hear appeals against the orders of the Chief Inspector and Inspectors of Mines, under sections 15 and 21 of the Indian Mines Act, VIII of 1901, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. Carstairs, or until further orders.

Burdwan.

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No. 2209(Mis.)—The 20th July 1903.—Ram Das Hazra, late a muharrir of the Burdwan Collectorate, having been dismissed from Government service, is debarred from re-employment in any capacity under Government.

Burdwan.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1992.—The 11th August 1903.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, is published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1268—7-7, dated Simla, the 27th July 1903.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Dept.

IN exercise of the power conferred by section 80 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883 (XXI of 1883), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that in Schedule G, Scale No. 3 (B), of Miscellaneous Medical Stores, *showing instruments and appliances for hospital and dispensary to be supplied for every emigrant vessel*, of the rules as published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 94E, dated the 18th March 1886, and subsequently amended, after the entry relating to "spirit lamp" the following entry shall be inserted, namely:—

Microscope ...	1*	*This is required to be supplied for vessels proceeding to Demerara. Baker's Plantation Microscope, the present price of which is £ 2-5, is suitable.

No. 2060.—The 11th August 1903.—The Civil Surgeon of Muzaffarpur is appointed, under section 3 of Act XV of 1881, as amended by Act XI of 1891, to Act as Inspector of the two factories at Muzaffarpur—the one a Sugar Factory at Ottur, and the other the Engineering Works of Messrs. Arthur Butler & Co at Muzaffarpur. He is also appointed Certifying Surgeon under section 5 of the said Acts for those Factories.

Muzaffarpur.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3740S.R.—The 10th August 1903.—Babu Bhabani Prosad Neogi, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Backergunge, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Huq, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Backergunge.

No. 3744S.R.—The 10th August 1903.—Babu Burmeshwar Prosad, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Muzaffarpur, *vice* Maulvi Khondkar Fazlal Huq, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Muzaffarpur.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No 2283Medl.—The 5th August 1903.—Kumar Bhobendra Narayan, Civil Surgeon of Pabna, is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 9th July 1903, to act as Civil Surgeon of Dinajpur during the absence, on deputation, of Military Assistant Surgeon M. E. Mungavin, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

No. 2285Medl.—The 5th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Debendra Nath De is appointed, with effect from the afternoon of the 2nd July 1903, to act as Civil Surgeon of Pabna during the absence, on deputation, of Kumar Bhobendra Narayan, or until further orders.

Pabna.

No. 2287Medl.—The 5th August 1903.—Military Assistant Surgeon R. Sharples, Officiating Assistant Apothecary, Medical College Hospital, is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 9th June 1903, to act as an Apothecary attached to the Presidency General Hospital, *vice* Military Assistant Surgeon T. Baldry, transferred to military duty.

Calcutta.

No. 2330Medl.—The 8th August 1903.—Captain R. H. Maddox, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon of Darjeeling, is appointed to be Civil Surgeon of Nadia, with effect from the 11th March 1903, but will continue to act at Darjeeling until further orders.

Darjeeling.
Nadia.

No. 2375Medl.—The 10th August 1903.—Captain W. V. Coppinger, I.M.S., acted as Civil Surgeon of Manbhum from the afternoon of the 12th June to the forenoon of the 10th July 1903, during the absence, on leave, of Military Assistant Surgeon A. A. Allison.

Manbhum.

No. 2377Medl.—The 10th August 1903.—Captain M. H. Thornley, I.M.S., is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 6th June 1903, to act as Civil Surgeon of Jalpaiguri, during the absence, on deputation, of Captain W. D. Hayward, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Jalpaiguri.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CHARITABLE ENDOWMENTS ACT, 1890.

In the matter of the Rajkumari Leper Asylum at Deoghur, in the district of Sonthal Parganas.

No. 2302Med.—The 6th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, VI of 1890, and upon the application and with the concurrence of the Rajkumari Leper Asylum Committee of Deoghur, in the district of Sonthal Parganas, doth hereby order and direct that the Government Promissory Notes and Calcutta Municipal Debenture, of which the particulars are contained in the first Schedule hereunder written, shall, from the date of the first publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, vest, and be thenceforth vested, in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal, to be held by him and his successors (subject to the provisions of the said Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and the rules, from time to time, framed thereunder by the Governor-General in Council) upon trust for ever thereafter to receive the interest, income, and profits of the same Promissory Notes and Debenture, respectively, when and as the same shall become due and payable, and from time to time to apply the same to the endowment and maintenance of the said "Rajkumari Leper Asylum" established on the premises described in the second Schedule hereunder written in accordance with the provisions made in that behalf in the scheme, of which the particulars are contained in the third Schedule hereto annexed, and it is hereby further notified that the said scheme, of which the particulars are contained in the said third Schedule, shall come into operation on the vesting of the said Government Promissory Notes and Debenture in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal.

Sonthal Parganas.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

Government Promisory Notes of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 A.D.—

			Rs.
No.	137034	for	5,000
„	141767	„	5,000
„	141798	„	2,000
„	148947	„	1,000
„	148948	„	1,000

Promissory Notes deposited with the Comptroller of Post Offices—

			Rs.
Account No. 1921 for	...	...	2,000
„ „ 5096 „	...	...	1,500
„ „ 5096 „	...	...	3,000
„ „ 5096 „	...	...	500

Calcutta Municipal Debenture No 2 of the 4 per cent. loan of 1899-1900 for Rs. 1,000—

			Rs.
No. 843 for	...	...	500
„ 844 „	...	...	500

THE SECOND SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

All those the buildings standing and being on all that piece or parcel of land situate in the village of Jhasagari, mauza Thari, taluk Teur Balia, thana Deoghur, district Sonthal Parganas, bounded on the north by *choto mohul* trees, on the east by *kherra* jungle, on the west by Rajkumari Leper Asylum road, and on the south by *choto mohul* trees.

THE THIRD SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

1. The endowment hereby created shall be called the "Rajkumari Leper Asylum" Fund, and its object is and shall be the maintenance of the Leper Asylum established in the year 1895 by Dr. Mahendra Lal Sarkar, C.I.E., and other philanthropists, upon the premises described in the second Schedule above written which is and shall be called "the Rajkumari Leper Asylum."

2 The Trustees to be appointed under section 5 (1) to administer the property vested by the above notification shall be the following persons, namely:—

(1) The Deputy Commissioner of the Sonthal Parganas for the time being.
(2) The Subdivisional Officer of Deoghur for the time being.
(3) The next Senior Magistrate of the Deoghur subdivision for the time being.
(4) The third officer of the Deoghur subdivision for the time being, or such other Judicial officer as may be appointed in the subdivision with head-quarters at Deoghur.
(5) Dr. Mahendra Lal Sarkar, C.I.E.
(6) Babu Jogendra Nath Bose, B.A., inhabitant, Natlra, Diamond Harbour subdivision, 24-Parganas.
(7) The Subdivisional Inspector of Police for the time being.
(8) The Subdivisional Medical Officer for the time being.
(9) The General Manager under the Court of Wards with head-quarters at Deoghur for the time being.
(10) The Chairman of the Deoghur Municipality for the time being.
(11) The Vice-Chairman of the Deoghur Municipality for the time being.
(12) The Head Master of the Local English School for the time being.
(13) The High Priest of the Baidyanath Temple for the time being.
(14) Babu Bidhu Bhusan Sen, now residing at Deoghur.
(15) „ Nabin Chandra Mullik, Rural Sub-Registrar, Deoghur.
(16) „ Barada Prosad Basu, retired Executive Engineer.
(17) „ Sukha Nath Bosu.
(18) Rai Tarini Prosad Bahadur, inhabitant, Rohini.

And such other persons as shall hereafter, from time to time, be appointed to the office of Trustee under the provisions of the next succeeding clause hereof.

3. Whenever any Trustee, other than one of the *ex-officio* Trustees above named, shall die or desire to be discharged from, or refuse to act in, or become incapacitated through illness or otherwise from acting in the trusts hereby created, or shall be guilty of any gross misconduct, the surviving or continuing Trustees shall thereupon in writing appoint another person to be a Trustee in the place of the Trustee so dying, or desiring to be discharged, or refusing to act, or becoming incapacitated from acting, or becoming guilty of gross misconduct as aforesaid.

4. The duties of the said Trustees shall be as follows:—They shall apply the annual interest, income, and profits of the property vested by the above notification to the upkeep and maintenance and improvement of the said Rajkumari Leper Asylum, and shall thereout, in the first place, defray all such expenses of management of the said Asylum, of feeding, clothing and medical treatment of the lepers, who shall for the time being be inmates thereof, and of repairs, improvements, and additions to the buildings and out-houses situate on the said land described in the second Schedule above written and pay all such rents and dues payable on account of the said land as shall not be covered by the public subscriptions and donations from time to time received in respect of the said Asylum. The expenses of management shall include the cost of providing a proper and efficient staff of servants for feeding and nursing the lepers, and of a further staff for the performance of clerical and other work in connection with the said asylum under the direction of the Honorary Secretary to be appointed by the Trustees as next hereinafter provided.

5. The Trustees shall annually in general meeting elect one of their number to be their Honorary Secretary. The duties of the said Secretary shall be to collect and receive subscriptions and donations from the public, to draw money from the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the purposes mentioned in the last preceding clause hereof, and also to keep accounts of all moneys received and expended by him, and to submit such accounts to the Trustees at their general meetings. The duties of the said Secretary shall include the appointment and dismissal of the staff, as hereinbefore mentioned, the payment of their salaries and other disbursements necessary for the purposes mentioned in the last preceding clause, and the general supervision of the said asylum.

6. Any surplus which may remain of the annual interest, income and profits of the said trust property, and of the subscriptions and donations received from the public, after application of the same in manner provided in clause 4 hereof, shall be deposited by the Trustees either in the Savings Bank or in the Bank of Bengal, and may be applied by them for such purposes in connection with the said Asylum as they shall think fit, or may be invested, from time to time, in Government Promissory Notes or Municipal Debentures, and in the event of any investment being so made the same shall be transferred so as to vest in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments upon the trusts declared in the above notification.

7. The Trustees may make such rules for, and in relation to, the conduct and management of the said Asylum as they think fit, but such rules shall be in conformity in all respects with the rules which may, from time to time, be made by the Government of India relative to charitable institutions, and with the provisions of the Lepers Act, 1895, and the rules from time to time framed thereunder.

8. The Trustees shall hold an ordinary meeting at least once in every three months for the transaction of general business and passing accounts, and such meetings shall be held on some convenient day and at the subdivisional office or some other convenient place to be appointed by the Secretary in consultation with the Subdivisional Officer of Deoghur.

9. Any Trustee may call a special meeting by delivering or sending by post to the other Trustees at least a week's previous notice in writing stating the time and the place of such meeting and the purposes or objects for which it is to be held.

10. The Deputy Commissioner of the Sonthal Parganas for the time being shall be the President, and the Subdivisional Officer for the time being shall be the Vice-President of the Trustees. The President or, in his absence, the Vice-President, shall be Chairman of every meeting of the Trustees. In the event of the absence both of the President and Vice-President, the next senior officer of the Deoghur subdivision (being a Trustee) may be appointed with the consent of the said Subdivisional Officer to be Chairman for any particular meeting which it may be necessary to hold in the absence of the President and Vice-President.

11. No business shall be transacted at any meeting unless at least five of the Trustees are present at the time when the meeting proceeds to business, and all business brought before any meeting shall be decided by majority of votes of the Trustees present, and in case of equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting shall have a casting vote.

12. The minutes of the proceedings of every meeting shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose and signed by the Chairman of such meeting, and shall, when so entered and signed, be conclusive evidence of the business and other matters transacted at such meeting

13. The Trustees may at any time if they think fit remove the said Asylum from the said premises described in the second Schedule above written, to and thereafter maintain the same at any other place, and the trusts and provisions declared and contained in the above notification, and this scheme shall remain in force and be applicable to and in respect of the said Asylum after its removal as aforesaid in the same manner as if it had been originally established on such new place or site.

L. P. SHIRREFF,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3546A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3450A.—The 8th August 1903.—Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharya, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as an Additional Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at Satkania, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Haripado Mazumdar, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

No. 3500A.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Noni Gopal Mukherjee, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hari Lal Mukerjee, or until further orders.

Cuttack.

No. 3502A.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Hari Lal Mukerjee, Munsif, Contai, in the district of Midnapore, on leave, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Cuttack.

Midnapore. Cuttack.

No. 3508A.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Manmatha Chandra Bose, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Nadia, to be ordinarily stationed at Ranaghat, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ramapati Dey, or until further orders.

Nadia

No. 3265J.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Ambika Charan Chatterjee is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Siwan, in the district of Saran.

Saran.

No. 3308J.—The 11th August 1903.—Mr. John Arthur Maclean Wilson is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Sitamarhi, in the district of Muzaffarpur.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3311J.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Sarju Prasad Singh is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Sitamarhi, in the district of Muzaffarpur.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3314J.—The 11th August 1903.—Maulvi Mahomed Amir is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Hajipur, in the district of Muzaffarpur.

Muzaffarpur.

LEAVE.

No. 3534A.—The 6th August 1903.—Babu Ram Lal Das, Munsif of Rangpur, is allowed leave for six days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 16th June 1903.

Rangpur.

The 6th August 1903.—Babu Ramapati Dey, Munsif of Ranaghat, in the district of Nadia, is allowed leave for one month and six days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th August 1903, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

Nadia.

The 8th August 1903.—Babu Haripado Mazumdar, Additional Munsif of Satkania, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved.

Chittagong.

No. 3535A.—The 8th August 1903.—Mr. Khaja Taqui Jan, substantive *pro tempore* Munsif of Motihari, in the district of Saran, is allowed leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st July 1903.

Saran.

No. 3495A.—The 11th August 1903.—In modification of the order dated the 22nd May 1903, Babu Purna Chandra Ray, Subordinate Judge, Patna, is allowed leave for three months, viz., one month and three days under articles 274 and 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 27th March 1903, and the remaining period under article 271 of the Regulations.

Patna.

RESIGNATION.

No. 3258J.—The 11th August 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Kali Kumar Sen Chowdhury of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Tangail Independent Bench, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

POWERS.

No. 3415A.—The 6th August 1903.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower the following Magistrate of the first class in the district of Balasore, viz., Babu Rash Bihari Naik, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the said section.

Balasore.

Babu Rash Bihari Naik is also vested with powers under sections 110, 133 and 524 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No 3452A.—The 8th August 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Chuni Lal Ray, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Manbhum, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Manbhum.

No. 3486A.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Kedar Nath Chaudhuri, Munsif of Phatikchari, in the district of Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Phatikchari Munsifi.

Chittagong.

No. 3493A.—The 11th August 1903.—Mr. G. Milne, Assistant Magistrate, Sasaram, Shahabad, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Shahabad.

No. 3506A.—The 11th August 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Dayanidhi Das, Deputy Magistrate, Puri, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Puri.

No. 3510A.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Sures Chandra Das, Deputy Magistrate, Pabna, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Pabna.

No. 3539A.—The 11th August 1903.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower the following Magistrates of the first class in the district of Chittagong, viz., Mr. R. A. Stephen and Babu Harendra Kumar Ghose, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the said section.

Chittagong.

No. 3541A.—The 11th August 1903.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower the following Magistrates of the first class in the district of Noakhali, viz., Babu Tulsi Charan Pal and Babu Sasi Bhusan Son, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the said section.

Noakhali.

No. 3102J.—The 6th August 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babus Bishwanath Mahta and Gajadhar Prosad Sahu, Honorary Magistrates of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Muzaffarpur, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3203J.—The 8th August 1903.—Babu Soshi Bhusan Chatterjee, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Howrah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Howrah.

No. 3266J.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Ambika Charan Chatterjee, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Siwan, in the district of Saran, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Saran.

No. 3268J.—The 11th August 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Ambika Charan Chatterjee, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Siwan, in the district of Saran, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Saran.

No. 3309J.—The 11th August 1903.—Mr. John Arthur Maclean Wilson, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Sitamarhi, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the Subdivisional Officer of Sitamarhi.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3312J.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Sarju Prasad Singh, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Sitamarhi, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3315J.—The 11th August 1903.—Maulvi Mahomed Amir, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Sitamarhi, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Muzaffarpur.

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Patna. *No. 3094J.—The 6th August 1903.*—In supersession of the Notification No. 621J., dated the 4th February 1895, whereby thana Maner was transferred from the jurisdiction of the Dinapore subdivision, in the district of Patna, to the Sadar subdivision of that district, and of the Notification No. 1341J., dated the 18th February 1901, whereby under section 8 of the Code of Criminal Procedure thana Maner was directed to be included in the Dinapore subdivision, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby directs that henceforth the Dinapore subdivision of the Patna district shall consist of thana Maner, of thana Dinapore, including its outpost Khagole, and of thana Bikram, including its outposts Paliganj and Naubatpore.

Patna. *No. 3095J.—The 6th August 1903.*—It is hereby notified that the Sadar subdivision of the Patna district will consist of thanas Phulwari, including its outpost Digha, and independent outpost Backerganj, and of thana Masaudhi, including its outposts Punpun and Pabhera. This supersedes so much of the notification of the 23rd January 1877 as relates to the Sadar subdivision, published in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st January 1877.

No. 3213J.—The 7th August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the words "or District Magistrate" have been inserted after the words "the Court" in the first line of rule 7. of the Rules and Instructions issued by this Government under notification dated the 24th March 1879.

Bankura. *No. 3194J.—The 8th August 1903.*—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, under section 58 of Act VI (B.C.) of 1870, Babu Atal Behari Bose, Subdivisional Officer, Vishnupur, in the district of Bankura, to be a Commissioner for ascertaining and determining the chaukidari chakran lands within that subdivision.

Bankura. *No. 3196J.—The 8th August 1903* —It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, under section 58 of Act VI (B.C.) of 1870, Maulvi Syed Mohamed Abul Hayat, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura, to be a Commissioner for ascertaining and determining the chaukidari chakran lands within the Sadar subdivision of that district, *vice* Babu Nagendra Nath Dutta.

Bankura and Chota-Nagpur. *No. 3295J.—The 8th August 1903.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9, sub-section (4), and section 193, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to pass the following orders which shall have effect from the 1st January 1904:—

(1) The Sessions Judge of Bankura is appointed to be also an Additional Sessions Judge of Chota Nagpur;

(2) The Additional Sessions Judge will try all Sessions cases and criminal appeals arising within the districts of Manbhum and Singhbhum; and

(3) The Additional Sessions Judge will sit, for the disposal of such Sessions cases at Purulia, and, for the disposal of such appeals, sometimes at Purulia and sometimes at Bankura, as may be most convenient for their speedy disposal.

Calcutta. *No. 3230J.—The 10th August 1903.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (8) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare to be "police-stations," within the meaning of that Code, the following thanas and outposts in the suburbs of Calcutta, namely:—

	Thanas.	Outposts.
A.	Cossipore	Sinthee.
B.	Chitpur	Talla.
C.	Ooltadanga.	
D.	Manicktolla.	
E.	Belliaghatta	Chingrihatta.
F.	Entally	Sealdah. Tangra.
G.	Beniapooker.	
H.	Ballygunge	Ballygunge.
I.	Bhowanipore	Kalighat
J.	Tallygunge	Monoharpukur. Dhaocooria.
K.	Alipore	Jirat. Chetla. Durgapur.
L	Ekbalpore	Sonadanga.
M.	Watgunge	Kidderpore.
N.	Garden Reach.	

No. 3319J.—The 11th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 641 of the Code of Civil Procedure (Act XIV of 1882), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to exempt Maharaja Suryya Kanta Acharyya, of Muktagacha, Mymensingh, from personal attendance in Civil Courts.

Mymensingh.

[Third Publication.]

No. 2780J.—The 28th July 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of Bengal Act II of 1867 (an Act to provide for the punishment of public gambling and the keeping of common gaming-houses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend all the sections of that Act to the Municipalities of Jamalpur, Sherpur, Tangail, Netrakona, Kishorganj and Bajitpur, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 15th August 1903.

Mymensingh.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3130J.—The 8th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a new site for Borjora out post building, in the village of Borjora, pargana Saharjora, thana Gangajalghati, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 bighas and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on all sides by the khas patit land of the zamindars Beni Madhav Banerjee and Ganga Narayen Singh and others, is required within the aforesaid village of Borjora.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura.

Bankura.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT (JAILS).

No. 1527P.—The 7th August 1903.—Mr. Tilak Dhari Lal is reappointed to be a non-official visitor of the Bhagalpur Central Jail.

No. 1528P.—The 7th August 1903.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Bhagalpur Central Jail:—

The Hon'ble Rai Tarini Prasad, Bahadur.	Mr. W. O. MacGregor.
Babu Wooma Charan Bose.	Maulvi Mohamed Ali Khan.
„ Ugra Mohan Thakur.	Syed Yusuff Hossain.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

No. 3131J.—The 6th August 1903.—Babu Hari Podo Rai, Inspector of Police, Nadia, is promoted from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Babu Hari Gopal Mukerjee, retired.

Nadia.

No. 3133J.—The 6th August 1903.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Das, Inspector of Police, Backergunge, is promoted from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Babu Makhan Lal Singh, retired.

Backergunge.

No. 3135J.—The 6th August 1903.—Babu Lalji Sahai (I), Inspector of Police, Purnea, is promoted from the third grade to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Babu Lakhi Narain Addy, retired.

Purnea.

No. 3137J.—The 6th August 1903.—Babu Bhimdal Dewan Lazarus Rai, Inspector of Police, Darjeeling, is promoted from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Babu Audhar Chandra Das, retired.

Darjeeling.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 11th August 1903.

No. 109.—Mr. G. G. Dey, Assistant Engineer, second grade, is temporarily transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Champaran Division to the office of the Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle, which he joined on the 1st August 1903.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL BUILDINGS.

The 11th August 1903.

No. 110.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the new Surgical Block and its subsidiary buildings in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, in the town of Calcutta, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 bighas 3 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Eden Hospital Street, on the east partly by Eden Hospital 1st Lane, partly by No. 7 Eden Hospital 1st Lane, and partly by premises No. 98 to No. 106 College Street, on the south by Champatola Lane, and on the west by Eden Hospital Street, is required within the town of Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Superintending Engineer, Central Circle, Writers' Buildings

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 11th August 1903.

No. 167L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Midnapore for the construction of a feeder road from Malancha to Kharagpur railway station, about 12,954 feet in length and 60 to 400 feet in breadth, in the villages of Nimgariapatna, Kharida, Khas Jungle, Chirkunchati, Gobindanagar and Chandipur, parganas Kharagpur, Balarampur and Dharenda, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 75 bighas 9 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Nimgariapatna, Kharida, Khas Jungle, Chirkunchati, Gobindanagar and Chandipur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Midnapore District Board.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MILITARY.

The 11th August 1903.

No. 166M.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for pipe water-supply from Fultah water-works for Rifle Factory and Steel Rolling Mills at Ishapore, in village of Fultah Sahibanbagicha and Kapaliswar-Uriapara, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 15 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Government land and the land of Babu Rakhal Chunder Addy and late Gopal Chundra Sett, on the south by the land of Fultah water-works and the land of Rakhal Chunder Addy and late Gopal Chundra Sett, and on the east and west by the land of Rakhal Chunder Addy and late Gopal Chundra Sett, is required within the aforesaid village of Fultah Sahibanbagicha and Kapaliswar-Uriapara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Commanding Royal Engineer, Ishapore Factory.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Fifth Publication.]

The 14th July 1903.

No. 41.—Notification.— In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 78 and 99 (*d*) of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following alteration in item 5 of the Schedule of Rates to be charged for water supplied from the Orissa Canals, as fixed in Notification No. 118, dated the 23rd May 1899, and subsequently modified in Notification No. 141, dated the 1st July 1902.

	Existing rate per man. Rs. A.		Proposed rate per man. Rs. A.
Item 5—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June ...	3 8	Item 5*—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June	3 4

* NOTE.—In the case of leases for a term of years which are in force at the rate of Rs. 1-8 per acre, the rate for the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June will remain Rs. 3-8 per acre.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 11th August 1903.

No. 156R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for the Bhojudih water scheme of the Midnapore-Jherria extension of that Railway in the villages of Damudapur and Bhojudih, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 acres and 6·64 poles, being equivalent to 9 bighas 4 cottahs ½ chitak of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Damudapur and Bhojudih.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause I of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Damuda district, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Damudapur.

No. 157R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the Gaya-Katras Railway (Plateau Section), in the Hazaribagh district, in the villages of Tilaiya and Rajpura, tahsil Kodarma, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 13·06 acres, bounded as follows are required within the aforesaid villages:—

Plot No. 1.—On the north, east, and west by the land of the village of Tilaiya, and on the south by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line;

Plot No. 2.—On the north by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line; on the east, west, and south by the land of the villages Tilaiya and Rajpura and public road;

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur.

No. 158R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a brick-field at Akto river, on the Gaya-Katras Railway (Plateau Section), in the district of Hazaribagh, in the villages of Partabpur and Jogiatilah, tahsil Kodarma, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4·51 acres, bounded on the north by the Akto river, on the south and east by the land of villages Partabpur and Jogiatilah, and on the west by the land of village Partabpur, is required within the aforesaid villages.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur, district Gaya.

No. 159R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a brick-field at Akto river, on the Gaya-Katras Railway (Plateau Section), in the district of Hazaribagh, in the villages of Partabpur and Jogiatilah, tahsil Kodarma, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 21·11 acres, bounded on the north by the Akto river, on the south and east by the land of villages Partabpur and Jogiatilah, and on the west by the land of village Partabpur, is required within the aforesaid villages.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya, Katras Railway, at Manpur, district Gaya.

No. 160R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the construction of an Assistant Engineer's bungalow at Jainagar Station, on the Gaya-Katras Railway (Plateau Section), in the villages of Sathdiha and Sirmatarh, tahsil Kodarma, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4·07 acres, bounded on the north by the land of the villages of Sathdiha and Sirmatarh, on the east by the land of the village of Sirmatarh, on the west by the land of the village of Sathdiha, and on the south by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line, is required within the aforesaid villages of Sathdiha and Sirmatarh.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur, district Gaya.

No. 161R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the construction of the main line, Gaya-Katras Railway (Plateau Section), in the village of Chota Seraiya, tahsil Bagodar, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·26 acres, bounded on the north, east, and west by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line, and on the south by the land of villages Barwardih and Chota Seraiya, is required within the aforesaid village of Chota Seraiya.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur, district Gaya.

No. 162R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the construction of Chobe Station Yard on the Gaya-Katras Railway (Plateau Section), in the village of Khari, tahsil Barhi, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 2·44 acres, bounded as follows:—

Plot No. 1.—On the north and west by the land of the village Khari, and on the south and east by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line;

Plot No. 2.—On the north and east by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line, and on the south and west by the land of the village of Khari;

are required within the aforesaid village.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur.

No. 163R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the construction of the Seraiya Station Yard, on the Gaya-Katras Railway (Plateau Section), in the village of Bara Seraiya, tahsil Bagodar, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 10·08 acres, bounded as follows :—

Plot No. 1—On the north and west by the land of the village of Bara Seraiya, and on the south and east by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line;

Plot No. 2.— On the north and east by the Gaya-Katras Railway main line, and on the south and west by the land of the village of Bara Seraiya;

are required within the aforesaid village.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur, district Gaya.

No. 164R.—Declaration.— Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for temporary quarters and road diversion at Borano, on the Gaya-Katras Railway (Plateau Section), in the village of Borano, tahsil Barhi, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 18·48 acres, bounded as follows :—

Plot No. 1.—On the north and east by the land of the village of Borano, and on the south and west by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line;

Plot No. 2.— On the north by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line; on the east and south by the land of the village of Borano, and on the west by the land of Gaya-Katras Railway main line and the village of Borano;

are required within the aforesaid village.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur.

No. 165R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a ballast train siding at Kusunda Junction, East Indian Railway, in the village of Dheriajoba, pargana Jheria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 2 cottahs 0·44 chittaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 1 acre 1 rood 16·93 poles), bounded on the north by the paddy lands of Bhadra Rewani, Kangal Rewani, and Bekal Rewani, on the south and east by the East Indian Railway Company's land, and on the west by the paddy land of Bhadra Rewani, is required within the aforesaid village of Dheriajoba.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 6th August 1903.

No. 93Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under the provisions of section 6 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. G. H. Sutherland of the firm of Messrs. Begg, Dunlop and Company has been elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce as a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. John Bathgate, whose term of office as a Commissioner expired on the 2nd August 1903.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 6th August 1903.

No. 94Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 6, sub-section (*1*) of the Indian Ports Act, 1889, as amended by Act V of 1891, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following additional rule for the Port of Chittagong:—

"*Rule II*(*a*).—No vessel of the burthen of 100 tons or upwards shall steam, sail or be towed at a speed exceeding four miles per hour over the ground within port limits above Kumarkhali.

"This rule does not apply to steam-launches under 60 feet in length between perpendiculars."

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 7th August 1903.

No. 95Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 24 of the Indian Steam-Ships Act, 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, to sanction the following revised form for granting certificates of survey to sea-going steamers, in supersession of that sanctioned under the notification of this Government, No. 21Marine, dated the 12th February 1900, and modified under the orders contained in the Notification No. 80Marine, dated the 23rd April 1900.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

*No.*_____

CERTIFICATE OF SURVEY

Issued under Act VII of 1884 of the Governor-General in Council by the Government of Bengal,

For a Sea-going Steam-Ship.

TO REMAIN IN FORCE ONLY UNTIL THE DAY OF 190 .

STEAM-SHIP_____

*Owner, Managing Owner, or Agent*_____

Port of Registry and Official Number.	Registered Tonnage.	Name of Master and Number of his Certificate.

TRADE

for which this Certificate is issued.

NUMBER OF PASSENGERS AND CREW

This Ship is, according to the declaration of the Surveyor, fit to carry when there is no encumbrance of Passenger accommodation :—

Third-cabin Passengers.	Second-cabin Passengers.	Saloon Passengers.	Crew.	Total Passengers and Crew.

N. B.—These Saloon and Cabin Passengers are to have the use of sufficient space on the Upper Deck of the Vessel.

Two children under 12 years of age to be reckoned as One Passenger.

If the space measured for Passenger accommodation is occupied by cattle, or by cargo or other articles,
then for every twelve superficial feet so occupied, **One Passenger is to be deducted from the numbers above stated.**

NOTE.—*If on any voyage a Passenger Certificate for this Vessel is issued under any other Act, then the Number of Passengers on that Certificate, and not the number stated on this Certificate, is the Number of Passengers this Vessel is authorised to carry on such voyage.*

Boats and Life-saving Appliances.	Equipments, Distress Signals, &c.
No. Life-boats {of the aggregate capacity of} feet Cubic {and capable of accommodating.} Persons.	A Fire-hose capable of being connected with the engine and of sufficient length to be used in any part of the Vessel.
Boats ... {of the aggregate capacity of} feet Cubic {and capable of accommodating} Do.	A Safety-valve on each boiler, out of the control of any person on board except the Master, when the steam is up.
Collapsible boats, capable of accommodating ... ... Do.	Compasses properly adjusted.
Rafts, capable of accommodating ... ... Do.	Twelve Blue Lights, two storm-signal lights, and six small signal lights for attachment to life-buoys.
Life-belts or other similar approved articles.	One Cannon and twenty-four Cartridges or other approved means of making signals of distress.
Life-buoys.	Twelve Rockets or other approved signals of distress.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the provisions of the Law with respect to the survey of the above-mentioned Steam-ship and the transmission of Declarations in respect thereof have been complied with.

Signed by order of the Government of Bengal,
This day of 190 .

Examined and registered, *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

This Certificate, unless previously cancelled or revoked, to be in force until the day of 190 .

If the Ship is then out of a port of survey, she must be surveyed and have a new Certificate before she first begins to ply with Passengers after her next subsequent return to a port of survey.

Either this Certificate or the duplicate thereof, furnished by the Port Office, is to be put up in a conspicuous part of the Ship, where it will be visible to all persons on board the same; otherwise the Owner and Master shall each be liable to a fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

If the number of Passengers carried exceeds the number stated on this Certificate, the Master or Owner will be liable to the PENALTY prescribed in the Acts of the India Council.

In case of any ACCIDENT occasioning loss of life, or any material damage affecting the seaworthiness or efficiency of the Vessel, either in the hull or in any part of the machinery, a report BY LETTER SIGNED BY THE OWNER OR MASTER, is to be forwarded to the Port Officer, Calcutta, within 24 hours after arriving in Port, or as soon thereafter as possible.

N.B.—Any communication addressed to the Port Officer, Calcutta, relative to this Vessel should state the Name, Port of Registry, and Official Number of the Vessel, and the Number of this Certificate.

The 8th August 1903.

No. 96Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that Porbander has been declared an infected port, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, issued by Government, will be enforced in the ports of Orissa and in the port of Chittagong against vessels arriving from that port.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th August 1903.

No. 97Marine.—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the following promotions in the Bengal Pilot Service:—

Name.	From—	To—	Date.	REMARKS.
			1903.	
Mr. J. Hudson ...	Mate Pilot, acting as Junior Master Pilot.	Junior Master Pilot.	15th August	Permanent.
„ W. H. D. Allison	Junior Master Pilot, acting as Senior Master Pilot.	Senior Master Pilot.	21st „	Ditto.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th August 1903.

No. 98Marine.—The following rule, which has been made by the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, with the sanction of the Local Government under section 9 of the Sea Customs Act, 1898, is hereby published for general information:—

"On and after the 20th July 1903, no shipping bills or bills of entry shall be received at the Chittagong Customs House unless they bear on them a stamp or receipt showing that the river due, payable to the Commissioners for the Port of Chittagong under the orders issued from time to time by Government, has been paid in full."

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3547A.

No. 3389A.—The 5th August 1903.—Maulvi Syed Khalil Ahmad, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Gaya district on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Superintendent of Distillery, Gaya.
Gaya.

No. 3391A.—The 5th August 1903.—Maulvi Syed Khalil Ahmad, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jahanabad, Gaya, is transferred to the Hajipur subdivision of the Muzaffarpur district.
Gaya.
Muzaffarpur.

No. 3425A.—The 7th August 1903.—Babu Hiranya Kumar Das Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Rajshahi Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Rangpur district.
Rangpur.

No. 3452A.—The 8th August 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Subodh Chandra Mittra, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Gobindpur, Manbhum, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.
Manbhum.

No. 3455A.—The 8th August 1903.—The undermentioned substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collectors are posted to the stations mentioned opposite their names:—
Jessore.
Tippera.

Babu Ganoda Prosad Ghose ... Bangaon in Jessore.
„ Kunja Lal Ghose ... Brahmanbaria in Tippera.

No. 3484A.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Hari Das Roy, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.
24-Parganas.

No. 3526A.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Taruk Chunder Ganguli, Sub-Deputy Collector, Malda, is transferred to the Araria subdivision of the Purnea district.

Malda.
Purnea.

This cancels the order of the 18th July 1903, transferring Babu Shamshair Jang Bahadur, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, to the Araria subdivision of the Purnea district.

No. 3528A.—The 11th August 1903.—Babu Chhabi Lall Singh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd September 1903.

Darjeeling.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7809, dated the 31st July 1903.—Captain A. Cochrane, I.M.S, made over charge of the Chapra Jail to Captain W. V. Coppinger, I.M S, on the afternoon of the 15th July 1903.

No. 7955, dated Calcutta, the 6th August 1903.—Captain A. F. Stevens, I.M.S., made over charge of the Arrah Jail to Assistant Surgeon Rajani Kanta Das Gupta on the afternoon of the 25th July 1903.

No. 7973, dated the 6th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Rajani Kanta Das Gupta made over charge of the Arrah Jail to Lieutenant A. S. Wells, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 27th July 1903.

M. S. EMERSON,
for *Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.*

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 8138, dated Calcutta, the 8th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Lal Mohan Ghoshal is appointed to act at the Nator Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Rajshahi district, with effect from the afternoon of the 27th June 1903, during the absence, on deputation, of Assistant Surgeon Debendra Nath Dey, or until further orders

No. 8141, dated the 8th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Mohendra Nath Indra is appointed to do supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the forenoon of the 3rd August 1903.

No. 8144, dated Calcutta, the 8th August 1903.—In continuation of Civil Medical Department Notification No. 629D., dated the 9th May 1903, the following list of fourth-year students who passed the final examination for Hospital Assistants from the Campbell Medical School is published for general information:—

Second Division.

1. Bipin Behari Piri.
2. Jotindra Nath Haldar.
3. Srish Chandra Chattopadhyay.
4. Birendra Nath Sanyal.
5. Jogendra Nath Pal.
6. Atulpati Roy.
7. Upananda Mukhopadhyay.
8. Prabodh Chandra Roy.
9. Sahasad Ali Mallick.
10. Emily Judkins (female student).

The following students passed also the special examination in medico-legal subjects in March 1903:—

1. Sirish Chandra Chattopadhyay. | 2. Jogendra Nath Pal. | 3. Jotindra Nath Haldar,

S. H. BROWNE, M.D., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under section 7 of Act IX of 1887, the Judge of the Small Cause Courts of Dacca and Munshiganj will, in September and October 1903, sit in those Courts on the undermentioned dates:—

Dacca	Small Cause Court	... 3rd, 7th, 10th and 18th September, and 24th and 27th October 1903.
Munshigan	„ „ „	... From the 14th to the 17th of September 1903.

BEPIN BEHARY MUKERJEE, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

DACCA SMALL CAUSE COURT, *the 5th August 1903.*

Sheriff's Office, the 29th July 1903.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Criminal Sessions of the year 1903 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the seventeenth day of August next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

W. A. BANKIER, *Sheriff*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৩ সাল তারিখ ২৯শে জুলাই।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে হুকুম বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতায় ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৩ সালের ১৭ই আগষ্ট সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতায় হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৩ সালের চতুর্থ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ডবিউ, এ, ব্যাঙ্কিয়ার, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 31st July 1903.—Maulvi Tabrez Ali, B.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore (class III), is allowed leave of absence for six months, under article 337 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date from which he may avail himself of it.

Babu Giris Chandra Som, a Sub-Inspector of Schools under the District Board of Birbhum (class V), is appointed, subject to the consent of the Board, to act as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Tabrez Ali, or until further orders.

The 4th August 1903.—Babu Durga Prasad Tewari, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Palamau (class IV), is allowed leave of absence for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th July 1903.

Babu Harihar Pathak, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Hosenabad Circle, in the district of Palamau, is appointed, subject to the consent of the Chairman of the District Board of Palamau, to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Palamau, in addition to his own duties and in class V of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Durga Prasad Tewari.

The 5th August 1903.—Babu Moha Vishnu Jyoti, Head Clerk, office of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division (class VIII), is appointed to act as Head Clerk, office of the Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, *vice* Babu Jogesh Chandra Sarkar, transferred.

Babu Jogesh Chandra Sarkar, Clerk, office of the Inspector of Schools, Patna Division, and now Officiating Head Clerk, office of the Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, (officiating in class VIII), is appointed to act as Head Clerk, office of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division, *vice* Babu Moha Vishnu Jyoti, transferred.

Babu Kali Prasanna Banerjea, B.A., Head Master of the Barasat Government School (class VII), on leave, is appointed to be substantive *pro tempore* Assistant Master in the Arrah Zilla School, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Ramesh Chandra Gupta, transferred.

The 8th August 1903.—The orders of the 22nd July 1903, appointing Maulvi Muhammad Jail, M.A., an Assistant Master (English Teacher) in the Hooghly Madrasah, to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Maulvi Abul Hashen Khan, on leave, or until further orders, are cancelled.

A. C. EDWARDS,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

RESULTS OF FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE DACCA SURVEY SCHOOL FOR THE YEAR 1903.

FIRST DIVISION.

1. Sasi Bhusan Das.
2. Jaladhar Das.

SECOND DIVISION.

1. Harendra Nath Guha
2. Debendra Nath Ganguly
3. Nalini Nath Chakravarty.
4. Dakshina Ranjan Sen Gupta.
5. Annada Charan Ray.
6. Aminuddin Ahmed.
7. Brindabau Chandra Biswas.
8. Sarat Kumar Sen Gupta.
9. Madhu Sudan Sen Gupta.
10. Prokash Chandra Ghose.
11. Purna Chandra Ray.
12. Debendra Nath Bhoumick.
13. Monomohan Bhowal.
14. Satish Chandra Bose.
15. Satish Chandra Banerjee.
16. Heramba Mohan Ganguly.
17. Rajendra Kumar Kar.

THIRD DIVISION.

1. Srinath Ray.
2. Gopal Chandra Banerjee.
3. Joy Chandra De.
4. Harendra Nath Banerjee.
5. Amjad Ali Miah.
6. Anukul Chandra Bose.
7. Mohini Mohan Kar.
8. Anath Bandhu Das Gupta.
9. Beni Madhab Choudhary.
10. Monomohan Ghose.
11. Diresh Chandra Mitra.
12. Jamini Kishore Sarkar.
13. Sadagar Ali Sarkar.
14. Hiranya Chandra Guha.
15. Satindra Nath Das Gupta.
16. Harsha Nath Mukerjee.
17. Nalini Mohan Mitra.
18. Kedar Nath Sarkar.
19. Delawar Hossain Miah.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

MR. S. R. DASS, M.A., Barrister-at-Law, Tagore Law Professor for 1902-1903, will hold an examination on the subject of his lectures (The Law of *Ultra Vires*) at the Senate House, College Square, on Saturday, the 29th August, at 11 A.M.

Candidates who have attended 75 per cent. of the lectures delivered by the Tagore Professor of Law are admissible to the examination.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 8th August 1903.* K. C. BANURJI, *Registrar.*

DACCA DIVISION.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

Private Students.

1. A student who has not attended any H. E. School recognised by the University since the 1st September next preceding the Entrance Examination or has been transferred after the 1st September to the school from which he appears without the consent of the Divisional Inspector of Schools will be treated as a private student.

2. The term "Private student" includes school-masters.

3. Private students desirous of being sent up to the ensuing University Entrance Examination must appear at the test examination of one of the undermentioned schools:—

(1) Dacca Collegiate School.
(2) Mymensingh Zilla School.
(3) Faridpur Zilla School.
(4) Barisal Zilla School.

4. The test examinations of the zilla schools will be held on the 16th December 1903 and the following days. The date of examination of the collegiate school should be ascertained from the Head Master of that school.

5. Every private candidate must submit his application to the Head Master of one of the schools named above at least three weeks before the test examination, and satisfy the following conditions:—

(*a*) that he has not failed at the test examination of any Entrance school during the current session;
(*b*) that he has not left school from any class lower than the first; and
(*c*) that he has left the school in which he last read with a transfer certificate, or (in case of a candidate who appeared at any previous examination) he is in possession of the Registrar's receipt.

A school-master is required to produce a certificate from the Secretary of the school in which he has served as a *bonâ fide* teacher for a period not less than six months, or if he has served in several schools, he must produce certificates from the Secretaries of each of them to prove that he has served as a *bonâ fide* teacher in all of them.

6. Every private candidate must pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master of the school at which he appears for examination. After payment of the necessary expenses, the balance of fees will be paid to the examiners as remuneration.

7. He must be accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to the officer conducting the examination, and satisfy him as to his character, otherwise he will not be admitted to the test examination.

8. The Head Masters of the schools named above are requested to send to this office a statement showing the marks gained by each private candidate in each subject at the test examination within a fortnight from the date of the said examination, and are authorised to sign the application forms of eligible candidates, which should be forwarded to this office for countersignature and transmission to the Registrar of the University of Calcutta in due time.

9. Private candidates should arrange to remit their examination fees, together with the application forms direct to the Registrar.

F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools, and *bonâ fide* teachers of recognised English schools will be admitted to the F.A. and B.A. Examinations as private candidates, provided they have served in their respective capacities for a period of two academical years.

Bonâ fide teachers are those who hold paid appointments in English schools teaching at least the Middle English standard.

2. Exceptions to the above rule will be made in case of those candidates who, after failure at a previous examination, have served for six months since the date of the examination. If, however, a candidate does not complete six months' service at the time of submitting his application, he must satisfy this office that he will stick to the post till he completes six months' service before the examination.

3. School-masters should submit, with their applications, certificates of character and length of service from the Secretaries of their respective schools, and also the University certificates, in proof of their having passed the Entrance or F.A. Examination, as the case may be. Candidates who were admitted to a previous examination should produce the Registrar's receipt in addition.

4. Applications must reach this office on or before the 9th January 1904.

5. Fees should be remitted by the candidates direct to the Registrar of the University of Calcutta, together with the application forms countersigned by the Inspector of Schools, so as to reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 6th February 1904.

DACCA,
The 3rd August 1903.

MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM,
Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.

OFFICE MEMO.

RULES FOR APPEARING AT THE F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS FOR CANDIDATES FROM THE RAJSHAHI DIVISION, WHO ARE NOT STUDENTS OF ANY AFFILIATED INSTITUTION.

DEPUTY INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS, Sub-Inspectors of Schools, and *bonâ fide* masters of English schools, who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or of six months after the examination of the same class last held by the University, in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations. The applications of school-masters should be accompanied by certificate of length of service from the Secretaries or Managers of the schools in which they are employed, and should reach this office not later than the 6th January 1904. The application of a school-master for permission to appear at the F.A. or B.A. examination should be signed by him in the *presence* of the Secretary or a Member of the Managing Committee of the School in which he is employed. The application should be forwarded to this office for countersignature, together with the Registrar's certificate, to prove, if this be the case, that the candidate has appeared at the examination in a previous year, and the certificate in proof of his having passed the Entrance or F.A. examination, as the case may be, and it will be sent back to him (the candidate) who will have to send it, together with the examination fee, to the Registrar of the University *direct*. School-masters are not required to pay any fee for getting their application for permission to appear at either of the abovementioned examinations countersigned by this office.

2. Candidates should read carefully the form of the certificate which this office is required to sign, and should be careful to supply all information and documents required, including the Registrar's receipt in the case of those school-masters who have been admitted to a former examination of the same class, without which the Inspector must decline to sign the certificate.

3. By *bonâ-fide* masters of schools are to be understood masters who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools, teaching at least the M.E. course.

JALPAIGURI,
The 24th July 1903.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.

Rajshahi Divisional Inspector's Office Memo.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. *Private students* are those who do not appear from any school or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector. The term 'private student' includes *schoolmasters*.

2. Private students must appear at the test-examination of one of the following institutions:—

Those from the	At the test-examination of	Date of test-examination.
1	2	3
1. Rajshahi district ...	Rajshahi Collegiate School (with the Principal's permission).	On the dates fixed by the Principal of the Rajshahi College.
2. Pabna ,, ...	Pabna Zilla School ...	14th December 1903.
3. Bogra ,, ...	Bogra ditto ...	
4. Rangpur ,, ...	Rangpur ditto ...	
5. Dinajpur ,, ...	Dinajpur ditto ...	
6. Jalpaiguri ,, ...	Jalpaiguri ditto ...	
7. Darjeeling ,, ...	Darjeeling High School ...	

The examinations will begin as stated above, and each private student will pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the head of the institution at which he appears for examination. The balance, after payment of expenses (stationery, etc.), will go as remuneration to the examiners.

3. Applications for permission to appear must be sent so as to reach *this office* not later than the 24th November, with the following information, etc.—

From Private Candidates proper.

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.
(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate from the same; or
(*c*) In the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.
(*d*) Age of the candidate.

From Schoolmasters.

(*e*) A certificate from the Secretary or Proprietor of the school in which the candidate is serving, to the effect that he has been a *bonâ-fide paid* teacher of the school in which he teaches, and has been so ever since the 1st June 1903. In case of a schoolmaster who has served *in more than one school*, he must produce certificates from the several schools in proof of his having been a *bonâ-fide paid* teacher all along since the 1st June 1903.

Failing to produce the above certificate or certificates, a schoolmaster will be subject to the rules applicable to *bonâ-fide* private candidates, as given above.

4. If this office is satisfied that all is in order, the Inspector will countersign and return the application, and this then will be the candidate's passport for admission *to the test-examination.*

5. The Head Master of an institution (one of those named above) should direct private students to appear before him not later than the 2nd January with their applications for admission to the Entrance examination, and in the case of those candidates who have satisfied the test, he will cause them to sign their application forms in his presence and will grant the necessary certificates, and then forward the applications to this office for countersignature, after which they will be sent by the Inspector *direct* to the candidates.

6. Expedition is necessary in carrying out all these instructions, and candidates should be *most careful* to give their names and addresses written legibly and distinctly, so that no mistake may be likely to occur.

7. *Under no circumstances should the entrance fee be sent to this office.*

8. Private students will understand that the test-examination of any schools other than those named above will not be accepted by this office.

9. Addresses of private students should be supplied to this office.

JALPAIGURI,
The 24th July 1903.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.

ORISSA DIVISION AND THE ORISSA TRIBUTARY MAHALS.
OFFICE MEMORANDUM OF THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, ORISSA DIVISION.

Rules for appearing at the F.A. and B.A. Examinations in 1904 for candidates from the Orissa Division and the Orissa Tributary Mahals who are not students of any affiliated institution.

DEPUTY INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bonâ fide* teachers of recognised English schools who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or for a term of six months after an examination of the same class last held by the University in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations. All applications from school-masters should be accompanied by certificates of length of service from the Secretaries of the schools in which they are employed, and should reach this office not later than the 5th January 1904. The application of a school-master for permission to appear at the F.A. or B.A. Examination should be signed by him in the presence of the Secretary or a member of the Managing Committee of the school in which he is employed. The application should be forwarded to the office of the Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division, for countersignature, together with the Registrar's receipt to prove, if this be the case, that the candidate has appeared at the examination in a previous year, and the certificate in proof of his having passed the Entrance or F.A. Examination, as the case may be. Such papers will be sent back to him (the candidate), who will have to send them, together with the examination fee, to the Registrar of the University direct.

2. Candidates should read carefully the form of the certificate which the Inspector of the Division will sign, and should be careful to supply all information and documents required, including the Registrar's receipt, in the case of those who have been admitted to a former examination of the same class, without which the Inspector must decline to sign the certificate applied for.

3. By *bonâ fide* teachers of schools are to be understood teachers who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools teaching at least the Middle English course.

CUTTACK,
The 17th July 1903.

HERBERT A. STARK,
Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.

MEMORANDUM.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. Private students are those who do not appear from any school, or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector.

2. The term "Private students" includes School Masters.

3. Private students must appear at the test examination of any one of the undermentioned schools on dates to be fixed by Head Masters:—

(1) Ravenshaw Collegiate School (with the permission of the Principal of the College).	(2) Balasore Zilla School. (3) P. M. Academy. (4) Puri Zilla School.

4. Every private candidate must satisfy the following conditions:—

(*a*) That he has not failed at the test examination of any Entrance school in the current session.

(*b*) That he has not failed to gain promotion to the first class of any Entrance school at the results of the annual examination of the second class in the last session.

(*c*) That he has left the school in which he last read with a transfer certificate, or (in case of a failed student) is in possession of the Registrar's receipt.

5. Every private candidate must pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master of the school at which he is to appear for the examination.

6. He must arrange for his identification to the officer conducting the test examination, and he should satisfy the Head Master as to his character, if necessary.

7. The Head Masters of the abovenamed schools are requested to sign the application forms of eligible candidates having a reasonable probability of success at the final examination, and forward the same to this office for countersignature *in time*. Private candidates should make their own arrangements to remit their examination fees and application forms to the Registrar of the Calcutta University.

CUTTACK,
The 17th July 1903.

HERBERT A. STARK,
Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.

NOTIFICATION.

1903-1904.

IT is hereby notified that of the ten Junior Scholarships allotted to the Orissa Division, the four second-grade scholarships will be awarded to the best successful students of the Division irrespective of districts, and the Orissa Tributary Mahals, on the results of the next Entrance Examination. The six third-grade scholarships will be distributed as follows:—

Cuttack, including Dhenkanal	3
Balasore, including Maurbhanj	2
Puri	1
	6

2. Scholarships not taken up by the district to which they are allotted will be awarded to candidates from other districts standing next on the Divisional list.

3. In accordance with rule 3 of the revised Junior Scholarship Rules, the above-mentioned scholarships may, with the sanction of the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, be held at any one of the affiliated colleges or any Government medical school in Bengal which the holder may select.

K. G. GUPTA,
Commissioner.

ORISSA COMMR.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 1st August 1903.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6572B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Wednesday, the 2nd September 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of ...	2,000
Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of ...	2,000
Total ...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th September 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 17th September 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Monday, 12th October 1903...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 2nd November „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	6,000	6,000	12,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 23th July 1903.*

Statement showing the quantity of Salt (Private Property) in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the River Hooghly on the 31st day of July 1903, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 31st July 1903.

Description of salt.	In bonded warehouses in Calcutta.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	Transactions during half-month from the 16th to the 31st July 1903, inclusive.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the Port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	.....	6,91,098	7,43,431	14,34,529	9,882	14,44,411	1,73,325	1,56,271	54,584	1,96,162
Other European countries—										
Hamburg salt	.....	84,883	58,392	1,43,275	51,906	1,95,181	53,281	81,061	16,675	25,626
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	.....	17,245	.....	17,245	.....	17,245	36,832	.....	.....	11,230
Salif salt	.....	1,00,230	.....	1,00,230	13,059	1,13,989	50,740	1,52,444	17,400	32,890
Salif rock salt	.....	22,639	.....	22,639	.....	22,639	1,050	..	...	1,000
Rawayah salt	.....	72,210	775	72,985	29,535	1,02,520	96,664	1,47,000	86,500	40,514
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Rock salt.	.....	3,620	.....	3,620	.....	3,620		.....	.....	.....
British India—										
Bombay salt	.....	47,706	.....	47,706	.....	47,706	28,428*	11,086	1,300	26,980
Total ...	.....	10,39,631	8,02,598	18,42,229	1,04,382	19,46,611	4,40,314	5,47,862	1,76,459	3,34,408

* This quantity includes 27,525 maunds and 10 seers Bombay Karkach salt on which duty was paid at Bombay.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

L. F. MORSHEAD, *Offg. Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 8th August 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-ele ction held on Saturday, the 18th July 1903, in Ward No. I of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, Babu Tara Nath Dutt was duly elected to be a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Kripa Nath Dutt, resigned.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Halishahar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, at the general election held on the 18th July 1903 :—

Ward No. I ...	Babu Kunja Behary Mittra. " Sidheshwar Chakrabarty.
" " II ...	" Bhusan Chandra Ganguli. " Ramkamal Mukerjee.
" " III ...	" Ashoo Tosh Bannerjee. " Sailendra Nath Gupta.
" " IV ...	" Krisna Chandra Ghattak. " Nikunja Behari Dey.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Rules for the management of charitable hospitals and dispensaries, that the Dacca District Board, at their meeting held on the 28th July 1903, have appointed the following gentlemen to be members of the Bankhuri Dispensary Managing Committee:—

1. Subdivisional Officer of Manikganj—*Ex-officio* ... President.
2. Babu Hari Mohan Ghosh ... ... Secretary.
3. „ Ram Chandra Mozumdar.
4. „ Mano Mohan Mozumdar.
5. „ Govinda Chandra Basu.
6. „ Kali Mohan Chowdhury.
7. „ Basanta Kumar Roy.
8. „ Banwari Lal Das.
9. „ Janoki Nath Chakravarti.
10. „ Poramananda Shaha.
11. Munshi Samir Biswas.

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 5th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that this office notification of the 23rd January 1902, intimating the appointment of the members of the Managing Committee for the Municipal Dispensary at Manicktola, in the district of the 24-Parganas, published at page 234 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th January 1902, is cancelled.

CHANDIDAS GHOSE, for *Offg. Commissioner on tour.*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., *the 8th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, I approve of the election by the Municipal Commissioners of Bhadreswar of the following gentlemen to be members of the Managing Committee of the Bhadreswar Dispensary, in the district of Hooghly:—

Subdivisional Officer, Serampore. | Civil Surgeon, Serampore.
The Chairman of the Bhadreswar Municipality.
Mr. D. Bruce. | Babu Benowari Lal Khan.
Babu Satyendra Nath Banerjee. | „ Purno Chandra Mondal.
„ Surendra Nath Banerjee. | „ Tripura Charan Sirkar.
„ Monindra Nath Banerjee. | „ Upendra Nath Mondal.
„ Monomoy Banerjee. | „ Haripada Mukherjee.
„ Gadadhar Banerjee. | „ Nibaran Charan Mondal.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th August 1903.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 7th August 1903.

No. 394.—The services of Mr. C. W. Bolton, C.S.I., of the Indian Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 30th July 1903.

PUBLIC.

The 7th August 1903.

No. 2887.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 10 and 17 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in rule 10-B of paragraph VI of the rules published with the notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 518, dated the 6th March 1879, as amended by subsequent notifications:

(1) *omit* the words "under manifest";
(2) between the words and figures "14th January 1880" and the words "a license" *insert* the words and figures "and in the case of Aden, No. 2886, dated the 7th August 1903"; and
(3) *add* the following sentence at the end of the rule, viz.—

No license is, however, required for the transhipment of such arms, ammunition, and military stores brought into the port of Aden as may be consigned from any other British port to any port on the eastern seaboard of Africa other than any port to which the shipment of arms is for the time being forbidden under an order signed by the Resident at Aden.

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 6th August 1903.

No. 1275G.—With reference to Notification No. 946G., dated the 1st June 1903, the provisional recognition of the appointment of Mr. Frederico Voigt as Consul for Peru at Calcutta has been confirmed by His Majesty's Government.

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The 7th August 1903.

No. 3093-I.-A.—The following Resolution of the Government of India in the Foreign Department is published for general information:

No. 3001-I.-A., dated Simla, the 27th June 1903.

RESOLUTION.

BY the Resolution of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3129-I.-A., dated the 19th August 1901, the Residents in Hyderabad, Mysore, Baroda, Kashmir, and Nepal, the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan, and all Political Officers in Rajputana and Central India are empowered to grant licenses for the export of arms and ammunition (subject to certain exceptions) to the Native States under their political charge irrespectively of whether they are required for personal use or for sale. It has now been decided to modify the restrictions imposed by the Resolution, *firstly*, by removing rifles of ·577 bore of the Snider pattern and also magazine pistols from the category of military weapons, and, *secondly*, by authorising Political Officers to grant licenses, in certain cases, for the export of rifles of 303 bore and of ·450 bore of the Martini-Henry pattern, and of a limited quantity of ammunition for use with those weapons.

It has also been agreed that other Political Officers serving under Local Governments should be invested with similar powers.

2. The Governor-General in Council is, therefore, pleased under Rule 7 of paragraph VI of the notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 518, dated the 6th March 1879, and subsequently amended, and in supersession of Resolution No. 3129-I A., dated Simla, the 19th August 1901:

(1) to empower the Residents in Hyderabad, Mysore, Baroda, Nepal, and Kashmir, the Agents to the Governor-General in Baluchistan and in the North-West Frontier Province, all Political Officers in Rajputana and Central India, the Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara, the Commissioner in Sind, the Political Agents in Kathiawar, Kolhapur, and the Southern Maratha Country, Cutch, Rewa Kantha, Mahi Kantha, and Savantvadi, the Political Superintendent, Palanpur, all Political Officers in the Punjab, the Political Agent in Hill Tippera, the Superintendent of the Tributary Mahals of Orissa, the Commissioner of Chota Nagpur, the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, the Political Agents for Pudukota, Banganapalle, and Sandur, and all Political Agents and Deputy Commissioners in the North-West Frontier Province, to grant licenses for the export of arms and ammunition of every kind (subject to the exceptions noted below), whether for personal use or for sale, to the Native States and tribal territory under their political charge, and

(2) to remit the fee of Rs. 5 in the case of arms and ammunition exported for the personal use of persons of the classes mentioned in paragraph 1 of the same notification:

Provided that the power thus conferred upon Political Officers shall not extend—

(*a*) to cannon; or

(*b*) to military stores of any kind other than sulphur; or

(*c*) save as hereinafter provided, to rifles of the ·303 bore and of the ·450 bore of the Martini-Henry pattern; or

(*d*) save as hereinafter provided, to balled ammunition which can be fired from rifles of the bores and pattern specified in sub-head (*c*):

Provided, secondly, that, notwithstanding anything contained in sub-head (*c*) of the first proviso, licenses for the export of rifles of the bores and pattern there specified may be granted to persons of the classes mentioned in paragraph 1 of the notification above cited, subject to the condition that the rifles must either have been in India on the 20th February 1901, or have since been imported with the special sanction of the Government of India:

Provided, thirdly, that, notwithstanding anything contained in sub-head (*d*) of the first proviso, licenses for the export of cartridges of the nature there specified may be granted to persons of the classes mentioned in the notification above cited, subject to the conditions that the number of such cartridges does not exceed two hundred in any one year, and that they are for the personal use of the licensees.

3. The Commissioners of Police in Madras and Bombay, the Deputy Commissioner of Police in Calcutta, and the other officers to whom authority has been delegated under Rule 7 of the Arms Act Rules, will retain the power which they now possess to grant licenses under prescribed conditions for the export of arms and ammunition to the Native States; but in future no such officer may grant a license for the export to a Native State of any arms for the import of which into India a special order of the Government of India in the Home Department is required, unless the arms were in India on the 20th February 1901, or have since been imported with the special sanction of the Government of India, and are required for the personal use of persons of the classes mentioned in paragraph 1 of the same notification.

The Hon'ble the Resident at Hyderabad.
The Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.
The Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.
The Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana.
The Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan
The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara.
The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor-General in the North-West Frontier Province.
The Resident at Baroda.
The Resident in Nepal.
The Resident in Kashmir.
The General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thagi and Dakaiti.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations and to the Political Officers noted on the margin for information and guidance.

L. W. DANE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 7th August 1903.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 808.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Captains to be Majors.

Dated 28th July 1903.

BENGAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Benjamin Hobbs Deare.
Benjamin Curwen Oldham.
Robert Bird, M.D.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2307M.—The 6th August 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 538 (*b*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, it is hereby declared that the Lieutenant-Governor intends to make the following rules for the guidance of the Chairman and Health Officer of the Corporation of Calcutta, and the District Health Officer, Registrars and Sub-Registrars of District No. I comprising Wards 1 to 6 of the Calcutta Municipality, in all matters connected with the carrying out of the provisions of Chapter XXXVIII of the aforesaid Act.

Any person having any objection to the rules should submit it in writing to the undersigned before the 7th September 1903.

Draft rules under section 538 (b) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899.

1. There shall be such offices for the registration of births as the General Committee may direct. Each office shall be called the Registration Office of Births, and shall be open daily from 7 to 10 A.M. and from 3 to 6 P.M. for the transaction of business: provided that on such days as the Registrar may have to attend Court the afternoon hours shall be from 4 to 6 P.M.

2. The staff for the registration of births at each Office shall consist of a Registrar of Births and a number of Sub-Registrars of Births bearing a practical proportion to the number of inhabited houses in the locality.

3. The Registrar shall attend at his Registration Office daily during the prescribed hours, and shall register, in conformity with the provisions of sections 531 and 535 of the Municipal Act, all births reported to him by the parties concerned, and shall, after registration, hand over to the said parties notices prescribed in the Vaccination Act in respect of infants living at the time of the registration of their births.

A separate register of births, as well as a vaccination notice book, shall be kept for each ward.

4. Before closing office on any morning or afternoon, the Registrar shall prepare for each ward a return of all births registered during the previous three hours up to the time of closing, and shall send all such returns, duly signed and dated by himself and enclosed in a sealed cover addressed to the District Health Officer, so as to reach the District Health Officer by 11 A.M. on the following day. The Head Clerk of the District Health Office shall open the said cover at 11 A.M., and enter or cause to be entered the births so reported in special registers, one for each ward, kept for the purpose, and shall keep the original returns carefully filed for subsequent transmission to the central Health Office at the close of the week. All such original returns for each week must be sent to the Health Officer on the following Monday by or before 12 noon.

5. The Registrar shall meet two or more of his Sub-Registrars daily at 6-30 A.M. at some central place in the district fixed by himself and there put his initials with date in the pocket note-books of the Sub-Registrars concerned in token of his having met them, and he shall make an entry in a pocket diary, which he shall keep, shewing

the presence or absence of the Sub-Registrars at the appointed place and time, and shall also note in the said diary the place of meeting and the Sub-Registrars to meet for the following morning, in addition to other particulars of his out-door work. Such diary shall be submitted to the District Health Officer every week-day at 7 A.M. for inspection.

6. Every Sub-Registrar shall be on duty in his section, or assigned field of work, daily from 6 to 10 A.M. He shall meet the Registrar at 6-30 A.M. on such day and at such central place as shall be fixed from day to day and on obtaining the initials of the Registrar in his pocket note-book depart to his work, which shall consist mainly in finding out all births occurring in his section and in verifying cases of births reported to him from the District Health Office.

7. Every Sub-Registrar will sub-divide his section into blocks, and visit different blocks every day of the week, so as to traverse the whole of his section every week. He shall take down in his pocket note-book under each date any information of births which he is able to obtain.

8. Every Sub-Registrar shall attend at the District Health Office from 3 to 5 P.M. every week-day, excepting Saturday, when he shall attend from 2 to 3 P.M. As soon as he enters the office, he shall sign his attendance roll, obtain the initials of the District Health Officer on his pocket note-book, which must be kept legibly and neatly, and make entries, in a special handbook to be kept for the purpose, of all births he has traced out in the morning, and then submit the said hand-book to the Head Clerk of the District Health Office, who, after comparing this book with the corresponding special register referred to in Rule 4, and with the statements of unregistered births received from the central Health Office, or other sources, shall prepare or cause to be prepared—(1) A statement of registered births not traced out by the Sub-Registrars, and (2) statements, ward by ward, of all unregistered births, and submit such statements to the District Health Officer for orders. The statement No. (2) must show which births have been reported by the Sub-Registrars and which by the central Health Office, or by other persons.

9. A weekly statement of deaths of infants under three months whose births have not been registered shall be sent from the central Health Office every Monday to the District Health Office.

10. Statements of unregistered births received from the central Health Office and other sources shall be given to the Sub-Registrars concerned for verification and report, and such statements after verification and all statements of unregistered births submitted by the Sub-Registrar shall be sent to the Registrar for action.

11. For every birth which has been verified and remains unregistered after a fortnight from the date of birth, the Registrar shall without loss of time submit an application for summons against the party concerned, and in any case where the District Health Officer directs the prosecution of any party, he shall conduct such prosecution and report result.

12. No Sub-Registrar shall enter the Registration Office or meddle with any register or book kept therein, and no Sub-Registrar or Registrar shall remove from the said office any register or book relating to his work excepting his pocket diary, without express order from the District Health Officer.

Howrah.

No. 2332M.—The 8th August 1903.—Whereas a notification No. 678T —M., dated the 20th May 1903, was published at page 100, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th May 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to sanction the levy by the Commissioners of the Uluberia Municipality, in the district of Howrah, of a tax, under section 131 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, on carriages and on horses and other animals specified in the fifth schedule of the Act at rates not exceeding those mentioned in the said schedule, and whereas no valid objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 86 (*a*) of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Uluberia Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal.

Howrah.

No. 2334M.—The 8th August 1903.—Whereas a notification No. 679T.—M., dated the 20th May 1903, was published at pages 100-101, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th May 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to sanction the levy by the Commissioners of the Uluberia Municipality, in the district of Howrah, of a fee on the registration, under section 142 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, of carts which are kept or are used in the ordinary course of business within the Municipality, or which are let for hire within or without the Municipality and are used in the ordinary course of business within it, at rates not exceeding those mentioned in section 143 of the Act, and whereas no valid objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 86 (*b*) of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Uluberia Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal.

No. 2351L S.-G.—The 8th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Pirojpur Local Board, in the district of Backergunge, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the said section, to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Pirojpur to be the Chairman of that Local Board.

Backergunge.

No. 2353L.S.-G.—The 8th August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under clauses (*i*) and (*t*) of section 128 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to prescribe the following form (D. B. Form XXA) for showing the record of services of District Engineers in supersession of that prescribed in Rule 114 of the District Fund Account Rules published under Government Notification No. 2009T.M., dated the 9th November 1901:—

History of services of—

Bruce, Robert, B.A., C.I.E. ... { Joined the service, 5th April 1863. Arrived, 4th September 1863.

Station.	Substantive appointment.	Date.	Pay.	Officiating appointment.	Date.	Acting allowance.

No. 2356M.—The 8th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Purnea Municipality, in the district of Purnea, having at a meeting requested the Local Government, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. J. H. Lea, I.C.S., to be their Chairman.

Purnea.

No. 2360L S.-G.—The 8th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, in exercise of the power conferred on him by section 35 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, to direct that the ferries named in the margin, which are situated in the district of Purnea, shall be managed by the Purnea District Board, and that all the proceeds of the ferries and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund, with effect from the date of this notification.

Purnea.

Barsae.
Dudmalpur.
Sonapur.

No. 2366L.S.-G.—The 10th August 1903.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following modification in Schedule A referred to in rule 1 of the rules made under clauses (*g*), (*l*) and (*m*) of that section and published under Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901:—

Murshidabad.

The name of the district of Murshidabad is transferred from class III, grade 5, to class II, grade 4.

No. 2369M.—The 10th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Jangipur Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, of Babu Ramjadu Roy to be their Chairman.

Murshidabad.

No. 2371M.—The 10th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Gobardanga Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Girija Prosonno Mukherjee to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 2373M.—The 10th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Burdwan Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, of Babu Devendra Nath Mittra to be their Chairman.

Burdwan.

No. 2379M.—The 11th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the South Dum-Dum Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Gora Chand Mallick to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 2381L.S.-G.—The 11th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Netrakona Local Board, in the district of Mymensingh, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased under the said section to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Netrakona to be the Chairman of that Local Board.

Mymensingh

No. 2389M.—The 11th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 23 (1) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Magistrate of Patna to be the Chairman, *ex-officio*, of the Patna Municipality.

Patna.

No. 2391M.—The 11th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Chandrakona Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, of Pandit Bharat Ramanuj Das Mohanta to be their Chairman.

Midnapore.

No. 2395.—The 11th August 1903.—Mr. R. T. Greer, Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 14th August 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 2398M.—The 11th August 1903.—Under section 35 (3) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints Mr. A. E. Silk, Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, to act as Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. T. Greer, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 2408M.—The 11th August 1903.—Whereas a Notification No. 621T.—M., dated the 16th May 1903, was published at page 96, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th May 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to the area in Ward No. II of the Howrah Municipality specified in the margin, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said area of the above Municipality.

Howrah.

Bounded on the east by the Hooghly road, on the west by the East Indian Railway line, on the south by the Benares road, and on the north by the northernmost municipal limit.

Under section 86 (*f*) of the Act the Lieutenant-Governor also sanctions the levy, by the Municipal Commissioners, of fees for the cleansing of private privies and cess-pools within the aforesaid area of the Howrah Municipality.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this par of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at Berhampur for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
233	Pardear taraf, pargana Rajpur.	Rs A. P. 605 15 1	Whole . ..	.....	Dharma Dass Mustafi and others of Shubharia, thana Balagar, district Hooghly.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P. 0 3 9	Rs A. P. .....

Berhampur, the 5th August 1903.

A. C. MACKERTICH, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 12 A M for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
288	Srihatsindas talug, pargana Gunanandi.	Rs A P. 1,233 11 7	Whole .		Srish Chandra Banerjee and others	Rs. A. P	Rs. A P. 19 2 3	Rs. A. P.

Tippera Collectorate, the 4th August 1903.

N. C. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 1st Asvin 1310 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1533	Taluk Krishna Prosad Guha, pargana Bajrajoginedpur.	3,960 15 8	Whole estate.	.....	Brojo Lal Rai Chowdhury and others.	.....	32 1 6½	
1720	Zamindari pargana Chandradvip 8a. 1g. 2c. 2k¹. share, pargana Chandradvip.	44,537 13 6	..	Separate account No. 6, share 14g. 3c. 1kt. 7t. 3ch.	Raj Kumar Rai Chowdhuri	3,827 7 10½	.....	502 4 11½
1764	Zamindari, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur, 3a. 1g. 3c. 1kt. share, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur.	8,543 6 8	Whole estate.	.	Ananda Chandra Rai ...	.....	320 5½	. ..
1907	Taluk Fate Mahamad, pargana Khanja Bahadurnagar.	738 3 9	Ditto ...	.....	Kusum Kumari Debi Chowdhurani.	.....	92 4 7	.....
3843	Zamindari pargana Selimabad, 13s., pargana Selimabad	3,599 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Nabin Chandra Sen Chowdhuri and others.	.....	222 11 11	...
3844	Ditto ...	3,599 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Sareda Prosad Sen Chowdhuri and others.	...	312 5 4	. ....
4534	Char Sarikal, pargana Zazira	3,441 11 3	Ditto ...	.	Rahimannessa Khatun and others.	.....	2641 11 3	... .

Barisal, the 24th July 1903. D. WESTON, Offg. Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the village of Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona, at 12 o'clock noon, on the 27th August 1903, corresponding with 3rd Bhadra 1810, Bengali era.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset prices, which have been fixed by the Collector. The purchaser of these estates will be considered as the proprietor of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him permanently free of rent.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.		
2706	Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	0 0 7	Will be sold revenue free.	
2707	Ditto, ditto ...	0 0 21		

Ghatal, the 7th July 1903. AHMAD, Subdivisional Officer.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and sharer of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th August 1903 at noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Permanently-settled estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
537	Shakarpura, pargana Pharkia.	1,036 4 0	Whole ...	.....	Mossamat Jainti Kumri and others.	.....	390 0 0	.....
815	Sihanwan, pargana Malki (Sihanwan Karari in revenue-roll).	1,120 7 0	.....	Ijmali share, excluding separate accounts No.— Rs. A. P. 2. Chethroo Singh ... 112 0 0 3. Kali Prosad ... 213 6 0 5. Kharag Singh ... 5 40 6. Fazal Rahman, *alias* Sagiruddin ... ... 2 5 0 7. Goomani Rai ... 4 8 0 8. Mahesh Singh, &c. ... ... 43 9 0 9. Bhim Singh, &c. 9 10 0 10. Jhandoo Singh, &c. ... ... 74 7 0 11. Bhagwan Pershad, receiver of estate Suja .. 31 15 0 12. Birjbehari Singh, &c. ... ... 26 4 0 13. Gananoo Singh and others 79 0 0 14. Rohi Chandhri, &c. ... ... 17 14 0 Total ... 620 0 0	Mossamat Raghunatho Kumri, &c.	500 7 0	.....	213 13 6
1072	Haikunthpur, Khanjehanpur, pargana Bhusari.	1,193 3 0	... ...	Ijmali share consisting of Baikunthpur 11a. 7g. 9c. 4dt. 5kt. 18r. 2p. and Khanjehanpur, 13a. 19g. 11k. 2dt. 2k. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Ahumasar Jelaludin, Manager of Mossamat Girjabati Kumri and others.	987 14 0	.....	23 4 7
1078	Taluka Sripur, pargana Bhusari.	3,503 6 0	.....	6a. 16g. 0c. 7dt. 10kt. ijmali share All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Ram Lagan Sahu and others.	1,401 0 0	.....	137 14 3
1166	Qasba Sheikhdih and Hetampur, pargana Musjidpur.	1,026 5 0	.....	Ijmali share consisting of— A. G. Sheikhdih ... ... 16 0 Hetampur ... ... 13 5 All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Turant Lal, &c, ...	946 9 0	.....	195 10 3
1329	Arazi Tikarampur, pargana Monghyr.	3,073 6 0	Whole ...	.....	Mahanth Siaram Dass, Mahanth Mahabir Dass (minor) under guardianship of Mahanth Sarju Dass.	.....	576 2 0	.....
4420	Sihanwan Diara Gangharar, pargana Malki.	2,881 8 0	.....	9a. 15g. 3c. 1kt. 1dt. 8r. ijmali share. All other shares besides that specified and separate account 9 are excluded from sale.	Ramtahal Singh, &c.	508 4 0	.....	13 13 0
7922	Parihara Hari Singh Patti Mossamat Jainti Kumri, pargana Halia.	1,719 5 0	Whole ...	... ...	Mossamat Jainti Kumri.	.....	436 13 3	.....
				Temporarily-settled estates.				
1321	Arazi Jagdispur Karari, pargana Surajgarha.	1,173 8 0	.....	13 annas ijmali share— All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Udwant Singh and others.	997 8 0	.....	63 6 3
1360	Agar Tappa Saronja, pargana Pharkia.	1,711 10 0	Whole ...	.....	Rambahadur Singh, &c.	.....	97 13 8	.....
1406	Bhawanandpur *alias* Randeori, pargana Malki.	10 680 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Jagatdhar Narain Pershad, minor, under the guardianship of his mother Mossamat Tribeni Kumri.	.....	5,340 8 0	.....
1433	Akbarpur Karari, pargana Malki.	1,536 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Udwant Singh and others.	.....	137 0 0	.....

Monghyr Collectorate, the 14th/15th July 1903.

F. P. DIXON, Offg. Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th August 1903 at 12 o' clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A P				Rs A P.		Rs A. P.
211	Gaurinagar, pargana Bagowan.	1,189 2 0	...	14a. 2g 1c. 2kag share ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ganga Mani Brahmanya	1,040 7 9	.. ..	1 14 9

Nadia Collectorate, the 9th July 1903

KEDAR NATH MUKERJI, Deputy Collector in charge

Sale Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Monday, the 24th August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 16th Bhado 1310Fasli, for arrears of land revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A P				Rs A. P.	Rs A P.	Rs A P
434	Mahuli Khurd, pargana Arrah	550 0 0	Whole ...	..	Rambaran Singh and others		190 13 0	
1829	Khurampore, pargana Chousa	533 10 7	Do	.. ..	Ramadhin Rai and others	....	6 11 7	.
1948	Pipradh Fariksani, pargana Chousa.	820 14 3	Do. ..	.	Dewa Pandey and others.		256 8 6	...
2085	Aukhara, pargana Chainpore.	814 14 11	Do. .		B Brindaban and others	..	146 10 6	
2878 / Joint.	Nonanjhonti, pargana Chainpore.	814 14 11		The ijmali share to be sold is 10a 7p 10k Other shares are excluded from sale with the exception of separate account I, which will also be sold.	Sri Sitaram Naikdaji Kalia and others.	541 2 7	.	17 1 5
3305 / Joint	Dawath, pargana Danwar.	1,174 6 5	... .	The ijmali share to be sold is in villages— A P. K. M D Dawath ... 8 7 13 6 15 Bhurkundia ... 7 1 6 13 10 Lilkhanthpore 2 11 19 19 0 Gothani .. 2 11 19 19 0 Patibodhri . 8 9 3 6 15 Khet Juara .. 5 11 13 6 15 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Ramdahin Singh and others.	553 15 10		94 8 10
3646 / Joint	Narwar, pargana Dinara	1,682 2 0	.	The ijmali share to be sold is 10a 8p Other shares are excluded from sale.	Lakhmi Chand, *alias* Raja Lal and others.	1,121 6 8	... ..	68 10 7
4078 / Joint	Pawana, pargana Pawar	4,725 14 7	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is— A. P. Souna .. ... 8 0 Arailangerseupore ... 8 0 Pati Ekoni .. . 8 0 Chela ... . . 16 0 Sonra ... . 10 8 Naroni .. .. 16 0 Pati Pawar ... 16 0 and other shares are excluded from sale.	Raja Rajeswari Prasad Singh and others.	2,005 14 5	.....	22 6 10
6432	Kaup, pargana Peoro.	809 6 0	Whole ...		Sheotahal Rai and others.	...	277 13 3	.. ...
6432	Berath, pargana Nonur.	1,467	Do. ..	.	Bhirgunath Singh and others	.. ..	169 9 8	. ..
7362	Balbhadarpore Darihat, pargana Sasaram.	1,330 11 5	Do.	..	Ganga Prasad Sahu and others.	... ..	439 9 5	.. ..
8198	Toufir* Makhdumpore, pargana Barahgawan.	5,672 6 2	Do. ..	. .	Ram Rajendradeonarain.	....	5,628 12 4	...

* This is temporarily-settled estate

Dated Arrah, the 23rd July 1903.

R. G. KILBY, Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 28th August 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of Land Revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares are excluded from sale.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	2	Magura Kaugauluria and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,828 15 2½	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Deb and others.	.....	Rs. A. P. 329 0 1½	.....

Alipore, the 27th July 1903. R. C. GHOSH, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
4	Senbhum, pargana Senbhum, thana Bolpur.	Rs. A. P. 41,236 7 8	.....	Residuary share, excepting separate accounts Nos. 1, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rajabalika Goswamini and others.	Rs. A. P. 1,926 15 11	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 34 7 7
17	Kagas, pargana Moureswar Sabek, thana Labpur.	17,182 13 0	.....	Separate account No. V ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Mukherjee and others.	4,645 4 0		36 10 11
145	Bagdola, pargana Akbarshahi, thana Suri.	1,033 7 0	.....	Residuary share amounting to 12 annas' share, excepting separate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Gnanendra Chandra Mukherjee and others.	775 1 3	....	17 0

Birbhum Collectorate, Suri, the 27th July 1903. A. AHMAD, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th September 1903 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Elahabad zamindari, pargana Elahabad.	Rs. A. P.	Share ...	Residuary share 8 annas.	Latifannessa Choudhurain, Golaprose Choudhurain.	Rs. A. P. 853 8 4	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Land revenue— 132 12 3 Road cess— 115 12 0 248 8 3

B. C. SEN, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Jessore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 17th September 1903 at 2 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
188	Mahamudpur, pargana Isafpur.	739 9 3	Yes ...	...	Chandra Kanta Siddhanta-bagisa Bhattacharji.	.....	29 14 7	.....
3110	Rampur, pargana Mulghar.	6,040 8 8	Yes ...	.....	Badan Chandra Choudhuri and Debendra Nath Singha Roy.	.....	71 8 0	.....

Jessore Collectorate, the 31st July 1903. J. T. BABONAU, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Khulna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
161	Fingri, pargana Fingri ...	Rs. A. P.	No ...	Share No. 1, 15a. 5g. ...	Paresh Nath Mitra and others.	Rs. A. P. 918 0 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 41 5

Khulna Collectorate, the 29th July 1903. S. C. MUKERJEE, Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the Collector's Office of that district on 7th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
6516	Pargana Haveli, taraf Mahamudpur, mahal Salekpur.	Rs A. P. 1,017 0 0	Whole ...	...	Probhat Chandra Chattopadhya.	.....	Rs A. P. 263 0 0	.....

Faridpur, the 30th July 1903. F. W. WARD, Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of the district on 10th September 1903 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
829	Sothgaman, pargana Bhaia.	Rs. A. P. 563 13 1	The whole	.....	Pun Nath Jha, guardian of Kamla Nath Jha and Mussamat Gun lata Dai.	.....	Rs. A. P. 56 9 11	..

Darbhanga Collectorate, the 25th July 1903. W. B. HEYCOCK, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2035	Kristobati Chur, pargana Raipur.	Rs. A. P. 832 13 9	Entire ...	.	Rajendra Nath Rai, Receiver to the estate of Brindabon Chunder Thacoor.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 60 4 9	Rs. A. P. ....

Hooghly, the 8th August 1903.

A. W. BOTHAM, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 15th September 1903, corresponding with 9th Asin 1311 F.S., at midday, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
906 R.S.	Amwa-Kalan-Newazan, pargana Babra, Champaran.	Rs. A. P. 2,000 12 9	.....	Residuary share, 5 as. 7p. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Babu Iswri Prosad and others.	Rs. A. P. 698 2 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 7 11 5
1128	Maodha, pargana ditto.	618 10 8	Entire estate	.....	Musammat Bachoo Kuner.	.....	115 15 6	....

Muzaffarpur Collectorate, the 5th August 1903.

SHEO N. L. ROY, *for* Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the Collector's office of that district on 17th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
14	Pargana Bandarkhola, Hs. Mahammad Roja.	Rs. A. P. 1,670 14 10½		Residuary	Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury.	Rs. A. P. 916 10 2½	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 13 8 11½
196	Pargana Rajnagar, Hs. Raj Krishna Sen Khajah Pitros Markal.	668 5 4½	16 annas...		Rani Bilasmoni Debi and others.	.....	38 1 6½	.....
8878	Pargana Nasti, kismat Aligange	861 9 10	Ditto ...	.....	Kumar Satiya Sankar Ghosal and others.	... ..	196 0 0	.....
9762	Pargana Bardakhal, char Delwarpur.	4,196 0 0	Ditto ...	.....	Krishna Chandra Saha Sarder and others.	.....	648 0 0	.....

Dacca Collectorate, the 6th August 1903.

A. R. EDWARDS, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Northern Bengal State Railway, in the district of Rangpur, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on the 31st of August 1903, corresponding with the 14th Bhadra 1310 (B S.) at Nilphamari.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sales.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district	Parsana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.	Remarks.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion	A. R. P.			
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9	10
53	Rangpur	Halhalia and Jorabari, pargana Kazirhat.	147	East	12 6 14	4 0 11.	Halhalia sold to proprietor.	2 0 11	Commences from mile-post 147 and terminates at mile-post 148.	*West.*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	Including brick-field in Jorabari
54	Ditto	Ditto ...	147	West	8 10 12	3 3 11	Ditto	2 0 11	Ditto ..	*East*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
75	Ditto ...	Harea, pargana Kazirhat.	130	East ...	1 4 3	0 1 24	... ..	.....	Commences at mauza Khalisha Kukhapara and terminates at mile-post 131.	*West*—A class land. *East*—Private land. *North.*—B class land. *South.*—B class land in mauza Khalisha Kukhapara.	
76	Ditto ..	Ditto	130	West ...	0 15 4	0 1 2	... .	.. ..	Commences at mauza Itakhola and terminates at mile-post 131.	*East*—A class land. *West*—Private land. *North*—B class land. *South.*—B class land in mauza Itakhola.	
77	Ditto .	Harea and Pirpal Parkanusha, pargana Kazirhat.	131	East ...	8 8 10	2 3 6		.....	Commences from mile-post 131 and terminates at 132.	*West.*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
78	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	131	West ..	8 8 10	2 3 6	.....	... .	Ditto ...	*East*—A class land. *West.*—Private land *North and South.*—B class land.	
79	Ditto	Harea, pargana Kazirhat.	132	East ...	5 19 2	1 3 35	Half a mile south of Nilphamari Station.	1 2 31	Commences from mile-post 132 and terminates at the Nilphamari Station.	*West.*—A class land. *East*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
80	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	132	West ...	5 19 2	1 3 33	Ditto ...	1 2 31	Ditto ...	*East*—A class land. *West*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
81	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	133	East	6 17 4	2 1 3	Half a mile north of Nilphamari Station.	1 2 3	Commences from mile-post 133 and terminates at Nilphamari village.	*West*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *South.*—B class land. *North*—B class land in village Nilphamari.	
82	Ditto	Ditto .	133	West	6 17 4	2 1 3	Ditto ..	1 2 3	Ditto ..	*East*—A class land *West.*—Private land. *South*—B class land. *North.*—B class land in village Nilphamari.	
83	Ditto ...	Ditto ..	134	East .	4 3 18	1 1 22	....		Commences at village Bamandanga and terminates at mile-post 135.	*West*—A class land ... *East*—Private land. *North.*—B class land *South.*—B class land in village Bamandanga.	Including brick-field
84	Ditto ...	Ditto .	134	West .	1 1 8	0 1 17	.		Commences at village Nilphamari and terminates at mile-post 135.	*East*—A class land. *West*—Private land. *North*—B class land. *South.*—B class land in village Nilphamari.	
85	Ditto	Ditto ...	135	East ...	1 19 11	0 3 35	... .		Commences from mile-post 135 and terminates at village bismat Kanaikata.	*West*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *South*—B class land. *North.*—B class land in village kismat Kanaikata.	
86	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	135	West ..	1 19 11	0 3 35	.....	...	Ditto ...	*East*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *South.*—B class land. *North.*—B class land in village kismat Kanaikata.	

Rangpur Collectorate, the 4th August 1903.

P. C. MITTER, Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and parkana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
481, share No. 2.	Dihi Gangail, pargana Chapila.	Rs. A. 755 4	Whole estate.		Bhabani Charan Majumdar and others.		Rs. A. 13 11	...

Rajshahi Collectorate, Rampur Boalia, the 5th August 1903.

A. GARRETT, Collector.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

Proposed Bye-laws made pursuant to section 559 (51) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, prescribing the conditions under which persons shall be permitted to drive registered carts, are published under section 565 (a) for general information.

1. Every proprietor or driver of a cart shall comply with such of the following provisions for regulating the maximum weight to be carried by carts as shall be applicable to such cart:—

	Mds.
For carts drawn by 2 buffaloes ...	40
" " 1 buffallo ...	20
" " 2 bulls or bullocks ...	20
" " 1 bull or bullock ...	10

2. No male person under the age of 16 years and no female person shall drive or be in charge of a cart.

3. No person suffering from a contagious or infectious disease shall drive or be in charge of a cart.

4. Every driver or person in charge of a cart shall drive or conduct his cart on the extreme left of the road in a line with and in rear of any other carts or cart proceeding in the same direction, and he shall not in any way make any attempt to pass the cart immediately in front of his cart.

5. No person shall load or unload a cart in a narrow street, except in such portion thereof as shall admit the passage of two carts abreast.

6. When loading or unloading a cart in a street the person in charge of the cart shall rest it parallel with the footpath with one of its wheels touching the kerb-stone, or if there is no footpath, then parallel with, and immediately on, the edge of the street.

7. Every driver or person in charge of a cart shall light his lamp as soon as it becomes dark, and shall obey all reasonable orders of the police on duty.

8. All loads carried on any cart shall be properly fastened and secured so as to prevent any portion of the load from falling off the cart. Carts laden with bamboos, long iron rails or pipes or long timber must be in charge of not less than three men, of whom one shall go in front to guide the load and another behind; and after dark the persons accompanying all carts so laden must each carry a light.

9. Every driver or person in charge of a cart shall give correct information about his own name, age and residence, the name and residence of the owner, the place where the cart is ordinarily kept, and such other particulars necessary to establish his own identity and that of the owner of the cart as he may be required by the Registering Officer to state at the time of each half-yearly registration.

10. Every driver shall carry with him, when plying for hire, the cart license for the then current half-year and produce it for inspection, whenever required to do so, by any Municipal or Police officer, or the hirer of the cart.

11. The proprietor and the driver or person in charge of a cart, in respect of which an offence is committed against any of the above bye-laws, shall be liable, for every such offence, to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of a continuing breach, to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 6th August 1903.

W. W. CUNNINGHAM,
Offg. Secy. to the Corporation.

(857—1)

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 4th August 1903.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 73,44,923 3 8	1,59,45,261	2	11
Ditto ditto at Branches	,, 86,00,337 15 3			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		8,20,44,079	9	6
Bank Post Bills, &c.		4,13,408	2	10
Sundries		17,10,585	6	9
Rupees		13,22,63,325	6	0

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,83,52,791	0	0
Other Authorised investments		39,60,509	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities		2,62,29,766	2	6
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto		1,65,26,618	1	10
Bills discounted and purchased		1,72,96,154	11	4
Balances with other Banks		10,59,819	9	2
Bullion		1,263	9	7
Dead Stock		18,11,401	3	9
Stamps		11,774	4	3
Sundries		10,87,972	9	6
		8,63,48,070	3	11
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	Rs. 2,38,79,577 15 4	4,59,15,255	2	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	,, 2,20,35,677 2 9			
Rupees		13,22,63,325	6	0

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,29,000 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 1,81,050 0 0
Rs. 3,10,140 0 0

By order of the Directors,

H. F. FRESHWATER, Offg. Chief Accountant.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK, Secretary and Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans. 4 per cent.
Percentage 45·87.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 6th August 1903. (855—1)

NOTICE.

Estate of James Nisbett Turnbull, deceased.

PURSUANT to section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1866 the creditors and all persons interested in the estate of James Nisbett Turnbull, late of the Malrucherra Tea Estate in Sylhet, Assam, who died at the Malrucherra Tea Estate aforesaid on the 25th day of December 1902, and probate of whose will was on the 27th day of July 1903 granted by the High Court, Calcutta, to David Nisbett Turnbull, of "Egerton Hall," Dharmsala, in the Punjab, but at present of Calcutta, and David Fraser Campbell, of the Lackatoorah Tea Estate, Sylhet, the executors therein named, are hereby required to submit particulars of their claims with vouchers attached to the said D. N. Turnbull or D. F. Fraser on or before the 15th September 1903 next, after which date no claims will be admitted and the assets of the estate will be distributed. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment of their respective debts without delay.

MORGAN & Co., Attorneys for the executors.

Dated Calcutta, this 29th day of July 1903.

(832—3—742)

Estate Charles Graham Dingwall Fordyce.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased above named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co, 7 Hare Street, Calcutta, on or before the tenth day of September 1903 after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 15th day of July 1903.

W. H. TAYLOR, Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased, 7, Hare Street, Calcutta. (760—3—625)

Estate Frank Robert Stanley Collier, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased above named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 7 Hare Street, Calcutta, on or before the tenth day of September 1903, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 16th day of July 1903.

W. H. TAYLOR, Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased, 7 Hare Street, Calcutta. (761—3—624)

Re William Henry Brown Martin deceased.

PURSUANT to the statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria. cap. 35, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims and demands against the estate of William Henry Brown Martin, late of 56 Maberley Road, Upper Norwood, in the county of Surrey, formerly of Bengal Government service, Deputy Magistrate in the Empire of India, who died on the 17th day of February 1903, and whose Will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 6th day of June 1903 by Colonel Dudley Elphinstone Gouldsbury and Henry Lovegrove, the Executors therein named, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to Francis Robert Middleton Phillips of 3 Finsbury Circus, London, E. C., as Solicitor to the Executors, on or before the 31st day of October 1903, after which date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice.

F. R M. PHILLIPS, Solicitor to the said Executors.

3, Finsbury Circus, London, E. C., dated this 10th day of July 1903 (861—1)

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1 Pound tin	Rs. 16,	or, post free,	Rs. 16 8
¼	"	"	"	8	"	"	"	"	8-6.
⅛	"	"	"	4	"	"	"	"	4-6

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12 This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

WANTED a passed Compounder for the Serampore Hospital and Dispensary on a salary of Rs. 15 a month. No quarters provided.

Applications with copies of diploma and of testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than 10 A.M. on 15th August.

A. W. BOTHAM,
Chairman, Serampore Dispensary Committee.

Serampore, East Indian Railway, the 21st July 1903. (806—3)

WANTED a passed Compounder for Mahesh-Rishra Dispensary on a salary of Rs. 15 a month. No quarters provided.

Applications with copies of diploma and of testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than 10 A.M. on 15th August 1903.

A. W. BOTHAM,
Chairman, Mahesh-Rishra Dispensary Committee, Serampore.

Serampore, the 21st July 1903. (807—3)

WANTED a District Engineer for the District Board of Murshidabad on a salary of Rs. 200 rising to Rs. 300 by biennial increment of Rs 20 and travelling allowance according to rules. Applications will be received by the Chairman of the District Board up to 15th August 1903 The selected candidate will have to produce certificates required by rules in force.

C. K. MAJUMDAR, Vice-Chairman.

Murshidabad District Board, Berhampur, the 27th July 1903. (830—2)

Wanted

A GUARDIAN for the Lunatic Zamindar of the Barsalupara Estate under the supervision of this Court on a monthly salary of Rs. 50. Preference will be given to a Hindu who has retired from Government service. The selected candidate will have to furnish a security of Rs. 1,000 in Government Promissory Notes, and will live with the Lunatic Zamindar at Benares. Free quarters will be allowed. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 1st September 1903.

C. FISHER, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 1st August 1903. (841—3)

NAGENDRA NATH GHOSE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(766—4—608)

Important Notice.

AS the Offices of the Inspector and the Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, as well as the Office of the Deputy Inspector of Schools, Calcutta, will be removed from No 4 Dalhousie Square, from the 1st August 1903, all communications to those officers should be directed to No. 12 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, in future.

P. MUKERJI, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

4 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 25th July 1903.

WANTED a Gymnastic Master for the Northbrook School at Darbhanga on a monthly salary of Rs. 15. Candidates are asked to forward their applications to the undersigned on or before the 15th August 1903

W. BILLING,
Offg. Inspr. of Schools, Patna Divn.

Bankipore, the 28th July 1903.

Wanted

A HEAD MUHARIR and Peshkar on Rs. 30 a month for the office of the undersigned.

Preference will be given to one possessing previous experience. Applications will be received up to the end of this month.

A number of peons on Rs. 8 a month are also wanted immediately.

D. R. GHOSE, Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Ranaghat-Murshidabad Railway.

Krishnagar, the 10th August 1903.

WANTED an Overseer for the Patna Municipality. Applicants must have experience in municipal drainage works, road making, etc. The Overseer is not expected to be in charge of conservancy. Salary, including all allowances, Rs. 75 Application, accompanied by copies of testimonials, to be submitted to the office of the Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, by the 31st August 1903.

J. G. CUMMING,
Chairman, Patna Municipality.

Patna, the 5th August 1903. (860—2)

WANTED permanently an Overseer and Sub-Overseer for the Rajshahi District Board on a monthly salary of Rs 60—5—85 and Rs. 40 respectively, *plus* a monthly consolidated travelling allowance of Rs. 15 each. None need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334 L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st August 1903.

A. GARRETT, Chairman.

Rampur Boalia, the 7th August 1903. (868—2)

Notice.

WANTED a Female Hospital Assistant on a salary of Rs 80 per mensem with free quarters for the Dhubri Hospital.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th August 1903.

A. H. CUMING,
Depy. Commr. of Goalpara, Assam.

Dhubri, the 1st August 1903.

Notice.

WANTED by the District Board of Burdwan a passed Accountant, having experience in District Engineer's and Public Works Department accounts, for the office of the District Engineer on a salary of Rs 60—3—100 (annual increment). The appointment will be on probation for six months. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 22nd August 1903. The selected candidate will have to join immediately.

HARI DAS PAL, B.C.E., District Engineer, Burdwan.

Burdwan, the 8th August 1903. (862—1)

Howrah Municipality.

APPLICATIONS with copies of testimonials addressed to the Chairman will be received by the undersigned up to 1st September next for the appointment of Food Inspector for the Howrah Municipality on a salary of Rs 150—5—200 per mensem, inclusive of all allowances

None need apply who has not passed the L.M.S. or M.B examination of the Calcutta University.

The successful candidate must be a whole-time man, and private practice will not be allowed to him.

K N TAGORE, Secretary.

Howrah, the 29th July 1903. (833—2)

Howrah Mills Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-sixth Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Share holders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No 9 Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, the 14th August 1903, at 12 45 P.M, to receive the Directors' Report, pass the audited accounts to 30th June 1903, declar a dividend, and transact any other business that may be brou_ht forward

Dividend warrants will be made out in favour of shareholders whose names are in the Company's books on the 30th July 1903.

The Share Transfer Register of the Company will be closed from Friday, the 31st July, to Friday, the 14th August 1903, both days inclusive

By order of the Directors,

ERNSTHAUSEN, LID, Managing Agents.

Calcutta, the 17th July 1903 (708—3—609)

Notice.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of the senior education clerk in the office of the Midnapore District Board, on a pay of Rs. 30, rising by biennial increments of Rs 2 to Rs 40

Preference will be given to those who have passed the F.A examination and have experience of office work

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st August 1903.

R N. DAS, Vice-Chairman, District Board

Midnapore, the 7th August 1903. (867—2)

Treasure Trove Notice.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on the 29th April 1903, treasure consisting of the undermentioned articles and valued at Rs 20 was found by one Vasudeva Chari while excavating the foundations in the inner southern wall of the Iswaran kovil, situated in Kilur village, Tirukkoyilur taluk, South Arcot district in the Madras Presidency.

2 All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Arcot at his office at Cuddalore on Monday, the 4th day of January 1904 in view to the matter being enquired into or determined according to law —

Description of treasure	Value Rs.
A copper idol (known as Prathosha Nayagar) with *prabhai* and a copper-plate	20

E. A. ELWIN, Collector

South Arcot Collector's Office, Cuddalore, the 30th July 1903.

FORM (1).

INSTRUCTIONS 97 AND 120

Abstract of the Estates Partition Fund of district Monghyr for the year 1902-1903, prepared as required by section 42, Act V (B.C) of 1897

	Rs	A.	P
Balance at credit of the Fund on 1st April 1902 .	14,185	6	10
Receipt for the year 1902-1903	7,133	8	7
Disbursements during the year 1902-1903 . ..	10,868	14	7
Balance at credit on 31st March 1903	10,450	0	10

F. P. DIXON, Collector.

Monghyr Collectorate, the 17th June 1903.

(864—1)

Corporation of Calcutta

MUNICIPAL BYE-ELECTION

NOTICE.

A VACANCY having occurred in the representation of Ward No. 18, Mr. C. F. Deefholts having resigned his office as a Commissioner, it is hereby notified under section 62 and section 53 (4) of Act III (B C.) of 1899 that a bye-election will be held on Friday, the 4th September 1903, between the hours of 9 A M. and 6 P.M, at No 3 Hospital Lane (Hastings) in Ward No. 18. The voters of the Ward have to elect on that day a Commissioner for their Ward for the residue of the term of office of the said Commissioner, resigned.

Intending candidates should send in their nomination papers to the Chairman not less than fourteen days before the day fixed for election as required by Rule 2 of Schedule V of Act III (B C.) of 1899.

R. T. GREER, Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta.

Municipal Office, the 5th August 1903 (870—1)

Notification.

Re MURALI ENDOWMENT FUND.

UNDER the orders of the District Judge of Jessore, dated the 14th July 1903, Babu Mohendra Nath Sen, pleader of Jessore, is appointed to be a member of the Murali Endowment Fund Committee in place of Ray Jadu Lal, resigned. He will act in concert with the other two members—Babu Kiron Lal Mitra and Babu Sital Chandra Dutt.

H. F SAMMAN, District Judge of Jessore,

Dated Jessore, the 4th August 1903. (852—3)

Notification.

TO be sold by the Nazir in the sale-room of the Munsif's 2nd Court at Khulna, on Monday, the 7th September 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon the undermentioned zamindari right of Babu Bhabanath Roy Chowdhury of Taki, the judgment-debtor in execution case No. 374 of 1903, in execution of a money decree obtained against him by the Khulna Loan Company, Limited, in suit No 806 of 1901 on the 3rd day of September 1901 for liquidation of a debt of Rs. 534-2:—

Property.

All that undivided 2 gandas 1 cowaree 4½ danti share of the zamindari, known as pargana Jamira, tauzi No 55 of the Khulna Collectorate, paying an annual revenue of Rs. 1,591 7-5, and consisting of the following kismats viz, kismats Amadi, Badalkhali, chak Bagura, Bagati, Baliadanga, Bisnupur, Dhamrail, Fatia Kati, Cowali, Kasi Bissesvar Kati, Khanpur. Naksa, Patuli, kismat Patukhali, Simulia, Topakhali—all in the thana and sub-registry of Paikgacha, and kismats Anulia, Bajuarati, Baradaltsrap *alias* Jangbabad, Bhagabanpur, Bholanathpur, Ekshara, South Ekshara, Joharabad, Jangbabad north, Kalikapur Madarbaria, Modia, Morikhali, Nakachak *alias* Godarghat, Nowakhali, chak Putimari, chak Protapnagar, Sankardanga Telinee chak—all in thana and sub registry Ashasuni and kismat Kalyanpur *alias* Dingajoria and Kalyanpur kismat in thana and sub-registry of Kaligange.

UMESH CHANDRA SEN Munsif, 2nd Court.

Khulna, the 7th August 1903 (863—1)

Notice

IS hereby given that a 2nd Master for the Dhenkanal High English School on a salary of Rs 50 a month is wanted.

Preference will be given to one who has experience in teaching and is a gradnate of the Calcutta University and will stick to the post for at least two years. Applications with testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st instant.

S. C BOSE, Manager.

Manager's Office, Dhenkanal, the 6th August 1903

(907—3)

Wanted

BY the District Board of Jessore an Overseer to be in charge of one of the subdivisions in the district on a monthly salary of Rs. 45, rising by annual increment of Rs. 3 to Rs. 60, *plus* an allowance of Rs. 5 for the supervision of Government buildings, which will be paid as long as the said buildings are under the control of the District Board, Jessore, *plus* a fixed conveyance allowance of Rs. 30. None need apply who is not qualified according to Rule 7 (*l*) of the Bengal Government Notification No. 334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901.

Applications with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned, will be received by the undersigned up to the 30th August 1903. The successful candidate will remain on probation for six months, and he will have to furnish a security of Rs. 500 in cash or Government Promissory note. Applicants must state their age, and will have to undergo a medical examination of fitness.

R. C. DUTT, *for* Chairman.

District Board, Jessore, the 10th August 1903.

(906—3)

Darbhanga District Board.

WANTED.

TWO Sub-Overseers on Rs. 30 to Rs. 40 a month with consolidated horse allowance of Rs. 15 a month each. None need apply who are not qualified under the rules laid down in Government Notification No. 3334L. S.-G., dated 20th December 1901.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th of August 1903.

Applications to be sent to—

The District Engineer, Darbhanga, Laheriasarai.

Laheriasarai, the 4th August 1903. (856—1)

NOTICE.

WANTED 12 Bengali-knowing Inspectors on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 each and 80 Bengali-knowing amins, on a monthly salary of Rs. 20 to Rs. 25 each, for survey and settlement work in the Sundarbans during the ensuing cold weather.

Applicants must either have served in the Survey of India Department or have certificates of their acquaintance with offset cadastral survey work. They should also be able to prepare the necessary settlement records.

WANTED also 4 clerks on Rs. 25 each and 8 muharrirs on Rs. 20 each per mensem for settlement work. Only men who have experience in such work need apply.

Applicants should state their age and send their applications with copies of testimonials to the undersigned not later than the 30th October 1903.

D. SUNDER, Commissioner in the Sundarbans.

Sundarbans Commissioner's Office, Alipur, the 7th August 1903.

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to the decree of the High Court at Calcutta, made in suit No. 767 of 1900 (Gokul Chand Kotary and others *versus* Chunilal Dhudhuria and others), and dated the 8th April 1902, by the Registrar of the High Court, Calcutta, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1903, a large quantity of valuable jewellery—gold and silver ornaments, belonging to the defendants, comprising bungrees, tardas, kanthies, etc., detailed in separate lists to be obtained on application—to be put up in separate lots.

The conditions of sale and the list above mentioned may be seen at the office of the Registrar, High Court, Original Jurisdiction, or at the office of Messrs. Fox and Mandal, solicitors for the plaintiffs, at No. 12, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINE, Registrar.

Fox and Mandal, Plaintiff's attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, the 31st day of July 1903.

(853—1)

Notice.

I, JAMES REID LAMONT, heretofore called and known by the name of James Lamont Reid of Ramkistopore in Bengal, in the Empire of India, Mill Engineer, do hereby give public notice that on the first day of this present month of August I did for and on behalf of myself and my heirs lawfully begotten formally, wholly, absolutely, and utterly renounce, relinquish, and abandon the use of my said surname of Reid, and then assumed, adopted, and determined thenceforth in all records, deeds, documents, and writings, in all actions, suits, and proceedings, in all dealings, transactions, matters, and things, and upon all other occasions whatsoever, to use and subscribe the name of "James Reid Lamont" instead of the said name of "James Lamont Reid;" and so as that I and my heirs lawfully begotten might at all times thereafter be called, known, and distinguished by the said name of James Reid Lamont and of James Reid Lamont only. And I give further notice that by a deed poll, bearing date on the said first day of August instant, duly executed and authenticated by Herbert Weston Sheppard Sparkes, Notary Public, Calcutta, on the said first day of the said month of August 1903, I formally, wholly, absolutely, and utterly renounced, relinquished, and abandoned the said name of "Reid" as a surname, and declared that I had assumed, adopted, determined, and intended thenceforth, upon all occasions whatsoever, to use and subscribe myself by the name of "James Reid Lamont" instead of "James Lamont Reid," and so as to be at all times thereafter called, known, described, and distinguished by the name of "James Reid Lamont" exclusively.

JAMES REID LAMONT,
late JAMES LAMONT REID,

Witness—

H. W. Sparkes, Notary Public, Calcutta.

Dated Ramkistopore in Bengal, this first day of August 1903. (869—1)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 12956, dated 18th July 1903, and granted by Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
072793	3½ per cent., 1854-55.	25,000	
007175	3½ per cent., 1900-1901.	100	

T. C. MOOKERJEE & Co.

(872—1—748)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 12957, dated 18th July 1903, and granted by Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
088089	3½ per cent., 1865.	500	
109897	Ditto	1,000	
109898	Ditto	1,000	
110262	Ditto	200	

BROOT NATH MOOKERJEE and JOGENDRA NATH MOOKERJEE, Executors to the estate of Shremoti Doorga Money Debi. (873—1—749)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 14678, dated 5th August 1903, and granted by Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount. Rs.	Holder's name.
029776 to 1865	for	1,000	Pootimoni Dassi.
030240	ditto	2,000	Ditto.
027281	ditto	2,000	Ditto.

Name of proprietor—POOTIMONI DASSI.

Residence—No. 6 Shambazar Bridge Road, Kashibagan. (874—1—760)

Lost

THE upper half of Government Promissory Note No. 144289 of the 3½ per cent. of 1st May 1865, for Rs. 200, originally standing in the name of Raj Krishna Mukherji and last endorsed to Sital Chandra Chatterji, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

W. RATTRAY,

for Deputy Commissioner, Manbhum.

Puralia, the 24th July 1903. (812—3)

NOTICE.

In the Court of Babu Gopal Chander Banerjea, Roy Bahadur, Subordinate Judge, 2nd Court, Bhagalpur.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION CASE No. 20 OF 1903.

Babu Upender Nath Bagchi, son of Babu Rasik Lal Bagchi, deceased, of mahalla Khalifa Bagh, *alias* Jagsar, Bhagalpur, decree-holder, *versus* Mossamat Sahodra Koomry and Babu Manohar Ram of Badi Bazar, Monghyr, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold in the above case by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at 12 A.M., on the 17th day of August 1903, the properties detailed below for realisation of mortgage debt, amounting to Rs. 26,883-15 :—

Schedule of properties to be sold.

Eight annas out of sixteen annas of mahal taluka Maheshpur *asli* and *dakhli*, pargana Bhagalpur, tauzi No. 3193 and jamasadar Rs. 1,634-11 of the entire mahal appertaining to Bhagalpur Collectorate and sub-registry Banka, station police Amarpur, under separate account. The tauzi No. is 21/22 and jamasadar is Rs. 767-5-6 for eight annas' share, and estimated value given by the decree-holder is Rs. 1,600.

GOPAL CHANDER BANERJEA, Sub-Judge, 2nd Court.

Bhagalpur, the 3rd August 1903. (858—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of Babu Gopal Chander Banerjea, Roy Bahadur, Subordinate Judge, 2nd Court, Bhagalpur.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION CASE No. 21 OF 1903.

Babu Upender Nath Bagchi, son of Babu Rasik Lal Bagchi, deceased, of mahalla on Khalifa Bagh, *alias* Jagsar, Bhagalpur, decree-holder, *versus* Mossamat Sahodra Koomry and Babu Manohar Ram of Badi Bazar, Monghyr, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold in the above case by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at 12 A.M., on the 17th day of August 1903, the properties detailed below for realisation of the mortgage debt, amounting to Rs. 9,060-2.—

Schedule of properties to be sold.

Eight annas out of sixteen annas of mahal taluka Maheshpur *asli* and *dakhli*, pargana Bhagalpur, tauzi No. 3193 and jamasadar of entire mahal is Rs. 1,634-11, appertaining to Bhagalpur Collectorate, and sub-registry Banka, station police Amarpur, under separate account. The tauzi No. is 21/22 and jamasadar is Rs. 767-5-6 for eight annas' share, under which are the mauzas Maheshpur, Mansarpur, Garibpur, Hemrajpur, and Surjonpur.

Eight annas out of sixteen annas of mahal Dharpur, pargana Monghyr, the tauzi number of which is 5472 and jamasadar is Rs. 106-14, and estimated value given by the decree-holder is Rs. 4,000.

GOPAL CHANDER BANERJEA, Sub-Judge, 2nd Court.

Bhagalpur, the 3rd August 1903. (859—1)

In the Court of Babu Shyam Chand Roy, Rai Bahadur, Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Muzaffarpur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 153 OF 1903.

Babu Ram Prasad, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Anwar Ali Khan, judgment-debtor.

THE undermentioned property belonging to the judgment-debtor will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Tirhut, on the 17th August 1903, at 1 P.M., in the Court-house at Muzaffarpur for the satisfaction of the decree-debt, amounting to Rs. 12,752-11-6 :—

Nine annas twelve gandas two couris pucca out of sixteen annas of mahal mauza Tisi Narsam *asli mai dakhli*, with all its tolas, pargana Zerail, bearing tauzi No. 2423, within the police-station and sub-registry Benipatti, in the subdivision of Madhubani, zilla Darbhanga, being the right, title, and interest as proprietor of the judgment-debtor. The area of the above mahal is 1,464 acres 2 roods 22 poles. The Government revenue payable for the above entire mahal is Rs. 1,232-11. The proportionate area in the share of the judgment-debtor in the above mahal is 881 acres 11 poles, and the proportionate share of the Government revenue payable by the judgment-debtor is Rs. 741-8-8. The approximate value of the judgment-debtor's share is Rs. 5,000 according to the decree-holder's petition.

SHYAM CHAND ROY, Subordinate Judge, 1st Court.

Dated Muzaffarpur, the 8th August 1903. (908—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of KHITISH CHANDRA PAL, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 17th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (875—2)

In the matter of UPENDRA NATH BANNERJEE, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 22nd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. K. Thakur, Attorney. (876—2)

In the matter of GEORGE ST. CLAIR PEDROZA, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 23rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (877—2)

In the matter of HARI CHARAN GIRI, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 29th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Atul Chunder Ghose, Attorney. (878—2)

In the matter of BHUJAN LALL, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. C. Bose, Attorney. (879—2)

In the matter of SARAT CHUNDER BOSE, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 17th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (880—2)

In the matter of JOSEPH ANDREW HAMEL LEWIS, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Manual and Augurwallah, Attorneys. (881—2)

In the matter of SASTHI CHARAN BANNERJEE, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 20th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Nundo Gopal Roy, Attorney. (882—2)

In the matter of CHARLES FREDERICK DEEPHOLTS, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 22nd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (883—2)

In the matter of LOKENATH MEHRA, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 29th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Abinash Chundra Dey, Attorney. (884—2)

In the matter of AKSHAY KUMAR MITRA, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 23rd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Kali Mohan Rakshit, Attorney. (885—2)

In the matter of FREDERICK DUNBAR INGLIS, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 28th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Ghose and Kar, Attorneys. (886—2)

In the matter of RAM CHUNDER BANNERJEE, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Khogendra Nath De, Attorney. (887—2)

In the matter of JOSEPH HYAAM ELIAS, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 29th day of June last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the first Court day in July 1904, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

D. N. Bose, Attorney. (888—2)

In the matter of MAHOMED NOOR MAHOMED, an insolvent.

On the 25th day of November 1902, by an order of this Court, the said insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

Pran Nauth Paul, Attorney. (889—1)

In the matter of HAZARIMULL, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of June last, by an order of this Court, the said insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

R. C. Basu, Attorney. (890—1)

In the matter of ISSAC SAUL SAUL, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 8th instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 17th day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

H. N. Dutt, Attorney. (891—1)

In the matter of WILLIAM GORDON LYNCH COTTON an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 17th day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Dignam & Co., Attorneys. (892—1)

In the matter of KRITISH CHANDRA PAL of No. 7-1, Baug Bazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly a broker and dealer in coal, but at present without any occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 17th day of July last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (893—1)

In the matter of UPENDRA NATH BANNERJEE, residing at No. 89 Serpentine Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as a dealer in miscellaneous ware at No. 198 Bowbazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, in copartnership with one Ramaprosad Mukerjee under the name and style of Charoo Bhusun Mukerjee, at present employed as a teacher in the South Suburban School at Bhowanipore, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 22nd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

A. K. Thakur, Attorney. (894—1)

In the matter of GEORGE ST. CLAIR PEDROZA, residing at No. 4 Howe's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a Guard employed in the East Indian Railway, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 23rd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (895—1)

In the matter of HARI CHARAN GIRI, of No. 128-1 Upper Circular Road in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business in Manicktalla Bazar, in Calcutta aforesaid, as dealers in rice under the name and style of Hari Charan Giri and Kenaram Nundy, but at present serving as a painter of carriages in the Eastern Bengal State Railway, Sealdah, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 29th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Atul Chunder Ghose, Attorney. (896—1)

In the matter of BHUJAN LALL, residing at No. 7 Banstolla Gully in the town of Calcutta, lately carried on business as a broker, but now out of employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 14th day of July last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Romes Chunder Bose, Attorney. (897—1)

In the matter of SARAT CHANDRA BOSE, of No. 75 Manicktollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, a clerk in the employ of Messrs. Kilburn & Co., an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 17th day of July last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (898—1)

In the matter of JOSEPH ANDREW HAMEL LEWIS, residing at No. 164, Dhurumtollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately in the employ of the *Englishman* Press and now out of employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 14th day of July last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Manuel and Augurwallah, Attorneys. (899—1)

In the matter of SASHI CHARAN BANNERJEE, residing at No. 14 Hara Lal Dass' Lane, in the town of Calcutta, Gomastah in the employ of Mani Mohan, Indra Mohan Shaw, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 20th day of July last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Nundogopal Roy, Attorney. (900—1)

In the matter of CHARLES FREDERICK DEEPHOLTS of No. 14 Chapel Road, Hastings, in the town of Calcutta, a Pleader Attached to the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 22nd day of July last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (901—1)

In the matter of LOKENATH MEHRA, lately carrying on business as a cloth merchant at Nos. 162 and 164 Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, under the name, style, and firm of Charan Dass Mehra, at present residing at No. 60 Sootaputty Gully, in the town of Calcutta, now out of employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 29th day of July last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Abinash Chandra Dey, Attorney. (902—1)

In the matter of AKSHAY KUMAR MITRA, residing at No. 159 Manicktolla Street, in the town of Calcutta, at present a clerk in the service of Babu Kali Mohan Rakshit.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 23rd day of July last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Kali Mohan Rakshit, Attorney. (903—1)

In the matter of FREDERICK DUNBAR INGLIS, residing at No. 8 Dacres Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly a Sub-Inspector of Police in the United Provinces, now without employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 28th day of July last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Ghose and Kar, Attorneys. (904—1)

In the matter of ALLAN ARTHUR, KT., of No. 4 Outram Street, in Calcutta, a member of the firm of Ewing & Co., carrying on business in Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 3rd day of August instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Orr, Robertson, and Burton, Attorneys.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 10th day of August 1903. (905—1)

In the matter of MOHENDRA NATH MOOKERJEE, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 10th instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court, on Monday, the 17th day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Younan and Mookerjee, Attorneys. (909—1)

Chief Clerk's Office, the 11th day of August 1903.

In the Court of the District Judge of Bhagalpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1903.

Mani Lal Tewary, son of Bandey Lal Tewari, deceased resident of mahalla Jagesur, in the town of Bhagalpur a Government pensioner, petitioner.

NOTICE

IS hereby given that the abovenamed petitioner, Mani Lal Tewari, has been declared an insolvent by this Court on the 16th July 1903, and the Nazir of this Court has been appointed Receiver in his case.

W. H. H. VINCENT, District Judge.

Bhagalpur District Judge's Office, the 8th August 1903. (865—1)

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. $\frac{33}{34}$ OF 1902.

Umedali Mandal, petitioner.

UMEDALI MANDAL, son of Baru Mandal, deceased, of Goal Bathan, pargana Kagmari, district Mymensingh, has been declared an insolvent by this Court under the provision of section 351, Civil Procedure Code.

BIHARI LAL BANERJEE, Subordinate Judge.

Mymensingh Subordinate Judge's 1st Court, the 7th August 1903. (866—1)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	13th Aug.	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	12th ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	17th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	14th ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *Kumsang*.
Burma	13th ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer,
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	15th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	15th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	17th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Port Blair	14th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Shahjehan*.
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte, and Nossi-Be.	19th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Itola* from Colombo.
Port Blair	17th ,,	,, 7-30	*Via* Rangoon.
South Africa (letters) ...	17th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Umlazi* from Colombo.
Ditto (parcels) ...	17th ,,	,, 5	

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
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Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings.		Remarks.
		Ft.	in.	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	12	6	
	Thence to Geriah ...	12	6	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	12	0	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	9	6	Kootirampur.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	7	6	Mirzapore.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	7	0	Bhuruedanga.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	12	6	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	11	6	Akriganj.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	13	0	Harharia.
	Thence to Patkabari	13	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	11	6	Jitpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	6	6	
	Thence to Dewangan) ...	7	3	Jamalpur.
	From Dewangan) to Shikarpur	7	6	Meghna.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	7	9	Malipara.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	9	6	Moheshpur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengan) and Hanskhali ...	9	3	Ganjo.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	Remarks.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebgan)	8-8-1903	6	15·42	83·42	Rising.
	Rampur Boalia...	8-8-1903	12	12·75	54·75	,,
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	9-8-1903	7	...	65·20	,,
	Entrance of Bhyrab Jalangi, Akriganj ...	9-8-1903	7	...	52·70	,,
	Entrance of Mathabhanga	5-8-1903	...	11·28	...	Falling.
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	9-8-1903	...	...	60·40	Rising.
	Berhampore ...	10-8-1903	10	17·33	51·08	,,
	Katwa ...	7-8-1903	6	14·70	29·86	Falling.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	7-8-1903	...	10·92	...	,,
	Sarupgan) ...	8-8-1903	12	...	13·90	Rising.
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ,,	8-8-1903	...	11·20	...	,,

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 1903.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 265.

[First Publication.]

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CARIMATA STRAIT.

Discovery East Bank—Light established.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 304, dated 18th October 1902, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 543 of 1903) that a *white group flashing* light, showing groups of *two short flashes every ten seconds*, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 14 miles, has been established in a screw pile structure erected on Discovery East Bank, Carimata strait.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 35′ S., long. 109° 11′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China Sea, No. 1263; Eastern Archipelago, No. 941a; Carimata strait, No. 2160: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 534a; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 478.

E. J. BEAUMONT, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secretary, Marine Department.

CALCUTTA, *the 4th August 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 266.

[First Publication.]

KOREA—CHEMULPHO APPROACH.

Flying Fish channel—Non-existence of shoal heads.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 43, dated 29th February 1892, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 545 of 1903) that an unsuccessful search for the undermentioned shoal heads reported by a Chinese officer and published in the above notice has been made:—

(*a*) A depth of 13 fathoms, fine sand, was obtained on the reported position of the one fathom rock, situated with Simpson island summit, bearing N. 76° E., distant 19½ cables, and the eastern extremity of Pirie island N. 8° E.

(*b*) Depths of from 5½ to 7 fathoms were obtained on the reported position of the 2¾-fathom shoal, situated with Simpson island summit, bearing N. 62° E., distant 22$\frac{1}{10}$ cables, and the eastern extremity of Pirie island N. 8° E.

Approximate position of Simpson island, lat. 37° 11′ N, long. 126° 14′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Approaches to Seoul, No. 1258; Chemulpho anchorage, No. 1270; Also China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 57, and Supplement, 1898, page 3.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 267.

[First Publication.]

CHINA SEA—GULF OF SIAM.

Pulo Obi—Shoal soundings to the westward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 547 of 1903) that information has been received from Lieutenant and Commander T. D. Pratt, H.M.S. *Britomart*, that on 19th December, when his vessel was in a position from which the north point of Pulo Obi bore S. 81° E., distant 6 miles, and Cambodia Point N. 12° W., a depth of 5 fathoms was obtained, and that the depths varied from 5 to 5½ fathoms on a S. 52° E. course until the south point of Pulo Obi was abeam, after which bottom was not reached with 10 fathoms of line.

NOTE.—As the vessel was proceeding at a speed of 9 knots when these depths were obtained, they cannot be implicitly relied on.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 28′ N., long. 104° 43′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Siam, No. 2414; Bay island to Pulo Obi, No. 2723: Also China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, page 343.

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NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND, SOUTH COAST.

Dog island—Rock.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 548 of 1903) of the existence of a rock with a depth of 18 feet over it at low-water springs, situated with Dog island light-house, which lies in the approach to Awarua or Bluff harbour, bearing S. 78° W., distant $2\frac{4}{10}$ miles.

Approximate position, lat. 46° 39¾′ S., long. 168° 29¼′ E.

(*Variation 16° Easterly in 1903.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Foveaux strait, &c., No. 2553; Awarua harbour, No. 2540: Also New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 311; and Supplement, 1903, page 26.

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AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—RED SEA, SOUTHERN PART.

Jebel Teir, Zebayir, Abu Ail, and Mokha—Characters of intended lights.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 556 of 1903) that the character of the lights to be exhibited at the undermentioned places in the southern part of the Red Sea will be as follows:—

(1) Jebel Teir—A *white flashing* light *every five seconds*, the duration of each flash being under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 531 feet above the sea.

Approximate position, lat. 15° 32½′ N., long. 41° 49¼′ E.

(2) Zebayir islands, Centre Peak island—A *white group flashing* light showing groups of *three flashes every ten seconds*, the duration of each flash being under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 633 feet above the sea.

Approximate position, lat. 15° 1½′ N., long. 42° 9¼′ E.

(3) Abu Ail, Quoin island—A *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two flashes every ten seconds*, the duration of each flash being under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 384 feet above the sea.

Approximate position, lat. 14° 4½′ N., long. 42° 49′ E.

(4) Mokha, on the south fort—A *white flashing* light *every five seconds*, the duration of each flash being under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 171 feet above the level of the sea.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 18½′ N., long. 43° 13½′ E.

Further notice will be given when these lights are exhibited, which it is understood will be not long hence, as the lanterns are in place and everything points to an early illumination.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Jebel Tïr to Perim island, No. 143: Also List of Lights, 1903, part V, Nos. 1356, 1357, 1358, 1359; part VI, Nos. 148, 149, 150, 151; and Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, pages 72, 74, 79, 339.

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JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—GULF OF TOKYO APPROACH.

Nosima or Nojima saki—Fog signal established.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 561 of 1903) that on 10th June 1903 a fog explosive, which will give during thick or foggy weather *one report every fifteen minutes*, would be established at Nosima or Nojima saki light-house, on the eastern side of the entrance to the gulf of Tokyo.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 54′ N., long. 139° 53′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kii channel to Tokyo, No. 996; Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo, No. 2657: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 921; and China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 312.

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PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—BASILAN.

Port Isabela approach—Depth on Pamelukan bank—Beacons erected.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 565 of 1903) that the depth over Pamélukan bank is 6 feet and not 13 feet, as at present shown on the charts. This shoal has been marked by an iron tripod beacon 20 feet high, surmounted by a drum and white flag, in a position 35 yards south-westward of the shoal head and in a depth of 25 feet. From it the north-western point of Lampinigan island bears S. 50° W., distant 2½ miles, and the eastern extremity of Matanaye island S. 16° E.

Approximate position, lat. 6° 43′ N., long. 121° 54′ E.

Also, that an iron pipe, surmounted by a flag, has been erected off the south side of Malamaui island, situated with the south-western point of Malamaui, bearing N. 51° W., distant 4 cables, and the northern end of Matanaye island S. 44° W.

Also that an iron tripod beacon, 35 feet high, has been erected on the summit of Lampinigan island.

Approximate position, lat. 6° 41½′ N., long. 121° 52′ E.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1903.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Basilan strait, No. 961: Also Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 103.

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PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, NORTH COAST.

Katadman (Catarman)—Shoal in approach.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 566 of 1903) that Captain J. W. Scott, U.S.A.T. *Wright*, reports having passed over a shoal about one mile in diameter, in the approach to Katadman (Catarman), situated with the warehouse at Katadman, bearing S. 6° W., distant 10 miles, and Bulusan volcano N. 80° W.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 41′ N., long. 124° 38½′ E.

The least water obtained on this shoal was 6 fathoms, but appearances indicated less.

(*Variation Nil in 1903.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 943; St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2577: Also Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 352.

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[Second Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND—PORT NICHOLSON.

Evans bay—Rock, Buoy, Beacon.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 520 of 1903) of a rock in Evans bay, port Nicholson, which dries at low water, situated with the northern end of the Barracks south of Halswell point bearing S. 68° E., distant 1$\frac{8}{10}$ cables, and Halswell point N. 21° E.

This rock, about 70 yards in length in a north-easterly and south-westerly direction, has been marked by a can buoy, painted red, in a depth of 24 feet off its south-western end.

An iron beacon has been erected on the ledge extending from the first point to the southward of the above rock, and is situated with the northern end of the Barracks bearing N. 62° E., distant 1$\frac{7}{10}$ cables, and mount Crawford S. 64° E.

Approximate position of northern end of the Barracks, lat. 41° 17½′ S., long. 174° 49¾′ E.

(*Variation 15° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 171; and Supplement, 1903, page 22.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 259.

[Second Publication.]

JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—GULF OF TOKYO.

Yokohama bay—Position of Quarantine Ship.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 532 of 1903) that the Quarantine Ship in Yokohama bay is situated with the red light on the northern breakwater bearing N. 64°

W., distant 19¾ cables, and Treaty point S. 39° W., or about 6¾ cables S. 55° E. from the position shown on the Charts.

Approximate position, lat. 25° 26½′ N., long. 139° 41¾′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Gulf of Yedo, No. 2657; Yokohama bay, No. 3109 : Also, China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, pages 304, 307; and Supplement, 1898, page 16.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 260.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Tsungming crossing and Harvey point channel—Buoys altered.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 540 of 1903) that the undermentioned buoys in the Tsungming crossing and Harvey point channel have been altered :—

Tsungming crossing—

(*a*) The West spit buoy, painted in red and black vertical stripes, has been replaced by a light buoy painted in a similar manner, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*, moored in a position from which Chung Pao Sha quarantine beacon bears S. 44° E, distant 2$\frac{1}{10}$ miles, and the Cupola S. 69° W.

(*b*) The East entrance buoy, painted black, has been replaced by a light buoy painted in a similar colour, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*, moored in a position from which Chung Pao Sha quarantine beacon bears S. 61° W, distant 5$\frac{1}{10}$ miles, and the Two trees N. 45° W.

Approximate position, Quarantine beacon, lat. 31° 26½′ N., long. 121° 31′ E.

Harvey point channel—

(*c*) The south-east spit buoy, situated about 4¾ miles to the westward of Pien Tan Sha beacon, has been replaced by a light buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every six seconds.*

Approximate position, lat. 31° 36′ N., long. 121° 18′ E.

The above occulting lights show thus:—light, *four seconds*; eclipse, *two seconds.*

The present direction of Tsungming crossing is about N. 80° E and S. 80° W, the least depth at its eastern end being 3¼ fathoms and at its western end 4¼ fathoms at low water. The northern edge of Tsungming bank is marked by two black buoys placed at equal distances between the east Entrance light buoy and the West Spit buoy.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Kue Shan to the Yang tse kiang, No. 1199; approaches to the Yang tse, No. 1602; Shanghai to Nanking, No. 2809 : Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, pages 446, 447.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 261.

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INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Bombay harbour—Changes in Government moorings.

NOTICE TO MARINERS No. 73 of 1903, issued by the Bombay Government, is republished.

The following changes have been made in Government Moorings:—

Moorings Nos. 2 and 3 have been removed and a new No. 2 placed about half way between the old position of the two buoys removed.

The buoys have been renumbered in accordance with the change, old No. 4 now becoming No. 3 and so on, No. 10 becoming No. 9, the last number.

'A' buoy (Assaye) has been removed.

As the vessels that composed the Defence Squadron have been abolished, buoys are no longer referred as formerly after the names of the ships that occupied these moorings.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port of Bombay, No. 655.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 262.

[Second Publication.]

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—GULF OF ADEN.

Aden Harbour—Light vessel replaced.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 51, dated 13th February 1903, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 74 of 1903) that the Aden Light Vessel having completed her repairs will be replaced in position on or about 9th July 1903 and the temporary Light Vessel removed.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 263.

[Second Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Karnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

THE Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the river channels by soundings taken on the 29th July and reduced to zero:—

	Ft.	in.
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	10	6
Batten beacon and pillar on hill	12	0
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on ball and cross	17	0
Track No. 4—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	17	0

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 264.

[Second Publication.]

PERSIAN GULF—Bassora bar.

A Conical buoy placed at S. E. end of Abadan bank.

The British Vice-Consul, Bushire, has given notice, dated 22nd July 1903, that the Captain of the British India Steam Navigation Company's S.S. *Kola* reports having placed a large Conical buoy painted red-white vertically on S.-E. end of the Abadan bank (Bassora bar) in 11 feet L. W. S. The position of the buoy is—

Outer bar buoy bears from it S. 48° E. (true), distant 3 miles, and
No. 1 Can buoy on the Abdalla bank N. 41° W., distant 2¾ miles.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 250.

[Third Publication.]

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Borneo, east coast.

Bulungar river approach—Reef reported.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 499 of 1903) of the existence of a reef about one cable in length and half a cable in breadth, with a least depth over it of 6 inches, situated about 6 miles S. 75° W. from Bulik Taba beacon.

Approximate position, lat. 2° 32¾′ N., long. 117° 56′ E.

There are depths of from 9 to 10 fathoms around this reef.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Strait of Makassar, No. 2656: Also, Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1893, page 339.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 251.

[Third Publication.]

AFRICA, SOUTH—Madagascar, N. W. coast.

Nosi Bé—Rock reported in Fotaka (Befotaka) Bay.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 503 of 1903) of the existence of a rock, with a depth of 5 feet over it at lowest tide, in Fotaka (Befotaka) bay, situated with Tanilatsaka conspicuous tree bearing S. 11° E., distant 6 miles, and Amporaka point N. 76° E.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 13′ S., long. 48° 12¼′ E.

(*Variation 7° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Pasindava and adjacent bays, No. 706; Also, Islands in Southern Indian Ocean, 1891, page 184; and Supplement, 1898, page 22.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 252.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA SEA—Gaspar Strait.

Shoal water (Ondiepwater) island light—Character altered.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 1[illegible], dated 9th January 1903, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 505 of 1903) that the character of Shoal water (Ondiepwater) island light has been altered from white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every fifteen seconds*, the duration of the flash being *three seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 19′ S., long. 107° 13′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China Sea, No. 1263; Eastern Archipelago, No. 941a; Gaspar and Banka Straits, No. 2149; Gaspar Strait, No. 2137: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 530; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 433.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 253.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA SEA—Cochin China and Tong king gulf.

Intended lights.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 508 of 1903) that it is intended to establish lights at the undermentioned places in Cochin China and in the Tong king gulf:—

1. Fan rang bay.—A lighthouse is in course of construction in Fan rang bay, but the character of the light to be exhibited from it is not yet decided.

   Approximate position, lat. 11° 34′ N., long. 109° 4′ E.

   The exact position of the lighthouse is not stated.

2. Lon (Tré) island.—A lighthouse is being constructed on Lon island from which it is intended to exhibit a *white group flashing* light showing groups of *three flashes every fifteen seconds*. The tower will be of granite, 40 feet high, and the duration of each flash will be under one-tenth of a second. The light will be elevated 315 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 24 miles.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 11¼′ N., long. 109° 19′ E.

   This light will probably be exhibited for experiment in 1904.

3. Nhatrang bay.—A lighthouse is in course of construction on the site of an old fort on Chut point, but the character of the light to be exhibited therefrom has not yet been decided.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 13′ N., long. 109° 12′ E.

4. Cape Varella.—A *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two flashes every ten seconds* will be established in a cylindrical tower of granite, 46 feet high, now being erected on the point to the southward of cape Varella, the duration of each flash will be one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 318 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 24 miles.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 53¼′ N., long. 109° 26¼′ E.

   This light will probably be exhibited experimentally at the end of 1903.

5. Pulo Gambir (Kambir).—A *white group flashing* light showing groups of *four flashes every fifteen seconds* will be established in a cylindrical tower of granite, 42 feet high, now being constructed on the summit of the eastern point of Pulo Gambir or Kambir. The duration of each flash will be under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 387 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 26 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 36½′ N., long. 109° 20¼′ E.

This light will probably be exhibited experimentally in 1904.

6. Kin Hon harbour.—A *white fixed* light, elevated 164 feet above high water, and visible from a distance of 8 miles over an arc of 275°, will be established on an iron gibbet attached to a dwelling now being constructed on the south-west point of the Huong Mai peninsula entrance to Kin Hon or Thi Nai harbour.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 45¼′ N., long. 109° 13½′ E.

The light will probably be exhibited for experiment at the end of 1903.

7. Nau Chau island.—A *white flashing* light *every five seconds*, elevated 341 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 26 miles, will be established in a cylindrical tower of stone, 62 feet high, now being erected on the summit of Nau Chau island.

Approximate position, on Chart No. 875, lat. 20° 54′ N., long. 110° 35½′ E.

This light will probably be exhibited experimentally in March 1904.

Further notice will be given when the above lights are exhibite

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Saigon river to Kam ranh bay, No. 1261; Fan rang bay to Tong king gulf, No. 1342; Tong king gulf, No. 2063; Kam ranh bay to Vung-ro bay, No. 1008; Plan of Kin Hon harbour on Chart No. 264; Nau Chau passage on Chart No. 875: Also, List of Lights, prat VI, 1903, pages 122, 126; China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, pages 396, 399, 406, 412, 413, 505; and Supplement, 1901, page 18.

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AFRICA, NORTH-EAST COAST—Red sea.

Suez bay—Beacons constructing at Kal ah Kebireh shoal.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 509 of 1903) that beacons are being constructed on the north, south and west sides of Kal ah Kebireh shoal, Suez bay, from each of which it is intended to exhibit a light of a distinctive character.

The lights exhibited from the present beacon will be discontinued,

Approximate position, lat. 29° 54¾′ N., long. 32° 31¼′ E.

Further Notice will be given when this alteration has been made.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Suez, No. 757; Suez bay, No. 734; Also, List of Lights, part V., 1903, No. 1340; part VI, 1903, No. 165; and Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 89.

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AFRICA, EAST COAST—TANGA BAY.

Ulenge reef—Non-existence of tower.

THE British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 519 of 1903) that the tower on the nothern end of Ulenge reef is no longer in existence; it has, therefore, been expunged from the Chart.

Approximate position, lat. 5° 2¼′ S., long. 39° 10½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mansa and Tanga bays, No. 663; Also, Africa Pilot, part III., 1897, page 473.

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INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST—GULF OF KUTCH.

Juria Bandar—Intended exhibition of light.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 68 of 1903) that from 1st August 1903, a white fixed light elevated 36 feet above high water and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles between the bearings of from N. 21° W. to S. 69° W. (270°) will be exhibited from a cast-iron column on rubble masonry tower erected on the extreme north end of quay wall at Juria Bandar.

The light will be dioptric of the 6th order.

Approximate position—

Lat.	...	...	...	...	22° 43′ 30″ N.
Long.	...	...	...	...	70° 19′ 00″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Coasts of Sind and Kutch including the Gulf of Kutch, No. 42; Gulf of Kutch, No. 43; and Gulf of Kutch to Vizadurg, No. 2736; also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 4th Edition, 1898, page 284; and List of Lights, Part VI, 1903, page 36."

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[Third Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Rangoon river—Position of Hastings Shoal Wreck buoy altered.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 71 of 1903) that information has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, dated 4th July 1903, that the small wreck buoy on the Hastings Shoal which had drifted out of position has been replaced by an old-fashioned conical channel buoy painted green.

The position of the buoy is close to the south edge of the wreck.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Rangoon River and Approaches, No. 833; and Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd Edition, 1901, page 353.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT ON THE REFORMATORY SCHOOLS AT ALIPORE AND HAZARIBAGH FOR THE YEAR 1902

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—EDUCATION.

Calcutta, the 10th August 1903.

RESOLUTION—No. 2007

READ—

The Annual Report on the Reformatory Schools at Alipore and Hazaribagh for the year 1902.

The Annual Report on the Reformatory Schools at Alipore and Hazaribagh accords in size and form with the instructions issued by the Government of India. The year under report is the third year during which these institutions have been managed by the Education Department.

2. *Admissions.*—The number of admissions during the year was 156, against 120 during the year 1901, while the number of boys in the schools at the end of the year was 454, as compared with 428 on the 31st December, 1901. The increase in the annual number of admissions since 1899, when they amounted to 99 only, is very noticeable, and emphasises the need, referred to in last year's Resolution, of ascertaining whether any of the boys admitted could not have been more suitably dealt with under the provisions relating to youthful offenders, as contained in the Criminal Procedure Code and Reformatory Schools Act.

It is satisfactory, therefore, to observe that the Boards of Management, with this object in view, examined the admissions during the year under report, with the result that 12 boys, against 4 in 1901, were released. It has been ascertained from the judicial returns that 274 youthful offenders were discharged on probation of good conduct under section 562 of the Criminal Procedure Code, and that 39 boys were discharged after admonition or made over to parents and guardians under section 31 of the Reformatory Schools Act.

3. *Health, Discipline, and Education.*—The health of the boys was, on the whole, satisfactory. The punishments imposed at the Alipore School were, as usual, much more numerous than at Hazaribagh. Boys received from the metropolitan area are, it is reported, less amenable to discipline than those from rural areas, and it has been found necessary to make provision at Alipore for the segregation of incorrigible offenders. Progress has been made as regards education at both the schools: at Alipore the Kindergarten system of teaching has been introduced, while the teaching staff has been strengthened and the school department has been reorganised. Physical development has received attention both at Alipore and Hazaribagh: it is expected that the extension of the compound of the former school, which has recently been sanctioned, will remove the difficulty which has been hitherto felt there as regards the want of a suitable play-ground.

4. *Industries.*—In accordance with the established policy of Government, boys of the agricultural classes were sent to the Hazaribagh School, where cultivation and market-gardening are specially taught, while boys belonging to the industrial castes were concentrated at the Alipore School, where they are instructed in various industries. The figures with regard to the occupations followed by boys after release are still very disappointing. Only 47 out of 151 boys released from the Alipore Reformatory during the three years preceding the year under report were, during that year, found to be engaged in the industries which they had been taught at school. Out of 227 boys released from the Hazaribagh School during the same period, only 17 out of 159 were employed in the trades which had been taught them: on the other hand, no less than 91 were engaged in agriculture, against 68 who had been trained to it, while 42 boys, who had not received any agricultural training, followed that calling on leaving the school. The obvious inference is that a correct policy has been initiated at Hazaribagh, where special attention is now being paid to the teaching of agriculture. As regards Alipore, the desirability of boys being taught the trades which they might be expected to follow in after-life was emphasised in last year's Resolution. In reply to the orders of Government on this subject, the Board of Management pointed out that it was impracticable to teach every boy the occupation followed by his caste, or by his father, as the case may be, the tables submitted by them with their report showing that the 211 boys who were, at the time, in the school belonged to 44 different castes, and that their fathers followed 63 different occupations. The Board have, however, undertaken to comply with the wishes of Government in this matter to the best of their ability, and the question is still the subject of correspondence between them and Government. In particular, the proposal to train boys for employment in jute mills and other similar institutions, which was raised in the Resolution referred to, has been under special discussion, and a report from the Board on the subject is now under consideration.

5. *Licensing.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to observe that the system of licensing out has been more extensively followed than in previous years. Besides the 18 boys already working under the license rules at the close of the year 1901, as many as 66 boys (48 from the Alipore and 18 from the Hazaribagh School) were licensed out, against 39 during the preceding year. In the case of the Alipore School it is to be regretted that no less than 16 of these boys were either rejected for bad work or threw up their positions voluntarily. The large proportion of failures shows that greater care must, in future, be exercised in the selection of boys for such employment. Notwithstanding this, the general results are decidedly hopeful, and His Honour acknowledges with pleasure that much of the success which has been secured in this matter is attributable to the assistance afforded by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce.

6. *Tracing of Discharged Boys.*—There has been some improvement as regards following up the histories of boys for three years after their release; the percentage of failure to trace out such boys to the total number discharged having fallen to 20 per cent. in the year 1901, against 34 per cent. in 1899. It seems clear, however, that Educational Officers have not yet fully realised their duties in this matter. Boys are now released in the presence of officers of the Education Department, and, as observed in last year's Resolution, that Department commands the sympathy of the people at large. In the absence, therefore, of any explanation of the large percentage of failures still reported, the Lieutenant-Governor cannot but hold that the officers of the Department have failed in this matter to attain the results which might reasonably have been expected of them.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CIVIL VETERINARY DEPARTMENT, BENGAL, AND OF THE BENGAL VETERINARY COLLEGE.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT—AGRICULTURE.

Calcutta, the 8th August, 1903.

RESOLUTION—No. 2625.

READ—

The Annual Report of the Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal, and of the Bengal Veterinary College, for the year 1902-1903.

Read also—

Letter No. 1496A., dated the 3rd July, 1903, from the Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal, submitting the above report with his remarks.

The Annual Report of the Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal, and of the Bengal Veterinary College accords, in length and form, with the instructions which have been given on the subject.

2. *Veterinary Dispensaries and Veterinary Assistants.*—During the year under review, the work of the Department was extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, where two new dispensaries were opened, viz., one at Ranchi and the other at Daltonganj, the total number of dispensaries in Bengal open at the close of the year being 20. The Lieutenant-Governor has read with pleasure the good accounts given generally of these dispensaries. His Honour also observes with satisfaction the very large increase which has occurred in the number of animals treated at these institutions, the number of in-patients received having been 903, as against 737 in the previous year, and that of out-patients 24,911, as against 8,892 in the same year. Not less remarkable is the increase in the number of cases treated in the villages by itinerating Veterinary Assistants, the large total of 21,439 having been reached during the year, as against 7,346 in the year 1901-1902. Seven additional itinerant Veterinary Assistants were appointed during the year under review, but the demand for qualified men exceeded the supply, and the requisitions of several districts could not be complied with. Although it is disappointing that a sufficient number of Assistants were not available for pressing needs during the year, it must be remembered that the Department is young, while the fact that more Assistants are required than can be supplied is no small testimony to the thoroughness of the training imparted at the Veterinary College.

3. *Epidemic Diseases.*—During the year 57 animals were admitted into the Belgachia Contagious Diseases Hospital, as against 33 in the year 1901-1902; of these, 51, which were found to be suffering from glanders, either were destroyed or died of the disease. Besides these cases, the Superintendent of the Veterinary Department reports that no less than 319 animals were found to be suffering from this malady at the Sodepore Pinjrapole, which receives nearly all its inmates from Calcutta. As mentioned in last year's report, the introduction of the Glanders and Farcy Act, XIII of 1899, into Calcutta, owing to the heavy increase of expenditure involved, has had to be deferred pending the revision of the Provincial contract. The figures quoted above show that glanders is rife in Calcutta, and indicate that the introduction of the Act is a contingency which must be provided for in the near future.

4. The number of cases of cattle-disease reported in the districts shows a slight decrease in comparison with the figures of the previous year, but there were severe outbreaks of rinderpest in Khulna, Backergunge and Palamau, in each of which districts the number of cattle attacked exceeded 4,000. Owing to the inadequacy of the staff, mention of which has been made in paragraph 2 of the Resolution, the number of cattle immunised during the year was smaller than in the preceding year, the total number operated upon having been 11,472, as against 12,829 in the year 1901-1902. The Lieutenant-Governor again observes with satisfaction the absence of all friction between the operators and the owners of the cattle immunised. Instruction

in rinderpest inoculation was given during the year at Muktesar to 23 Veterinary Assistants, who were all passed by the Imperial Bacteriologist as duly qualified.

5. *Improvement of Stock.*—The Government of India, in commenting on last year's report, discouraged the introduction of foreign stock and directed that the efforts of the Department should be specially directed towards the improvement of indigenous breeds of cattle. These orders are being borne in mind, and in the instructions issued to the Judging Committees at the various local fairs, great stress is laid upon the importance of encouraging local breeding and the improvement of indigenous stock.

6. *The Veterinary College.*—Thirty students prosecuted their studies throughout the year in the three classes of the College: of these, all but two were successful at the annual and final examinations. These results reflect the greatest credit on the Principal and his staff.

7. *Belgachia Infirmary.*—The total number of cases treated in the infirmary during the year was 2,385, showing an increase of 427 over the figures of the previous year; while 623 operations were performed, as against 473 in the year 1900-1901. It is satisfactory to observe that the reduction of fees, which was made last year with the object of encouraging the poorer classes to avail themselves of the benefits of the infirmary, resulted in a large increase in the number of horses and cattle treated as in-patients. A special grant of Rs. 29,765 was sanctioned during the year by the late Lieutenant-Governor in order to provide much-needed additional accommodation in the hospital: the new buildings were under construction at the close of the year.

8. *Financial.*—The Provincial cost of the Department exceeded that of last year by nearly Rs. 13,000. The increase was mainly caused by an increase in the cost of feeding, due to the admission of a larger number of animals at lower rates. The sum of Rs. 2,500, shown by the Superintendent of the Veterinary Department in Table XVIII, attached to the Report, as expenditure on prizes at fairs and shows, is an Imperial charge, and has been erroneously entered by him in the statement referred to. This amount has, accordingly, been omitted in calculating the Provincial cost.

9. The Lieutenant-Governor has much pleasure in acknowledging the zeal and ability with which Veterinary-Major Raymond continued to manage the Department during the year.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

WORKING OF THE FIRE-BRIGADE IN THE TOWN AND SUBURBS OF CALCUTTA AND IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF HOWRAH DURING THE YEAR 1902-1903.

NOTIFICATION—No. 2355M.

The 8th August 1903.—The following is published for general information.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 7389, dated Calcutta, the 24th June 1903.

From—R. A. D'O. BIGNELL, Esq., Commissioner of Police, Calcutta,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department.

I HAVE the honour to submit, in accordance with section 41, Act I of 1893, the following report on the working of the fire-brigade in the town and suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah during the year 1902 1903.

2. The force at the close of the year, under review, was as follows:—

No.	*Lall Bazar.*
1	Superintendent.
1	Chief Engineer.
2	Assistant Engineers.
1	European driver.
3	Tindals.
2	Native drivers.
1	Fireman.
18	Khalasis.
13	Syces.
1	Inspector of Jute Warehouse.
43	

No.	*Howrah.*
1	Engineer
1	Native driver.
5	Tindals
1	Fireman.
18	Khalasis.
3	Syces.
29	

Chitpur.

1	Engineer.
1	Native driver.
2	Tindals.
1	Fireman.
12	Khalasis.
3	Syces.
20	

No.	*Bhowanipur.*
2	Tindals.
12	Khalasis.
14	

Watgunge.

2	Tindals.
12	Khalasis
14	

Palmer's Bridge.

2	Tindals.
12	Khalasis.
14	

Hose-carts with 400 feet of hose are also kept at the Sukea's Street, Fenwick Bazar, Jora Bagan, Coomertolly, and Alipore police-stations for emergencies.

3. A statement showing the receipts and expenditure of the fire-brigade is annexed to this report. The year opened with a balance of Rs. 17,945-15-11, the receipts amounted to Rs. 84,820-11-4, and the total expenditure to Rs. 78,881-2-11, leaving a balance of Rs. 23,885-8-4 at the close of the year.

Receipts.—Fees under the Petroleum Act realised Rs. 407, as against the estimate of Rs. 700. Under the head "Fines" there was an increase of Rs. 100. The sale-proceeds of horses amounted to Rs. 550. The net result was an actual increase of Rs. 283-11-4 over the estimates.

Expenditure.—The small increase under the head "Establishment" was due to the grant of grain compensation allowance not provided for in the budget, and the decrease represents savings due to vacancies in the rank of khalasis. Under the head "Contingencies" there were savings chiefly under the following heads:—Feed and keep of horses Rs. 997-8, the price of food stuff being low during the year, Rs. 645-7-6 under the head "Clothing," owing to some articles not having been supplied within the year, Rs. 700 under "Purchase of hand-cart," Rs. 1,033-10-9 under "Purchase of horses," and Rs. 1,286-6-8 under "Rent of telephone lines," as bills for the last quarter were not received within the year. Thus the total savings were Rs. 4,663-0-11 under this head. Under the head "Other charges," the sum of Rs. 1,500 due to the Calcutta Corporation on account of cost of collection of warehouse fees for 1901-1902, which was shown as undisbursed in last year's report, was claimed

and paid for during 1902-1903, hence the increase. The large opening balance together with the net savings of Rs. 4,155-13-1, as shown in the statement, accounts for the large closing balance. In the budget estimate for 1903-1904, the anticipated balance at the close of the year under report was estimated at Rs. 17,983, and this sum, out of the actual closing balance of Rs. 23,885-8-4, has been taken as a set off in determining the contributions payable by the several municipalities during the current year.

4. The following table gives the number of fires and the way they were dealt with :—

Description of fire.	Number of fires.	Number of fires attended by Fire-brigade.	Number of fires extinguished by residents.	Number of fires attended by Port Fire Engines
1	2	3	4	5
Fires at which property destroyed valued at Rs. 50 or more	43	28	8	7*
Fires at which property destroyed valued at less than Rs. 50	72	16	56	.....

* Fire-brigade also attended at five of these fires.

5. Six of these fires occurred in buildings licensed under Act I of 1893 and Act I of 1894 in which property to the total value of Rs. 18,59,340 was destroyed.

6. The total estimated value of the property destroyed by fire was Rs. 20,76,576-8 against Rs. 9,17,632-8, the value of the property destroyed in 1901-1902.

7. Four lives were lost during the year at fires, viz , a child aged eleven years, who was slightly burnt in a fire at Choonapooker Lane in Section I town, on 20th June 1902, died at his house on the following day, a boy aged fourteen years, who was severely burnt in a fire, which took place on the 28th October 1902 at Upper Chitpur Road in Section F town, died the same day, and two men died from injuries received at a fire at Messrs. Ralli Brothers' Jute Press in Chitpur on the 25th February 1903, one at the spot, and the other at his house the same night.

8. The following were the most serious fires :—

On the 3rd November 1902.—The flat *Josephine* containing jute and mustard seed, caught fire off Salkea Ghât. The fire lasted five hours and forty-five minutes, and was extinguished by the Port Commissioners' fire-float *Hetty*. Loss estimated at Rs. 35,000.

On the 18th November 1902.—Fourteen thatched-roof sheds, containing 20,000 maunds of jute, caught fire at Domjoor in Howrah. The fire lasted for 13 hours. The steam-engine *Damooda* worked there at the request of the District Superintendent of Police, Howrah, the place being out of the jurisdiction of the Howrah Municipal limits. Loss estimated at Rs 1,50,000.

On the 28th November 1902.—Messrs. Ralli Brothers' Jute Press in a pucka two-storied building, measuring 200 feet × 100 feet × 28 feet, containing jute in bales and drums, caught fire at Ramgopal Ghose's Lane, Chitpur. The fire lasted for forty-nine hours, and was extinguished by the Calcutta Fire-Brigade and the Port Commissioners' fire-float *Hetty*. Loss estimated at Rs. 5,50,000.

On the 25th February 1903.—Messrs. Ralli Brothers' Jute Press in a large two-storied pucka building, containing 12 hydraulic jute presses and jute in bales and drums caught fire at Ramgopal Ghose's Lane, Chitpur. The fire lasted up to 9-30 A.M. of the 1st March 1903, and was extinguished by the Calcutta Fire-Brigade and the Port Commissioners' fire-floats *Hooghly* and *Hetty*. Loss estimated at Rs. 13,00,000.

On the 31st March 1903 —One large corrugated-iron godown, containing 416,132 cases of kerosine-oil, at Budge-Budge, caught fire. Loss estimated at Rs 16,58,262. This fire occurred beyond the jurisdiction of the Calcutta Fire-Brigade, but within the limits of the Calcutta Port. The fire burnt itself out after lasting for a fortnight.

9. Four licenses were granted under section 36, Act I of 1893, for letting off fire-works, rockets, &c. None of the licenses were suspended under section 37 of the Act.

10. Eleven prosecutions were instituted under Act IV of 1884 for manufacturing fire-works without licenses; in all the cases the accused were convicted and fined.

Statement showing the actual receipts and disbursements of the Fire-Brigade Fund for the year ending 31st March 1903.

Receipts.	Budget estimate for 1902-1903.	Actual receipts for 1902-1903.	Increase.	Decrease.	Payments.	Budget estimate for 1902-1903.	Actual charges for 1902-1903.	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance at the beginning of the year.	.....	17,945 15 11	.....	.....	Establishment—				
Proportionate cost payable by Corporation of Calcutta.	62,055	62,055 0 0	.....	.....	Lall Bazar	20,635	20,290 15 0	.....	344 1 0
Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality.	15,410	15,410 0 0	.....	..	Howrah	5,260	5,092 12 8	.....	167 3 4
Maniktolla Municipality ...	833	833 0 0	.....	....	Bhowanipore	1,392	1,404 0 0	12 0 0	.....
Howrah ditto	4,581	4,581 0 0	.....	.....	Watgunge	1,392	1,404 0 0	12 0 0	.....
Garden Reach Municipality ...	416	416 0 0	.....	.....	Palmer's Bridge ...	1,392	1,404 0 0	12 0 0	.....
Total ...	83,295	83,295 0 0	.....	.....	Chitpur	4,428	4,372 11 5	.....	55 4 7
					Total ...	34,499	33,968 7 1	.....	530 8 11
Fees for licenses for letting off fire-works—									
Town	.....	.....	.....	.....	Contingencies—				
Suburbs	.....	.....	..	.....	Contingencies	44,570	39,586 4 6	.....	4,983 11 6
Fees under Petroleum Act ...	700	407 0 0	.....	293 0 0	Other charges ...	3,968	5,326 7 4	1,358 7 4	.....
Total ...	700	407 0 0	.....	293 0 0	Total ...	48,538	44,912 11 10	.....	3,625 4 2
Fines under—					Grand Total ...	83,037	78,881 3 11	.....	4,155 12 1
Petroleum Act	50	199 0 0	149 0 0	.....					
Fire-Brigade Act	50	1 0 0	.....	49 0 0					
Jute Warehouse Act ...	.....	.....	.....	.....					
Total ...	100	200 0 0	149 0 0	49 0 0					
Hire of Fire-engines	20	49 11 4	29 11 4	.....					
Rent of telephone lines ...	302	302 8 0	0 8 0	.....	Closing balance	1,500	23,885 8 4	.....	.....
Sale-proceeds of unserviceable hose, &c.	100	.....	.....	100 0 0					
Miscellaneous	20	16 9 0	.....	3 3 0					
Total ...	442	368 11 4	30 3 4	103 3 0					
Sale-proceeds of horses	.....	550 0 0	550 0 0	.....					
Water pressure	.....	.....	.....	.....					
Total ...	.....	550 0 0	550 0 0	.....					
Grand Total ...	84,537	1,03,766 11 3	729 3 4	445 6 0	* Total ...	84,537	1,03,766 11 3	.....	.....

Calcutta,
The 24th June 1903.

R. A. D'O. Bignell,
Commissioner of Police.

REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE SALT DEPARTMENT IN BENGAL DURING THE YEAR 1902-1903.

The 8th August 1903.—The following extracts from the Report of the Board of Revenue on the Administration of the Salt Department in the Lower Provinces during the year 1902-1903 are published for general information.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 6393B., dated Calcutta, the 22nd July 1903.

From—H. WHEELER, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

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CHAPTER I.—PRELIMINARY.

Reduction of duty.

2. The most important incident of the year occurred towards its close and it is as yet too early to pronounce upon its effect. On and after the 18th March 1903 the rate of duty upon salt manufactured in any part of British India (other than Burma, certain mines in the Kohat district, and Aden) or imported by land into any part of British India (other than Burma) was reduced from Rs. 2-8 to Rs. 2 on each maund of 82⅔ lbs. Apart from the obvious result of a diminution of revenue likely to ensue, it will be of interest during the current year to watch the effect of this measure upon the course of prices, the rate of consumption, and the prevalence of illicit manufacture.

3. * * * * *

Administration.

There were several changes in the area under the supervision of preventive operations. In the district of Backergunge where operations had been commenced in December 1900, and where the staff had worked for two seasons in the saliferous area, the force was disbanded in June 1902, as the prevalence of illicit practices did not appear to be such as to justify its retention. The Inspector whose services were thus rendered available was deputed to the district of Noakhali to examine the evidence as to the existence there of the illicit manufacture of salt and to report on the establishment required in order to undertake preventive measures in the district. The result of his enquiries was to demonstrate that there was scope for a small special patrolling staff, and its entertainment is under consideration.

In Chittagong, the staff was reinforced by the addition of the same Inspector on the completion of his investigation in Noakhali, and it was thereby found possible to constitute a fourth range with its head-quarters at Chakaria towards the close of the year. The four ranges were grouped in two circles, each under an Inspector, and it is anticipated that a considerable improvement in administration will be thus effected. The results of the preventive operations in this district have hitherto given good promise of success, but the inadequacy of the staff working there has so far been a difficulty.

The Factory Circle in Puri was abolished on the 23rd May 1902, on which date the Tua Factory was closed. The preventive operations in the district continued as before.

In their letter No. 1336B., dated the 17th February 1903, the Board submitted their report upon the success which had attended the measures sanctioned in the Secretary of State's Despatch No. 223(Revenue), dated the 19th October 1899, in securing or increasing the revenue, and after the close of the year, their proposals for the reorganization of the Department with the object of placing the operations in each district under the control of the Magistrate-Collector with a view to its greater efficiency and more extended action, were communicated to Government with their letter No. 4048B., dated the 13th May 1903.

Special Police head-constables.

4. Under the orders of Government, No 1114T.—F., dated the 11th July 1902, the special police force entertained in the district of Midnapore for the prevention of offences against the Salt Law was abolished, and nine head-constables were employed in its place to accompany the patrol parties in the course of house-searches. An additional head-constable whose appointment was sanctioned in Government order No. 1987T.—F., dated the 18th October 1902, was employed for the same purpose in the new range in Chittagong. A question having been raised as to the legality of searches for contraband salt conducted with the assistance of head-constables travelling with a salt party outside the area of the station to which they were attached, Government in its orders No. 5728S.R., dated the 13th December 1902, to the Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, appointed such special head-constables to act as police officers in the specified areas in which they may be employed. These areas are being fixed according to the requirements of each preventive party in each district.

Wastage allowance on salt stored in inland bonded warehouses.

5. After consulting the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, on the subject of the allowance for the wastage on salt during transit to, and storage in, inland bonded warehouses, the Board submitted the report referred to in paragraph 5 of their review of the operations of the preceding year, and it is at present under the consideration of Government. Measures for the enforcement of a closer supervision over the management of these inland *golas* were also considered during the year and certain suggestions for the amendment of the rules were offered which have since been approved by Government.

Minor changes.

6. The premises occupied or owned by the Calcutta Port Trust at the Kidderpore Docks and the waterways, quays, and warehouses included therein, were excluded during the year from the Salt Law limits. No change in the existing practice was thereby effected, but what had apparently been a legal omission was rectified.

New pass-stations at Khulna in the district of Khulna, and at Kaukhali, an outpost subordinate to the Perojpur police-station in the district of Backergunge, were established, the former during the year under report and the latter shortly after its close.

CHAPTER II.—STOCKS, IMPORTS, MANUFACTURES AND CLEARANCES.

7. * * * * *

Accounts of stocks and issues.

The stocks of salt held at the commencement of the year in all *golas*, both public and private, amounted to more than 36 lakhs of maunds, or over 23 lakhs of maunds in excess of the same figure for the preceding year during which importations had been unusually heavy. The quantity of salt imported during the year under report showed a decline of nearly 28 lakhs of maunds, although it totalled over one crore and 6 lakhs of maunds and was still considerably in excess of the importations during 1900-1901. The clearances were larger than in either of the two preceding years and amounted to over one crore and 13 lakhs of maunds. After allowing for wastage, the closing balance stood at 27,53,786 maunds. At the close of the year, there were 3,50,184 maunds of salt lying afloat in ships in the Port of Calcutta against 2,06,049 maunds at the end of 1901-1902.

It appears that the existence of the large stocks in the *golas* at the close of the previous year induced a general slackness in the import trade during the year under report. The percentage of the total importations which was bonded in the Sulkea and Kidderpore Dock *golas* continued to increase steadily and amounted to 71 per cent. during 1902-1903, as against 65 per cent. in the previous year. No serious difficulty was, however, experienced in providing the bonding space required by the trade, as the clearances from bond were heavy. Temporary partitions were erected during the year in the large *golas* at Sulkea and some extra space was thus obtained, while the

permanent subdivision of 23 *golas* by masonry walls has been since approved. Such expedients, however, afford a partial remedy only, and the need of additional accommodation on a more extensive scale is under consideration. The fluctuations of the trade lend an ever changing element to the question and it is difficult to gauge the fairly constant demand to meet which storage space should be provided, but there are grounds for supposing that arrangements for further warehouse room will shortly become inevitable.

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Imports.

There was a decrease of 22·7 per cent. in the importations into Calcutta during the year. Nearly half of the total imports came from the United Kingdom, but English salt is being slowly, but steadily, replaced by salt imported from Aden and the Red Sea. Thus, as compared with 1898-99, when the quantity imported was about the same as during the year under review, the imports from the United Kingdom have decreased by nearly 10 lakhs of maunds, whereas those from Aden and the Red Sea have increased by over 12 lakhs of maunds. The steady decrease in the imports from the Persian Gulf Ports is ascribed to the gradual disappearance of the Arab sailing ships.

The importations into Chittagong again advanced by 76·9 per cent. compared with those of the previous year, in continuation of an advance of 70 per cent. during 1901-1902 in comparison with 1900-1901. The increase is attributed to larger demands from the adjacent districts owing to the facilities given by rail and boat.

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Sales of imported salt from shipboard and bond.

There was an increase of 5·4 per cent. in the sales of imported salt, of which 19 per cent. was sold from shipboard and 81 per cent. from bond. The corresponding proportions in the preceding year were 32 and 68 per cent. In Calcutta there was a fall of 38 per cent. in the sales from the importing vessel direct, while there was an increase of 30 per cent. in the sales from bond. It would appear that the practice of bonding salt will gradually supersede the procedure of direct sale from shipboard. This result necessarily follows from the supersession of sailing vessels by steam. Of the boats carrying salt to Calcutta during the year, 94 per cent. were steamers.

Transactions in the Sulkea and Kidderpore Dock *golas*.

10. The total turn-over at the Sulkea and Kidderpore Dock *golas* for the past five years is shown below :—

	Mds.
1898-99	1,08,34,957
1899-1900	1,13,87,469
1900-1901	1,21,04,343
1901-1902	1,49,52,131
1902-1903	1,54,83,932

There was an increase of over 5 lakhs of maunds in the amount of salt handled at the *golas*, notwithstanding a decrease of about 30 lakhs of maunds in the total importations. The figures testify to the popularity of the *golas*.

The turn-over at Sulkea was 1,04,09,921 maunds, against 99,70,762 maunds in the preceding year. At the Dock *golas* it was 50,74,011 maunds in comparison with 49,81,369 maunds.

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Inland bonded warehouses.

12. Four additional private warehouses were licensed during the year; three in the name of Babu Jagarnath Goberdhan Das (one in the town of Dacca and two at Narayanganj in the district of Dacca) and one in favour of Babu Gobinda Chandra Shaha, at Madaripur in the district of Faridpur. The two warehouses opened by Babu Jagarnath Goberdhan Das at Narayanganj and one belonging to Messrs. Turner, Morrison & Co. at the same place were, however, closed during the year, thus leaving 22 warehouses in all open at the close of the year.

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The quantity of salt despatched to these inland bonded warehouses from shipboard and from bond in Calcutta amounted to 12,58,709 maunds, as compared with 13,53,091 maunds during 1901-1902, a decrease of nearly 7 per cent. There was thus a check in the volume of the consignments to these warehouses, but it is to be noted that the preceding year had shown an increase of over 29 per cent. as compared with 1900-1901.

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Imports of Madras salt into Orissa.

16. The quantity of Madras *karkatch* and refined salt imported into Orissa from the different factories during the year was 8,28,823 maunds in comparison with 7,11,909 maunds in the previous year; the net increase was thus 1,16,914 maunds, or 16·4 per cent. The operations of the Oriental Salt Company from their factory at Naupada were pushed actively and were favoured by the exhaustion of the stocks of Lake salt. Thus, in Cuttack their sales rose from 1,55,722 maunds in 1901-1902 to 3,19,406 maunds during the year under review. In Puri, the sales of Madras salt from their factories and others, similarly rose from 52,970 to 95,659 maunds during 1902-1903.

The imports of Madras salt into the districts of Cuttack and Puri and the Tributary Mahals showed an aggregate increase of 1,50,954 maunds, though Balasore showed a decrease of 34,040 maunds, the net result being an increase of 1,16,914 maunds. The decrease in Balasore is attributed to the Oriental Salt Company having opened new depôts in the Kendrapara and Jajpore subdivisions in the district of Cuttack for the direct supply of Madras salt, whereas these places were formerly supplied from Chandbali.

There would seem to be a good future in Orissa for the sale of Madras salt and on the application of the Oriental Salt Company proposals were submitted to Government for the extension of the advantages of the inland bonded warehouse system to such importations. The law, as it stands at present, is applicable to salt imported by sea, only. Should this be done, a further impetus will be given to such sales which the opening of the East Coast Railway has already fostered.

CHAPTER III.—CONSUMPTION AND PRICES.

Consumption in Bengal.

17. The total quantity of salt which passed into consumption in the entire Province of Bengal during the year under review was 1,10,45,690 maunds. This is exclusive of 2,81,862 maunds, being the net exports by land, and inclusive of 16,847 maunds educed from saltpetre. In comparison with the preceding year the figures show an increase of 6,14,252 maunds, or 5·8 per cent. Of the total quantity the saliferous tracts (including the whole of Orissa) took 19,61,893 maunds, or 17·8 per cent. and the rest of the Province 90,83,797 maunds, or 82·2 per cent. The consumption per head in the saliferous tracts including Orissa was 5srs. 15chs. or 12·21 lbs., and in the rest of the Province, 5srs. 7chs. or 11·18 lbs.

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The figures are approximate only, but the corresponding averages during the preceding year having been 12·34 lbs. within the saliferous area and 10·67 lbs. in the rest of the Province, there was a slight falling off in consumption in the former and a fair degree of improvement in the latter.

The rates of consumption per head of population in the Bombay and Madras Presidencies during 1901-1902 were 10·71 lbs. and 16·02 lbs. respectively.

18. * * * * *

Consumption of salt within the Salt Law limits.

During the year under report the consumption of salt within the Salt Law area rose by 42,797 maunds in continuation of an increase of 15,902 maunds in 1901-1902 compared with its predecessor. The consumption per head showed a small decline in the districts of Howrah and Khulna. In the former illicit practices are known to prevail, and a proper establishment for their prevention has hitherto been wanting. In the district of Khulna, the existing preventive staff has never been sufficiently strong to overcome the physical difficulties of supervision or the antagonistic attitude of the people. Proposals which will render

possible more stringent measures in both districts have been submitted to Government. The results achieved in Chittagong were satisfactory.

From special enquiries made in the district of Noakhali to which attention was drawn in the Board's report on the operations of the preceding year, it appeared that the low rate of average consumption per head in that district during 1901-1902, was in the main due to the unregistered importation of licit salt into the protected area. It will be seen, however, that the figures for 1902-1903 evidence some improvement. The only district which for the last two years has failed to show an average consumption per head of five seers or more, is Midnapore, and although there has been a slight improvement during the year under review, the Board consider that there is still scope for more energetic preventive action.

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Consumption of salt in the town of Calcutta.

21. The quantity of salt consumed in the town of Calcutta during the years 1901-1902 and 1902-1903 amounted to 1,35,399 maunds and 1,52,373 maunds respectively, giving an average annual consumption of six seers and six chitaks, and seven seers and one chitak respectively, or of 13 and 14 pounds approximately per head of the population calculated on the census figures of 1901 plus the usual allowance for annual increase.

Prices of salt in Bengal generally.

22. * * * * The prices during the year under report were lower than in the preceding year in all districts, except seven (Birbhum, Howrah, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, Purnea, Puri, and Singhbhum). It was only, however, in Singhbhum that the increase of price was particularly noticeable, and it is there attributed to the larger sales of the more expensive *panga* salt in place of the cheaper *karkatch* variety previously consumed. The divisional averages fell in all cases, and the average wholesale price for the whole Province was Rs. 3-10-9 per maund as compared with Rs 3-12-8 in 1901-1902, showing a fall of about two annas. Except at Muzaffarpur (where, however, the rise was small), the average price of salt per maund in the principal provincial bazars was lower than in the preceding year. The average for the twelve marts for which figures are quoted was Rs. 3-9-2 against Rs. 3-11-9 in 1901-1902, being a decrease of two annas seven pies per maund.

The average wholesale price of Liverpool salt per hundred maunds as sold from the ship's side in the port of Calcutta, exclusive of duty, amounted to Rs. 56 3-9, as compared with Rs. 69-11-5 in 1901-1902, a decrease of Rs. 13-7-8. The fall in price is ascribed to the large stocks in hand and to the general depression in the trade. The selling price of Liverpool salt per hundred maunds, exclusive of duty, which in 1901-1902 varied from Rs. 70-5-8 to Rs. 57-4-6, ranged in the year under report from Rs. 64-10-8 to Rs. 47-8-8.

CHAPTER IV.—PREVENTIVE MEASURES.

Preventive operations in the saliferous districts.

23. Operations for the prevention of illicit manufacture of salt were carried on, as in previous years, in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Midnapore, Khulna, Chittagong, and of the Orissa Division. Howrah, in so far as it was dealt with at all, continued to be worked by a small party under the Inspector of the Tamluk circle, in the district of Midnapore, under the immediate supervision and control of the Assistant Commissioner. Mention has already been made of the cessation of preventive operations in Backergunge.

Attachments, releases and confiscations in the saliferous districts, including Orissa.

24. During the year under review, illicit salt was attached, released, and confiscated in 1,163, 5 and 887 cases respectively, as against 929, 12 and 908 in the previous year, to the extent of 261, 85 and 155 maunds against 684, 546 and 150 maunds during the year 1901-1902. There was thus a decrease of 423 maunds, or 61·8 per cent., in the quantity attached, and an increase of 6 maunds, or 4 per cent., in the quantity confiscated. On an average about 9 seers of salt were attached and 7 seers confiscated in each case, as against 29½ seers and 6½ seers, respectively, in 1901-1902.

Number of seizures and unsuccessful searches.

25. The number of seizures and unsuccessful house-searches during the year under review was 1,228 and 12, respectively, as against 1,491 and 42 in the previous year. There were no unsuccessful house-searches in the districts of Puri, the 24-Parganas, Khulna and Howrah, while in the districts of Balasore, Cuttack, Midnapore and Chittagong the number of such searches was very small in comparison with the number of seizures effected. The general percentage of unsuccessful house-searches to seizures is also inconsiderable being only ·97 against 2·81 in the previous year.

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Number of cases instituted under Acts VII (B.C.) of 1864 and XII of 1882.

There were 813 prosecutions during the year, against 1,238 in 1901-1902: out of 1,017 persons arrested and brought to trial, 817 were convicted, showing a percentage of 80. Cases of illicit manufacture of salt (section 9, Act XII of 1882) numbered 673, as compared with 953 in the previous year. The proportion of persons convicted of this offence was 79 per cent. of those brought to trial. The decrease in the number of cases chiefly took place in the districts marginally noted, all of which during the preceding year had shown a still larger increase in comparison with the year 1900-1901. In the 24-Parganas the decrease is attributed to the diminution of crime owing to the success of the preventive operations, and to the unfavourable character of the manufacturing season during which frequent thunderstorms repeatedly destroyed the efflorescence and rendered the soil unfit for scraping. The decrease in Balasore is reported to be due to a decrease in crime. In Puri it is ascribed partly to the prosperous condition of the cultivating class, who are as a rule driven to the manufacture of salt only on failure of their crops, and partly, as in the 24-Parganas, to the rains that fell during the year, both before and after the monsoon, far into the salt manufacturing season. There was no case of the possession of spontaneous or swamp salt during the year. It is reported that 27 cases in the 24 Parganas, 35 cases in Midnapore and 10 cases in Puri were lost, owing to the failure of police officers to attend house-searches. The cases were brought to the notice of the Magistrates concerned, and the police officers were suitably dealt with. During the year 31 opium cases were detected by the salt officers as against 39 in the previous year. A ganja case under the Excise Act was reported by the salt officers in Chittagong.

24-Parganas	...	175
Balasore	...	66
Puri	...	88

It is reported that except in certain saline areas in the district of Balasore, where the crops were below the average owing to the failure of the rains, the state of the harvests and the condition of the people were good.

Fines, forfeitures and rewards.

27. The fines and forfeitures realised during the year amounted to Rs. 7,689-0-5, while Rs. 6,567-10-8 were disbursed as rewards, as compared with Rs. 9,703-13-6 and Rs. 10,169-8-7 realised and disbursed during 1901-1902.

CHAPTER V.—FINANCIAL RESULTS.

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Receipts and charges.

The results of the year, as compared with those of 1901-1902, show an increase of Rs. 7,70,656, or 2·9 per cent., in the receipts and a decrease of Rs. 77,023, or 14·8 per cent., in the charges, giving a net revenue of Rs. 2,63,61,090, which is in excess of that obtained during 1901-1902 by Rs. 8,47,679, or 3·3 per cent. The increase in receipts occurs mainly under the two heads of the Import Duty on Salt and Rent of Warehouses; the former was due to the heavier clearances from bond owing to a falling off in the importations, and the latter to the larger stocks of salt in the *golas* throughout the year. There was a marked fall in the excise duty on salt owing to the exhaustion of the stocks of Lake salt in Orissa.

30. There was an increase of Rs. 17,046 in the charges under the head "Salaries, Warehouses and Rewards" and a decrease of Rs. 84,341 under that of "Refunds of Customs Duty on Salt." * * * * * * . The sub-heads "Salaries of Establishment" and "Rents, Rates and Taxes" were mainly responsible for the increase; the

charges on account of establishment were raised by the opening of new bonded salt warehouses, * * , and to an increase in the overtime fees paid at Chittagong and in the pay of the menials at the Sulkea *golas*. The increase under the head "Rents, Rates and Taxes" was due to the higher rents paid to the Port Commissioners for the larger stocks stored in the Dock *golas* and to the larger payments to the Municipality owing to the increase in the number of *golas* occupied at Sulkea. The sub-heads "Rewards to Informers" and "Petty Construction and Repairs" showed a decrease. The former was attributable to the fewer cases sent up by the police at Chittagong.

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* * * . The charges during the year under report, amounted in all to Rs. 2,20,363, against Rs. 2,20,904 in the previous year, showing a decrease of Rs. 541, or ·2 per cent.

Charges of the Bengal Salt Department.

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36. The quantity of salt educed in the manufacture of saltpetre and removed from all the refineries in the Province on payment of duty during the year was 16,847 maunds as compared with 17,974 maunds similarly removed in 1901-1902.

Trade in saltpetre.

37. In the beginning of the year there were five saltpetre refineries at work in Calcutta and its environs, of which the licenses remained in force up to the 31st July 1902. In August the licenses of four refiners were renewed—two for refining saltpetre and the remaining two for refining saltpetre and educing salt therefrom. These refineries are situated, one at Soorah, two at Kakurgachi, and one at Ultadingi.

Saltpetre refineries in and about Calcutta.

The quantity of refined saltpetre produced was 44,903 maunds in comparison with 50,571 maunds, and the quantity of salt educed was 2,588 maunds against 5,594 maunds in 1901-1902. The quantity of salt excised was 1,201 maunds against 3,040* maunds in the preceding year. Educed salt is used locally in the manufacture of soap and for freezing purposes. In previous years a small quantity used to be exported to Burdwan, but for reasons unknown, this exportation has ceased.

The total receipts from license fees and duty amounted to Rs. 3,162 against Rs. 7,850 in 1901-1902, showing a decrease of Rs. 4,688, which is attributed to the general depression in the trade. The decline is reported by the Assistant Commissioner to be due to the fact that in former years Bihar used to manufacture only *crude* saltpetre, which came down to Calcutta in order to be refined for export. Bihar has now commenced to refine its *crude* saltpetre; and in consequence of the cost of labour and of fuel being less in that part of the country than in Calcutta, the Bihar refiners are able to compete successfully.

38. In the 24-Parganas, no survey was made of the saline tracts in the Diamond Harbour and Matla circles. In the Sundarbans circle, out of 25 lots, four villages and three islands, remaining to be surveyed at the end of the previous year, seven lots only were surveyed during the year. The insufficient progress made in the work is reported to be due to the frequent resignations of the officers employed. In the Midnapore district 18 villages out of 1,300 in the Tamluk circle and 20 villages out of 1,691 in the Contai circle were surveyed during the year by the regular staff of inspecting and detective officers of the district. No survey of saline areas was undertaken during the year in the district of Chittagong. The subject of surveying saline tracts has engaged the attention of the Commissioner of Salt, and the officers concerned have been directed to push on the work as fast as they can with the existing staff.

Survey of salt tracts.

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46. Mr. T. Inglis was in charge of the office of the Commissioner of Excise and Salt throughout the year, and the Board desire to recognise his services. The Board's thanks are also due to Mr. L. F. Morshead, the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, and to Mr. A. S. Judge, Superintendent of the Preventive Service and Salt *Golas*, Calcutta, for their work during the year.

Concluding remarks.

* Revised figures.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MARINE DEPARTMENT FOR 1902-1903.

No. 1294Marine.

Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 7th August 1903.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

Letter No. 2723, dated the 21st July 1903, from the Port Officer, Calcutta, submitting the Annual Report of his Department for the year 1902-1903.

AT the commencement of the year, the number of Pilots on the list was 49, or 3 short of the sanctioned number of 52. At the close of the year the number stood the same.

2. The number of vessels that arrived at the port during the year was 1,310, and of those that sailed from it 1,303, the total number of arrivals and departures having thus been 2,613, or 90 less than that of the previous year.

These figures represent a gross tonnage of 4,543,340 inwards and 4,514,004 outwards. The average tonnage of steam and sailing vessels, inwards and outwards, was 3,466, against 3,401 of the previous year.

3. The pilotage receipts during the year amounted to Rs. 11,53,222, against Rs. 11,30,598 during the previous year. Of the total number of vessels which visited the port, only 30 were sailing vessels.

4. Ten vessels were neaped for want of sufficient depth of water over the bars, against nine during the previous year. The average detention was 3·4 days. It is also reported that many vessels left short of cargo to avoid detention. The number of vessels detained at the Sandheads for want of Pilots was 17, compared with 24 in the previous year. The shortest detention was for 6 hours and the longest for 35 hours and 30 minutes. The average detention was for 18 hours and 33 minutes. The longest detention was due to a south-west gale; the others were due to a number of vessels arriving at the same time.

5. There were three collisions during the year, while the number of groundings was 18. In two cases of collision the Pilots concerned were to blame, while in respect to the groundings, the Pilots were held to blame in six instances.

6. Thirty-two preliminary enquiries into casualties to vessels were held by the Port Officer, of which six were referred to Special Courts of Enquiry. A further Special Court of Enquiry was held to enquire into the cause of an accident to a vessel while in charge of a Harbour Master. In nine cases the Pilots were held to blame, and they were suitably dealt with.

7. One hundred and twenty-six candidates appeared at the examinations for Colonial and Home Trade certificates of competency, of whom 73 passed. One hundred and thirty-one candidates also appeared at the different examinations for certificates of competency as Masters, Serangs, Engineers, and Engine-drivers under Act VI of 1884. Of these, 54 passed.

8. Mr. G. Robertson performed the duties of First Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor throughout the year, while Mr. F. Olford performed the duties of Second Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor. The gross receipts from surveys amounted to Rs. 39,588.

9. The work of the Department was conducted by Commander E. J. Beaumont, R.I.M., throughout the year. Lieutenant W. B. Huddleston, R.I.M., Assistant Port Officer and Deputy Shipping Master, reverted to the Royal Indian Marine on proceeding to England on one year's leave from the 1st October 1902, making over charge of his duties to Lieutenant C. B. Henley, R.I.M.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. A. INGLIS,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 10th August 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 8·84, Kalna 5·60, Katwa 2·01, Raniganj 3·94. Weather cloudy with occasional shower. Transplantation of *aman* is going on. Sugarcane, *aus*, and jute doing well. Fodder sufficient. Water insufficient in parts of thanas Katwa and Mangalkot. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 11 seers at Sadar.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·93, Rampur Hât 3·42. Weather seasonable. The rainfall was in the latter part of the week. Transplantation commenced. Sugarcane doing well. Rice sells at 10½ seers a rupee. Fodder sufficient.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·10, Vishnupur 3·61. Rain sufficient for transplantation throughout the district. Common rice sells at 10 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·95, Contai 4·3, Tamluk 9·04, Ghatal 5·04. Transplantation continues. More rain wanted in Sadar subdivision. Prospects improved in other subdivisions. Paddy damaged by insects. Jute doing well. Weather seasonable. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Contai	12	0	
Tamluk	11	12	
Ghatal	11	0	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·93, Serampore 5·32, Arambagh 5·14. Prospects of standing crops fair. More rain wanted for transplantation at Kristonagore and Singur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Serampore	9	14	
Arambagh	9	12	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·22. Weather cloudy and seasonable. The condition of standing crops good. Transplantation of *aman* paddy is in progress. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice is selling at 10½ seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·01, Barasat 8·11, Basirhat 4·57, Diamond Harbour 8·58. Weather cool. More rain wanted in the Sadar and Basirhat subdivisions. *Aus* and jute doing well. Prospects brighter than in the last week. Transplantation of *aman* going on briskly. Common rice sells at 11¾ seers per rupee except in Diamond Harbour, where it sells at 10 seers per rupee. Condition of cattle good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 8·30, Kushtia 3·22, Meherpur 5·03, Chuadanga 7·80, Ranaghat 7·99. Rainfall general. State of standing crops much improved since 5th; still more rain wanted in Kushtia and Meherpur subdivisions. No cause of any great anxiety for the present. Transplantation of *aman* going on vigorously. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kushtia	11	0	
Meherpur	11	4	
Chuadanga	12	0	
Ranaghat	11	8	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·10, Kandi 8·15, Jangipur 1·45, Lalbagh 3·50. Weather cloudy and rainy. Transplantation of paddy in Kandi subdivision going on briskly and standing crops much benefited by the rains. In Jangipur subdivision the rainfall, though scanty, has done immense good to *bhadoi*, but heavy rain urgently needed for transplantation of winter rice. Jute and sugarcane thriving in Lalbagh subdivision. Want of rain keenly felt. Prospects of *aman* and *aus* not satisfactory. No progress in transplantation; those transplanted have begun to die. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	Not reported.		
Kandi	11	0	per rupee.
Jangipur	11	12	
Lalbagh	11	0	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·16, Jhenida 4·28, Magura 1·16, Narail 2·83, Bangaon 3·58. Recent rain has done much good to standing crops and prospects greatly improved. Transplantation now going on vigorously. Weather hot and cloudy. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee
Jhenida	12	0	
Magura	12	0	
Narail	12	5	
Bangaon	12	5	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·99, Bagerhat 3·87, Satkhira 4·21. Weather seasonable. More rain still urgently wanted. Transplantation of winter rice progressing and estimated at 60 per cent. *Til* sowings estimated at 77 per cent. Paddy plants were withering at places for insufficient rainfall. Prospects somewhat improved by recent rain. Cattle-disease reported from Khulna, Dumuria, Morelganj, Kaligunge, and Budhatta. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	12	per rupee.
Bagerhat	13	0	
Satkhira	11	0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·18, Nator 2·16, and Naugaon 1·64. Prospects of standing crops better. There have been some showers of late, but more rain is wanted. Jute suffering. Transplantation of winter rice slowly going on. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·29. Slight fall throughout this district. Weather seasonable. Standing crops fair. More rain urgently wanted for transplantation of winter rice and for growth of *bhadoi* and jute. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice is selling at 13 seers a rupee.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·34, Alipur Duars 1·50. Weather hot. Transplantation of *haimanti* paddy going on. More rain wanted. *Bhadoi* paddy and jute doing well. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere. Common rice sells at 11½ seers a rupee.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall 7·55. Weather wet. *Hills—Bhutta, phapher kagni, chota marua* and *bhadoi dhan* maturing. *Bara marua* and *haimanti dhan* being sown. *Terai*—Winter rice being transplanted. Prospects fair. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Hills	9	0	per rupee.
Terai	13	0	

Bhutta sells at Darjeeling at 13 seers and at Kalimpong at 12 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·19, Nilphamari 0·76. Kurigram 0·50. Weather hot. Rain badly wanted for transplantation of *aman*. Cutting of jute retarded for want of water. Harvesting of *bhadoi* going on. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Nilphamari	11	8	
Kurigram	12	0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·41. Slight fall everywhere. Weather hot and cloudy, with passing showers. More rain urgently needed for transplantation. Cutting of *aus* and jute going on. Common rice sells at 14¼ seers a rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·29, Sirajganj 1·60. Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. More rain is urgently wanted everywhere. Autumn rice is being harvested. Jute reported to be bad owing to want of rain. *Rabi til* outturn 100 per cent. Cattle-pox in Chatmohar. Common rice sells at 12 seers 12 chitaks a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·99. Fall general. Prospects of crop fair. Weather hot and cloudy. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12¾ seers a rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·87, Kishorganj 2·68, Jamalpur 2·41, Netrokona 4·22, Tangail 0·15. Weather hot and cloudy. Condition of crops a little improved by recent rain. More rain pressingly needed for transplantation of rice. Outturn of *til* estimated at 87 per cent. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Kishorganj	13	0	
Jamalpur	15	0	
Netrokona	14	14	
Tangail	13	8	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·00, Goalundo 1·68, Madaripur 0·87. Weather seasonable. Constant heavy shower. Prospects of paddy improving owing to recent rain. Jute steeping in progress. Fodder available. Common rice sells at 13 seers per rupee.

Backerganj—Rainfall general. Sadar 5·19. Cutting of autumn and transplanting of winter rice continue. Jute harvesting begins. Cattle-disease reported from Patuakhali, Pirojpur, and Dakhin Shahbaspur subdivisions. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Aman	12 8	per rupee.
Aus	13 8	

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·85, Brahmanbaria 2·82, Chandpur 3·14. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects good. Harvesting of *aus*, reaping of jute, and transplantation of winter rice going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Sadar thana. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.
Sadar	14 0
Brahmanbaria	16 13
Chandpur	13 12

Noakhali.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·15, Feni 10·01. Weather showery. More rain wanted. Prospects improved, though not good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13½ seers and at Feni at 16 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 9·78, Cox's Bazar 16·38. More rain wanted. Cultivation of *aman* crop going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported. Common rice selling at 12 seers 10 chitaks per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Rainfall 3·78. Weather cool with occasional showers. Transplantation of winter paddy commenced. *Jhoom* paddy ripening with prospect below average. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 13 seers a rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Patna 0·90, Dinapore 2·84, Barh 2·35, Bihar 1·93, Bikram 3·35, Hilsa 0·45. Weather showery and somewhat cooler than last week. The rain during the week has improved the prospect of *bhadoi* which was withering, but has done little for *dhan* in many places. Owing to want of rain the paddy had not been transplanted, and the seedlings have withered. Prices have risen everywhere and now are the same as last year in Barh and Bihar, and slightly lower in the Sadar and Dinapore. Prices of common rice are as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	12 0	per rupee.
Barh	11 8	
Bihar	10 0	
Dinapore	12 8	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·17, Nawadah 7·03, Jahanabad 1·40, Aurangabad 4·07. Weather rainy. There has been a general rainfall throughout the district. It has saved the *bhadoi* crops and the paddy seedlings. Transplantation of the latter taken up. More rain still wanted in Jahanabad. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Average price of common rice is 11 seers per rupee.

Shahabad.—Rainfall at Arrah 2·96, Buxar 5·28, Bhabhua 3·63, Sasaram 7·82, Dehri 6·16. The recent rain has much improved the prospects of the standing crops and removed the anxiety. Paddy-sowing in progress. Prices have fallen. Rice sells at Sadar at 11 seers per rupee.

Saran.—Rainfall at Chapra 2·60, Siwan 2·49, Gopalganj 2·06. Weather cloudy and rainy. Rainfall during the week has been only beneficial to the *bhadoi* crops. More rain wanted for transplantation of winter rice. Cattle-disease at Manjhi continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices are—Common rice sells at 13 seers and maize at 20 seers per rupee at Chapra.

Champaran.—Rainfall at Motihari 3·89, Bettiah 2·80. Rain has been beneficial to standing crops. Prospects of *bhadoi* favourable. Rice being transplanted in some parts, but more rain wanted. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 16 seers and maize at 32 seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·41, Hajipur 1·75 and Sitamarhi ·56. Weather hot and generally cloudy. Rain of the week has given life to the crops. Transplantation of paddy in few places in Sitamarhi subdivision and weeding of *bhadoi* crops going on. More rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices are—Common rice 12 seers and maize 20 seers a rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·48, Samastipur 0·75, Madhubani 1·69. Weather hot and cloudy with east wind. Rainfall has done much good to the *bhadoi*, but more rain is wanted for transplantation of paddy. Prospect of *bhadoi* somewhat promising. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells as follows :—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	4	per rupee
Samastipur	11	0	
Madhubani	13	5	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·54, Begusarai ·69, Jamui 2 24. Weather hot and cloudy. Sugarcane doing well. Ground caked hard and *bhadoi* almost spoilt in parts. In many places paddy, *janera*, chilli, *kodo* and *ahua* could not be cultivated for want of rain. Recent rains have done immense good to the standing paddy and *bhadoi* crops. Prospects very little and gloomy. Water sufficient. Fodder scarce in some places. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	14	per rupee.
Begusarai	11	0	
Jamui	11	0	

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 2 49, Banka 4·52, Madhipur 5·66, Supaul 1·44. Weather cooler and cloudy. In Sadar and Banka subdivisions, rain has saved late sown *makai* for present, but has come too late for early *makai*. It has enabled cultivators to plough for transplantation of paddy, but has only been sufficient to enable transplantation to begin in a small area round Banka. Heavy rain at an early date is urgently needed. The condition of seedlings has improved. Crops are doing well in thanas Madhipura and Kishanganj. But rain urgently needed in thana Bangaon and in Supaul subdivision to enable transplantation to be completed. It is at present stopped for want of rain. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle-disease is reported. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	10	per rupee.
Banka	10	0	
Madhipura	14	0	
Supaul	13	0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 1 97, Kishanganj 2 41, Araria 3·65. Fall general. Transplantation of *aghani dhan* going on, but more rain is wanted everywhere. Weather hot and cloudy. Cattle-disease reported from Forbesganj thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 11 seers and at Kishenganj and Araria at 12 seers per rupee

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·21, Chanchal 2·54, Shibganj 4·25, Gazole 1·09. State of *bhadoi*, jute, *makai* and other standing crops little improved by the recent rain. More rain is urgently needed for transplantation of winter rice. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-pox reported from Tulsihatta and Kharba thanas. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Sonthal Parganas.—Rainfall at Dumka 2·41, Deoghar 4 20, Godda 1·18, Jamtara 1·78, Pakaur 1 00, Rajmahal 1·55. Weather hot and cloudy; at Deoghar rainy. Transplantation of winter rice being pushed on at Dumka and Deoghar. But in other subdivisions it has almost stopped Prospects of *bhadoi* improved. Indian-corn favourable. More rain generally needed Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice continues to sell at 11 seers per rupee at Dumka.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·30. Fall general. More rain wanted. Weeding and transplantation of *sarad* going on; *beali* in ears. Fodder and water available. Common rice sells at 14 seers 7 chitaks per rupee at Cuttack.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·62. Fall general. *Beali* paddy being weeded and in ears at places. *Sarad* crop being puddled and transplanted. Miscellaneous crops thriving. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee both at Sadar and at Bhadrak.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·55, Bisipara 3 03. Weather cloudy and hot. Puddling and transplantation of paddy in progress. Common rice sells at 14 seers and 13½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals respectively.

Puri.—Rainfall 2·63 inches. Weather cloudy, hot, and rainy. Puddling and transplanting of winter rice continues. Miscellaneous crops growing well. Sugarcane leaves are being tied. Cotton pods are being plucked. Harvesting of *dalua* paddy nearly completed. Outturn 12 annas. Weeding of *beali* paddy going on. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·76, Giridih 2·57. There was more or less rainfall in all parts of the district Transplantation of paddy commenced everywhere; but more rain is badly wanted. Prospects of early *bhadoi* crops are moderate; they are backward, but not seriously injured. Fodder sufficient. Water still scarce. Generally speaking crops are good in the south of the district, but suffering somewhat in the north. Common rice sells at 11 seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·97. Weather cloudy. State of standing crops good. Transplantation of paddy continues, but more rain is wanted. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 11 seers and at Gumla at 16 seers per rupee.

Palamau.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·55. Weather hot and cloudy. Though small at Sadar, heavy falls of 5 and 6 inches were recorded in the district. Prospects of *bhadoi* crops enormously improved; but owing to comparatively local character of rain, their condition is not uniform: 8 to 10-anna crop may still be hoped for. Transplantation of winter rice begun in about 90 per cent. of the villages. If good rain recurs in 10 days, 12-anna rice crop is still possible. Cattle-disease continues. Prices have risen greatly. Common rice sells at 10 seers 2 chitaks and maize 16 seers 14 chitaks per rupee. They will fall if rain again comes.

Manbhum.—Rainfal at Sadar 3·47, Gobindpur 5·81. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops fair Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Barrabazar. Common rice sells at Sadar and Gobindpur at 9 seers per rupee.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 4·68. Rain not yet seasonable. More downpours needed. Transplantation going on. Fodder sufficient. Weather hot. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

General Summary.—Rainfall during the week was general but unequally distributed and, in some districts very insufficient. In Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Saran, and Palamau the prospects of the *bhadoi* crop are much improved, but more rain is still urgently needed for the winter rice crop. Standing crops in Monghyr and Bhagalpur have benefited by the recent rain, but transplantation is retarded for want of more rain. Most of the districts urgently require more rain; prospects generally have improved, but are still unfavourable. Cattle-disease reported from 12 districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in 18 districts, has fallen in 4, and is stationary in the remainder.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 11th August, 1903.

Meteorological Report of the Province of

STATION OBSER

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Representative stations.	Air Pressure.					Wind.		Temperature.					
				Highest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Lowest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Mean, 8 A.M., reduced to 32°.	Mean reduced to sea-level and constant gravity, Lat. 45°.	Variation from normal mean.	Mean direction at 8 A.M.	Mean velocity in miles daily.	Highest of month.	Lowest of month.	Mean daily maximum temperature.	Mean daily minimum temperature.	Mean daily temperature.	Variation from normal mean.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Burdwan	29·586	29·364	29·471	29·517	−·018	S59°E.	112	95·4	76·3	92·0	79·4	85·7	+0·9
			Raniganj	29·361	29·161	29·239	29·519	−·010	S48°E	66	?	77·3	?	79·0	?	?
		Birbhum	.....													
		Bankura	Bankura	29·358	29·154	29·242	29·488	−·019	S88°E	125	98·1	76·4	92·4	79·0	85·7	+1·9
		Midnapore	Midnapore	29·534	29·336	29·413	29·506	−·035	S54°E	77	97·3	76·7	91·7	79·1	85·4	+1·4
		Hooghly	.....													
		Howrah	.....													
	Presidency	24-Parganas	Saugor Island	29·666	29·373	29·531	29·500	−·039	S25°E	388	92·4	77·6	90·6	81·5	86·1	+1·9
		Calcutta	Calcutta	29·675	29·430	29·555	29·522	−·014	S45°E	122	93·9	75·4	90·6	79·5	85·1	+1·3
		Nadia	Krishnagar	29·647	29·436	29·541	29·536	+·011	S42°E	129	97·5	74·5	91·9	79·4	85·6	+1·8
		Murshidabad	Berhampore	29·622	29·431	29·531	29·536	−·008	S49°E	114	95·8	76·8	92·5	79·5	86·0	+1·2
		Jessore	Jessore	29·658	29·453	29·560	29·539	−·013	S50°E	128	94·0	76·7	90·4	79·6	85·0	+0·2
		Khulna	.....													
North Bengal.	Rajshahi	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	29·619	29·439	29·526	29·545	+·003	S37°E	65	94·1	73·1	91·2	79·6	85·5	+1·9
		Dinajpur	Dinajpur	29·559	29·396	29·486	29·562	+·010	S71°E	80	93·8	72·5	90 2	79·1	84·6	+0·7
		Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	22·403	29·240	29·316	29·577	+·006	N74°E	28	93 9	72·6	89 8	77·4	83·6	+1·1
		Darjeeling	Darjeeling	21·980	21·834	22·023	—	+·010	N76°E	67	71·2	56·1	67·6	58·1	62·9	+1·9
		Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	29·547	29·384	29·474	29·584	—	S52°E	86	93 4	75·1	89·2	75·9	84·0	—
		Rangpur	Rangpur	29·570	29·408	29·505	29·582	+·017	S53°E	674	93·7	73·8	90·1	78·5	84·3	+0·5
		Bogra	Bogra	29·633	29·486	29·547	29·560	+·015	S79°E	101	93·2	72·2	90·3	78·7	84·5	+0·7
		Pabna	Sirajganj	29·670	29 494	29·580	29·579	+·014	S47°E	80	91·3	73·7	89 6	79·1	84·4	+1·3
East Bengal.	Dacca	Dacca	Narayanganj	29·602	29·503	29·599	29·573	+·001	S62°E	183	93·1	?	89·3	?	?	?
		Mymensingh	Mymensingh	29·666	29·477	29·577	29·567	+·008	S48°E	86	92·2	74·6	88·7	78·6	83·6	+1·1
		Faridpur	Faridpur	29·677	29·485	29·575	29·559	−·017	S47°E	122	90·8	73·4	88·8	78·7	83·8	+0·9
		Backergunge	Barisal	29 700	29·501	29·604	29·563	−·001	S41°E	124	90·3	76·1	87·8	79·6	83·6	+0·7
	Chittagong	Tippera	Comilla	29·701	29·509	29·607	29·591	+·010	S47°E	139	93·3	73·8	89·5	77·5	83·5	+1·5
		Noakhali	Noakhali	29·684	29·486	29·589	29·579	−·014	S43°E	204	89·2	74·9	87·1	78·5	82·8	+1·8
		Chittagong	Chittagong	29·651	29·443	29·555	29·590	−·023	S46°E	210	92·0	74·6	88·8	77·8	83·3	+1·3
		Chittagong Hill Tracts	.....													
Behar.	Patna	Patna	Bankipore	29·467	29·286	29·380	29·513	−·010	S38°E	243	107·5	78·2	96·7	81·6	89·2	+4·2
		Gaya	Gaya	29 264	29·120	29·178	29·495	−·012	N88°E	84	108·3	78·3	99·1	83·8	91·0	+5·9
		Shahabad	Dehri	29·370	29·114	29·181	29·483	−·053	S84°E	206	109·9	76·0	98·4	a81·5	a90·0	+5·6
			Buxar	29·383	29·205	29·299	29·489	−·022	S79°E	140	107·0	74·1	97·4	81·3	89·4	+5·2
			Arrah	29·444	29·273	29·308	29·505	+·006	S86°E	107	106·9	78·1	97·0	82·1	89·6	+4·8
		Saran	Chapra	29·462	29·275	29·371	29·508	0	S81°E	129	105·9	78·6	97·6	81·3	89·4	+4·6
		Champaran	Motihari	29·436	29·249	29·351	29·531	+·002	N84°E	143	96·4	73·0	92·5	79·3	85·9	+1·6
		Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	29·457	29·292	29·392	29·531	+·007	S76°E	132	97·3	74·7	93·7	79·9	86·8	—
		Darbhanga	Darbhanga	29·496	29·314	29·417	29·535	+·001	S76°E	99	96·5	75·8	91·9	80·0	85·7	+1·0
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr	.....													
		Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	29·501	29·311	a29·413	a29·523	+·010	?	?	104·3	74·6	b98·4	b80·1	b87·8	+3·6
		Purnea	Purnea	29·546	29·366	29·470	29·549	+·001	S83°E	78	96·7	75·7	91·4	79·3	85·4	+1·0
		Malda	Malda	29·583	29·406	29·499	29·552	−·001	S88°E	190	93·6	77·0	91·6	80·0	85 8	+1·3
		Santhal Parganas	Naya Dumka	29·193	29·020	29·085	29·528	+·001	S61°E	137	97·5	76·4	93·5	78·6	85·7	+2·5
Orissa.	Orissa	Cuttack	Cuttack	29·637	29·202	29·476	29·497	−·045	S76°W	76	98·4	75·7	91·6	79·2	85·5	+1·3
			False Point	29·688	29·320	29·534	29·496	−·053	S56°W	252	91·5	76·1	88·0	79·7	83·9	+0·8
		Balasore	Balasore	29·636	29·351	29·507	29·498	−·033	S18°W	135	96·4	74·3	90·3	78·5	84·4	+0·9
		Puri	Puri	29·695	29·337	29·538	29·499	−·039	S65°W	305	91·7	76·6	88·0	80·6	84·3	—
			Gopalpur	29·695	29·364	29·547	29·507	−·043	S52°W	334	94·7	75·5	88·3	79·5	83·9	+0·8
Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh	27·662	27·493	27·568	29·500	−·026	S27°E	205	97 2	71·8	89·6	75·7	82·6	+3·6
		Ranchi	Ranchi	27·574	27·301	27·450	29·501	−·033	S24°E	251	96·4	69·9	87·3	74·6	81·0	+2·8
		Palamau	Daltonganj	28·925	28·734	28·809	29·494	—	N87°E	107	107·1	72·5	97·3	80·6	89·0	—
		Manbhum	Purulia	28·854	28·657	28·736	29·496	—	S49°E	133	100·6	75·4	93·7	77·9	85·4	—
		Singhbhum	Chaibasa	28·925	28·670	28·787	29·490	−·034	S65°E	28	100 7	74·3	91·3	78·4	84·8	+1·3
Assam.	.....	Dibrugarh	Dibrugarh	29·366	29·230	29·298	29·609	—	S37°W	24	96·2	72·0	88·5	75·9	82·2	—
		Sibsagar	Sibsagar	29·366	29·243	29·316	29·603	−·016	S14°E	50	93·2	75·4	89·1	78 6	83·9	−0·1
		Tezpur	Tezpur	29·464	29·317	29·392	29·601	—	S48°E	73	96·7	73·9	90·0	77·7	83·9	—
		Kamrup	Gauhati	29·516	29·372	29·446	29·594	—	S79°W	46	96·5	74·0	91·4	78·3	84·9	—
		Goalpara	Dhubri	29·583	29·417	29 509	29·579	0	S45°E	69	91·5	78·7	87·4	78·3	83·9	+0·3
		Cachar	Silchar	29·644	29·437	29·539	29·615	−·009	E	67	93·6	74·5	91·3	77·6	84·5	+0·9
		Khasi and Jaintia Hills.	Shillong	25·942	24·930	24·984	—	—	N60°E	77	82·7	60·5	76·6	64·1	70·4	—
			Cherrapunji	25 593	25·463	25·529	—	—	S71°W	178	80·8	62·0	75·9	65·5	69·7	—

(a) Mean of 30 days. | (b) Mean of 29 days.

Bengal for the month of July 1903.

VATIONS.

DISTRICT OBSERVATIONS.

Humidity.		Cloud.		Rainfall.	Rainfall— Of month.					Rainfall— Since 16th of May 1903.					District.
Mean, 8 A.M.	Variation from normal mean.	Mean cloud amount, 8 A.M.	Variation from normal mean, 8 A.M.		Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	
87	+2	7·3	−1·2	9·81	6·11	12·25	−6·14	11·60	15·46	16·25	25·37	−9·12	35·00	30·63	Burdwan.
87	—	5·9	—	4·79	3·79	13·49	−9·70	7·83	16·10	13·54	27·57	−13·03	20 83	31 67	
85	—	5·4	—	6·78	7·26	12·32	−4·96	13·00	15·82	15·44	25·80	−10·36	24 60	30·54	Birbhum.
87	—	4·7	—	10·06	6·86	12·01	−5·66	13·88	14·79	16·99	25·72	−6·73	25 64	30·06	Bankura.
					7·09	12·05	−4·96	15·00	16 40	20·17	25·48	−5·31	29·33	32·87	Midnapore.
85	−5	7·5	−0·8	7·40	11·59	11·53	+0·06	16·67	17·03	24·30	25·33	−1·13	30·00	33·88	Hooghly.
86	−1	7·6	−1·9	6·35	7·22	13·00	−5 78	13·29	16·64	18·48	26 89	−8·46	27·15	33·18	Howrah.
88	—	6·5	—	5·86	6·35	12·31	−5·96	15·00	18·96	18·28	26·30	−8·02	26·00	35·52	24-Parganas.
87	+1	7·8	−1·4	4·63	5·34	10·26	−5·02	9·30	15·47	18·31	24·06	−5·75	26·00	32·63	Calcutta.
88	−3	(a)7·7	−1·7	4·32	4·17	10·93	−6·76	8·50	15·31	18·47	24·31	−5·84	24·88	31·42	Nadia.
					5·76	10·64	−4·88	11·60	16·08	23·15	26·10	−2·95	31·80	34·40	Murshidabad.
					5·28	13·10	−7·82	11·40	17·60	19·91	29·34	−9·43	28·60	36·10	Jessore.
															Khulna.
85	—	5·1	—	4·20	3·86	11·31	−7·95	7·17	15·29	17·66	26·07	−8·41	23·00	31·98	Rajshahi.
88	—	8·3	—	13·04	9·27	16·17	−6·90	11·60	16·74	24·08	33·82	−9·79	29·60	33 51	Dinajpur.
90	—	4·8	—	16·59	28·80	33·22	−4·42	18·50	20·99	63·72	68 86	−5·14	43·50	46·63	Jalpaiguri.
94	0	(g)7·9	−0·9	15 80	19·88	31·91	−12·05	20·17	24·74	51·10	60·20	−9·10	44·34	53·22	Darjeeling.
91	—	8·6	—	23·54	19·82	23·85	−4·03	16·80	18·23	63·13	60·47	+2·66	41·80	44·14	Cooch Behar.
87	—	6·5	—	17·16	15·05	14·81	+0·24	11·88	14·53	48·15	33·42	+4·73	34·51	34·95	Rangpur.
88	—	7·4	—	9·11	8·79	13·26	−4·47	9·75	15·77	28 65	30·91	−2·26	29·00	34·48	Bogra.
91	—	7·6	—	4·75	5·34	11·06	−5·72	6·00	15·80	18·52	26·99	−8·47	24·50	33·99	Pabna.
91	+3	7·1	−0·8	4·70	6·85	13·95	−6·10	10·80	17·45	26·03	31·13	−4·19	34·00	38·01	Dacca.
87	—	7·3	—	18·09	12·99	16·47	−3·48	16·88	17·51	45·93	41·27	+4·66	43·26	39·50	Mymensingh.
90	—	5·5	—	7·21	7·47	11·73	−4·26	11·33	16·43	24·14	28·66	−4·52	30·33	36·00	Faridpur.
91	—	5·9	—	8·29	9·33	17·45	−8·13	15·29	20·29	26·53	39·73	−13·21	37·44	43·12	Backergunge.
87	—	5·8	—	8·31	6·92	13·39	−6·47	9·86	16·43	31·40	33·68	−2 28	33·82	36·70	Tippera.
86	—	5·6	—	7·62	7·17	24·01	−16·84	13·50	21·68	33·93	53·37	−19·44	36·00	44·63	Noakhali.
83	−5	4·8	−3·1	11·59	13·24	26·16	−12·92	15·29	20·68	34·23	56·87	−22·64	36·14	44·25	Chittagong.
					10·04	19·13	−9·11	19·50	21·59	34·56	46·14	−11·59	44·00	46·58	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
80	−8	5·0	−3·3	3·74	2·68	13·40	−9·73	5·33	14·37	5·86	21·13	−15·40	11·33	23·69	Patna.
(c)73	−7	5·2	−3·7	4·45	3·10	13·40	−9·30	5·23	14·19	5·96	19·76	−13 78	11·85	22·80	Gaya.
78	—	5·6	—	2·17											
74	—	4·8	—	3·17	3·01	12·60	−9·68	5·25	13·00	6·76	19·48	−13·72	11·67	23 58	Shahabad.
76	—	3·5	—	2·85											
77	—	3·9	—	1·47	3·90	11·77	−8·87	5·67	13 34	9·21	20·48	−11·07	13·50	23 28	Saran.
84	—	4·1	—	5·51	6·77	13·78	−6·95	8·25	15·83	21·07	24·63	−3·56	23 75	25·72	Champaran.
86	—	2·1	—	2·66	3·09	13·03	−9·94	4·63	13·08	11·62	20·88	−9·26	13·63	23·88	Muzaffarpur.
87	+3	5·9	−0·7	5·02	4·63	12·59	−7·96	7·40	13·94	15·96	21·48	−5·52	20·40	23·97	Darbhanga.
(c)80	—	(a)4·9	—	3·89	2·69	13·32	−10·64	5·20	14·68	8·28	22·16	−13·90	14·40	24·66	Monghyr.
86	0	5·1	−2·4	10·38	4·46	13·72	−8·26	7·63	14·75	14·84	23·12	−8·28	20·66	26 69	Bhagalpur.
86	—	6·0	—	4·01	5·15	15·16	−10·01	9·57	17·40	21·53	34·23	−12·70	22·66	33·19	Purnea.
86	—	3·6	—	6·04	4·06	13·91	−8·85	8·50	16·47	15 61	26 00	−10·39	23·75	31·67	Malda.
					5·56	13·69	−7·13	9·41	13·67	13·14	24·03	−10·89	20·39	29 78	Santhal Parganas.
83	+1	6·9	−0·7	14·10											
85	−3	8·2	0	8·00	13·08	11·89	+1·19	16·25	14·79	23·93	34·36	−1·63	27·31	27·95	Cuttack.
84	—	5·0	—	15·69											
86	—	6·5	—	12·18	13·48	12·01	+1·47	16·80	14·03	23·16	24·64	−1·49	29·83	23·96	Balasore.
85	—	5·2	—	10·76	15·92	10·26	+5·66	13·33	13·64	23·95	21·22	+1·73	22·33	24·85	Puri.
78	−8	9·1	−2·0	7·40											
87	—	7·6	—	11·60	6·17	14·33	−8·16	13·00	16·73	10·89	24·03	−5·44	21·00	26 56	Hazaribagh.
74	—	4·2	—	4·42	10·43	14·38	−3·95	16·00	17·01	16·96	25·03	−8·09	25·67	30·04	Ranchi.
86	—	6·3	—	5·17	5·23	13·65	−8·62	7·25	16·01	8·69	21·41	−12·72	14·36	25 28	Palamau.
85	—	5·2	—	6·72	6·92	12·81	−5·89	14·29	16·34	13·63	24·20	−10·57	24·06	30·60	Manbhum.
					13·35	15·06	−1·38	15·60	16·51	24·67	27·75	−3·08	29·90	31·91	Singbhum.
93	—	8·0	—	13·99											
93	+2	9·5	+0·3	14·10											Dibrugarh.
89	—	8·9	—	11·29											Sibsagar.
86	—	7·1	—	5·99											Tezpur.
90	+2	7·7	+1·4	17·10											Kamrup.
90	+4	9·0	+0·8	13·41											Goalpara.
83	—	6·6	—	31·00											Cachar.
96	—	3·5	—	94·18											Khasi and Jaintia Hills.

(g) Mean of 17 days.

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan.	Burdwan	Kalna	...	...	...	0·53	...	...	...	1·07	0·50	0·76	1·39	...	0·04	0·03	0·12	0·70	...	...	0·17	0·95
			Burdwan	0·81	...	...	...	0·34	...	0·10	...	0·33	...	3·95	...	...	...	0·02	0·82	0 27	0·07	0·08	0·34
			Katwa	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·02	0·03	0·55	0·11	...	...	0·05	0·12	0·05	0·02	...	0·41	0·06
			Raniganj	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	0·39	0·03	0·04	...	0·40	0·09	0·28	0 32	0·52	...	0·11	0 86
			Mankur	...	...	...	...	1·17	...	...	...	...	...	1·15	...	...	0·35	...	0·50	0·11	...	...	...
		Birbhum	Suri	2·31	...	...	0·08	...	0·40	...	...	0·15	0·08	0·58	...	...	0·10	0·02	0·42	0·24	...	...	0·85
			Hetampur	1·13	...	...	...	...	1·06	...	...	0·18	.	...	...	0·02	...	0·08	0·50	0 34	...	0·02	0·65
			Rampur Hat	0·23	...	...	...	...	0·89	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·13	...	...	0·52
			Bolpur	0·23	...	...	...	...	0·75	...	...	...	0·28	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·36	0·41	...	0·14	0·32
			Murari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 80
			Labpur	0·30	...	...	...	...	1·28	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·02	0·20	...	...	...	0·81
		Bankura	Bankura	0·78	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	0·47	...	0·22	0·09	0·49	0·57	...	...	0·01	0·85
			Vishnupur	1·23	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	2·04	...	..	0·15	0·20	0·25	0·75	...	0·19	0·30
			Maliara	0·05	...	...	...	...	0·69	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	1·12	0·18	...	0·20	0·54
			Khatra	0·13	...	...	...	1·29	2·80	0·13	0·15	..	...	2·41	0·05	0·04	0·03	0·07	0·02	...	...	0·13	0·15
			Indas	0·07	...	...	...	0·52	...	...	...	1·16	0·14	1·10	...	0·07	0·08	0·02	0·73	0·20	...	1·43	0·19
			Kotalpur	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	0·45	1·65	...	...	0·32	0·22	0·24	0·11	...	0·25	0·16
			Onda	1·41	...	...	...	...	0·63	...	...	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	0·29	0·25	0·04	...	0·05	0·97
			Gangajalghati	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	0·03	...	0·08	...	0·06	0·27	...	0·38	0·13	0·27
			Raipur	0·75	...	...	...	...	3·32	...	...	..	...	...	0·92	...	0·45	0·60	1·05	0·25	...	...	1·17
			Sonamukhi	3·55	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	1·48	...	2·24	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·20	0·04	0·41	0·21
		Midnapore	Contai	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	...	0·09	0·27	0·06	1·33	0·08	0·13	1·06	0·48
			Tamluk	...	0·18	...	0·19	...	..	...	...	...	...	0 70	...	.	0·71	..	...	...	...	0·99	1·20
			Midnapore	...	0·39	...	0·12	.	0·10	...	...	...	...	1·51	...	0·55	1·00	0·43	0·41	0·29	0·10	0·10	0·32
			Ghatal	2·48	...	...	...	0·71	...	...	...	...	...	0·91	0·05	...	0·07	0·23	0·32	0·31	...	0·15	1·09
			Kukrahaty	...	...	0·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·23	0·32	...	0·09	...	0·14	0·33	...	0·17	0·85
			Garhbeta	...	...	0·50	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	..	0·25	0·27	...	0·16	...	0·13	0·32
			Panskura	0·15	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·47	...	...	0 30	0·24	1·07	0·65	0·15	...	0·49
			Dantan	...	...	.	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	0·83	...	...	...	0·77	...	0·02	0·22
		Hooghly	Serampore	0·02	2·25	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·56	...	0·54	...	...	0·34	0·18	0·08	0·19	...	0·22	0·53
			Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·12	0·13	...	0·73	...	0·13	...	...	0·12	0·65	...	0·12	0·24
			Arambagh (Jahanabad).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 62	...	0·40	...	0·10	0·10	0·17	0·26	0·48	...	0·35	0·50
		Howrah	Howrah	5·06	0·11	...	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	1·13	0·07	...	0·29	0·17	0·11	.	0·30	0·38	0·15
			Mahesreka	0·20	0 83	...	3·27	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	0·53	...	0·07	0·09	0·15	0·31	0·55	...	0·20	1·15
			Uluharia	...	0·13	...	2 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·13	...	0·29	0 12	0·13	0·37	0·20	0·03	1·23	0·33
			Amta	...	0 25	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·55	...	0·02	0·04	0·09	0·36	0·11	...	0·09	1·30
	24-Parganas.	24-Parganas	Saugor Island	...	...	0 05	0·02	..	...	...	...	..	...	0·32	...	0·03	0·31	0·07	0·10	0·06	0 05	0·25	0·67
			Diamond Harbour.	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	1·49	...	0·35	0·20	0·25	0·32	...	0·34	0·12
			Budge-Budge	...	2·38	...	0·30	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·69	...	0·44	0·24	0·29	0·27	0·02	...	0·68	0·56
			Canning Town	...	1·25	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	0·30	0·09	...	0·20	0 15	0·05	0·15	0·23
			Alipore (Obsy.)	...	1·60	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	0 03	0·34	0·10	0·29	0·01	.	0·45	0·71
			Barrackpore	...	2·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	...	0·47	...	...	0·34	0·25	...	0 12	...	0·27	0·60
			Dum-Dum	...	1·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·15	...	...	0·32	0·48	0 39	0·06	...	0·48	0·34
			Baraset	...	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	4·03	0·04	0·21	0·03	0·43	0·41	0·00	...	0·21	0·30
			Basirhat	...	1·01	...	...	...	...	0·91	0·49	...	...	0·83	...	...	...	0·17	0·34	...	0·16	0·39	0·10
		Nadia	Ranaghat	...	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	3·20	...	...	1·75	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	1·95
			Krishnagar	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·03	2·36	...	0·18	0·08	0·31	0 05	0·06	...	0·04	0·10
			Chuadanga	0·49	...	...	0·89	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	1·27	...	0 06	...	0·09	0·02	0·11	...	0 06	0 09
			Meherpur	...	0·14	...	0 05	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	1·23	0·04	...	...	0·01	...	0·10	0·08	...	...
			Kushtia	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·04	0·86	0·03	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·02
		Murshidabad	Kandi	0·02	...	...	...	...	1·29	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·11	0·24
			Berhampore	...	...	...	...	...	1·17	...	2·43	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·03	0·18	...	...	0·03
			Lalbagh	0·03	...	.	...	...	3·50	...	2·00	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	0·10	0 85
			Azimganj	0·75	...	0·03	...	...	2·06	0·22	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·05
			Jangipur	...	...	0·23	0·33	...	0·18	...	0·39	...	0·80	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	0·44
			Lalgola	...	...	0·05	...	0·28	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·32	..	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	1·00
			Akriganj	1·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	...	0·11	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	0·13	0·45
			Patkabari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Dumkal	0·18	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	1·10	...	...	0·19	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	0·13
		Jessore	Narail	0·53	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	0·23	1·01	0·45	...	...	...	0·02	0·13	0·13	0·03	0·04	0·07
			Jessore	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·78	...	0·05	...	...	1·42	...	...	...	0·07	0·10	0·03	0·01	0·30	0·15
			Jhenida	2·08	0·10	...	...	0·13	...	0·10	0·08	...	0·18	0·50	...	0·49	...	0·04	...	0·14	...	0·38	...
			Magura	3·95	1·23	...	0·23	...	...	...	0·33	...	0·19	0·34	...	0·48	0·17	0·02	...	0·05	0·21	0·06	0·08
			Bangaon	...	0·08	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	2·17	...	0·14	...	...	0·84	0·15	...	0·14	0·35
		Khulna	Satkhira	...	2·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	1·49	...	...	0·40	...	...	0·10	...	..	0·09
			Bagerhat	0·48	...	0·03	0·05	...	...	0·05	0 20	...	...	0·35	0·02	0·03	0·49	0·17	0·03	...	...	0·23	0·13
			Khulna	...	...	0·10	0·10	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·14	0·27	...	...	...	0·84	0·70
			Kaliganj	...	0·50	..	3·15	...	...	0·40	...	...	0·65	...	...	0·10	...	...	0 70	...	...	0·35	...
			Nakipur	...	...	2·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	0·63	...	0·36	0·29	...	...	...	0·59
			Dumuria	0·15	0·05	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·59	...	...	...	...	0·44	0·19	0·18	0·23	0·13	0·05	0·32	0·13
			Rampal	0·53	0·50	0·23	...	...	...	0·14	.	...	...	...	0·10	0·34	0·58	0·25	0·10	...	0·25	0·70	0·04
			Kalaroa	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·45	0 20	0·25	0·03	0·20	0 27
			Paikgacha	...	1·01	1·08	0·65	...	...	0·35	..	...	...	1·00	...	0·53	0·27	0·40	0·10	0·08	0·42	...	0·03
			Mollahat	...	0·02	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·22	0·12	0·03	.	0·05	0·12	0·03	0·01	...	0·03
			Morelganj	...	0·47	...	0·62	...	...	0·06	0·07	...	...	0·05	1·85	0·25	0·14	0·40	0·36	0·05	...	0·15	0·75
			Tala	...	2·50	0·50	0·50	...	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	1·08	0·14	...	0·02	0·20	0·08	0·23	0·70	0·45
North Bengal.	Rajshahi.	Rajshahi	Boalia	0·35	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	0·11	...	1·16	0·04	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	0·47	0·56
			Nator	0·09	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	0·20	...	1·04	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·48
			Naugaon	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0 45	...	0·70	0·32	...	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·69
			Lalpur	0 82	...	...	0·23	...	..	..	1·11	...	2·51	1·05	...	0·04	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	0·14
			Manda	...	0·04	...	...	1·32	...	0·11	...	...	1·08	..	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·04	0·30	
			Mahadebpur	0·64	...	1·17	0 04	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·35	...	0·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·57
			Tanor	...	...	...	0·10	1·05	...	0·10	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	1·05
		Dinajpur	*Nithpur*	...	...	0·48	0·23	...	1·82	...	...	...	0·46	1·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20
			Nawabganj	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	4·56	...	2·91	3·59	0·69	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	0·91
			Gangarampur	...	...	...	1·00	...	0·06	...	2 56	...	2·82	0·42	0·70	0·01	0·32	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·66
			Churaman	...	...	0·23	0·19	...	0·85	...	...	0·35	0·15	0·80	0·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21
			Raiganj	...	...	0·17	0·02	...	1·25	...	0·74	...	1·10	0·05	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 36
			Dinajpur	...	0·71	0·01	0 37	...	0·36	...	0·50	0·43	5·67	1·72	2·32	0·02	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	0·23
			Balughat	...	...	0·17	1·06	...	0·03	0·22	3·18	0·19	0·62	3·47	1·04	0·45	0·58	...	...	...	...	...	0·64
			Thakurgaon	0·42	1·23	...	...	...	...	1·06	1·28	0·52	2·00	0·36	0·25	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25
			Setabganj	1·35	0·80	...	1·05	...	...	0·30	0·70	...	3·70	0 05	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	1·35
			Ramganj	0·38	0·77	...	0·14	0·03	...	...	0·48	...	2·39	0·03	0·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	0·31
			Atwari	0·62	0·39	...	0·05	0·41	2·48	0·16	0·35	...	0·53	0 72	...	...	...	0·53	...	0·02	0·48	0·11	0·15
			Birganj	0·65	1·36	0·18	1·00	...	...	...	1·06	0·05	2·70	0·28	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·65
			Parbatipur	0·19	0·04	0·29	3·03	0·04	...	...	0·68	1·24	4·00	1·73	4·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·07

in Bengal in July 1903.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 31st July 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 31st July.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
0·59	0·30	0·38	...	0·48	0·07	0·39	0·62	0·24	...	...	16	18·71	9·50	11·24	1·39	24·83	24·26	Kalna	Burdwan.	Burdwan.	
...	...	0·58	0·25	0·23	...	0·09	0·61	0·58	0·94	...	14	16·10	9·81	12·33	3·95	21·95	25·75	Burdwan.			
0·11	...	0·53	0·09	0·11	0·17	...	0·05	0·02	0·03	...	8	15·23	2·67	10·71	0·55	10·17	23·60	Katwa.			
0·54	0·39	0·05	0·12	0·11	...	...	0·09	0·05	0·10	...	13	16·39	4·79	14·15	0·58	13·04	26·57	Raniganj.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·35	...	7	15·88	3·76	12·82	1·17	10·48	26·66	Mankur.			
0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·68	0·06	...	10	17·38	5·91	18·89	2·31	11·52	26·15	Suri	Birbhum.		
0·17	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·03	0·18	...	...	8	16·52	5·29	12·76	1·96	11·36	25·84	Hetampur.			
...	0·26	...	0·02	0·18	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	8	16·18	3·08	11·33	0·89	13·67	24·29	Rampur Hât.			
0·37	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	10	16·80	3·11	11·64	0·76	12·46	25·22	Bolpur.			
...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	0·28	...	0·60	...	4	17·17	1·95	14·92	0·80	12·41	29·09	Murari.			
0·04	...	0·06	0·11	0·05	...	...	0·07	...	0·11	...	7	15·88	3·41	11·40	1·28	14·10	24·85	Labpur.			
...	0·30	...	0·59	0·22	0·05	...	0·01	0·11	0·14	0·01	12	16·46	4·78	12·67	0·75	15·25	25·52	Bankura	Bankura.		
0·15	0·11	0·00	1·11	0·25	...	0·03	0·45	0·10	0·09	0·16	17	16·48	8·39	11·85	2·04	13·90	26·03	Vishnupur			
0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·47	...	...	8	16·43	3·62	12·63	1·12	13·24	25·06	Maliara			
0·13	0·16	0·21	0·65	0·12	0·56	0·54	0·60	0·25	0·08	0·51	16	16·05	11·01	13·46	2·60	20·23	28·45	Khatra.			
...	...	0·23	0·39	0·03	...	...	0·50	0·52	0·71	...	13	15·94	8·17	12·07	1·43	15·64	26·11	Indas.			South-West Bengal.
...	...	0·39	0·31	0·17	...	0·16	0·12	0·14	0·46	...	15	13·25	5·17	12·85	1·65	11·87	26·07	Kotalpur.			
...	...	...	0·39	0·51	...	0·19	0·14	...	0·04	...	10	14·06	5·16	10·83	1·41	12·41	22·32	Onda.			
...	0·46	...	0·48	0·22	...	...	...	0·08	0·05	...	8	14·13	2·73	12·16	0·48	10·48	26·10	Gangajalghati.			
0·28	1·59	0·14	0·43	0·05	...	0·56	1·10	...	0·71	...	15	16·56	13·07	12·27	3·32	24·77	27·52	Raipur.			
0·24	0·16	...	0·23	...	...	...	0·41	0·14	0·32	...	14	14·94	10·52	11·63	3·56	16·56	24·59	Sonamukhi.			
...	...	0·42	1·09	0·35	...	...	0·17	0·31	0·04	0·06	11	15·52	7·47	14·52	1·50	17·45	27·22	Contai	Midnapore.		
...	0·06	...	...	0·86	...	...	0·26	...	0·12	...	9	13·37	5·27	12·12	1·20	16·71	24·65	Tamluk.			
0·09	1·25	0·36	0·50	0·03	...	...	0·58	0·41	0·13	0·51	19	15·95	9·23	12·56	1·51	19·03	25·63	Midnapore.			
0·05	...	6·38	0·46	0·13	...	0·01	0·36	0·02	0·12	0·11	15	15·36	8·50	13·47	2·48	23·27	25·32	Ghatal.			
0·58	0·41	1·71	0·83	0·07	...	...	0·21	0·16	...	...	13	15·00	7·31	12·58	1·71	14·08	26·38	Kukrahaty.			
0·06	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·55	0·60	0·40	0·23	13	15·63	4·47	12·88	0·60	15·81	26·94	Garhbeta.			
0·11	...	...	0·59	0·02	...	0·02	0·12	0·04	0·17	...	13	14·38	5·57	11·09	1·47	15·58	24·93	Panskura.			
...	0·86	1·56	0·54	...	...	...	0·05	0·18	0·08	...	10	13·13	6·71	12·13	1·56	14·42	24·06	Dantan.			
0·28	0·05	0·08	0·34	0·12	0·15	...	0·36	0·42	0·45	...	15	17·30	7·00	12·64	2·25	21·44	25·51	Serampore	Hooghly.		
0·32	...	0·60	0·35	0·13	...	0·12	0·09	0·22	0·67	...	15	16·39	5·34	11·37	4·12	19·19	25·67	Hooghly.			
0·03	...	0·29	0·72	0·37	...	...	0·21	0·16	0·57	0·09	15	15·30	5·44	12·13	0·62	19·91	25·37	*Arambagh* (Jahanabad).			
...	...	1·28	0·12	0·36	...	...	0·76	0·33	...	...	14	18·06	10·52	12·04	5·00	28·90	26·05	Howrah	Howrah.		
0·42	0·07	1·55	0·92	0·17	...	0·14	0·22	0·65	0·18	...	17	16·35	11·96	12·14	3·27	25·61	25·22	Mohesreka			
0·38	0·23	2·98	0·37	0·38	...	0·33	0·42	0·50	0·32	...	19	16·07	12·30	10·43	2·98	24·41	24·75	Uluberia			
0·11	...	0·85	0·66	0·27	...	0·25	0·37	0·57	0·36	...	13	?	7·75	?	1·60	21·18	?	*Amta.*			
0·16	0·44	0·15	1·94	0·56	0·04	...	0·26	0·07	0·17	0·08	13	16·74	7·40	15·72	1·94	20·42	29·21	Saugor Island	24-Parganas.	Presidency.	
...	2·30	0·62	0·40	0·30	0·03	0·02	0·09	0·02	0·17	...	14	17·23	7·83	14·96	3·30	13·70	23·14	Diamond Harbour.			
0·41	...	4·50	0·45	0·15	...	0·10	0·40	0·25	0·53	...	17	?	13·26	?	4·50	25·50	?	*Budge-Budge.*			
0·86	0·13	0·45	0·30	0·56	...	0·26	0·09	0·05	0·09	...	13	16·94	5·59	12·61	1·25	15·89	27·75	Canning Town.			
0·10	0·06	0·74	0·51	0·45	...	0·11	0·10	0·21	0·03	...	15	18·96	6·35	12·31	1·60	18·28	26·30	Alipore (Obsy).			
0·30	...	0·20	0·19	...	0·15	...	0·15	0·40	...	0·15	15	15·94	6·06	11·98	2·06	19·14	25·09	Barrackpore.			
0·53	...	...	0·21	0·27	...	...	0·19	0·15	...	...	12	17·08	7·53	11·96	2·15	24·36	26·09	Dum-Dum.			
0·40	0·05	...	0·06	0·29	...	0·21	...	0·65	...	...	12	16·13	9·75	10·96	4·93	19·64	24·13	Barasat.			
0·21	...	...	0·52	0·55	0·06	...	0·13	0·04	0·34	...	14	16·49	6·36	12·82	1·01	15·81	27·84	Basirhat.			
0·25	...	2·60	...	0·25	0·26	0·45	...	0·15	0·40	0·11	13	14·68	10·07	10·55	3·20	24·26	23·73	Ranaghat	Nadia.		
0·04	0·03	0·01	0·08	0·11	0·37	...	0·07	0·43	0·27	...	11	16·67	5·86	10·36	2·38	19·92	23·41	Krishnagar.			
...	0·31	0·16	0·08	0·16	0·07	0·04	0·13	0·05	0·20	...	9	15·26	5·11	10·29	1·97	17·34	23·90	Chuadanga.			
0·06	0·10	0·18	0·03	0·05	...	0·04	0·12	0·04	...	...	6	15·68	2·99	10·11	1·83	14·25	23·56	Meherpur.			
0·10	...	...	...	0·34	0·08	...	0·01	0·46	0·15	...	7	15·84	2·69	10·50	0·86	16·79	25·70	Kushtia.			
0·13	...	0·45	0·12	0·65	0·08	0·17	0·14	0·07	0·29	—	10	15·92	3·43	12·16	1·29	15·67	25·04	Kandi	Murshidabad.		
0·04	...	0·26	0·03	...	0·02	0·21	0·04	0·11	0·04	...	6	15·71	4·03	10·52	2·48	16·78	23·50	Berhampore.			
...	...	—	0·02	0·33	0·15	...	...	0·05	0·05	...	8	15·64	6·73	12·03	3·50	20·66	24·56	Lalbagh.			
...	...	...	...	0·05	0·17	...	0·21	0·04	0·80	...	7	15·60	4·75	10·75	2·08	16·68	23·56	Azimganj.			
0·37	...	0·05	...	0·08	0·14	...	...	0·08	0·22	...	11	15·73	4·04	10·92	0·83	18·43	23·43	Jangipur.			
...	...	0·08	0·37	0·15	...	0·25	0·07	...	...	...	7	16·78	2·64	11·49	1·00	16·33	24·81	Lalgola.			
...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·16	...	...	10	15·67	3·48	11·34	1·17	19·62	27·04	Akriganj.			
												12·00		8·85			22·87	Patkabari.			
...	0·33	...	...	0·30	0·30	...	...	...	0·32	...	9	15·05	3·84	10·28	1·10	13·33	24·23	Dumkal.			
0·53	...	...	0·19	0·51	0·28	...	0·12	0·13	0·31	0·09	14	15·30	4·85	9·83	1·01	22·87	24·52	Narail	Jessore.		
...	...	0·09	0·11	0·62	0·25	...	0·09	0·05	0·17	0·06	9	17·52	4·33	11·62	1·42	24·51	28·76	Jessore.			
...	...	...	0·14	0·35	...	...	0·13	...	0·24	...	13	16·00	5·07	10·29	2·05	26·46	25·93	Jhenidah.			
0·84	...	0·29	...	0·38	...	...	0·06	0·27	0·05	...	12	16·19	6·97	10·61	3·93	24·20	26·66	Magura.			
0·26	0·53	...	0·08	0·07	...	0·19	0·09	0·05	0·49	...	11	15·48	5·55	10·66	2·17	17·61	24·62	Bangaon.			
...	0·30	0·05	...	0·29	...	0·30	...	0·30	...	0·10	10	17·65	5·84	12·35	2·22	20·89	27·39	Satkhira	Khulna.		
0·58	...	...	0·18	0·36	...	...	0·03	0·01	...	0·11	12	19·80	4·66	14·53	0·63	19·89	32·73	Bagerhat.			
0·30	0·64	0·05	0·44	0·70	0·10	0·02	0·04	0·10	...	...	12	18·37	4·38	12·28	0·70	21·05	28·34	Khulna.			
...	...	...	0·45	0·55	...	...	...	0·30	0·22	...	11	?	7·17	?	3·15	24·81	?	*Kaliganj.*			
0·22	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	15·27	5·06	12·63	3·57	17·24	28·55	Nakipur.			
0·23	0·37	0·15	0·25	0·45	0·08	0·03	0·21	0·16	0·50	...	17	?	5·16	?	0·59	21·29	?	*Dumuria.*			
...	...	0·33	0·97	0·60	...	0·09	...	0·08	0·10	0·03	15	16·00	5·91	13·71	0·97	20·50	29·70	Rampal.			
0·26	0·28	...	0·15	0·50	0·04	...	0·01	0·26	0·50	...	13	?	4·21	?	0·65	16·74	?	*Kalaroa.*			
...	0·16	0·23	0·72	0·30	...	0·17	...	0·19	...	0·20	18	?	8·18	?	1·05	24·19	?	*Paikgacha.*			
0·05	...	0·04	0·12	0·08	...	0·01	0·02	0·01	...	...	4	?	1·04	?	0·22	18·55	?	*Mollahat.*			
0·62	...	...	0·11	0·38	...	...	0·12	0·09	0·15	0·13	16	?	7·82	?	1·85	29·49	?	*Morelganj.*			
1·27	...	0·27	0·05	0·11	0·05	...	0·03	0·22	...	...	15	?	9·60	?	2·50	27·43	?	*Tala.*			
0·07	...	0·04	0·01	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	18·15	3·89	11·40	1·16	17·74	25·54	Boalia	Rajshahi.	Rajshahi.	
0·12	0·04	...	...	0·16	0·26	...	...	0·03	0·04	...	8	16·00	3·44	12·73	1·04	16·82	27·85	Nator.			
0·03	...	...	...	0·37	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	8	15·72	2·85	12·12	0·70	20·58	28·30	Naugaon.			North Bengal.
...	...	...	...	0·10	0·07	...	...	0·19	...	...	6	14·60	6·23	9·75	2·51	17·55	23·54	Lalpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	14·53	3·02	12·04	1·32	14·00	24·85	Manda.			
0·20	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	15·74	3·74	12·78	1·17	19·35	27·44	Mahadebpur.			
0·25	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	8	?	3·30	?	1·05	14·13	?	*Tanor.*			
0·12	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	?	5·81	?	1·82	16·01	?	*Nitpur*	Dinajpur.		
...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	?	13·04	?	4·36	?	?	*Nawabganj.*			
0·33	0·16	0·02	0·07	...	0·08	0·02	...	...	0·45	...	10	?	9·71	?	2·62	24·41	?	*Gangarampur.*			
...	0·26	0·68	...	0·23	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	12	15·86	4·51	14·41	0·85	13·20	28·91	Churaman.			
1·06	1·60	...	...	0·03	0·02	0·01	...	...	...	...	8	17·40	7·03	15·65	1·60	21·17	32·43	Raiganj.			
0·95	0·01	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	0·03	...	12	16·36	13·04	15·23	5·67	33·41	35·92	Dinajpur.			
1·01	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	14	16·33	12·35	13·19	3·47	24·84	28·46	Balughat			
0·17	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	17·77	8·61	22·38	2·00	28·49	43·39	Thakurgaon			
0·80	1·50	...	0·05	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·77	...	12	?	12·72	?	3·70	37·01	?	*Setabganj.*			
1·57	1·00	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	?	8·23	?	2·89	37·48	?	*Ramganj.*			
0·39	1·09	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·38	...	0·04	0·73	17	?	9·73	?	3·48	26·13	?	*Atwari.*			
0·37	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·99	...	12	?	9·81	?	2·70	36·30	?	*Birganj.*			
...	1·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	11	?	16·89	?	4·12	37·39	?	*Parbatipur.*			

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
NORTH BENGAL—*concluded.*	Rajshahi—*concluded.*	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri	0·06	1·46	0·07	1 53	1·32	...	2 82	0·21	1·57	0·38	2 48	0·16	...	1·37	..	...	..	0·25	...	0·08
			Alipur Duar	0·15	0·48	3·71	2·90	0·24	...	0·46	2·61	2·29	1·08	3 18	0·47	..	1·10	...	...	1·05	0 32	0·16	0·56
			Falakata ...	0·15	0·80	0·25	2 32	0 03	..	0 70	0 12	1·91	..	1·52	0·50	0·10	0 09	...	...	0·36	0·27	0·04	0·04
			Debiganj ...	0·32	2·65	.	0·22	0·17	0·32	0 09	0·30	0·22	1·45	1·84	0·03	...	...	1·04	...	...	...	...	...
			Bhagatpur (*Nagrakatta*).	5·80	1·17	1·22	3·90	...	1 80	0·40	1 06	3·25	3 40	4·00	0 35	...	0·13	...	...	0·08	1·35	0·12	0·86
			Baxa	2·90	2·63	2·44	6·35	1·51	6·30	10·30	3 50	7·90	4·14	1·29	...	...	...	0 05	...	1·63	2·16	0·40	0·05
			Kalchini ...	2·23	1·21	2 57	...	0·71	2·32	0·61	3·53	2·88	2·04	0·77	...	0·02	...	...	...	4·88	...	0·06	0·68
		Darjeeling ...	Silliguri ...	...	0·50	0·36	1·20	0·60	0·74	1·18	0·48	0 37	0·78	1 22	0·63	...	0·04	...	...	0·09	5·65	0·12	0·40
			Darjeeling ...	0·32	0·36	0·09	0·05	...	0·.2	1·29	0·66	0·32	0·.2	0·80	0·02	...	0·45	0·63	..	0·08	1·61	0·33	0·36
			Kalimpong ...	0 06	0·84	0·10	...	...	...	0·06	0·55	0 02	0·88	0·89	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	4 90	...	0·40
			Mongpoo ...	0·32	0·54	0·30	0·49	..	0·02	0·88	0·03	0·10	2·10	1·76	...	...	1·81	...	...	0·05	5·50	0·11	0·77
			Kurseong ...	1 42	0·87	0·95	1·06	0·07	...	1·05	0·97	0 44	1·81	1·29	0·11	0·10	...	...	...	0·32	6·84	0·04	1·12
			Pedong ...	0·30	1·30	0·53	0·01	...	0·44	1·25	0·53	0·54	0·52	0·75	...	0·14	0·02	1·28	0·84	...	2·45	0·06	0·41
		Tibet ...	Yatung	0·44	0·48	...	...	...	0·21	0·16	0·19	0·42	0·46	0·18	0·03	0·07	0·59	0·06	0·21	0·49	0·10	0·03	0·39
		Cooch Behar	Dinhatta ...	2·39	0·64	0·16	2·16	0·11	...	0·38	0·15	0·57	1·40	1·35	1·84	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·31	0·23
			Cooch Behar ...	0·20	0·2.	0·75	3·00	2·34	.	0·78	0·63	2·78	1·58	1·31	1·95	0·39	0·46	...	...	...	0·07	2·83	0·53
			Mekliganj ...	0·78	3·78	0·40	0·15	0 08	1·25	...	..	0·72	1·37	3·12	0·36	...	0·07	0·20	...	...	0·19	...	...
			Mathabhanga	2·28	0·21	1·10	2·03	2 80	...	1·77	2·37	0 85	1·28	1·03	1·40	...	0·28	0·03	...	...	0 08	0·00	0·01
			Pulbari ...	0·25	0·30	0·80	3 75	0·42	...	0·89	0·80	3·11	0·17	1·35	1·86	...	1·06	...	...	0·38	0·98	0·63	0·23
		Rangpur ...	Bhawaniganj (*Gaibanda*).	0·45	...	0·37	1·35	0·10	0·46	...	0·03	1·05	1·32	3·06	0·50	0·01	...	0·45	...	...	...	0·05	1·71
			Rangpur ...	...	0·11	0·09	0·30	2·05	...	...	1 11	2·09	3·53	1·82	1·10	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	1·06	1·50
			Peerganj ...	...	0·08	0·30	0·10	...	...	...	3·60	2·35	1·80	2·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·36
			Kurigaon ...	0·05	1·80	0·46	2 78	0·50	...	...	1·06	0·50	4·89	3·11	0·61	...	.	0·23	...	...	...	0·15	1·20
			Gobindganj ...	1·76	...	0·71	0·10	...	...	...	1·15	2·51	2·35	2·06	1·25	...	0·86	0·14	...	...	...	...	0 46
			Bagdogra (*Nilphamari*).	...	0·80	...	...	0·89	...	...	0·44	...	3 24	2·11	1·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41
			Ulipur ...	0·21	0·19	...	3·84	1·52	0·05	...	1·20	0·05	...	2·19	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	2·19
			Sundarganj ...	0·34	...	0 54	2·07	...	1·86	0·74	1·33	4·24	1·25	3 06	...	...	...	0·36	...	...	0·54	...	..
			Saidpur ...	...	0·45	...	0·80	...	...	...	0·70	...	2·35	2·38	0 93	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	1·84
		Bogra ...	Sherpur ...	.	...	...	...	0·38	...	...	0·20	...	1·47	2·27	...	...	1·00	...	0·10	...	...	...	...
			Nowkhilla ...	0·30	0·16	...	...	0·42	..	0·35	0·41	0·40	1·23	4·50	...	...	...	0·65	0·06	...	...	...	0·91
			Bogra ...	...	...	0·45	0·45	0·60	2·06	...	0·42	0·02	0·45	2·58	...	...	0 75	0·05	...	...	. .	0·13	0 46
			Panchbibi ...	...	0·85	0·09	...	...	...	2·70	0·25	...	3·30	0·05	0·32	...	0·70	...	0·17	...	..	0·70	0·47
		Pabna ...	Pabna ...	0·15	0·29	...	...	0·02	...	0·06	0·09	...	2·02	1·64	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	.	0·23
			Sirajganj ...	0·07	0·06	0·16	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·06	0·94	2·35	0·07	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·07	0 54
	Dacca.	Dacca ...	Munshiganj ...	0·35	0·06	...	...	1·09	0·03	...	0·30	0·06	0·43	0·55	0·74	0·45	...	...	...	...	0·13	..	0·33
			Dacca ...	0·13	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	1·62	1·54	0·04	...	0·48	...	...	...	...	0·24	0 03	0·66
			Narayanganj	0·40	...	...	...	0·47	0·14	0·32	0·50	0·56	...	0·04	0·66	0·56	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·32
			Manikganj ...	0·30	0·09	...	2·37	...	...	0·06	0·48	...	4·10	0·26	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·35
			Jaydebpur ...	...	...	0·10	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·89	2·30	0·30	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·63
		Mymensingh..	Kishorganj	0·63	0·60	1·05	0·80	...	0·49	...	0·15	2·03	1·65	0·05	0·06	...	...	1·03	1·25	...	...	0·10	0·27
			Atia (*Tangail*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0 55	0·28	1·50	1·90	0·36	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·24
			Mymensingh	1·45	0·52	0·16	0·11	1·43	0·02	2·43	1·37	1·54	4·66	0·40	0·24	...	0·08	0·23	0·37	...	...	0·21	1·04
			Jamalpur ...	0·61	1·00	0·25	0·20	0 45	0·11	0·17	0·24	1·14	3·05	2·23	...	...	0·75	0·10	0·17	...	...	...	0·75
			Netrakona ...	0·08	0·52	0·06	2·77	0·02	0·04	0·24	0·11	1·86	1·67	0·33	1·96	...	0·36	0·31	0·32	...	0·04	0·53	1·15
			Subarnakhali	...	...	...	...	...	0·37	...	0·75	1·19	2·11	...	...	0·41	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·50	0·85
			Durgapur ..	0·60	0·20	1·05	0·25	...	1·30	0·20	2·10	3·40	1·20	0·10	0·20	...	0·43	0·60	0·15	...	...	0·30	3 60
			Sherpur Town	1·80	0·24	0·80	...	2·95	...	0·26	1·30	1·67	1 80	2·42	0·35	0 29	0·05	0·16	0·10	...	0·07	0·07	0·60
			Diwanganj ...																				
			Nalitabari ...	0·21	...	0·61	0·22	1·12	0·40	2·43	3·52	1·18	2·60	...	0·03	0·77	0·22	...	...	...	...	1·02	0·15
		Faridpur .	Madaripur ...	0·31	...	...	1·19	0 08	0·01	...	...	0·03	0·06	0·19	...	0·13	...	...	...	..	...	0·11	0·39
			Faridpur ...	1·17	0·12	0·06	...	0·03	0·22	...	0·13	0·15	2·10	1·20	0·70	0·06	...	...	...	0 02	...	0·06	0·14
			Goalundo ...	1·00	...	...	...	0·10	...	1·61	1·80	0·75	3·28	0·28	0·10	0·11	0·16	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·35
		Backergunge	Patuakhali ...	...	...	1·80	3·37	0·10	...	0·39	0·56	...	...	0·97	0·14	...	0·16	0·15	0·14	0 07	0·03	0·21	0·38
			Pirojpur ...	0·54	0·22	...	1·61	...	...	0 05	...	...	...	0·10	0·30	0·22	0·37	0·46	0·18	...	0·04	0·28	0·65
			Barisal ...	...	1·52	0·15	1·14	...	...	1·30	...	...	...	0·25	0·04	...	0·16	0·11	0·02	...	0·21	...	0·52
			Gaurnadi ...	0·18	...	...	0·15	0·03	...	0·10	...	0·17	0·04	...	...	0·00	0·02	0·04	...	...	0·02	0·04	0·12
			Bhola ...	0·02	0·43	0·35	1·30	0·43	...	2·14	0·05	...	...	0·01	3·15	...	0·07	...	0·02	0·06	0·03	0·27	0·20
			Daulatkhan ...	0·55	0·04	0·34	0·40	0·05	...	1·22	0·33	1·05	0·08	..	0·10	...	0·08	...	...	...	0·12	0·68	0·43
			Bauphal ...	...	0·35	1·32	0·43	0·44	0·33	2·50	2·29	0·07	...	1·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·61	1·23
		Hill Tippera ..	Agartala ...																				
		Tippera ...	Comilla ...	1·39	0·04	0·02	0·61	...	2·36	0·06	...	0·54	0·30	...	0·02	2·16	..	...	...	...	0·33	...	0·11
			Chandpur ...	1·32	0·20	...	0·07	...	...	0·42	0·23	0·26	0·39	0·21	0·05	0·43	0·06	...	...	0·07	0·09	0·39	0·38
			Brahmanbaria	0·48	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·10	2·08	1 23	...	...	0·42	0·16	...	...	...	0·03	0 13	0·07
			Ramchandrapur.					...	...	...	0·10	2·05	1·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Nasirnagar ...	...	...	3·00	1·95	...	...	...	...	1·38	0·90	...	...	...	0·56	...	0·81	..	...	...	...
			Daudkandi ...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	1·50	2·20	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	0 40
			Kasba ...	0·49	...	0·07	...	0·63	...	...	1·25	0·95	...	...	1·51	0·30	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·46	0·05
			Laksam ...	0·19	...	0·10	0·90	...	0 10	...	...	0·34	0·18	...	0·11	4·20	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·54
		Noakhali ...	Noakhali ...	...	0 80	0·50	0·84	1·03	0·04	0·27	0·02	0·04	0·39	...	...	0·10	..	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·06
			Feuny ...	0·70	0 61	0·40	0·28	0·73	0·02	0·12	0·09	0·39	2·00	...	...	0 41	0·07	...	...	...	0·13	0·01	0·35
			Harishpur ...	...	0·35	1·24	1·49	0·16	0·14	0·07	0·03	0·43	0·43	2·40	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	0·01	0 51
			Ramganj ...	...	...	...	0·59	...	0·06	0·16	...	...	0·44	...	0·20	0·12	.	...	...	...	0·02	0·21	0 35
			Chhagalnaya ...	...	1·25	0·45	0·72	1·29	0·21	0·64	0·13	0·78	1·37	...	...	1·31	0·06	...	...	...	..	0·15	0·06
			Hatya ...	0·05	0·40	0·86	1·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	...	...	0 21	...	...	...	0·22	0·33	0·29
			Lakhmipur ...	...	0·05	0·18	0·23	1·08	0·15	0·07	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	0·17	...	0·18	0·19	1·19
	Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Cox's Bazar ...	0·19	3·61	5·35	2·81	1·38	0·95	...	0·12	0·70	1·27	...	...	0·02	0·06	0·01	...	...	0·18	0·73	1·04
			Chittagong ...	...	2·34	7·00	0·29	0·23	0·12	...	0·30	0·04	0·22	...	0 03	0 24	...	...	...	...	0 18	0 33	0·55
			Kutubdia ...	0·31	1·78	3·06	0·37	1·36	0·29	...	0·15	1·03	0·86	...	...	0·38	...	...	...	...	0 08	0·16	...
			Satkania ...	0·29	1·61	0·76	0·22	0·91	0·11	0·33	0·71	0·18	0·41	0·12	0·15	0·07	...	...	...	...	0·41	0·15	0·47
			Kodala ...	0·42	1·95	1·00	1·01	2 47	0 07	0·37	0·03	...	...	0·60	0·14	0·06	...	0·04	...	0 53	0·10	...	0·46
			Fenua ...	3 33	4·37	0·40	0·81	0·76	...	0·06	0·68	0·31	0·18	0·05	1·02	0·04	...	1·10	...	0·10	0·30	0·71	0·21
			Mirsarai ...	0·40	1·91	2·30	0·93	2·04	1·08	0·56	0·40	0·41	0·39	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 38
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	Rangamati	...	0·35	0·11	0 34	0·26	0·10	0·10	0·06	0·22	0·15	...	2·06	0·03	0·47	..	0·02	0·78	1·10	0·32	0·03
			Bandarban ...	0 21	0·76	1·02	0·37	0·69	0·33	0·06	0·05	0·20	0·30	...	0·15	0·32	0 58	0·14	...	0·04	0·48	0·31	.
			Barkal ...	0·25	0·45	2·50	0·68	0 14	0·20	0·50	1·70	0·90	...	...	1 17	0·33	...	...	...	..	3·25	1·75	0·10

in Bengal in July 1903—*continued.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 31st July 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 31st July.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
0·35	1·35	...	0·07	..	0·04	...	0·06	...	...	2·53	15	20·16	18·44	29·91	2·82	55·88	62·45	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri.	Rajshahi—*concluded.*	NORTH BENGAL—*concluded.*
..	0·46	...	0·40	0·12	..	...	...	...	...	0·85	20	17·67	22·59	32·17	3·71	61·33	70·56	Alipur Duar.			
..	1·38	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·03	...	0·15	1·60	16	19·87	13·02	28·44	2·32	36·40	59·59	Falakata.			
1·14	0·05	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·04	2·11	0·05	12	18·47	11·40	21·17	2·65	35·05	47·11	Debiganj.			
0·74	0·90	0·10	2·50	0·36	1·70	0·40	0·02	0·23	1·25	3·30	25	25·25	40·49	37·16	5·83	79·06	70·31	Bhagatpur (*Nagrakatta*).			
1·15	2·15	0·48	1·58	...	1·00	0·03	0·85	2·35	1·88	2·22	23	24·50	66·88	50·42	10·30	111·59	102·63	Baxa.			
1·16	0·22	1·73	0·24	1·42	...	0·46	0·33	0·42	2·04	...	21	?	32·84	?	4·88	63·16	?	*Kalchini.*			
2·12	3·28	0·12	0·72	0·14	0·10	0·03	0·02	0·09	...	2·32	21	23·72	23·37	32·38	5·65	55·14	62·30	Siliguri ...	Darjeeling.		
2·61	1·04	0·06	1·15	0·09	0·26	0·08	0·07	0·99	0·30	0·40	20	25·07	15·50	31·74	2·63	46·60	50·98	Darjeeling.			
1·62	0·23	...	0·43	0·40								22·94		25·18			45·43	Kalimpong.			
2·85	0·88	...	1·82	0·25	0·88	0·47	...	0·11	0·62	0·45	21	23·75	23·11	32·21	5·60	57·96	61·43	Mongpoo.			
3·95	0·61	0·26	0·59	0·21	0·36	0·52	0·91	0·56	0·76	3·72	25	27·33	30·39	45·23	6·84	70·50	85·31	Kurseong.			
1·63	0·15	0·73	0·09	0·28	0·08	0·24	0·18	0·35	0·03	0·59	22	25·75	16·08	24·66	2·45	43·61	46·07	Pedong.			
0·29	0·63	0·03	0·06	0·10	0·03	0·04	0·02	0·12	0·55	0·18	19	23·86	6·85	9·47	0·63		19·16	Yatung ...	Tibet.		
0·19	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·15	...	...	0·31	16	17·32	12·59	18·81	2·59	63·10	55·27	Dinhatta ..	Cooch Behar.		
0·68	1·64	...	0·03	0·29	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·06	18	18·79	22·54	25·58	3·00	71·33	66·75	Cooch Behar.			
0·04	4·75	...	0·06	...	0·03	...	0·23	0·05	0·28	0·33	15	18·91	18·61	24·41	4·75	48·07	56·24	Mekliganj.			
0·12	5·16	...	0·02	...	...	0·07	0·40	0·01	0·40	1·97	17	18·86	26·82	26·51	5·16	60·82	63·39	Mathabhanga.			
0·65	0·32	...	0·16	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	18	17·29	17·34	23·94	3·75	72·33	58·69	Fulbari.			
0·18	0·16	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	...	16	14·43	16·82	13·28	4·43	40·74	34·40	Bhawaniganj (*Gaibanda*)	Rangpur.		
0·04	0·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	13	15·42	17·16	16·01	3·73	43·33	42·65	Rangpur.			
...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	14·01	12·77	12·89	3·60	36·74	32·18	Peerganj.			
4·12	0·10	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	13·92	17·65	15·77	4·89	47·28	46·14	Kurigaon.			
0·47	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	12	15·50	13·81	13·55	2·51	37·12	30·39	Gobindganj.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	8	16·46	10·40	16·07	3·24	36·22	46·55	Haxdogra (*Nilphamari*).			
0·38	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·05	...	11	12·87	13·17	13·26	3·84	48·87	39·70	Ulipur.			
0·24	...	...	...	2·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	13·63	18·88	15·68	4·24	55·81	35·26	Sunderganj.			
...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·09	...	9	?	10·73	?	3·55	35·74	?	*Saidpur.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	16·48	5·72	12·31	2·27	23·31	29·42	Sherpur ...	Bogra.		
...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	15·60	10·05	11·99	4·50	33·02	29·20	Nowkhilla.			
0·42	0·08	...	0·10	0·02	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	12	15·94	9·11	16·12	2·58	31·78	34·58	Bogra.			
...	...	0·07	...	0·02	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	10	15·04	10·29	13·10	3·60	26·76	29·85	Panchbibi.			
0·03	...	...	...	0·67	0·03	...	...	0·47	0·10	...	8	16·35	5·92	10·81	2·02	17·50	26·24	Pabna ...	Pabna.		
0·07	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	4	14·26	4·75	11·30	2·55	19·33	27·72	Sirajganj.			
0·11	...	...	...	0·20	0·26	0·07	...	0·02	...	0·09	12	17·45	7·17	14·05	1·90	24·29	33·68	Munshiganj ...	Dacca.	Dacca.	EAST BENGAL.
0·12	...	0·07	...	0·02	0·24	0·03	...	0·06	...	...	9	17·61	5·86	12·73	1·62	26·18	30·72	Dacca.			
0·67	0·35	0·11	...	0·10	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·04	15	17·78	6·15	13·31	0·87	29·94	31·90	Narayanganj.			
0·27	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	9	16·34	10·14	11·61	4·10	30·15	27·36	Manikganj.			
...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	18·07	4·94	13·10	2·30	27·23	32·07	Jaydebpur.			
0·19	...	...	0·09	0·07	...	0·06	0·18	...	0·07	...	14	17·29	11·42	13·98	2·03	47·73	39·06	Kishorganj ...	Mymensingh.		
0·24	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	11	13·23	5·67	10·93	1·90	25·81	28·28	Atia (*Tangail*).			
0·48	0·05	0·02	0·03	0·10	0·03	0·02	0·04	0·05	0·43	0·03	18	19·65	18·00	17·15	4·66	50·11	45·59	Mymensingh.			
...	...	...	0·60	...	0·17	0·23	...	...	0·30	...	19	16·65	12·63	13·61	3·05	37·34	33·98	Jamalpur.			
0·26	0·07	0·40	0·09	0·07	0·06	...	0·10	0·21	0·06	0·31	18	21·00	14·02	18·91	2·77	66·78	50·27	Netrakona.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·20	...	9	16·00	6·76	12·56	2·11	22·42	30·29	Subarnakhali.			
0·15	0·30	0·15	0·10	0·25	0·05	...	0·10	0·10	0·25	1·10	25	21·14	18·08	20·19	3·65	54·27	67·76	Durgapur.			
0·75	0·18	0·10	...	...	0·04	0·10	...	...	0·18	0·08	21	19·00	17·22	17·98	2·95	45·76	39·80	Sherpur Town.			
												13·67		14·06			38·42	Diwanganj.			
...	...	0·04	0·02	...	0·03	...	...	0·29	1·28	...	15	?	16·29	?	3·52	55·31	?	*Nalitabari.*			
0·30	0·16	...	0·05	0·07	...	0·06	...	0·06	0·20	...	10	17·23	4·83	11·50	1·19	17·21	28·07	Madaripur ...	Faridpur.		
...	0·07	0·06	...	0·10	...	...	0·01	0·08	...	...	10	17·13	7·21	12·47	2·10	24·14	30·28	Faridpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·48	...	14	14·98	10·36	11·19	3·28	31·07	27·63	Goalundo.			
0·15	0·12	0·30	0·28	0·42	0·07	0·15	0·26	0·28	0·10	0·01	21	21·90	10·61	20·69	3·37	34·54	45·36	Patuakhali ...	Backergunge.		
0·45	...	0·08	0·23	0·23	...	0·05	0·13	0·23	0·42	0·05	17	20·03	7·12	15·62	1·61	21·00	35·39	Pirojpur.			
1·22	0·57	0·14	0·07	0·18	0·06	0·12	0·06	0·09	...	0·02	14	20·56	7·95	16·34	1·52	26·57	37·06	Barisal.			
0·08	...	...	0·07	0·10	0·30	...	0·13	0·07	...	...	9	18·30	2·41	13·67	0·68	17·57	31·23	Gaurnadi.			
1·83	0·20	0·04	0·25	0·65	...	0·04	0·14	0·04	0·02	0·26	14	22·25	12·88	17·31	3·16	33·41	40·20	Bhola.			
0·50	...	...	0·80	0·86	0·12	...	...	0·20	0·12	0·01	10	20·00	9·46	19·54	1·22	33·18	46·65	Daulatkhan.			
1·04	0·12	0·09	0·06	1·00	...	0·08	0·07	0·12	0·14	0·07	16	20·60	14·65	18·98	2·50	30·45	40·21	Bauphal.			
												16·82		11·92			32·47	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera.	Chittagong.	
0·24	0·02	0·03	0·10	0·07	0·09	...	...	...	0·02	...	10	19·07	8·29	17·05	2·26	45·62	40·76	Comilla ...	Tippera.		
1·12	0·06	...	0·06	0·52	0·12	0·02	0·01	0·23	0·16	0·01	15	19·52	6·54	14·24	1·32	19·59	34·96	Chandpur.			
0·34	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	16·45	5·27	11·41	2·08	35·87	32·32	Brahmanbaria.			
												14·00		12·03			28·45	Ramchandrapur.			
...	...	1·36	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·18	0·34	...	9	13·93	10·43	10·05	3·00	31·84	30·58	Nasirnagar.			
0·36	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	16·13	8·02	12·81	2·20	24·70	30·35	Daudkandi.			
0·04	0·17	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	10	15·33	6·20	11·93	1·51	33·98	33·10	Kasba.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	16·00	6·70	19·03	4·20	39·36	40·08	Laksam.			
1·08	0·13	...	0·14	0·05	0·57	0·04	...	0·36	0·14	0·15	16	23·51	7·62	22·10	1·08	37·80	51·28	Noakhali ...	Noakhali.		
0·40	0·06	...	...	0·22	...	...	0·06	...	0·05	0·01	18	22·20	7·69	24·66	2·00	37·15	55·10	Fenny.			
0·64	0·02	...	0·12	0·77	...	...	...	...	0·22	...	14	21·78	8·02	31·98	2·40	34·97	63·26	Harishpur.			
0·85	0·06	...	...	0·76	0·44	0·00	...	0·31	...	...	11	19·87	4·12	17·80	0·75	25·76	39·63	Ramganj.			
0·21	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	12	?	8·73	?	1·37	35·41	?	*Chhagalnaya.*			
0·18	...	...	0·19	0·75	0·15	...	0·04	0·09	0·01	0·23	13	?	6·48	?	1·31	32·44	?	*Hatya.*			
0·33	...	...	0·71	0·05	0·11	0·24	0·05	0·35	0·13	...	16	?	6·73	?	1·19	30·27	?	*Lakhmipur.*			
2·53	0·13	0·05	1·36	0·23	0·04	...	0·01	0·09	...	0·04	16	23·37	22·91	30·92	5·65	42·05	78·36	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong.		
3·38	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	0·39	14	19·45	12·85	22·91	7·00	35·04	51·55	Chittagong.			
0·94	0·15	0·40	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	21·00	11·99	30·05	3·06	37·00	63·08	Kutubdia.			
0·47	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	0·47	0·14	18	19·67	7·88	24·38	1·61	22·81	38·37	Satkania.			
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·00	0·22	13	20·39	9·75	13·84	2·47	20·61	44·26	Kodala.			
0·15	...	...	0·61	...	0·03	...	0·10	0·43	0·12	0·73	18	19·88	16·36	30·03	4·87	36·09	52·31	Feuoa.			
	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	13	21·00	11·03	26·00	2·30	37·00	67·10	Mirsarai.			
0·14	0·79	0·14	...	...	...	0·08	...	0·10	...	0·09	19	21·87	10·68	17·87	2·66	30·85	41·43	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.		
0·19	0·15	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·36	20	21·30	9·59	20·43	1·92	33·24	30·84	Bandarban.			
0·25	0·30	...	...	...	...	0·30	2·15	0·50	0·20	...	20	?	16·29	?	2·50	37·62	?	*Barkal.*			

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BIHAR.	Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·75	0·22	...	...	0·32	...	...	...
			Dinapore	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·73	0·08	...	...	0·53	...	...	...
			Bihar	2·34	0·11	...	...	...	0·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Barh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	1·20	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bikram ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Hilsa ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Islampur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	0·17	...	0·40	...	...	0·04
			Asthawan ...	1·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11
		Gaya ...	Aurangabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	...	0·16	0·07	...	...	0·03
			Gaya ...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·09	1·40	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...
			Nawada ...	0 03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	1·18	0·21	0·01	...	...	...	...	0·04
			Jahanabad ..	...	0·77	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Arwal ...	1·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...
			Daudnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·02	0·92	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·07
			Sherghati ...	0·02	...	...	...	0·14	...	0 63	...	0·03	0·80	...	0·05	0·10	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...
			Rajauli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·25	0·15	...	...	...	0·10	...	...
			Pakri Barawan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	0 03	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...
			Deo ...	0·55	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...
		Shahabad ...	Buxar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·03	1·05	0·07	...	0·03	...	...	0·05	0·05
			Dehri ..	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·15	0·04	...	0·88	0·02	0·13	0·35	0·02	...	0·08	0·08
			Bhabhua ..	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...
			Sasaram ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·57	...	0·13	0·10	0 07	0·08	...	...	...	...
			Arrah ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	0·13	1·24	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Mohanea ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	1·20
			Ageson ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·09	...	...	...	...	0·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ramnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	1·00	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·11	...
			Koath ...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	0·55	...	0·07	2·12	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...
			Sikroul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·25	...	0·31	2·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bassowan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	0·40	...	0·08	0·07	...	...	...	...	0·10
			Monaharpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	1·08	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...
		Saran ...	Gopalganj ...	...	...	0·20	...	0·02	...	...	1·89	...	...	0·58	0·02	1·50	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·18	...
			Siwan ...	...	...	0·05	...	0 29	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·01	0·65	0·31	...	...	...	...	0·05	...
			Ekma ...	...	...	...	...	1·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·80	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...
			Chapra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	0·87	...	...	0·16
			Hathwa ...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	1·04	...	0·12	0·23	...	...	...	...	0·17	...
			Amnour .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·03	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...
			Basantpur ..	...	...	...	...	0 13	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Darauli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	1·45	...	...	...	0 25	...	...	...
			Bhoreh ...	...	...	1·10	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	0·69	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...
			Sripur ...	...	...	0·20	...	0·13	...	...	0·02	...	...	0·71	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·08	0·26	...
		Champaran ...	Motihari ...	1·20	0·59	0·77	...	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	1·36	0·10	0·20	0·05	...	0·14	...	0·45	0·16	...
			Bettiah ...	0·29	0 48	0·27	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	1·39	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	0·47	0·76	...
			Bagaha ...	...	1·43	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·99	...	...	1·52	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	5·08	2·00	0·04
			Burnurwa ...	...	...	0·73	...	0·15	...	...	0·09	...	...	1·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·37	...	...
			Ramnagar ...	1·00	0·50	0·50	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	0·30	2·20	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·10	4·50	...	2·00
		Muzaffarpur...	Sitamarhi ...	1·06	1·09	0·23	...	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	2·10	0·17	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·29	0·07	...
			Muzaffarpur .	...	0·50	0·65	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·19	0·01	0·01	0·53	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Hajipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	2·58	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...
			Paru ...	...	0·03	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Mahua ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14
			Shiuhar ...	1·10	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	0·57	0·05	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...
			Papri ...	1·30	1·50	0·50	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	1·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darbhanga ...	Tajpur (Samastipur).	...	...	0·11	...	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·57	0·92	0·04	...	0·19	...	...	...	...
			Darbhanga ...	0·11	0·63	0·11	0·29	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	1·75	0·82	0·67	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Madhubani ...	1·03	0·48	0·39	...	...	0·27	...	0·24	...	0·03	1·66	1·03	...	...	0·55	...	...	0·07	...	0·23
			Bahera ...	...	1·08	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·20	0·45	0 34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Rosera ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·88	1·50	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·06	...
			Khutauna ...	...	0·20	0·04	0·09	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...
			Ladenea ...	...	0·18	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	0·27	1·00	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·30	0·60	...	...
			Laukahi ...	...	0·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhagalpur.	Monghyr ...	Begusarai ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	0·63	0·09	0·02	0·08	...	...	0·05	...	...	0·03
			Monghyr ..	...	...	...	0·56	...	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	0 01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Jamui ...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Gogri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 03	...	0·13	0·00	...	...	0·14	...	...	...
			Jamalpur ..	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	1·80	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	0·71
			Shaikhpura	...	...	...	...	1·45	0·01	1·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·08	0·02	0·02	0·04	...	0·04	0·08
			Chakai Ramda	0·09	0·81	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 54	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·37
			Chupreon ...	...	...	...	0·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·33	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	0·18
			Gidhour ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	0·05	...	0·45	...	...	0·08	0·12	0·28	...	...	...	...	...
			Kharagpur ...	0·35	...	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhagalpur ...	Madhipura ..	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·61	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bangaon (Sylabad).	...	...	0·10	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·02	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Supaul ...	0·26	...	0·11	0·46	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	1·87	0·40	...	0·61	0·04	...	0·15	0·52	0·02	0·20
			Pratapganj ...	0·85	0·15	0·04	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·05	1·18	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	0·17	...	...	0·23
			Bhagalpur ...	...	...	0·03	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	0·96	...	...	0·77	...	0·03	0·90	...	...	0·0?
			Banka ...	0·30	...	0·24	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·87	...	0·02	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	1·?
			Colgong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·99	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bansil ...	...	...	1·16	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·75	1 96	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...
		Purnea ...	Kishanganj ...	1·00	3·05	...	0·25	...	...	0·39	...	0·20	2·60	...	...	0·15	...	...	0·02	...	...	0·75	0·1?
			Araria ...	0·80	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0 09	0·65	0·25	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·3?
			Purnea ...	...	0·04	...	0·01	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	2·40	1·60	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	0·11	0·7?
			Gondwara (*Korah*).	...	...	0·29	...	...	0·42	...	...	...	...	0·88	0·82	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...
			Barsoe ...	0·50	1·09	1·21	0·50	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	3·20	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Forbesganj ...	...	0·60	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	1·00	...	0·0?
			Kaliaganj ..	2·00	...	...	...	...	6·64	...	...	0·50	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Malda ...	Malda ...	...	...	1·06	0·23	...	0·18	...	...	...	0·66	0·07	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·0?
			Chanchal ...	...	...	0·40	...	...	0·09	...	0·08	...	0·02	0·11	0·15	...	0·09	...	0·42	...	...	0·37	...
			Gajol ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·50	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Sibganj ...	0·55	...	0·80	1·65	0·07	...	...	...	...	1·30	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	...
		Sonthal Parganas.	Rajmahal ...	...	...	0·63	0·42	...	...	...	0·04	0·05	0·27	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·07	0·07	...
			Godda ...	...	...	0·40	0·13	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·37	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...
			Pakaur .	...	...	0·33	1·31	...	0·37	...	0·08	...	3·55	0·70	...	...	0·25	0·06	...	0·22	...	0·35	...
			Naya Dumka	...	1·31	...	...	...	1·33	...	0·23	0·42	0·03	0·19	...	...	0·03	0·12	0·09	0·07	...	...	...
			Deoghur .	...	1·08	...	2·85	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	...
			Jamtara ...	0·10	...	...	0·12	...	0·02	0·05	...	0·21	0·19	0·05	...	...	...	0·14	0·20	...	0·02	...	...
			Mohagama ...	...	1·47	0·19	...	1·01	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...
			Nanihat ..	0·53	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	0·10	0·83	...	...	...	0·09	0·03	0·37	...	...	...

in Bengal in July 1903—*continued.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 31st July 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 31st July.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
0·10	1·54	0·13	...	0·18	0·42	...	...	...	...		8	14·16	3·74	11·41	1·54	6·21	20·38	Patna	Patna	Patna.	Bihar.
0·03	0·02	0·23		0·08	0·38		...		...		5	14·01	2·72	12·33	0·73	6·03	21·36	Dinapore			
...	0·31		...	0·21		...	...	0·15	...	...	6	15·00	3·54	12·00	2·34	6·52	21·04	Bihar			
...		0·15	...	0·20		...	...	...	...	...	4	13·68	2·45	12·34	1·20	6·48	19·64	Barh			
0·31	0·20	0·85		0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	14·57	1·88	13·14	0·86	5·36	23·25	Bikram.			
...	...	0·30	...	0·20	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	4	14·21	1·98	12·30	1·30	4·70	21·90	Hilsa.			
...	0·24			0·47		...		...	0·31	...	4		2·11	?	1·10	?	?	*Islampur.*			
...	0·41			0·19	0·03	...	0·25	...	...	...	7		3·30	?	1·80	?	?	*Asthawan.*			
...	1·06	0·04	0·09	0·08		...	...	...	...	...	8	14·19	1·96	12·83	1·06	6·02	20·05	Aurangabad	Gaya.		
...	1·11	1·14		0·12		...	0·15	...		...	7	15·68	4·45	12·31	1·49	7·91	19·96	Gaya.			
	0·61	0·35	0·01	0·13	0·02	...	...	...	0·20	...	7	14·26	2·62	12·07	1·18	4·75	20·09	Nawada.			
0·08	0·01	0·10	...	0·20	...	...	...		...	...	4	13·75	1·56	12·26	0·77	4·71	19·36	Jahanabad			
0·63	1·22	0·42	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...		6	14·60	4·21	13·53	1·40	6·72	20·33	Arwal.			
...	0·20	0·18	...			...	...		...		4	14·00	1·53	12·48	0·93	3·67	19·48	Daudnagar.			
0·01	4·32	0·23		0·03	0·01	...	...		...	...	6	12·87	6·46	10·49	4·32	10·73	17·64	Sherghati.			
0·50	...		0·45			...	...	0·50	...	...	7	13·50	2·25	12·61	0·50	4·85	21·09	Rajauli.			
0·96	0·26		0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...		3	13·87	1·59	13·09	0·96	3·29	19·98	Pakri Barawan			
...	2·58	0·08	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	5	?	4·11	?	2·58	8·46	?	*Deo.*			
0·03	0·13	1·67	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	14·30	3·17	11·78	1·67	8·40	17·72	Buxar	Shahabad		
...	0·17	0·07	...	0·13		...	...	...	...	...	0	14·72	2·17	11·94	0·88	6·26	18·76	Dehri			
...	0·85		...	0·13	...	...	...	...		...	4	14·71	1·60	12·28	0·85	4·50	18·12	Bhabhua.			
...	0·08	0·14	...	0·23			...	...	...		7	14·32	2·48	11·70	0·98	6·03	17·87	Sasaram.			
0·22	0·13	0·57	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...		6	15·13	2·85	13·35	1·24	5·98	21·35	Arrah.			
...	...				...	...	...	...	...	...	2	11·14	1·39	13·80	1·27	3·11	20·68	Mohanea.			
0·27	0·32	0·63	0·70		...	...	...	...	...	...	6	12·33	3·68	13·76	1·09	6·04	23·30	Agraon.			
0·25	...	0·15	0·13			...	...	...	...	...	6	14·00	2·71	13·15	1·00	6·08	20·58	Ramagar.			
0·30	1·65	...	...	0·10		...	...	...	...	...	7	14·22	5·02	13·18	2·12	9·00	19·39	Koath.			
0·90	0·44	...	...	0·43			...	...		...	6	15·33	4·87	11·48	2·90	10·87	17·21	Sikroul.			
1·54	...	...	0·25	...		0·33	...	...	...	...	6	13·14	2·91	14·04	1·54	7·82	20·11	Bassowan.			
	1·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	14·11	3·33	12·10	1·90	6·93	19·19	Monaharpur.			
...	1·10	0·50	...	...	...	0·14	0·40	...	...	...	11	13·08	6·70	12·38	1·59	18·85	20·47	Gopalganj ...	Saran.		
0·42	...		...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	5	14·19	1·97	11·80	0·65	4·96	20·07	Siwan.			
0·18	...	0·16	...		...	...	...	...	...		5	11·71	3·41	10·45	1·30	6·02	19·81	Ekma.			
0·11	0·06	0·11	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	5	14·46	1·47	11·29	0·87	5·06	18·54	Chapra.			
0·18	0·33	...	...		...	0·13		...	...		8	?	2·33	?	1·04	6·87	?	*Hathwa.*			
0·50	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		4	13·75	2·08	12·33	1·03	8·10	22·41	Amnour			
1·25	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	12·00	1·78	13·28	1·25	13·15	21·51	Basantpur.			
...	0·84	1·08			...	0·03	...	...	...	...	4	?	3·71	?	1·48	7·60	?	*Darauli.*			
	...	...	1·00	1·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	?	4·85	?	1·10	10·19	?	*Bhoreh*			
0·06	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	?	1·88	?	0·71	10·34	?	*Sripur.*			
...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	13·43	5·51	12·49	1·36	17·76	23·26	Motihari ...	Champaran.		
	1·16	0·17	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	10	13·40	5·35	13·36	1·89	19·42	24·08	Bettiah.			
0·40	...	0·60	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	8	15·23	12·47	16·45	5·06	27·55	29·63	Bagaha.			
...	1·11	0·06	...	...	...	0·07	0·06	...	...	...	5	14·19	3·70	12·04	1·11	19·16	21·49	Burhurwa.			
...	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	?	13·15	?	4·50	26·35	?	*Ramnagar.*			
...	0·03	0·06	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	12·00	3·48	12·54	2·10	18·00	23·86	Sitamarhi ...	Muzaffarpur.		
0·10	1·73	0·27	0·03	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	14·39	2·18	11·90	0·65	12·82	20·35	Muzaffarpur			
	0·30	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		6	14·57	5·55	12·23	2·88	8·88	20·67	Hajipur.			
0·13	0·04			...		...	...	...	...		3	13·33	0·70	12·38	0·39	6·61	20·19	Paru.			
...	...		0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	13·03	1·04	13·22	0·46	8·04	21·88	Mahua.			
				...	...	...	...	...	...		4	11·67	3·61	10·48	1·10	16·65	19·11	Shiuhar.			
												11·33	...	11·48	1·50		21·15	Pupri.			
0·45	...	0·19		0·03	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	7	13·72	2·75	12·69	0·62	11·15	21·42	Tajpur (Samastipur).	Darbhanga		
0·04		...	0·09	...	0·18	0·02	0·01	...	...	...	10	14·37	5·02	13·14	1·75	16·32	21·16	Darbhanga.			
0·07	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	9	13·10	6·25	13·18	1·68	17·44	22·24	Madhubani.			
0·64	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	14·10	5·66	13·11	3·29	21·08	23·46	Bahera			
0·02	0·03	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	14·38	3·80	12·64	1·50	10·78	20·15	Roserha.			
0·10	0·10	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	?	2·07	?	1·00	27·00	?	*Khutauna.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	?	3·65	?	1·03	13·85	?	*Ledenea.*			
																		Laukahi.			
0·10	0·45	...	0·03	0·25	0·10	...	0·10	...	...		6	14·65	1·33	12·16	0·45	6·91	20·10	Begusarai ...	Monghyr ...	Bhagalpur.	
0·29	0·55	...	0·06	0·05		...		...			4	16·61	2·33	12·42	0·63	8·68	20	Monghyr.			
...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·26		...	6	16·65	1·60	13·90	0·56	6·45	22·40	Jamui.			
0·12	0·43	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	13·30	1·22	14·75	0·98	10·27	24·65	Gogri.			
	0·28	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	16·33	1·14	15·71	0·43	5·63	25·49	Jamalpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			5	9·59	3·35	11·65	1·80	7·36	20·27	Shaikhpura.			
0·04	0·25		0·06	0·12	0·03	...	...	0·10	0·03	...	10	16·13	8·21	16·16	2·08	17·05	27·76	Chakai Bamda			
0·03	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	13·13	2·18	11·67	1·33	9·40	18·85	Chupreon.			
0·10	0·16	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	14·83	1·92	12·23	0·70	4·90	20·41	Gidhour.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	16·17	3·25	12·28	0·66	7·35	20·59	Kharagpur.			
0·36	1·12		...	...	...	...		...	...		5	14·77	3·97	12·87	3·61	25·23	23·61	Madhipura ...	Bhagalpur		
0·33	0·02	0·33	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	6	11·33	2·38	13·80	1·02	12·22	20·16	Bangaon (Syfabad).			
1·42	0·62	0·32	0·85	...		0·16	...	...	...	...	13	14·93	6·93	12·50	1·87	24·50	23·20	Sapaul.			
0·06	0·27				0·10		...	...	...		10	15·25	4·10	15·09	1·18	23·18	29·13	Pratapganj.			
0·02	0·61	0·34	0·14	0·04			...	...	...	...	9	15·59	3·80	13·22	0·96	12·14	28·21	Bhagalpur.			
0·15	...		0·01	0·34	0·06	...	...	0·02	...	...	8	16·48	3·60	13·14	0·90	8·35	21·83	Banka			
...	0·21	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	15·78	3·06	13·40	1·05	9·40	23·65	Colgong.			
...	...		...	0·57	...		...	0·16	...	...	8	14·17	3·71	11·66	1·95	11·70	21·05	Bansil.			
0·65	...	0·29	0·20	...	1·00	...	...	...	0·03	0·02	12	18·30	10·60	19·31	3·05	30·08	38·34	Kishanganj	Purnea		
0·90	0·58	0·03	...	0·01			...	...	...	0·15	11	16·87	4·71	17·49	0·90	18·63	34·86	Araria.			
2·04	3·03		...	0·21	0·16	0·02	...	...	...	...	10	17·13	10·33	11·96	3·03	24·43	28·46	Purnea			
0·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	16·70	4·45	14·63	0·86	14·13	27·30	Gondwara (*Korah*).			
1·40	1·70	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	16·30	6·20	17·12	3·20	14·20	31·26	Barsoe.			
1·12	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	8	1 ·59	5·40	18·19	1·70	17·32	33·85	Forbesganj.			
			...	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·50	12	16·59	14·90	25·38	6·64	34·12	46·40	Kaliaganj.			
0·05	0·15	...	...	0·15	0·04	...	0·38	0·01	...	...	8	15·43	4·01	11·07	1·06	18·23	23·36	Malda ...	Malda.		
0·12	0·02		0·09	0·07	0·18	...	...	...		...	8	15·04	2·59	14·70	0·51	11·31	20·43	Chanchal.			
0·22						...	...		0·27	...	6	16·88	2·38	14·80	1·03	12·64	26·71	Gajol.			
0·01	0·14	...		0·16	0·27	...	0·45	0·31	0·02	...	13	16·00	7·27	11·46	1·68	20·25	24·46	Sibganj.			
0·13	0·03	...	...	0·24	...	...			...		7	15·40	3·04	12·41	1·09	18·32	24·68	Rajmahal	Sonthal Perganas.		
0·02	0·68	...	...	0·54		...	0·16	0·08	0·37	...	9	16·04	3·71	11·60	0·68	9·52	21·06	Godda			
0·06		0·09	0·04	0·30	0·12		0·08		0·08	...	11	17·00	5·75	13·27	3·55	20·17	27·05	Pakaur.			
				0·24	...	0·05	0·50	0·12	0·05		12	18·72	6·04	14·14	2·05	14·06	26·26	Naya Dumka.			
0·18	1·02	0·58	0·07	0·21			...				5	17·07	6·15	14·00	2·85	10·25	24·10	Deoghur.			
0·60	0·10			0·09	0·02	...	0·01	0·35	0·15	...	13	17·03	4·74	13·80	1·09	9·98	25·23	Jamtara			
0·14	0·21	0·05	0·07	...	...	...	...				7	?	4·27	?	1·67	18·71	?	*Mohapama.*			
					...	...	1·05	...	0·10	...	12	15·33	6·02	13·28	1·05	10·34	20·84	Nanibai.			

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BENGAL—*concld.*	Bhagalpur—*concld.*	Sonthal Parganas—*concld.*	Asansboni	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	0·09	0·29	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·38	...	...	1·34	0·07
			Kaikund ...	0·75	...	0·02	0·32	0 58	...	...	..	...	0·58	..	...			...	...	0·55	...	...	1·55
			Madhupur ...	.	...	...	1·20	0·50	...	...	0·30	...	0·50	0·40	...	0·29	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	1·30
			Sarwan .	2·50	...	.	0·38	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	0·07	0·18	...	...	2·50	...
			Sarath ...	0·17	...	0·05	0·43	0·36	...	..	...	...	0·10	0·08	...	...	0·20	0 03	...	0 30	0·01	...	0·72
			Barkope ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·62	...	...	...	...	...
			Bhagya ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	2·66	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·37	..
			Mohespore ...	...	...	...	0·47	...	1·47	0·11	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·76
			Hiranpur ...	...	0·15	0·37	.	1·18	...	...	...	0·55	..	..	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	0·11
			Barharwa ...	...	1·20	0·50	2·70	...	1·55	...	...	...	0·08	0 38	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	0·37
			Sahibganj ...	...	...	...	0·50	0·53	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·82	0·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·61
			Barlo ...	...	...	...	0·64	0·27	...	0·43	...	...	0·23	0·31	...	0·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07
		Cuttack ...	Jagatsingpur	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·75	0·05	0·48	1·18	0·20	...	1·15	0·07	1·72	0·70
			Banki ...	0·01	...	...	0·16	..	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	3·43	0·03	2·20	1·16	0·14	...	0·09	1·77	0·65
			Cuttack ...	...	0·01	0·45	0·23	0·78	0 04	0·04	...	...	...		0 25	0·32	2·36	1·30	0·21	...	0·22	0·39	0·02
			False Point ...	...	...	0·19	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·47	0·03	0·30	0·09	1·19	0·39	0·18	0·12	...	0·56
			Kendrapara ...	...	0·78	0·32	0·85	...	...	0·73	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·37	0·21	0·39	0·20	1·20	0·06	0·61	0·48
			Jajpur ...	...	0·06	0·01	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	0·39	1 68	0·34	0·34	0·08	0·10	1·09	0·17
			Dharmsala ...	...	...	0·31	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	1·04	0·85	0·40	0·23	0·03	0·77	0·76	...
			Salepur ...	...	...	...	0·80	0·30	0·05	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·70	1·10	1·01	0·60	0·20	0·10	...	1·10	0·70
		Balasore ...	Akhyapada ...	...	1·70	...	0·01	...	0·22	...	0·80	...	...	0 02	0·02	0·21	3·23	0·13	0·58	...	...	0·60	1·56
			Chandbali ...	...	...	...	1·24	...	...	0·77	...	...	...	0·59	...	0·13	0·14	0·31	0·18	...	0·28	...	0·24
			Bhadrak ...	...	...	...	...	0·22	0·90	...	0·22	...	...	0 22	...	0·13	1·51	0·69	0 51	..	...	0·60	0·93
			Soro ...	...	...	...	0·28	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	2·63	...	0·23	0·68	0·68	0·48	0·08	0·12	1·46	0·14
			Balasore ...	...	...	...	0·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	0·88	1·14	2·40	1·88	0·28	0·18	1·72	0·16
			Jellasore ...	...	...	...	...	...	1·61	...	...	...	...	0·56	...	...	1·23	0·48	0·82	0·14	0·02	0·45	0 18
			Baliapal ...	...	0·15	...	...	1·20	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	0·64	1·24	1·14	0·4	0 03	1 13	0·15	...
		Angul ...	Angul ...	...	0 07	0·36	0·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·82		0·78	2·36	2·45	1·84	0·04	0·30	0·08
			Bissipara ..	0·01	0 10	0·32	0·37	..	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	1·25	0·14	1·70	0·05	0·03	0·25	0·13	0·27	1·42
			Chhendipada ...	...	1 45	0·43	.	...	...	...	...	...	...		1·00		0·48	4 49	...	...	...	..	0·03
			Tikerpara ...	0·19	...		0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·75	0·14	1·39	1·05	0·85	1·19	...	2·01	0·23	0·12
			Kumarkhole ...	...	...	0·16	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·88	1·30	3·30	0·13	...	...	0·20	3·85	1·23	1·10
		Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	0·11	1·34	...	0·16	...	...	...	3·37	...	...	...	1·66	0·18	3·09	1 92	..	0·62	0·36	0·70	0·30
			Kunjabongar ...	...	...	3·12	0·35	...	0·47	...	0·20	...	...	...	2·31	0·00	3·73	0·71	0·18	0 65	0·37	0·96	0·05
			Dhenkanal ...	1·18	0·30	0·20	0·18	0·35	0·11	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·16	...	2·52	0 23	0·51	0·03	.	0·06	0·20
			Banaiga ...	...	0 06	0·05	0·03	...	0·23	...	1·03	...	...	0·15	0·09	...	1·15	0·37	0·62	0·08	0·16	0·19	0·75
			Keonjhar ...	2·55	...	...	0·15	1·67	0·07	0·34	...	...	...	2·00	1·50	3 24	1·80	0·20	1·50	0·15	0 20	0 27	0·02
			Anandpur ...	...	1·19	...		0 60	0·05	0·05	...	.	...	0·07	1·00	0 40	0·61	0·59	0·77	...	...	0·19	1·40
			Haripada ...	...	0·18	2·31	0·05	...	...	0·92	...	...	...	0·03	0·20	0·54	0·74	0·20	4·50	0·05	0·12	0·59	0·23
			Narsingpur ...	0·65	...	...	...	...	0·03	1·78	...	...	...	3 10	...	2·76	1·80	0·37	1·02	0·88	1·87	...	0·16
			Nayagarh ...																				
			Pal Lahara ...	...	0·30	...	0·26	...	..	...	0·42	...	...	...	..	0·21	0·04	0 64	0·68	0·36	...	0·43	0·49
			Ranpur ...	...	0·10	...	0·07	...	1·06	...	0·20	...	...	0·53	2·05	0·30	3·27	...	0·08	0·11	0·63	3·45	0·09
			Talcher ...	...	...	0·04	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	0·03	...	0·89	1·51	2·16	1·02	0·12	0·55	0·38
			Athmalik ..	...	...	...	...	0·30	..	..	...	...	1·21	1·53	0 70	1·30	0·75	1·87	...	...	...	1·25	0·32
			Hindol ...	0·10	1·34	0·14	...	0·14	0·81	0·30	...	...	0·34	3·50	0·03	3·10	2·63	0·27	...	0·23	0·14	...	0·03
			Boad ...																				
		Puri ...	Puri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	1·45	1·09	5·09	...	0·80	0·18	0·39	0·70	0·18
			Khurda ...	...	..	0·30	1·58	...	...	...	...	...	...		1·61	1·50	0·37	1·00	0·68	0·82	0·61	0·71	0·07
			Bhanpur' ...	0·50	0·19	...	1·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	1·30	0·26	3·40	...	0·41	0 02	0·73	1·94	0·15
			Gop ...	...	0·09	0·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·24	0·47	1 53	1·14	0·20	0·79	...	0·98	0·30	...
			Satpara ...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	1·02	0·71	10·15	...	...	...	0·13	2·15	...
			Pipli ...	...	...	...	0·59	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	1·93	0·71	2·50	0·57	0·19	1·40	0·81	3·31	...
			Kanas ...	...	...	1·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·27	...	3·46	0·18	0·14	...	3·10	...	0·45
		Hazaribagh ...	Pachamba (*Giridih*).	0·55	0·01	0·08	...	...	0·29	0·02	...	0·50	1·03	...	...	...	0·30	0·41	0·06	0·20	...	...	0·40
			Hazaribagh ...	2·34	0·06	...	...	...	0·19	0·09	...	0·16	...	...	.	1·31	0·06	0·28	0·07	0·26	...	...	0·24
			Barhi ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·48	0·25	0 18	0·17	0·05	...	...	1·09
			Chatra ...	1·40	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	3·70	0·04	...	0·02	...	...	...	...
			Kharagdiha ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·10	0·50	...	0·56	...	0·60	0·09	0·30	...	...	...	0·10
			Ramgar ...	...	...	1·09	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·20	1·10	0·30	...	.	0·10	0·30	0·20
			Kodarma ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	.	...	...	0·07
		Ranchi ..	Lohardaga ...	...	0·44	.	.	...	0·35	0·48	0·26	0·30	0·85	...	0·36	0·48	0·32	0·48	0·45	0·51	...	...	0·47
			Ranchi ...	1·13	...	0·04	...	...	...	0·03	0·31	...	...	...	...	0·37	0·38	0·83	1·35	0·77	...	0·11	1·48
			Silli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	0·45	0·50	0 27	0·05	0·50	0·40	0·40
			Palkot ...	...	...	...	...	0·21	0·74	...	...	...	0·52	0·45	0·30	0·34	0·74	0 94	0·46	...	...	0·11	0·90
			Bano ...	...	...	...	1·09	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	0·89	...	...	...	...	...	0·20
			Tamar ...	...	0·24	...	...	0·19	0 12	0·16	0·10	...	...	...	..	0 30	0·47	0·75	0·80	0·30	...	0·25	1·04
			Kurdeg ..	0·30	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	2·00		0·20		0·40	...	...	1·64	0·93
			Gumla ...	...	0·16	0·10	0·64	0·65	0 50	...	1·05	...	...	...	...	0 95	0·44	0·30	0·76	0·70	...	0·17	0 94
			Chainpur ...	1·50	0·26	...	...	0·74	...	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	0 65	0 20	1·00	0 50	0 56	...	...	0·40
		Chota Nagpur Tributary States.	Sirguja ...	2·50	. .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·30
			Jashpur ...	..	0·16	...	0·23	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	1·53	0·50	0·19	0·40	...	0·67	2·10
			Gangpur ..	0·17	...	...	...	...	0·54	...	...	...	0·04	0·07	0·16	0·17	1·19	1·10	0·19	.	...	1·33	0·63
		Palamau ...	Palamau (*Daltonganj*).	0·45	...	...	0 63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·17	...	0·68	0·24	...	...	...	...
			Balumath ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	3·13	...	0·30	..	0·20	...	...	0·24
			Husainabad ..	...	...	0·34	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·73	...	..	0·20	...	...	...	...
			Garhwa ...	...	...	...	0·52	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	1·36	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...
			Mahuadanr ...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·53	0 47	1·02	0·45	0·31	...	..	0·29
			Panki ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Latehar ...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	0 02	.	0·10	0·36	...	...	...
			Nagarutari ...	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·57	.	0·18	0·24	0·06	...	0·15	0·07
			Ranka ...	...	1·76	0·05	0·84	...	...	0·30	...	0·42	...	...	...	4·58	0·47	0·29	0·49	...	...	0·03	0·13
			Chattarpur ...	..	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·73	...	..	0·81	...	...	0·35	...
		Manbhum ...	Purulia ...	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·28	0·16	.	...	...	...	0·76	0·01	0·04	0·89	0·39	..	...	0·05	0·40
			Gobindpur ...	...	0·81	...	0·33	0·21	0·26	...	1·01	1·87	0·03	...	...	0·06	0 26	0·32	0·22	0 21	0·18	0·74	0·96
			Raghunathpur	.	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·10	0·07	0·32	...	...	...	.	...	0·24	0·72	0·29	0·21	...	0·13
			Barabbhum	0·54	...	...	...	.	0·18	1·05	...	...	...	0·10	1·34	0 06	0·55	0·65	1 48	0·10	...	0·08	0·65
			Jhalda ...	...	0·54	...	...	0·29	0·19	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·23	0·04	0·77	0·42	0·70	..	...	0·25	0·68
			Chas ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·03	0·43	..	...	0·05	0·36
			Pandra ...	0·28	...	...	0·10	...	0·20	0·30	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·00	0 00	...	...	0·65
		Singbhum ...	Chaibasa ...	0·07	...	0·12	...	0·04	...	1·35	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·61	0·60	0·43	0·40	0·34	0·03	0·07	0·40
			Chakradharpur	...	..	...	0·36	.	0·21	...	...	...	...	0·39	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ghatsila ...	0·10	...	...	...	0·03	0·17	0·36	...	...	...	0·11	0 30	0·07	1·06	1·04	1·09	...	0·01	0·30	0·42
			Baharagura ...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·06	...	...	...	...	1·56	1·15	.	0·58	2·18	3 36	1·11	0·25	0·51	0·80
			Gailkura ...												Not recorded.								
			Kalikapur ...	...		...	...	0·10	0·27	0·16	...	...	...	0·07	.	...	...	2·96	1·87	...	...	0·13	0·10
			Mouaharpur ...	...	...	..	...	...	0·15	.	...	...	...	0·16	2·46	...	1·12	2·18	..	...	0·86	0·43	4·13
			Kathari ...	0·56	...	...	...	3·48	1·10	1·24	0·61	...	...	1·33	0·60	.	0·53	0·10	0·35	0·09	...	0·10	0·25
			Seraikella ...	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·03	0·78	...	...	...	0·04	0·06	1·34	0·35	1·19	1·30	..	...	0·07	0·23
			Kharsawan ...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·11	0·74	1·15	0·06	...	..	0·20

... in Bengal in July 1903—*concluded*.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 31st July 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 31st July.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
...	0·06	...	0·38	0·09	...	0·10	0·48	0·40	...	...	9	16·00	4·06	13·14	1·34	19·06	33·39	Assenboni ...	Sonthal Parganas—*concld.*	Bhagalpur—*concld.*	BIHAR—*concld.*
0·66	0·52	0·92	0·13	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	16·43	6·68	16·00	1·56	16·85	29·15	Karikund.			
0·10	1·35	0·15	0·10	0·50	...	...	...	0·20	0·35	...	15	16·14	7·65	12·87	1·35	12·95	24·53	Madhupur.			
...	0·10	0·50	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	12·57	7·33	12·61	2·30	11·91	24·50	Sarwan.			
0·48	1·84	0·17	0·10	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	15·71	5·16	12·65	1·83	8·00	23·00	Sarath.			
0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·02	...	3	15·67	2·36	9·81	0·30	?	20·76	Barkope.			
0·28	...	...	2·19	...	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	4	11·00	5·97	9·37	2·66	14·98	19·55	Bhagya.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·30	0·13	0·11	0·20	...	12	14·00	4·25	12·31	1·47	17·64	24·13	Mohespur.			
...	...	...	0·43	0·06	0·13	0·07	...	...	...	...	9	?	3·90	?	1·16	12·55	?	*Hiranpur.*			
0·84	...	0·32	...	0·10	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	10	15·66	8·40	12·59	2·70	18·20	24·19	Barharwa.			
0·58	0·30	...	...	0·02	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	7	14·86	8·26	12·59	0·82	14·52	25·17	Sahibganj.			
0·17	0·06	...	...	0·16	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	10	?	4·02	?	2·72	12·68	?	*Borio.*			
0·34	0·40	4·00	2·65	0·04	...	...	...	1·70	0·57	0·30	15	13·92	17·12	12·01	4·00	24·02	22·00	Jagatsingpur	Cuttack.	Orissa.	ORISSA.
0·01	0·13	1·06	1·07	0·14	0·20	...	0·47	0·02	...	2·03	14	15·26	15·45	10·66	3·43	24·25	22·85	Banki.			
0·30	0·26	3·67	0·50	0·03	0·16		...	0·42	0·30	0·39	18	16·13	13·04	12·06	3·67	24·44	25·79	Cuttack.			
0·46	0·50	1·45	1·17	0·17	...	0·20	0·06	0·03	0·14	0·09	16	14·90	8·09	13·66	1·45	21·44	26·09	False Point.			
0·78	0·44	3·27	0·17	0·34	0·04	0·05	0·41	0·03	0·75	0·01	19	14·03	12·54	11·85	3·27	21·00	24·3[illegible]	Kendrapara.			
...	0·61	5·02	0·63	0·15	0·12		0·13	0·02		0·33	15	14·60	11·96	12·73	5·62	23·49	26·10	Jajpur.			
0·27	5·43	0·59	0·34	0·06	...	0·23	...	0·10	0·47	1·68	16	15·13	15·15	11·69	5·43	22·36	25·84	Dharmsala.			
0·10	0·33	3·08	0·43	0·36	0·06	0·02	0·01	...	0·13	...	17	14·40	11·20	10·21	3·02	21·81	25·96	Salepur.			
...	0·60	4·90	1·25	0·48	...	0·12	0·18	0·01	0·12	0·25	17	13·63	16·91	10·88	4·90	26·66	23·71	Akhyapada	Balasore.		
0·04	1·11	4·57	0·22	0·04	...	...		0·17		0·06	13	13·50	9·86	12·24	4·57	18·38	23·63	Chandbali			
0·42	...	4·55	1·89	0·44	...	...	0·22	0·31	0·85	0·20	18	13·84	11·91	12·15	4·26	20·02	23·30	Bhadrak			
...	0·83	1·29	0·25	0·32	...	...	1·02	0·17	...	0·71	16	14·04	11·39	11·78	2·63	20·76	23·45	Soro.			
0·62	3·10	0·02	0·35	0·15	...	0·08	0·44	0·25	0·15	0·18	19	14·94	15·79	11·77	3·10	23·00	23·33	Balasore.			
...	4·08	0·25	0·62	0·41	...	...	0·48	0·11	0·44	0·26	16	14·25	11·99	13·31	4·06	23·04	24·66	Jellasore.			
0·17	1·71	1·70	0·50	...	...	0·27	0·03	0·46	...	1·32		?		?	1·71	?	?	*Baliapal.*			
...	...	1·67	2·79	...	...	...	...		...	0·37	11	15·00	11·95	11·07	2·79	21·44	22·53	Angul	Angul.		
0·11	...	1·25	0·80	0·01	0·20	0·70	0·02	0·62	0·95	0·47	18	16·80	11·31	13·27	1·70	18·34	24·28	Bissipara.			
...	0·50	3·00	2·90	0·69	...		0·35		...	...	11	?	16·31	?	4·49	24·68	?	*Chhendipada.*			
0·06	0·32	1·52	0·21	0·03	...	0·06	0·05	0·58	0·04	1·20	16	?	15·13	?	2·01	21·63	?	*Tikerpara.*			
2·02	2·01	1·10	0·15	...								?		?			?	*Kumarkhola.*			
0·13	0·81	1·71	0·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·02	17	15·50	19·29	10·74	3·37	24·45	22·13	Baramba ...	Orissa Tributary Mahals.		
0·23	0·07	0·92	0·68	0·08	...	...	...	...		0·35	15	14·30	15·53	11·20	3·78	22·33	21·03	Kunjabanagarh			
...	0·13	3·10	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·70	18	16·50	11·65	12·92	3·10	16·57	25·38	Dhenkanal.			
0·38	0·08	1·80	2·05	0·32	0·02	...	0·75	0·18	0·36	0·25	20	?	13·43	?	2·05	19·03	?	*Baisinga.*			
0·21	0·23	0·24	0·01	...	0·01	0·35	0·28	0·53	0·43	0·27	21	13·74	15·23	10·46	3·55	23·00	18·45	Keonjhar.			
...	0·30	2·04	1·10	...	...	...	0·90	0·35	...	1·10	15	14·38	18·01	12·29	2·04	25·93	24·81	Anandapur.			
...	1·30	0·14	0·61	0·08	0·03	...	1·25	0·30	0·14	0·21	18	17·50	15·14	12·99	4·50	29·85	26·42	Baripada.			
0·34	1·40	0·55	0·06	0·09	...	0·19	0·20	...	...	0·51	16	14·50	17·50	9·63	3·10	23·90	19·91	Narsinghpur			
												14·00		14·44			25·27	Nayagarh.			
0·28	0·30	0·74	1·44	0·12	0·07	...	0·52	0·40	0·15	0·10	16	18·44	7·33	22·36	1·44	13·92	35·28	Pal Lahera.			
...	...	1·27	1·28	0·15	0·14	...	0·48	0·07	...	0·10	16	16·13	15·48	11·25	3·45	21·54	21·19	Rampur.			
0·03	0·23	2·63	3·58	0·33	0·04	...	...	0·30	...	0·12	14	15·70	14·89	13·42	3·58	24·19	24·03	Talcher.			
...	3·55	3·46	0·42	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	13	?	17·14	?	3·55	27·06	?	*Atmalik.*			
0·04	1·85	2·95	...	...	0·09	1·00	0·05	0·38	0·30	0·92	19	?	20·55	?	3·50	23·33	?	*Hindol.*			
												?		?			?	*Boad.*			
...	0·43	1·00	0·39	...	...	0·25	0·11	0·08	...	...	13	11·74	18·19	9·96	5·02	18·15	19·94	Puri ..	Puri.		
3·00	0·05	2·64	1·15	0·53	...	...	0·30	1·81	...	...	15	16·26	17·70	12·82	3·00	26·08	24·28	Khurda.			
...	0·01	1·08	0·65	0·07	0·21	...	0·02	0·06	...	0·35	13	12·66	12·65	10·09	3·40	18·41	19·26	Bhanpur.			
0·12	2·50	0·28	0·03	0·19	...	1·18	0·78	0·14	0·03	1·98	17	12·80	14·12	10·95	2·30	20·46	21·14	Gop.			
0·04		0·80	0·30	...	...	...	0·28	...	0·03	...	10	8·91	17·00	6·23	10·15	21·17	16·30	Satpara.			
...	0·14	2·41	3·62	...	0·07	0·03	1·98	0·43	0·24	...	15	13·43	21·98	11·56	5·31	32·41	23·15	Pipli.			
0·30	0·15	...	...	0·30	0·25	...	...	0·35	0·40	2·10	16	?	14·61	?	3·45	26·61	?	*Kenas.*			
0·36	0·46	0·05	0·18	0·33	0·08	...	0·02	0·05	0·17	0·01	13	16·83	5·59	12·99	1·03	9·16	23·33	Pachamba (*Giridih*)	Hazaribagh.	Chota Nagpur.	CHOTA NAGPUR.
0·28	0·82	0·53	0·12	0·23	0·06	...	0·05	0·13	0·09	0·07	13	16·74	7·40	13·62	2·34	13·10	23·69	Hazaribagh.			
0·07	0·74	...	0·14	0·09	...	...	...	0·13	0·19	—	10	15·03	4·38	13·47	1·09	7·59	21·65	Barhi.			
...	0·44	1·03	0·10	0·06	...	...	0·03	0·27	0·03	—	8	17·33	8·13	16·22	3·70	10·13	26·13	Chatra.			
0·65	...	...	...	0·46	...	...	...	0·11	0·25	...	12	15·53	4·27	14·88	0·65	9·81	25·23	Kharandiha.			
0·20	0·10	0·10	1·32	0·10	0·30	...	0·20	0·05	0·05	...	16	14·43	7·33	14·78	1·61	14·32	26·09	Ramgarh.			
0·02	0·46	0·90	0·12	0·03	...	...	...	0·24	0·03	...	5	?	2·02	?	0·90	8·67	?	*Kodarma.*			
0·70	3·99	0·80	0·47	0·17	0·12	0·03	...	0·38	0·13	...	21	17·89	11·65	11·51	3·00	16·78	22·10	Lohardaga ..	Ranchi.		
0·15	0·65	0·54	1·20	0·70	0·01	0·05	0·11	0·43	0·27	0·11	18	19·10	11·45	13·20	1·85	18·85	21·97	Ranchi.			
0·10	0·05	1·45	0·35	0·05	0·26	0·06	0·20	0·15	0·20		15	14·64	6·70	13·27	1·45	14·07	23·65	Silli.			
0·34	1·25	0·95	1·03	0·22	0·24	0·20	0·06	...	0·28	1·34	20	17·14	12·38	18·64	1·26	?	30·99	Palkot.			
0·30	0·50	1·05	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	0·35	10	?	5·68	?	1·09	12·11	?	*Bano.*			
0·30	1·35	0·23	1·25	0·29	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	18	16·14	8·30	13·10	1·38	16·18	20·72	Tamar.			
1·20	1·40	0·36	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·00	11	?	10·83	?	2·00	19·33	?	*Kurdeg.*			
1·90	0·95	0·35	1·14	0·53	...	...	...	0·27	0·15	0·06	20	?	11·91	?	1·90	20·10	?	*Gamla.*			
1·90	2·10	0·40	0·70	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	16	17·43	12·06	15·55	2·10	13·51	23·73	Chainpur.			
3·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·60	4	20·33	14·80	18·41	2·60	24·60	29·05	Sirguja ...	Chota Nagpur Tributary States.		
1·97	0·70	0·42	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	1·49	15	21·79	11·65	16·11	2·10	20·45	25·45	Jashpur.			
1·21	2·14	0·76	0·14	0·13	0·14	...	0·24	...	0·13	0·35	18	15·76	9·83	17·53	2·14	17·95	26·31	Gangpur.			
0·34	0·69	0·03	0·21	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·03	...	8	16·16	4·42	12·51	1·17	7·80	19·42	Palamau (*Daltonganj*)	Palamau.		
...	2·12	1·67	0·83	0·30	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	9	17·33	8·96	14·00	3·13	13·96	23·39	Balumath.			
0·74	0·79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	15·07	3·61	16·48	0·84	7·40	23·64	Husainabad			
0·61	0·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	6	15·47	3·94	13·39	1·96	5·52	19·17	Garhwa.			
0·38	1·21	0·66	0·11	0·19	...	...	...	0·34	0·45	...	14	?	7·15	?	1·21	11·02	?	*Mahuadanr.*			
...	3·68	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	3	?	4·02	?	3·62	6·60	?	*Panki.*			
0·10	2·90	0·39	0·30	0·12	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	9	?	5·83	?	2·90	8·03	?	*Latehar.*			
0·10	0·28	0·05	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	8	?	2·18	?	0·87	4·32	?	*Nagaruntari.*			
0·01	1·02	0·11	0·05	0·45	0·20	...	...	0·21	...	...	14	?	12·20	?	4·58	14·70	?	*Ranka.*			
0·33	3·86	0·55	0·07	...	0·19	...	0·07	...	...	...	8	?	9·15	?	5·86	13·13	?	*Chattarpur.*			
0·13	0·03	0·16	0·60	0·09	0·14	0·01	0·09	0·20	0·25	...	14	17·43	5·17	13·23	0·76	13·13	24·25	Purulia ..	Manbhum.		
0·04	0·18	...	0·14	0·02	0·02	0·33	0·04	0·08	...	...	16	19·10	8·26	14·19	1·87	13·36	25·11	Gobindpur.			
0·10	0·45	0·07	0·27	0·07	...	...	0·26	0·48	0·51	...	14	16·33	4·48	13·25	0·72	7·68	22·74	Raghunathpur.			
0·02	1·50	0·32	0·63	0·08	0·02	...	0·25	0·50	1·06	.	17	16·80	11·56	12·82	1·30	19·03	23·70	Barahabhum.			
0·22	1·02	1·39	0·30	0·47	0·04	0·01	...	0·07	0·01	0·03	16	13·80	7·81	13·66	1·39	17·16	26·46	Jhalda.			
0·33	0·36	1·10	0·60	0·20	...	...	0·10	0·58	...	0·15	10	15·73	6·32	12·13	1·10	21·96	22·13	Chas.			
0·18	0·24	0·38	0·02	0·16	...	...	0·65	0·05	...	...	13	18·12	4·31	12·31	0·85	12·81	25·04	Pandra.			
4·16	0·40	0·70	0·70	0·10	0·01	...	0·18	0·08	0·08	...	14	16·68	6·72	13·40	1·35	16·17	24·05	Chaibassa	Singhbhum.		
												10·14		13·80			24·83	Chakradharpur			
1·96	2·20	0·13	0·67	0·05	0·26	...	0·26	0·63	0·20	0·02	18	15·33	10·45	12·92	2·36	19·09	26·05	Ghatsila.			
...	4·20		0·48	...	...	0·05	0·78	0·71	0·26	0·55	17	14·42	12·53	11·73	4·39	31·72	24·12	Baharagora.			
												17·84		17·10			27·06	Gailkera.			
0·36	1·98	0·36	0·47	...	0·10	0·40	...	0·30	0·10	...	15	16·38	16·31	14·34	2·96	23·57	23·50	Kalikapur.			
3·15	2·18	1·12	0·20	...	...	1·11	0·40	...	...	...	14	16·71	10·25	22·17	4·32	21·08	34·20	Manoharpur.			
...	0·20	0·34	1·08	0·14		...	0·20	0·05	0·13	...	15	?	12·37	?	3·4[illegible]	23·09	?	*Kaibari.*			
0·77	0·06	0·61	0·44	0·22	0·02	...	...	...	0·66	0·08	12	?	9·63	?	1·31	20·03	?	*Seraikella.*			
0·62	0·03	0·58	0·11	0·29	...	...	0·17	0·09	0·60	—	12	?	6·31	?	1·15	25·80	?	*Kharsawan.*			

SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL AND RAINFALL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL, AND OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN ASSAM, FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 1903.

WEATHER conditions have been exceptional throughout the month, not only over the Province, but also in the north of the Bay. A consideration of the changes which occurred from day to day and of the temperature and rainfall distribution falls naturally into two periods, because of a disturbance which passed over the Province from north-east to south-west in the early part of the second week. Up to the time of that occurrence weather was similar to what obtained in June. That is ordinary monsoon weather prevailed in the east of the Province and in Assam with general and in places heavy rain and low temperature, while in the western districts there were still comparatively dry westerly winds and an almost entire absence of rainfall. At the beginning of the month the difference from normal temperature varied from excess of 8° at Dehri to defect of 3° in East Bengal.

Pressure oscillations continued unimportant during the first week, but temperature was rising steadily though slowly in the western districts, and the deficiency noticed at the beginning of the month in the eastern districts almost disappeared On the 6th and 7th mean excess in temperature varied from 10° in the west of Bihar to 1° in the eastern districts.

The important change began on the 8th, and was shown by a fall of pressure which appeared first in the north-east of the Province. It was general in Bengal on the 9th, on which date there was a more than usually steep gradient over Bengal with strong southerly winds. On the 10th this fall of pressure was followed by a brisk rise, which, like the previous fall, appeared to move in a direction roughly from north-east to south-west. On the 12th an area of low pressure was shown over the north of the Bay.

During these days, from the 8th to the 11th, while the above series of pressure changes were passing over Bengal, heavy rainfall, caused apparently to a large extent by thunderstorms, spread from Assam and North Bengal towards the south-western districts. Owing to the ordinary monsoon conditions during the early days of the month heavy rain had been falling in parts of North Bengal, but the 5th and 6th were comparatively dry days. On the 8th heavy rainfall became general and continued in the north-eastern districts until the 11th. Meanwhile the disturbance to which this rainfall was due was advancing in a south-westerly direction, and the rainfall which it caused is shown in the tables as occurring in Lower Bengal on the 11th and 12th and in Bihar on the 12th and 13th.

This rainfall, as has been already stated, was due to local storms and was accompanied by a rapid fall of temperature, which began in the north-east on the 9th, had extended further westward on the 10th, and was very marked over North Bengal on the 11th. On the 10th the difference from normal temperature varied from excess of 12° in the west of Bihar to defect of 2° to 3° in Assam, on the 11th it varied from excess of 8° in Chota Nagpur to defect of 7° in North Bengal, and on the 12th defect had extended to Bihar, while in the western districts the largest excess was 5° in Chota Nagpur.

These striking changes between the 9th and 11th were probably due to a stronger northerly element in the upper wind over Bengal; and the same wind appears to have initiated and maintained the formation of small cyclonic storms over the north-west angle of the Bay. Between the 12th, when the first depression began to form, and the end of the month, four depressions appeared at regular intervals of five days, so that the last of the series dated from the 27th. Throughout that period the lower winds in Bengal were almost continuously from the east; and although they changed to south and at times south-west for a short time between the breaking up of one depression and the commencement of the next, that interval was too short to allow any considerable advance of southerly winds into Bengal. The consequence was that rainfall was unusually light over a great part of the Province during the latter half of the month, and that the total rainfall for July was much below the normal in all parts except Orissa. That division and the adjacent parts of South-West Bengal and Chota Nagpur being more directly under the influence of the depressions received fairly copious rainfall, but Orissa alone shows excess.

During the last week rainfall almost entirely ceased in the west of Bihar, cloud to a large extent dissipated, and exceptionally high temperatures, up to 102°, were recorded. On the 31st mean excess varied from 5° to 10° over the greater part of South Bihar and in the west of North Bihar, but in other parts of the Province excess was only moderate, generally about 2°.

The depressions which formed in the north-west of the Bay during the latter half of the month were less regular than usual in their after-movement. They all moved westward into Orissa, but only the third moved further west in any well-defined form. The first two practically broke up over Orissa. The last in the early days of August recurved northwards into Bihar and the adjoining parts of the United Provinces. Showery weather was fairly

continuous in Bengal proper while the depressions were forming, but the showers being due to passing squalls were light and scattered.

Pressure was in moderate excess at the beginning of the month. It diminished steadily in the early days, and there was a considerable defect on the 9th and 10th, while the disturbance from the north was passing over the Province. Subsequently to the 12th when the first depression began there was almost continuous low pressure, any small excess which occurred being in the northern districts. Of the four depressions which developed over the north-west of the Bay, the only one which attained to more than moderate depth was the first on the 12th and 13th, when defect in the central area was ·25 inch. With the others defect was never more than ·15 inch.

Temperature was more frequently above than below the normal, but the variation was rarely large except in the western districts, where hot season temperatures were at times recorded. These were most marked at the beginning and again at the end of the month, excesss in day temperatures being occasionally as much as 12°. Mean excess for the month in Bihar was 3°·4, in Chota Nagpur 2°·5, and in other parts of the Province between 1° and 1°·5.

Rainfall distribution throughout July was never such as obtains with a generally established monsoon. During the first ten days rainfall was largely confined to the eastern districts, where it was copious. In the west only light scattered showers were falling. After the important change occurred about the 10th and depressions began to form over the north-west of the Bay, the heavy rain ceased in the east and the light showers became general except in Orissa, where the depressions caused daily moderate to heavy rain. In Bihar, more especially in the western districts, rainfall was exceptionally light.

The total average fall for the whole of Bihar was only 4·2 inches, the normal for the month being 13 inches. The next lowest was South-West Bengal, which received 6 inches as compared with the normal 12. In Chota Nagpur the fall was 8·5 inches, nearly 6 inches in defect, and in North and East Bengal there was a large defect owing to the light scattered showers which after the change about the 10th continued during the remainder of the month. In Orissa moderate to heavy rainfall prevailed after the depressions began on the 12th, the average fall being 14 inches, 2·6 inches in excess.

It will be seen from the table given below that since the commencement of the present year rainfall in Bihar has been steadily below the normal, and that it has exceeded 50 per cent. of that amount only twice, in February when it was 62 per cent., and in June 80 per cent. The total for the seven months to the end of July is 50 per cent. of the normal in Bihar, about 70 per cent. in South-West Bengal and Chota Nagpur, about 80 per cent. in East and North Bengal and 95 per cent. in Orissa.

Full details of the rainfall in Bengal in all districts are given in the accompanying tables day by day throughout the month.

The following table gives a comparison of the falls in the various divisions during the month of July with the normal fall, the actual being given as a percentage of the normal fall. The table also shows the actual falls for each of the previous months of the year expressed in the same way, and the last column of the table shows the total of the falls of the last seven months of the year in each division expressed as a percentage of the normal fall:—

Meteorological Divisions.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Actual rainfall of first seven months of 1903 expressed as a percentage of the normal fall for the period.
South-West Bengal	153	107	155	58	64	86	51	72
North Bengal ...	66	40	96	9	67	116	76	84
East Bengal ...	138	134	139	17	57	112	57	78
Bihar ...	31	62	42	44	43	80	32	50
Orissa ...	342	128	55	55	57	77	123	95
Chota Nagpur ...	176	96	58	148	98	58	60	68

The following table gives full data for the comparison of the actual and normal rainfall of the month of July in all districts in the Province:—

Percentage Table for July 1903.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for July.	Actual district rainfall for July 1903.	Percentage of actual to normal rainfall.	Percentage excess (+), defect (—).
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan ...	12·25	6·11	50	—50
	Birbhum ...	13·49	3·79	28	—72
	Bankura ...	12·22	7·26	59	—41
	Midnapore ...	12·51	6·85	55	—45
	Hooghly ...	12·05	7·09	59	—41
	Howrah ...	11·53	11·59	101	+ 1
	24 Parganas ...	13·00	7·22	56	—44
	Calcutta ...	12·31	6·35	52	—48
	Nadia ...	10·36	5·34	52	—48
	Murshidabad ...	10·93	4·17	38	—62
	Jessore ...	10·64	5·76	54	—46
	Khulna ...	13·10	5·28	40	—60
North Bengal ...	Rajshahi ...	11·81	3·86	33	—67
	Dinajpur ...	16·17	9·29	57	—43
	Jalpaiguri ...	33·22	28·80	87	—13
	Darjeeling ...	31·91	19·86	62	—38
	Cooch Behar ...	23·85	19·52	82	—18
	Rangpur ...	14·81	15·05	102	+ 2
	Bogra ...	13·26	8·79	66	—34
	Pabna ...	11·06	5·34	48	—52
East Bengal ...	Dacca ...	12·95	6·85	53	—47
	Mymensingh ...	16·47	12·99	79	—21
	Faridpur ...	11·72	7·47	64	—36
	Backergunge ...	17·45	9·33	53	—47
	Tipperah ...	13·39	6·92	52	—48
	Noakhali ...	24·01	7·17	30	—70
	Chittagong ..	26·16	13·24	51	—49
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	19·15	10·04	52	—48
Bihar ...	Patna ..	12·40	2·68	22	—78
	Gaya ...	12·40	3·10	25	—75
	Shahabad ...	12·69	3·01	24	—76
	Saran ...	11·77	2·90	25	—75
	Champaran ...	13·72	6·77	42	—58
	Muzaffarpur ...	12·03	3·09	26	—74
	Darbhanga ...	12·59	4·65	37	—63
	Monghyr ...	13·33	2·69	20	—80
	Bhagalpur ...	12·72	4·46	35	—65
	Purnea ..	18·16	8·15	45	—55
	Malda ...	12·91	4·06	31	—69
	Sonthal Parganas ...	12·68	5·56	44	—56
Orissa ...	Cuttack ...	11·89	13·08	110	+10
	Balasore ...	12·01	13·48	112	+12
	Puri ...	10·26	15·92	155	+55
Chota Nagpur ...	Hazaribagh ...	14·33	6·17	43	—57
	Ranchi ...	14·38	10·42	72	—28
	Palamau ...	13·85	5·21	38	—62
	Manbhum ...	12·81	6·92	54	—46
	Singhbhum ...	15·08	13·25	88	—12

The following table gives the summary of the temperature and rainfall data of each of the seven meteorological divisions of the Province for the month of July 1903:—

Meteorological Divisions.	Temperature.						Rainfall							
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	Averages for month.			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month	Of month.			Rainy days.			Since 16th May 1903.	
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.		Average.	Normal average.	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month	Variation.	Average.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal	98·1	70·7	91·5	79·5	85·6	+1·5	6·17	12·05	−5·88	11·70	15·93	−4·23	17·92	25·96
North Bengal	94·1	72·2	90·1	78·6	84·4	+1·0	14·06	18·44	−4·38	13·28	16·73	−3·45	39·44	42·38
East Bengal	93·3	73·4	88·5	78·4	83·5	+1·3	10·08	17·57	−7·49	14·30	18·71	−4·41	33·68	41·18
Bihar	109·2	70·0	94·9	80·6	87·8	+3·4	4·20	13·05	−8·85	6·93	14·68	−7·75	11·65	22·84
Orissa	96·4	74·3	89·2	79·5	84·4	+0·9	14·05	11·44	+2·61	15·60	13·93	+1·67	23·01	23·37
Chota Nagpur*	107·1	69·9	91·5	77·3	84·4	+2·5	8·53	14·09	−5·56	14·00	16·55	−2·55	15·50	24·75
Assam	93·6	72·3	89·6	77·7	83·7	+0·5								

* Purulia not included.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 8th August 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 8th August 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 9th August 1902.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	126	22,725	346	369	46,275	583
Jute	13	2,350*	32	46	28,100†	280
Firewood	63	37,550	575	60	31,400	429
Other articles	395	1,20,875	1,394	578	1,57,740	1,674
Total ...	597	1,83,500	2,347	1,053	2,62,515	3,026

* Weight by canal measurement, 2,350 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 29,937½ „

Vital Statistics of the districts of Bengal for the month of June 1903.

Divisions.	Districts.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS. Number registered.	BIRTHS. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	DEATHS. Cholera. Number registered.	Cholera. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Small-pox. Number registered.	Small-pox. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Plague. Number registered.	Plague. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Fever. Number registered.	Fever. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa. Number registered.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Respiratory diseases. Number registered.	Respiratory diseases. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Injury. Number registered.	Injury. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Other causes. Number registered.	Other causes. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Total of all causes. Number registered.	Total of all causes. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Average of corresponding month of previous five years. Number registered.	Average. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Burdwan ...	Burdwan	1,532,475	4,416	34·56	117	·84	108	·84	...	...	2,459	19·08	60	·36	5	·03	65	·48	697	5·28	3,481	27·24	2,537	19·80	
	Birbhum	902,230	3,297	43·44	35	·48	55	1·08	...	...	1,221	16·20	4	·04	...	...	29	·36	464	6·12	1,841	24·48	1,473	19·56	
	Bankura	1,116,411	3,407	36·60	203	2·16	55	·48	...	...	1,386	14·88	23	·24	3	·02	50	·48	509	5·40	2,234	24·00	1,913	20·52	
	Midnapore	2,789,114	8,444	36·24	348	1·44	332	1·39	...	...	3,777	16·20	135	·48	9	·03	100	·36	963	4·08	5,664	24·24	4,908	21·48	
	Hooghly, including Serampore.	1,049,282	2,081	23·76	42	·48	11	·12	...	...	1,535	17·52	131	1·44	21	·24	67	·72	331	3·72	2,130	24·36	1,889	20·55	
	Howrah	850,514	1,949	27·48	180	2·04	17	·12	16	·19	796	11·16	302	4·20	13	·19	55	·72	408	5·64	1,751	24·60	1,443	20·28	
Presidency ...	24-Parganas	2,078,359	4,478	25·80	165	·84	23	·12	...	...	1,895	10·92	93	·45	12	·06	103	·48	449	2·52	2,740	15·72	2,749	15·84	
	Calcutta	847,796	812	11·40	149	2·04	8	·10	74	·96	570	8·16	115	1·56	200	2·76	29	·48	519	7·32	1,474	20·76	1,692	23·88	
	Nadia	1,667,491	3,789	27·24	314	2·16	1	·006	...	...	3,348	24·00	11	·07	1	·006	151	1·08	301	2·76	4,211	30·24	2,575	18·48	
	Murshidabad	1,333,184	4,116	36·96	104	·84	40	·36	...	...	2,478	22·20	5	·03	...	...	103	·84	461	4·08	3,191	28·68	2,286	20·52	
	Jessore	1,813,155	3,980	25·80	106	·60	1	·006	...	...	3,107	20·52	1	·006	5	·02	117	·72	275	1·80	3,613	23·88	2,948	19·44	
	Khulna	1,253,048	3,386	32·16	304	2·88	...	...	...	...	1,398	13·32	23	·12	5	·03	96	·84	593	5·64	2,419	23·16	1,858	17·76	
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi	1,462,407	3,853	31·44	83	·60	34	·24	...	...	2,672	21·84	5	·03	3	·02	91	·72	276	2·16	3,164	25·99	2,970	24·36	
	Dinajpur	1,567,080	4,082	31·20	121	·84	61	·36	...	...	3,619	27·60	15	·10	...	...	95	·72	180	1·20	4,071	31·08	3,503	26·76	
	Jalpaiguri	787,380	1,772	27·00	35	·48	17	·24	...	...	2,372	36·12	61	·84	...	...	13	·12	69	·84	2,556	38·88	2,123	32·28	
	Darjeeling	249,117	630	30·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	637	30·60	245	11·76	...	...	25	1·20	109	5·16	1,018	48·96	903	43·44	
	Rangpur	2,154,181	4,963	27·60	60	·24	209	1·08	...	...	4,165	23·04	3	·01	2	·01	54	·24	237	1·32	4,730	26·28	4,250	23·64	
	Bogra	854,533	2,026	28·44	35	·48	149	2·04	...	...	1,256	17·52	...	...	...	...	53	·72	153	2·04	1,647	23·04	1,446	20·28	
	Pabna	1,420,461	3,062	25·92	74	·60	236	1·92	...	...	2,691	22·68	13	·10	2	·01	68	·48	169	1·32	3,346	27·36	2,660	21·60	
Dacca ...	Dacca	2,649,522	5,420	24·48	87	·36	114	·48	...	...	3,446	15·60	133	·60	16	·07	106	·48	516	3·60	4,718	21·36	3,868	17·40	
	Mymensingh	3,915,068	8,683	24·52	316	·84	105	·24	...	...	5,450	16·68	71	·12	...	...	132	·36	1,113	3·36	7,169	21·96	6,094	18·60	
	Faridpur	1,937,646	4,825	29·88	65	·36	6	·04	...	...	3,301	20·40	38	·12	...	...	193	·60	705	4·39	4,318	26·04	3,656	22·56	
	Backergunge	2,291,752	7,253	37·92	476	2·40	15	·07	...	...	3,490	18·24	62	·12	...	...	173	·84	1,587	5·28	5,783	30·24	4,139	21·60	
Chittagong ...	Tippera	2,117,991	4,460	25·20	102	·48	39	·19	...	...	2,909	16·20	39	·12	15	·08	91	·48	658	3·72	3,813	21·60	2,956	16·68	
	Noakhali	1,141,728	3,649	37·92	190	1·99	2	·01	...	...	2,352	24·72	17	·12	...	...	71	·72	335	3·48	2,967	31·08	2,731	28·68	
	Chittagong	1,358,250	5,066	44·88	370	5·04	...	...	...	...	3,950	35·28	55	·48	...	...	70	·60	163	1·44	4,838	42·84	3,138	27·72	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts ...																								Not under registration.
Patna ...	Patna	1,624,986	5,154	38·04	312	2·28	282	2·04	9	·06	1,805	13·80	401	2·88	46	·24	116	·84	1,838	13·44	4,805	35·40	4,970	36·60	
	Gaya	2,059,933	7,960	46·20	278	1·56	260	1·56	1	·004	5,159	30·00	283	1·56	...		106	·60	1,078	6·24	7,181	41·76	5,502	32·04	
	Shahabad	1,962,696	5,371	32·76	2,101	12·84	97	·48	...	...	5,099	34·80	18	·08	1	·006	68	·36	753	4·56	8,734	53·40	5,418	33·12	
	Saran	2,409,509	7,880	39·24	780	3·84	254	1·20	50	·24	4,209	20·58	379	1·80	41	·12	134	·60	2,747	13·68	8,603	42·84	5,699	28·32	
	Champaran	1,790,463	5,875	39·36	1,649	11·28	195	1·30	...	...	4,695	30·96	24	·12	...	...	129	·84	1,206	8·04	7,576	52·68	5,365	35·88	
	Muzaffarpur	2,754,790	8,687	37·80	1,954	8·40	494	2·04	3	·01	6,658	28·92	105	·36	3	·01	203	·84	1,559	6·60	10,950	47·64	7,511	33·96	
	Darbhanga	2,912,611	7,883	32·40	3,166	12·96	109	·36	16	·06	6,861	28·80	62	·24	...	...	193	·72	1,198	4·92	11,604	47·76	7,665	31·56	
Bhagalpur ...	Monghyr	2,068,804	7,068	40·80	1,965	11·40	255	1·44	4	·01	4,695	27·12	19	·10	...	...	122	·60	903	5·26	7,981	46·20	4,864	28·08	
	Bhagalpur	2,088,953	5,540	31·80	1,189	6·72	70	·36	...	...	3,838	21·96	17	·09	...	...	95	·48	542	3·00	5,751	33·00	4,458	25·56	
	Purnea	1,874,794	3,880	24·84	225	1·44	41	·24	...	...	4,547	29·04	2	·01	...	...	78	·48	144	·84	5,037	32·16	4,033	25·80	
	Malda	884,030	2,884	39·12	124	1·68	21	·24	...	...	1,673	25·32	7	·08	...	...	55	·72	243	3·24	2,323	31·44	1,666	22·56	
	Sonthal Parganas ...	1,809,737	5,942	39·36	206	1·32	462	2·88	...	...	3,857	20·16	17	·10	...	...	66	·36	402	2·64	4,200	27·84	2,749	18·12	
Orissa ...	Cuttack	2,062,758	8,376	48·72	2,274	13·20	56	·24	...	...	2,087	12·12	790	4·56	60	·24	115	·60	1,689	9·72	7,073	41·04	4,477	26·04	
	Balasore	1,071,197	4,294	48·00	2,003	22·32	55	·36	...	...	911	10·20	207	2·28	...	...	71	·72	1,143	12·72	4,370	48·84	2,148	24·00	
	Puri	1,017,284	4,346	51·24	1,464	17·16	62	·72	...	...	546	6·36	297	4·68	52	·60	51	·60	1,194	14·04	3,768	44·40	2,274	26·76	
	Angul and Khondmals ...																								Not under registration.
Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh	1,177,961	4,881	49·68	163	1·56	30	·24	...	...	2,005	20·40	65	·60	2	·01	90	·84	572	5·76	2,927	29·76	2,338	23·76	
	Ranchi	1,187,925	5,563	56·16	...	...	29	·24	...	...	1,579	15·84	116	1·08	...	...	81	·72	1,035	10·44	2,840	28·68	1,955	19·68	
	Palamau	619,600	2,318	44·88	133	2·52	83	1·56	...	...	1,339	25·92	48	·72	1	·01	50	·96	273	5·28	1,921	37·20	1,804	34·92	
	Manbhum	1,301,364	6,807	62·64	1,017	9·36	31	·36	...	...	2,464	22·80	42	·36	1	·008	39	·24	947	8·64	4,581	42·24	2,453	22·56	
	Singhbhum	613,579	2,196	41·52	70	1·32	83	1·56	...	...	832	16·20	16	·24	..	...	44	·84	174	3·36	1,219	23·76	963	18·72	
	Total ...	74,483,193	216,333	34·50	25,367	4·08	4,640	·72	183	·02	130,847	21·00	4,658	·72	522	·08	4,016	·60	33,184	5·16	203,425	32·52	151,216	24·36	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	......	178,512	27·84	13,602	2·16	2,880	·36	Data not available.		102,082	16·44	3,440	·48	Data not available.		3,887	·60	26,165	3·96	151,216	24·36	....	......	
	Difference + or — ...	......	+48,215	+6·90	+11,765	+1·92	+1,760	+·36			+23,765	+4·56	+1,218	+·24			+129	Equal	+7,019	+1·20	+51,209	+8·16	....	......	

Office of Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal,
The 8th August 1903.

F. C. Clarkson, Major, I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of June 1903.

Districts.	Towns.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.																AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS.		Remarks.
					CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURY.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.				
			Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Burdwan	1. Burdwan	35,022	40	13·68	3	·96	10	3·36			20	10·20	7	2·28	2	·60	1	·24	5	2·64	61	20·88	64	21·84	
Bankura	2. Bankura	20,727	62	24·24	2	1·08					4	2 28	1	·48	2	1 08			11	6·36	20	11 52	27	15·60	
Midnapore	3. Midnapore	33,140	65	23·52	15	6·48	2	·72			26	12·96	2	·72			1	·36	14	5·04	73	26·40	87	31 44	
Hooghly	4. Hooghly and Chinsura	29,253	33	14·28	1	·36	1	·36			23	14·64	9	3·60	2	·72			13	5·28	63	25·32	68	27 72	
Howrah	5. Serampore	44,451	43	11·52	1	·24					30	7·80	9	2·40			1	·24	3	·72	43	11·52	51	21 84	
	6. Howrah	157,594	214	16·20	23	4·68	4	·24	10	1·90	141	10·68	51	3 84	13	·96	3	·60	93	7·08	388	29 52	326	24 72	
24-Parganas	7. Cossipore-Chitpur	40,750	27	7·92	4	1·16	1	·48			15	3·48	1	·24					5	1·44	22	6·36	31	9·12	
	8. Maniktala	32,387	21	11·40	10	3·60					5	1·80							6	2 16	21	7·68	27	9 96	
	9. South Suburban	26,374	47	21·36							21	14·04	7	3·12					6	2 16	42	19·08	62	28 20	
	10. Garden Reach	26,211	23	9·72	2	1·20					15	6·36	1	·36					2	·84	21	8·88	35	14 88	
	11. Barnagore	25,433	20	9·36	5	2·28					8	3·72	4	1·80					2	·84	27	12·24	40	18 24	
	12. Naihati	25,763	23	11·04							23	11·52							12	5·64	39	13·68	66	31 08	
	13. Bhatpara	21,546	13	7·20							15	8·28							4	1·92	27	13·56	40	20 16	
Calcutta	14. Calcutta	847,796	813	11·40	149	2·04	8	·10	74	·96	370	5·16	115	1·56	200	2·76	3	1·56	7	3·84	25	13·92	Data not available.		
Nadia	15. Krishnagar	24,547	14	6·84	1	·48					23	13·48	1	·48			3	1·44	3	·96	45	21 96	36	17 52	
	16. Santipur	26,896	49	21·84							44	19·56							13	5·28	56	24·96	40	17 76	
Murshidabad	17. Berhampore	24,397	31	15·24							28	13·68							1	·48	29	14·16	35	17·16	
Rajshahi	18. Rampur Boalia	21,589	29	16·08	3	1·56					25	19·44	1	·48	1	·48	1	·48	1	·48	42	23·28	43	23·28	
Pabna	19. Sirajganj	23,114	23	11·88			2	·96			20	15·48	1	·48			3	1·44	3	·96	38	19·68	23	11·88	
Dacca	20. Dacca	90,542	153	20·04	2	·24					26	12·72	20	9 64	1	·72	2	·24	68	9·12	190	25·08	185	24·48	
	21. Narayanganj	24,472	27	13·20							6	2·88	1	·48					10	4·80	17	8·28	19	9 24	
Chittagong	22. Chittagong	32,140	20	10·80	4	2·16					26	14·04	3	1·56					3	1 08	35	18 96	45	24 36	
Patna	23. Patna City	134,785	241	21·36	23	2·88	16	1·32			125	11·04	57	5·04			12	·96	139	12·36	393	33·96	505	44 88	
	24. Bihar	46,063	125	33·24	1	·24	1	·24	1	·24	26	6·84	10	2·64			1	·24	39	10·32	79	21·00	121	32 16	
Gaya	25. Dinapore	33,600	36	12·00			5	1·68			24	8·52	2	·60					21	7·44	82	18·48	91	32 40	
	26. Gaya	71,393	170	28·56	10	1·68	2	·24			27	14·64	25	4·20			2	1·44	68	11·52	202	33·96	256	43·08	
Shahabad	27. Arrah	46,170	47	12·12	70	18·12	4	·96			21	5·40	5	1·20			2	·48	10	2·52	112	29 04	88	22·80	
	28. Sasaram	23,644	36	43·56							61	30·84					1	·48	35	17 76	97	49·20	66	33·48	
Saran	29. Chapra	45,991	60	15·60	3	·72	8	2·04			9	2 28	8	2·04			2	·48	76	19·80	106	27·60	149	38·88	
Champaran	30. Bettiah	24,696	27	27·60	1	·48					36	18·36	2	·96					27	13·08	68	33·00	74	35·88	
Muzaffarpur	31. Muzaffarpur	45,617	104	27·24	7	1·80					46	11·76	10	2·52	3	·72	4	1·08	63	16·56	132	34·68	152	39 96	
	32. Hajipur	21,398	62	34 68	3	1·68			3	1·68	21	11·76	15	8·40			2	1·08	64	35·88	108	60 48	76	42·60	
Darbhanga	33. Darbhanga	65,544	130	27·12	4	·72	2	·48			25	4·44	9	1·56			6	1·08	130	23·52	172	32 04	252	45·60	
Monghyr	34. Monghyr	35,880	127	42·36	13	4·32	12	3·96			36	12·00	3	·96			1	·24	54	18·00	119	39·72	123	41 04	
Bhagalpur	35. Bhagalpur	75,760	149	23·52	8	1 20	2	·24			72	11·40	6	·84					33	5·16	121	19·08	166	26·28	
Cuttack	36. Cuttack	51,364	139	30·12	23	5·28					28	6·16	15	4·20	1	·12	1	·12	27	6·24	105	24 48	83	19·32	
Balasore	37. Balasore	30,880	35	20·04	2	1·08					20	5·64	3	1·68			1	·48	12	6·84	38	16·08	46	26·40	
Puri	38. Puri	49,334	45	10·92	73	18 96	1	·24			36	16 68	13	3·12					34	8·16	198	46·68	132	32 04	
Ranchi	39. Ranchi	35,970	41	18·84							14	6·36	1	·36			1	·36	11	5·04	27	12 36	37	17·04	
	Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	2,441,989	3,441	16·80	521	2·52	93	·36	94	·36	1,773	8·64	421	2·04	225	1·08	107	·48	1,648	8·04	4,967	23·88	5,448	26·76	
	Average of the corresponding month of previous five years	.....	3,376	16·56	622	3·00	99	·48	Data not available.		2,097	10·20	519	2·52	Data not available.		119	·48	1,893	9·24	5,448	26·76	...	...	
	Difference + or −	.....	+65	+·24	−100	−·48	−16	−·12			−324	−1·56	−98	−·48			−12	Equal	−251	−1·20	−481	−2·88	...	...	

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,
The 8th August 1903.

F. C. CLARKSON, *Major*, I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of July 1903.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29·524		
The average pressure of July from 44 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	29·537		
The highest pressure in the month	29·660	1st	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29·334	13th	16
The range of pressure	0·326		
	Hours.		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	148·3		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	413·1		
	°		
The mean temperature of the month	85·4		
The average temperature of July from 20 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	83·1		
The highest temperature in the month	94·1	5th	
The lowest temperature in the month	75·6	11th	
The range of temperature during the month	18·5		
The mean daily range of temperature	11·3		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	16·2	2nd	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	84		
The average humidity of July from 20 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	87		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	1·023		
The average vapour tension of July from 20 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	0·962		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	7·74		
The average cloud proportion of July from 26 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	8·01		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	6·35		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 52 feet above the ground)	6·07		
The average fall of July from 24 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	12·31		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	1·60	2nd	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	15		
The average number of rainy days in July from 24 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	19		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	° 147·8		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures	57·1		
The greatest sun temperature	156·4	12th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	64·5	12th	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	77·9		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	1·7		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature	2·3	13th & 26th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	131·4		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	240·0	9th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	17·0	13th	11 to noon

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—
N. 4, N.E. 9, E. 206, S.E. 197, S. 211, S.W. 96, W. 4, N.W. 2, Calm 15.

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METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA.
Alipore (Calcutta), the 10th August 1903.

for *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.*

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 2nd to 8th August 1903.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1903.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.	°	%			Inches.	
Aug.	2nd	151·1	3·6	29·509	83·6	88·9	9·5	79·4	80·4	0·996	79·1	86	ESE and SSE ...	103	0·71	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
"	3rd	148·0	3·5	·507	83·3	88·2	9·6	78·6	80·7	1·015	79·7	89	SSW and S ...	122	0·59	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
"	4th	134·4	0·9	·529	84·2	88·7	9·1	79·6	80·9	1·012	79·6	86	WSW and SW by S.	113	0·10	Cloudy, o, d.
"	5th	147·7	1·4	·538	82·6	90·9	12·0	78·9	79·5	0·968	78·3	87	SW by S and SW	105	Nil	Cloudy, o, g, d, t.
"	6th	133·9	0·2	·468	81·4	84·9	6·8	78·1	78·7	·946	77·6	88	SW and variable	78	0·45	Cloudy, o, d, p.
"	7th	112·7	Nil	·510	80·8	83·7	6·9	76·8	77·4	·895	75·8	85	SW and S ...	175	2·31	Cloudy, o, g, d, p.
"	8th	153·8	4·2	·640	82·6	89·6	4·8	74·8	77·6	·881	75·4	79	WSW and SW by W.	86	1·06	Chiefly cloudy, o, p.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·529
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·584
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	13·8
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	91·4
	°
The mean temperature of the seven days	82·6
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	83·0
The extreme variation of temperature	16·1
The maximum temperature	90·9
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	10
	%
The mean relative humidity	86
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	87
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 2nd to 8th August 1903	5·22
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	2·58
The total fall from 1st January to 8th August 1903	27·15
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	38·00

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86 formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The month of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

[Rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.]

o, overcast; g, gloomy; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
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Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th July 1903 on 1,926·13 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	371,689	3,70,353 0 0	47,33,383 0	7,78,890 0 0	30,403 0 0	11,79,646 0 0	113,630	163,514	277,344
Or per mile of railway ...	... ..	192 3 7	....	404 0 1	15 12 7	612 6 3	...	.....	.....
For previous 2½ weeks of half-year.	1,089,940	9,54,187 0 0	1,09,33,905 0	19,04,469 0 0	74,540 0 0	29,33,196 0 0	288,491	405,454	693,945
Total for 3½ weeks ...	1,461,629	13,24,440 0 0	1,56,67,378 0	26,83,359 0 0	1,04,943 0 0	41,12,742 0 0	402,321	568,968	971,289
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	370,267	3,75,805 11 1	45,66,617 20	7,07,452 7 8	16,816 11 2	11,00,074 13 11	112,391	166,631	279,022
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	195 6 8	.....	369 12 2	8 12 8	574 15 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 3½ weeks of previous year.	1,528,008	14,20,073 13 7	1,79,48,490 0	29,73,187 15 6	65,113 5 5	44,58,374 2 6	408,553	668,574	1,077,127

(a) The increase is chiefly in coal traffic.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,926·13	11 days of July ...	705,575	5,96,640	65,12,383	11,56,402	45,553	17,98,595	934	416,466	4 5 1
1,926·13	Week ended 18th ,, ...	364,365	3,57,547	44,21,113	7,48 057	29,957	11,34,601	589	277,459	4 1 -
1,926·13	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	371,689	3,70,353	47,33,383	7,78,890	30,403	11,79,646	613	277,344	4 4 1
	Totals up to date ...	1,461,629	13,24,440	1,56,67,378	26,83,359	1,04,943	41,12,742	398	971,289	4 3 -

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,913·28	12 days of July ...	716,608	6,05,787	96,38,982	14,63,289	31,611	21,50,687	1,129	509,575	4 3 10
1,913·28	Week ended 19th ,, ...	441,138	3,78,481	47,42,891	8,02,446	16,685	11,97,612	630	288,530	4 3 5
1,913·28	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	370,267	3,75,806	45,66,617	7,07,452	16,816	11,00,075	575	279,022	3 15 1
	Totals up to date ...	1,528,008	14,20,074	1,79,48,490	29,73,188	65,113	44,58,374	628	1,077,127	4 2 3

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th July 1903 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	20,622	4,839 0 0	10,847 0	417 0 0	5 0 0	5,261 0 0	1,076	113	1,189
Or per mile of railway	... ..	217 10 10	.....	19 10 7	0 3 7	237 9 0	.....	.....	...
For previous 2½ weeks of half-year	69,759	17,579 0 0	23,841 0	1,045 0 0	19 0 0	18,643 0 0	2,722	338	3,134
Total for 3½ weeks ...	90,381	22,418 0 0	34,688 0	1,463 0 0	24 0 0	23,904 0 0	3,998	444	4,312
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	21,846	5,357 1 0	19,055 10	404 0 0	6 4 9	5,367 5 9	1,113	76	1,189
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	.....	240 15 9	.....	23 10 9	0 4 6	265 15 0	.....	.....	...
Total for corresponding 3½ weeks of previous year	94,564	23,206 1 5	1,02,340 10	2,431 0 0	26 3 3	24,213 4 8	4,044	447	4,488

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	11 days of July ...	47,000	12,060	14,677	651	12	12,712	572	1,936	6 9 1
22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	23,789	5,510	9,164	414	7	5,931	267	1,188	4 15 10
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,592	4,859	10,847	487	5	5,351	238	1,188	4 7 1
	Totals up to date ...	90,381	22,413	34,688	1,452	24	23,994	301	4,312	5 8 9

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	12 days of July ...	40,661	10,090	73,607	1,574	10	11,604	522	2,068	5 9 9
22·23	Week ended 19th ,, ...	31,037	6,920	10,667	403	10	7,342	330	1,232	5 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	22,846	5,357	19,055	504	6	5,867	264	1,188	4 15 0
	Totals up to date ...	94,544	22,306	1,03,349	2,481	26	24,813	300	4,488	5 8 6

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th July 1903 on 162·24 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	22,267	20,338 0 0	75,339 0	9,287 0 0	34 0 0	29,659 0 0	9,434	3,214	12,648
Or per mile of railway	.....	125 5 9	.....	57 3 10	0 3 4	182 12 11	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2¾ weeks of half-year	57,431	50,359 0 0	1,94,677 0	26,908 0 0	108 0 0	77,376 0 0	24,669	8,274	33,943
Total for 3¾ weeks ...	79,698	70,697 0 0	2,70,016 0	36,195 0 0	137 0 0	1,07,039 0 0	34,103	12,488	46,591
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	26,207	22,106 10 3	1,03,037 10	8,984 8 6	31 12 9	31,032 15 6	9,089	4,749	13,778
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	136 4 1	.....	54 13 2	0 3 2	191 4 5	.....	.....	...
Total for corresponding 3¾ weeks of previous year.	89,605	72,158 14 3	3,12,997 10	43,808 15 6	167 11 6	1,16,135 0 3	32,195	13,074	50,269

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	11 days of July ...	35,731	30,352	1,06,755	14,536	61	45,439	280	20,717	2 3 1
162·24	Week ended 18th ,, ...	21,700	19,607	67,922	12,361	42	31,931	197	13,226	2 6 8
162·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	22,267	20,338	75,339	9,287	34	29,659	183	12,648	2 5 6
	Totals up to date ...	79,698	70,697	2,70,016	36,195	137	1,07,029	185	46,591	2 4 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	12 days of July ...	40,898	33,090	1,48,494	19,647	94	51,831	319	22,783	2 4 5
162·24	Week ended 19th ,, ...	22,411	17,902	5,62,416	15,268	42	33,272	205	13,707	2 6 10
162·24	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	26,296	22,107	1,02,087	8,894	32	31,033	191	13,778	2 4 0
	Totals up to date	89,605	73,159	8,42,997	43,809	168	1,16,136	193	50,268	2 5 0

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th July 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	11,517	5,963 0 0	29,933 0	2,367 0 0	33 0 0	8,403 0 0	1,810	631	2,441
Or per mile of railway	.....	75 15 5	.....	30 4 11	0 6 9	106 11 1	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2½ weeks of half-year	34,141	19,159 0 0	90,803 0	5,636 0 0	94 0 0	24,889 0 0	4,723	2,276	6,999
Total for 3½ weeks ...	45,658	25,142 0 0	1,20,795 0	8,023 0 0	127 0 0	33,292 0 0	6,533	2,907	9,440
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	11,735	5,894 7 7	41,403 20	2,347 14 0	8 8 9	8,250 14 4	1,015	920	2,935
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	74 13 5	.....	29 13 0	0 1 9	104 12 2	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 3½ weeks of previous year ...	47,599	24,686 0 1	1,45,723 0	9,060 8 0	56 7 6	33,803 15 7	7,176	3,298	10,474

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Tram mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	11 days of July ...	21,610	11,220	50,021	2,896	59	14,875	189	4,243	3 8 1
78·76	Week ended 18th ,, ...	12,731	7,239	40,840	2,740	35	10,014	127	2,756	3 10 2
78·76	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	11,517	5,963	29,933	2,367	33	8,403	107	2,441	3 7 1
	Totals up to date ...	45,658	25,142	1,20,795	8,023	127	33,292	118	9,440	3 8 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	18 days of July ...	23,554	12,211	70,897	4,577	40	16,828	214	4,061	3 6 3
78·76	Week ended 19th ,, ...	12,310	6,481	33,621	2,135	8	8,734	111	2,678	3 4 1
78·76	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	11,735	5,894	41,404	2,348	9	8,251	105	2,835	2 14 7
	Totals up to date ...	47,599	24,686	1,45,722	9,060	57	33,803	116	10,474	3 3 5

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th July 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	33,105	13,840 0 0	50,868 0	4,935 0 0	394 0 0	19,168 0 0	4,942	2,546	7,488
Or per mile of railway ...	238	107 6 0*	366 0	36 0 0	3 0 0	146 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	110,266	39,797 6 0	1,18,886 0	9,813 0 0	670 0 0	50,288 0 0	13,845	6,501	19,346
Total for 4 weeks ...	143,433	53,646 0 0	1,69,752 0	14,747 0 0	1,063 0 0	69,456 0 0	17,787	9,047	26,834
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	30,734	15,698 0 0	1,27,093 0	3,330 0 0	977 0 0	17,005 0 0	3,434	2,346	5,770
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	220	98 0 0*	914 0	24 0 0	7 0 0	129 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	140,676	54,976 0 0	2,39,813 0	12,647 0 0	2,093 0 0	69,721 0 0	13,041	9,574	22,615

* Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING N. B., K.-D., DACCA, AND ASSAM-BEHAR SECTIONS.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th July 1903 on 898 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	246,690	1,14,270 0 0	12,61,970 0	1,06,290 0 0	45,470 0 0	3,26,030 0 0	40,730	35,330	76,060
Or per mile of railway	275	127 0 0	1,405 0	185 0 0	37 0 0*	340 0 0*	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	650,690	2,98,930 0 0	19,40,060 0	3,01,180 0 0	18,270 0 0	6,18,430 0 0	106,097	92,821	197,918
Total for 4 weeks ...	897,380	4,13,200 0 0	32,02,030 0	4,07,470 0 0	63,740 0 0	9,44,460 0 0	146,827	128,151	273,978
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	208,013	1,02,361 0 0	12,44,118 0	1,67,753 0 0	48,247 0 0	3,18,380 0 0	38,468	35,260	73,728
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (861 miles)	243	119 0 0	1,445 0	195 0 0	42 0 0	356 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	870,838	4,12,916 0 0	31,11,261 0	4,79,080 0 0	67,284 0 0	9,00,180 0 0	143,137	122,971	266,108

* Excluding ferry earnings Rs. 12,880.

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th July 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	7,470	3,230 0 0	25,170 0	3,150 0 0	30 0 0	4,410 0 0	1,090	890	1,980
Or per mile of railway ...	126	55 0 0	424 0	56 0 0	.....	74 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	19,700	5,730 0 0	94,870 0	2,090 0 0	80 0 0	7,900 0 0	2,926	1,394	4,320
Total for 4 weeks ...	27,170	7,960 0 0	80,040 0	4,240 0 0	110 0 0	12,310 0 0	4,016	1,984	6,000
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,586	1,929 0 0	20,790 0	1,630 0 0	39 0 0	3,618 0 0	1,078	1,302	2,380
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	111	32 0 0	350 0	28 0 0	1 0 0	61 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	25,243	7,312 0 0	58,199 0	5,233 0 0	136 0 0	12,671 0 0	4,474	4,470	8,944

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th July 1903 on 53·14 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	8,530	2,230 0 0	21,200 0	900 0 0	20 0 0	3,150 0 0	1,190	294	1,484
Or per mile of railway ...	161	42 0 0	403 0	17 0 0	.....	59 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	20,400	5,370 0 0	15,750 0	1,190 0 0	40 0 0	6,600 0 0	3,070	746	3,816
Total for 4 weeks ...	28,930	7,600 0 0	37,140 0	2,090 0 0	60 0 0	9,750 0 0	4,260	1,040	5,300
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,850	2,463 0 0	7,889 0	776 0 0	24 0 0	3,263 0 0	1,389	339	1,728
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	166	46 0 0	148 0	15 0 0	.....	61 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	30,473	8,305 0 0	23,741 0	1,762 0 0	65 0 0	10,232 0 0	4,449	2,017	6,466

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th July 1903 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	27,170	8,040 8 0	20,760 0	1,450 0 0	70 0 0	9,560 8 0	3,234	1,133	4,366
Or per mile of railway ..	316	93 0 0	241 0	17 0 0	1 0 0	111 0 0	...	...	
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	80,730	22,080 0 0	35,280 0	3,300 0 0	510 0 0	25,890 0 0	8,046	4,265	12,306
Total for 4 weeks	107,900	30,120 0 0	56,040 0	4,750 0 0	580 0 0	35,450 0 0	11,277	5,397	16,674
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	25 355	8,816 0 0	19,408 0	1,133 0 0	809 0 0	10,953 0 0	2,998	2,032	5,030
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	295	103 0 0	226 0	14 0 0	10 0 0	127 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	105,360	29,850 0 0	55,752 0	5,139 0 0	1,275 0 0	36,273 0 0	10,409	7,731	1,8140

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th July 1903 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	2,600	960 0 0	11,320 0	950 0 0	50 0 0	1,960 0 0	4 80	1,582*	2,062
Or per mile of railway ..	77	29 0 0	337 0	28 0 0	1 0 0	58 0 0	...	...	
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	7,650	2,750 0 0	18,020 0	2,510 0 0	90 0 0	5,350 0 0	1,192	3,892	5,084
Total for 4 weeks ...	10,050	3,710 0 0	29,340 0	3,460 0 0	140 0 0	7,310 0 0	1,672	5,474	7,146
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2,237	739 0 0	223,588 0	3,090 0 0	23 0 0	4,541 0 0	295	753	1,048
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	67	22 0 0	6,635 0	109 0 0	1 0 0	132 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	8,906	3,057 0 0	237,270 0	5,858 0 0	74 0 0	8,989 0 0	1,029	3,159	4,188

* Ballast train-miles 1,200.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 25th July 1903 on 622 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	31,064	19,313 0 0	2,11,189 0	19,489 0 0	6,168 0 0	44,880 0 0	6,783	9,229	16,012
Or per mile of railway	49·94	30 89	338·60	30·33	9·59	70·81	10·19	14·39	25·26
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	61,368	47,950 0 0	5,53,248 0	47,294 0 0	6,869 0 0	1,03,113 0 0	18,351	24,467	42,818
Total for 4 weeks ..	113,431	67,163 0 0	7,93,405 0	66,703 0 0	13,037 0 0	1,46,993 0 0	25,134	33,696	58,830
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	17,570	17,054 0 0	1,57,767 0	15,410 0 0	2,279 0 0	35,643 0 0	6,338	8,461	14,799
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year .	49 41	31·17	267·80	26·16	3·87	62 20	11·36	14·37	25·73
Total to corresponding date of previous year	109,800	66,711 0 0	6,07,070 0	55,482 0 0	6,136 0 0	1,28,319 0 0	24,467	31,037	55,424

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 25th July 1903.			Receipts for week ending 26th July 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 25th July 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 26th July 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	44,880	70·81	589	36,943	62·90	643	6,58,455	...	580	6,05,412	...	53,083	.....

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the week ending 20th June 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	2,847	367 12 6	15,116	404 12 0	9 10 0	782 2 6	343	161	504
Or per mile of railway ...	158·17	20 6 11	839·89	22 7 9	0 8 7	43 7 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25½ weeks of half-year	80,530	11,363 5 6	4,31,307	11,106 12 0	894 2 0	23,023 3 6	7,293	4,679	11,970
Total for 26½ weeks ...	83,377	11,691 2 1	4,46,423	11,510 8 0	903 12 0	23,805 6 2	7,646	4,829	12,474
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,094	268 9 5	15,501	394 9 6	10 6 0	683 8 11	336	168	504
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	116·33	16 0 6	861·17	15 13 0	0 9 3	32 6 9	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	63,336	10,630 10 5	21,448	8,116 6 7	861 8 0	19,608 9 0	9,131	3,329	12,460

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 1st August 1903 ...	Coaching ...	4,737 0 0		
	Goods ...	10,333 0 0	15,149 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	79 0 0		
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	5,590 0 0		
	Goods ...	9,298 0 0	14,959 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	81 0 0		
		Increase ...		190 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 1st August 1903				297 0 8
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902				293 5 0
		Increase ...		3 11 8
Receipts from 1st July to 1st August 1903				75,206 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902				74,392 0 0
		Increase ...		813 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3674A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3614A.—The 14th August 1903.*—Mr. J. A. L. Swan, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Saran, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Siwan subdivision of that district.

Saran.

No. 2151A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Babu Durga Nanda Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the district of Khulna from the 1st July 1903, the date on which he was relieved of his Cess Revaluation work.

Khulna.

No. 2156A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Mr. W. H H. Vincent, District and Sessions Judge, Bhagalpur, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Rajshahi, during the Civil Court vacation of September and October 1903. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. Syud Nurul Huda.

Bhagalpur.
Rajshahi.

No. 2158A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Mr. C. Fisher, District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Rangpur, during the Civil Court vacation of September and October 1903. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. Kedar Nath Roy.

Dinajpur. Rangpur.

No. 2160A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Babu Manmatha Nath Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Birbhum district.

Dacca. Birbhum.

No. 2162A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Babu Giris Chandra Dutta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Dacca district.

Dacca.

No. 2166A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Babu Kunja Bihari Goswami, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bogra, is appointed to have charge of the Madaripur subdivision of the Faridpur district.

Bogra. Faridpur.

No. 2168A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Babu Makhan Lall Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhabhua, Shahabad, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Bogra district.

Shahabad. Bogra.

No. 2170A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Maulvi Syed Ali Ashruf, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gaya, is appointed to have charge of the Bhabhua subdivision of the Shahabad district.

Gaya. Shahabad.

No. 2172A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Babu Upendra Mohun Sen Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Gaya district.

Gaya.

No. 2176A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Mr. Ahmed Mohamed, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is transferred temporarily to the Kalna subdivision of that district.

Burdwan.

POLICE.—*No. 2183A.D.—The 18th August 1903.*—Mr. W. B. Stuart, District Superintendent of Police, Shahabad, is transferred to Faridpur.

Shahabad. Faridpur.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 3578A.—The 13th August 1903.*—Babu Ananta Lal Chatterjee, Second Inspector of Registration Offices, is appointed to act as First Inspector of Registration Offices, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. H. Swindon, or until further orders.

Dacca. Calcutta.

No. 3580A.—The 13th August 1903.—Maulvi Afzaluddin Ahmed, Third Inspector of Registration Offices, is appointed to act as Second Inspector of Registration Offices, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Ananta Lal Chatterjee, or until further orders.

Patna. Dacca.

No. 3582A.—The 13th August 1903.—Maulvi Syed Feda Ali, Special Sub-Registrar of Patna, is appointed to act as Third Inspector of Registration Offices, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Afzaluddin Ahmed, or until further orders.

Patna.

No. 3584A.—The 13th August 1903.—Maulvi Shah Amir-ul-Hassan, Rural Sub-Registrar of Dinapore, Patna, is appointed to act as Special Sub-Registrar of Patna, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Syed Feda Ali, or until further orders.

Patna.

PROMOTION.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3598A.—The 13th August 1903.*—Mr. Phani Bhusan Mukherji, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, acted in Class II of the former Bengal Educational (graded) Service from the 2nd to the 29th April 1903, both days inclusive, *vice* Mr. M. E. DuS. Prothero, on leave, and is promoted substantively to that class, with effect from the 30th April 1903, *vice* Mr. E. F. Mondy, retired.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3601A.—The 13th August 1903.*—Kumar Girindra Narayan Deb, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for thirty-four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th September 1903

Hooghly.

No. 2164A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Maulvi Abdool Kadir, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Madaripur, Faridpur, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Faridpur.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3604A.—The 13th August 1903.*—Captain H. S. Ashton, Cossipore Artillery Volunteers, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding the Presidency District, leave of absence for twelve months, with effect from the 1st August 1903.

POLICE.—*No. 2147A.D —The 17th August 1903.*—Mr. F. D. Savi, District Superintendent of Police, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 27th August 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Murshidabad.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 3576A.—The 13th August 1903.*—Mr. C. H. Swindon, First Inspector of Registration Offices, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Calcutta.

The following orders are republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 7203G.—The 13th August 1903.—Mr. A. R. Giles, Assistant to the Superintendent, Lushai Hills, at Aijal, is granted privilege for three months, combined with furlough for nine months, under articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th September 1903, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

No. 7204G.—The 13th August 1903.—Mr. C. Mawson, Assistant to the Superintendent, Lushai Hills, at Lungleh, is transferred to Aijal, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. R. Giles, or until further orders.

No. 180.—The 12th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Sasanka Mohan Mukharji, in temporary Civil Medical charge of the Goalpara district, is retransferred to Silchar and appointed to the subordinate medical charge of the dispensary there, with effect from the forenoon of the 1st August 1903.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2710For.—The 13th August 1903.—Mr. L. M. Sen, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, 4th grade, is promoted to be Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, 3rd grade, substantive *pro tempore*, with effect from the 5th May 1903.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2711L.R.—The 14th August 1903.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorise Deputy Collector, Babu Chandra Bhusan Chakravarti, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer for the survey and preparation of a record of rights of mauza Dharampur *alias* Rameshurpur, tauzi No. 473, in the district of Hooghly, under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue Officers.

Hooghly.

2. He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2169.—The 18th August 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, VI of 1901, the Lieutenant-Governor directs the substitution of the words "Dr. W. Forsyth, F.R.C.S.," for the words "C. Banks, M.D.," in clause (3) of Notification No. 1817, dated the 9th April 1901, with effect from the 30th January 1902.

No. 2170.—The 18th August 1903.—In extension of Notification No. 1817, dated the 9th April 1901, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, in addition to Dr. W. Forsyth, F.R.C.S., the Subdivisional Officer, Raniganj, to be *ex-officio* Superintendent of Emigration for the Province of Bengal, exclusive of the Chota Nagpur Division and the district of the Sonthal Parganas, for the purpose of placing emigrants on contract at Raniganj.

Raniganj

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3810S.R.—The 14th August 1903.—Babu Krishna Lal Dey, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the districts of Hooghly and Howrah, *vice* Babu Satis Chandra Bose, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Hooghly and Howrah.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2414Medl.—The 12th August 1903.—Babu Pasupati Mittra, L.M.S., a passed student of the Medical College, Calcutta, has been admitted into the service of Government as an Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 3rd August 1903.

Calcutta.

No. 2416Medl.—The 12th August 1903.—Lieutenant J. B. Cautley, R.A.M.C., Regimental Medical Officer, Dinapore, is appointed to have medical charge of the civil station of Dinapore in addition to his own duties, with effect from the afternoon of the 31st July 1903, *vice* Captain W. Lapsley, I.M.S.

Dinapore.

No. 2462Medl.—The 17th August 1903.—Captain D. McCay, I.M.S., Officiating Resident Physician and Professor of Physiology, Medical College, Calcutta, acted as Professor of Pathology in that institution, in addition to his own duties, from the afternoon of the 2nd to the forenoon of the 6th July 1903.

Calcutta.

No. 2464Medl.—The 17th August 1903.—Captain J. W. D. Megaw, I.M.S., is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 5th July 1903, to act as Civil Surgeon of Puri, during the absence, on leave, of Dr. J. L. Hendley, or until further orders.

Puri.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3675A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3555A.—The 12th August 1903.—Mr. A. S. M. Ziaur Rahman, Munsif of Satkhira, in the district of Jessore, on leave, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Comilla.

Jessore.
Tippera.

No. 3559A.—The 12th August 1903.—Babu Revati Kanta Nag, Munsif of Arrah, in the district of Shahabad, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Bhanga, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Bhanga Munsifi.

Shahabad.
Faridpur.

No. 3562A.—The 12th August 1903.—Maulvi Wali Mahomed, Officiating Munsif of Ranchi, in Chota Nagpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Shahabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Arrah.

Chota Nagpur.
Shahabad.

No. 3565A.—The 12th August 1903.—Babu Radha Kanta Ghose, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Sandip and Lakhmipur, but to be on deputation to Sandip.

Noakhali.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 3819A.—The 14th August 1903.—The following promotions, confirmations and appointments are sanctioned in the Judicial branch of the Provincial Civil Service :—

Promoted to the first grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Prasanna Kumar Ghose, with effect from the 11th June 1903, *vice* Babu Behari Lal Mallik, retired.

„ Mohendra Nath Roy, with effect from the 19th July 1903, *vice* Babu Mohim Chandra Ghose, retired.

„ Mati Lal Haldar, with effect from the 20th July 1903, *vice* Babu Bipradas Chatterji, retired.

Promoted to the second grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Hari Prasad Das, with effect from the 11th June 1903, *vice* Babu Prasanna Kumar Ghose.

„ Kali Dhan Chatterjee, with effect from the 19th July 1903, *vice* Babu Mohendra Nath Roy.

„ Srigopal Chatterji, with effect from the 20th July 1903, *vice* Babu Mati Lal Haldar.

Confirmed in the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Mohendro Nath Mukerji, with effect from the 30th April 1903, the date on which the sanction of His Majesty's Secretary of State for India to the permanent appointment of the Second Subordinate Judge of Sylhet and Cachar was received in India.

„ Jogendra Nath Mukerji, with effect from the 11th June 1903, *vice* Babu Hari Prosad Das.

„ Gopi Krishna Banerji, with effect from the 26th June 1903, *vice* Babu Tara Charan Sen, deceased.

„ Kali Pada Mukerji, with effect from the 19th July 1903, *vice* Babu Kali Dhan Chatterjee.

„ Kali Krishna Chaudhuri, with effect from the 20th July 1903, *vice* Babu Srigopal Chatterji.

Confirmed in the first grade of Munsifs.

Babu Kamala Nath Das, with effect from the 19th April 1903, *vice* Babu Khetter Mohan Mitter, deceased.

Promoted to the first grade of Munsifs.

Babu Nikunja Bihari Roy, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 19th April 1903, *vice* Babu Kamala Nath Das, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 30th April 1903, *vice* Babu Mohendro Nath Mukerji.

„ Hari Prasanna Mookerjee, with effect from the 11th June 1903, *vice* Babu Jogendra Nath Mukerji.

„ Sasi Bhusan Sen (No. II), with effect from the 26th June 1903, *vice* Babu Gopi Krishna Banerji.

„ Jadav Chandra Sen, with effect from the 6th July 1903, *vice* Babu Saroda Prosad Chatterjea, retired.

„ Sarat Chandra Pal, with effect from the 19th July 1903, *vice* Babu Kali Pada Mukerji.

„ Sri Hari Lahiri, with effect from the 20th July 1903, *vice* Babu Kali Krishna Chaudhuri.

Confirmed in the second grade of Munsifs.

Babu Umesh Chandra Sen (No. II), with effect from 19th April 1903, *vice* Babu Kamala Nath Das.

Promoted to the second grade of Munsifs.

Maulvi Abdur Rahim, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 19th April 1903, *vice* Babu Umesh Chandra Sen, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 30th April 1903, *vice* Babu Nikunja Bihari Roy.

Babu Satish Chandra Basu, with effect from the 11th June 1903, *vice* Babu Hari Prasanna Mookerjee.

„ Durga Das Mukerjee, with effect from the 26th June 1903, *vice* Babu Sasi Bhusan Sen.

„ Bipin Chandra Chatterjee, with effect from the 6th July 1903, *vice* Babu Jadav Chandra Sen.

„ Baidya Nath Ghuttack, with effect from the 19th July 1903, *vice* Babu Sarat Chandra Pal.

„ Upendra Nath Bhanja, with effect from the 20th July 1903, *vice* Babu Sri Hari Lahiri.

Confirmed in the third grade of Munsifs.

Babu Ashutosh Pal, with effect from the 18th March 1903, *vice* Maulvi Amir Ali, retired.

Promoted to the third grade of Munsifs.

Babu Upendra Nath Biswas, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 18th March 1903, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Pal, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 19th April 1903, *vice* Babu Umesh Chandra Sen.

„ Hem Chandra Bose, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 19th April 1903, *vice* Babu Upendra Nath Biswas, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 30th April 1903, *vice* Maulvi Abdur Rahim.

Lala Damodar Prosad, with effect from the 11th June 1903, *vice* Babu Satis Chandra Basu.

Babu Nalini Mohan Bandopadhya, with effect from the 26th June 1903, *vice* Babu Durga Das Mukerjee.

„ Jotindra Mohan Bagchi, with effect from the 6th July 1903, *vice* Babu Bipin Chandra Chatterjee.

„ Satish Chandra Biswas, with effect from the 19th July 1903, *vice* Babu Baidya Nath Ghuttack.

„ Banamali Sen, with effect from the 20th July 1903, *vice* Babu Upendra Nath Bhanja.

Confirmed in the fourth grade of Munsifs.

Babu Akhoy Kumar Bose, with effect from the 18th March 1903, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Pal.

„ Tulsi Das Mukerjee, with effect from the 8th April 1903, in consequence of the permanent appointment of the Additional Munsif of Saran.

„ Madan Mohan Saha, with effect from the 19th April 1903, *vice* Babu Upendra Nath Biswas.

„ Jotindra Chandra Bose, with effect from the 30th April 1903, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Bose.

„ Lal Behary Chatterjee, with effect from the 14th May 1903, in consequence of the permanent appointment of the Additional Munsif of Sandip-Lakhmipur, in the district of Noakhali.

„ Rajkumar Bose, with effect from the 11th June 1903, *vice* Lala Damodar Prosad.

„ Abinash Chandra Nag, with effect from the 26th June 1903, *vice* Babu Nalini Mohan Bandopadhya

„ Durga Prosad Ghose, with effect from the 6th July 1903, *vice* Babu Jotindra Mohan Bagchi.

„ Saroj Mohan Das Gupta, with effect from the 19th July 1903, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra Biswas.

„ Suresh Chandra Sen, with effect from the 20th July 1903, *vice* Babu Banamali Sen.

Appointed substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade of Munsifs.*

Babu Basanta Kumar Pal, Officiating Munsif of Satkhira, Jessore.

Maulvi Wali Mahomed, Officiating Munsif, Shahabad.

Babu Kumud Nath Roy, Officiating Munsif, Chikandi, Faridpur.

„ Jamini Kanta Mukhopadhya, Officiating Munsif, Maulvi Bazar, Sylhet.

„ Jadgadis Chandra Sen, Officiating Munsif, Magura, Jessore.

„ Radha Kanta Ghose, Officiating Additional Munsif, Sandip, Noakhali.

„ Nripendra Nath Sarkar, Officiating Munsif, Contai, Midnapore.

LEAVE.

No. 3673A.—The 12th August 1903.—Babu Ram Narayan Sarkar, Munsif of Barisal, in the district of Backergunge, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 10th June 1903.

Backergunge

POWERS.

No. 2151A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Babu Durga Nanda Das, Deputy Magistrate, Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Khulna.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 13th August 1903.

No. 111.—Mr. W. B. Bucknill, Assistant Engineer, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India extraordinary leave without allowances for two months in extension of leave on medical certificate previously granted.

No. 112.—Mr. C. B. Lines and Babu Jnananjan Saha, Assistant Engineers, third grade, passed the Colloquial Examination in Hindustani, which was held on the 10th August 1903.

The 18th August 1903.

No. 115.—Mr. C. W. Sibold, Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, under Article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th September 1903, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 116.—Mr. G. G. Dey, Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, attached to the office of the Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle, is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer of the Champaran Division, during the absence of Mr. Sibold, on leave, or until further orders.

No. 117.—The following extract from a notification issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department is republished for information:—

No. 291, dated the 12th August 1903.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to order the following promotions and reversion to, and in the classes of, Chief and Superintending Engineers, attached to the Irrigation, Roads and Buildings Branch, with effect from the dates specified:—

Name.	From—	To—	Nature of promotion.	With effect from—
*	*	*	*	*
Inglis, W. A. ...	Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, *temporary rank.*	Chief Engineer, 1st Class.	Temporary ...	17th July 1903.
Kennedy, R. G. ...	Chief Engineer, 3rd Class, *temporary rank.*	Chief Engineer, 2nd Class.	Ditto ...	17th " "
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W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 14th August 1903.

No. 113.—Rai Annoda Prosad Sircar Saheb, Executive Engineer, 2nd Calcutta Division, is granted privilege leave for two months and fifteen days, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th August 1903, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 114.—Rai Krishna Chunder Banerji Bahadur, Inspector of Works, Burdwan Circle, is appointed to hold charge of the 2nd Calcutta Division in addition to his own duties, during the absence of Rai Annoda Prosad Sircar Sahib, on privilege leave, or until further orders.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL BUILDINGS.

The 18th August 1903.

No. 118.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road to connect the compound of the circuit-house at Asansol with the site proposed to be acquired for officers' quarters in the village of Sontha, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 bighas 2 cottahs 3½ chitaks of standard measurement, as nicked out, bounded on the north by the circuit-house compound, on the south by the site proposed to be acquired for officers' quarters, and on the east and west by the waste lands of Messrs. Apcar & Co., is required within the aforesaid village of Sontha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

No. 119.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for residences of civil officers in the village of Sontha, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 58 bighas 18 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the lands of Gusta Majhee, Sharan Hajrah, Kangal Majhee, Ram Majhee, Nafar Mistry, Madhab Majhee, Chandi Goyan, Mukunda Goyan, Khudiram Majhee and Goyamani Dasi, on the east by the lands of Goyamoni Dasi, Sripati Sahana, the Race Course, and Ajodhyaram Chakravarti, on the south by the lands of Ajodhyaram, Jogodishwar and Sasi Chakraburtty, Adhar Sahana,

Uma Charan Majhee, Navaram Sahana and Jugoo Sudha, and on the west by the lands of Jogeshwar Sahana, Ram Bistu Hajra, Adhar Shahana, Jadoo Kole, and Gosta Majhee, is required within the aforesaid village of Sontha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The 18th August 1903.

No. 173C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for the construction of a feeder road from Panchbibi Railway station on the Northern section of the Eastern Bengal State Railway to Lokmahat, in the villages of Dumdama in pargana Apoil, Malancha in pargana Barbakpur, Chhota Manika and Keshabpur in pargana Shaguna, Rahatpur in pargana Khangair, Jahangirpur in pargana Fateh Jangipur, and Koria in pargana Shaguna, in the district of Bogra, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 34 acres of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Bogra district.

No. 174C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for the construction of a feeder road from Jamalganj Railway station on the Northern section of the Eastern Bengal State Railway to Itakhola, passing through the villages of Rukindipur in pargana Shaguna, Jamalpur, Dudiapur, Chak Bhabany, Paikan Jamalpur, Mahabatpur, Durgapur, Howarbill, Atee in pargana Apoil, Dasra, Khetlal Kashba and Itakhola in pargana Khetlal, in the district of Bogra, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring, more or less, 42·2 acres of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Bogra.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 18th August 1903.

No. 175L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Midnapore for the construction of a feeder road from Chilkigur to Gidni Railway station, about 17,227 feet in length and 60 to 400 feet in breadth, in the villages of Gidni, Khatigaria, Tulsiboni and Chilki, parganas Jamboni and Ghatsila, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 106 bighas 9 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Gidni, Khatigaria, Tulsiboni and Chilki.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Midnapore District Board, at Midnapore.

No. 176L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Midnapore for the construction of a feeder road from Debra to Balichuk, 12,400 feet in length and 60 to 80 feet in breadth, in the villages of Baragurh, Chukkumar, Gangaramchuk, Begunee, Donoochuk and Kanuram, pargana Shahapur, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 41 bighas 17 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Baragurh, Chukkumar, Gangaramchuk Begunee, Donoochuk and Kanuram

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in

the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Midnapore District Board, at Midnapore.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Sixth Publication.]

The 14th July 1903.

No. 41.—Notification.— IN exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 78 and 99 (*d*) of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following alteration in item 5 of the Schedule of Rates to be charged for water supplied from the Orissa Canals, as fixed in Notification No. 118, dated the 23rd May 1899, and subsequently modified in Notification No. 141, dated the 1st July 1902.

	Existing rate per man.			Proposed rate per man.	
	Rs.	A.		Rs.	A.
Item 5—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June ...	3	8	Item 5*—For the irrigation of sugarcane on lands which are under a lease for a term of years between 1st April and 16th June	3	4

* NOTE.—In the case of leases for a term of years which are in force at the rate of Rs. 1-8 per acre, the rate for the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June will remain Rs. 3-8 per acre.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 18th August 1903.

No. 168R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for subordinates' quarters and workshop at Mhoda on the Midnapore-Jherria extension of that Railway, in the village of Mhoda, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 acre 2 roods 12·63 poles, being equivalent to 4 bighas 15 cottahs 4 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Mhoda.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Jherria district, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Mhoda.

No. 169R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for an assisted siding to Sarthakpur Colliery off Ondal Loop, East Indian Railway, for Messrs. Khanga & Co. in the district of Burdwan, in the villages of Mamudpur and Sarthakpur, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 2 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 1 rood 19·50 poles), bounded on the north and west by the East Indian Railway Company's land, and on the east and south by the paddy land and waste lands of Kartic Chandra Kanji Lal, Ram Bishnu Kanji Lal and Bijoy Gobinda Chatterjee, is required within the aforesaid villages of Mamudpur and Sarthakpur.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

No. 170R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for an assisted siding at Mouzrah off Ondal Loop, East Indian Railway, for Basanti Oakdeni Coal Company, in the village of Mamudpur, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 1 cottah 1·11 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 1 acre 2 roods 27·29 poles), bounded on the north, south and east by the colliery lands of Bijoy Gobinda Chatterji, and on the west by the East Indian Railway Company's land, is required within the aforesaid village of Mamudpur.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

No. 171R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the Gaya-Katras Railway (Plateau Section) in the villages of Gobat, Ghoramanda and Ghoranja, tahsil Kodarma, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 0·43 acre, bounded as follows, are required within the aforesaid villages:—

Plot No. 1.—On the north by the land of the villages of Gohat and Ghoramanda, on the east by the land of the village of Ghoramanda, on the south and west by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line.

Plot No. 2.—On the north by the land of the villages of Ghoramanda and Ghoranja, on the east by the land of the village of Ghoranja, and on the south by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer in Charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur.

No. 172R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for extending the siding at Postgolla on the Eastern Bengal State Railway into Messrs. Nahapiet & Co.'s premises, in the village of Postgolla, pargana Jahangirnagore, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Mr. S. M Joseph's, Messrs Lucas & Co.'s godowns, and Pitali bridge, on the south by the Booreegunga river, on the east by Railway land, and on the west by Booreegunga river and Messrs Nahapiet & Co.'s premises, are required within the aforesaid village of Postgolla.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other mineral lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and mineral as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land is available for inspection in the office of the Executive Engineer, Dacca district, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 13th August 1903.

No. 99Marine.—Mr. F. W. Moore, Junior Master Pilot, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-five days, under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 4th August 1903.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 14th August 1903.

No. 100Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 5 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884, and in supersession of the rules sanctioned under the Notification of this Government No. 6Marine, dated the 10th January 1902, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to make the following amended rules to regulate the transport and importation of explosives, other than those mentioned in section 14 of the Act, in the Port of Calcutta.

These rules are supplementary to the rules relating to the transport and importation of explosives made by the Governor-General in Council and published in Home Department Notification No. 5528, dated the 11th October 1901, and amended under Notifications Nos. 2336 and 2547, dated the 11th June and the 25th June 1903, respectively.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

N.B.—"Explosive," as defined in section 4, Act IV of 1884, and as used in these rules—

(*a*) means gunpowder, nitro-glycerine, dynamite, gun-cotton, blasting powder, fulminate of mercury or of other metals, coloured fires, and every other substance, whether similar to those above mentioned or not, used or manufactured with a view to produce a practical effect by explosion or a pyrotechnic effect; and

(*b*) includes fog-signals, fireworks, fuzes, rockets, percussion caps, detonators, cartridges, ammunition of all descriptions and every adaptation or preparation of an explosive as above defined. It also includes any dangerous substance which may have been ordered by the Governor-General in Council, under section 17 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884, to be deemed an explosive.

1. Except as is hereinafter provided for, no vessel shall have on board, within the limits of the port, any explosive, as defined in section 4, Act IV of 1884, except 15 lbs. of common gundowder in addition to 12 rockets and 12 blue-lights. All explosives which vessels are by this rule permitted to keep on board shall be stored in a copper magazine out of risk of fire and explosion.

All explosives which by this rule may be ordinarily retained on board vessels in port shall be discharged before a vessel is taken into dry dock.

2. All inward-bound vessels carrying explosives in excess of 15 lbs. of common gunpowder, in addition to 12 rockets and 12 blue-lights, are prohibited from proceeding above Budge-Budge, and the master of any vessel lying within the port which shall have on board any explosive in contravention of these rules shall be liable to a fine which may extend to the sum mentioned in clause (*a*) or clause (*b*), as the case may be, of the proviso to section 5 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884.

3. Explosives of classes 1, 6 and 7, as laid down in the rules issued under Government of India Notification No. 5528, dated 11th October 1901, that is to say, gunpowder, ammunition and fireworks in excess of the quantity prescribed in Rules 1 and 2, shall be landed and deposited in the magazine at Moyapore.

4. For the convenience of vessels having ship's gunpowder on board, a properly constructed powder-boat will be always in attendance off the magazine for landing and shipping the powder. No charge will be made for the use of the boat for landing ship's powder, but the responsibility of the keeper in respect of the ship's powder shall not commence until it is landed on the bank, and shall cease as soon as it is shipped on board the boat. Every precaution will be taken to insure the safety of the powder while in the boat, but the landing and shipping shall be at the risk of the vessel.

5. Vessels bringing consignments of trade explosives shall be allowed the use of the magazine boat; but should passing vessels require the use of the boat to put out or take in ship's powder, such vessels shall be accommodated before the boat can be used to discharge explosives brought as cargo. The landing of such consignments, whether the station boats or private boats are employed, shall be at the risk and expense of the consignees of the explosives, and no liability shall be accepted for damage sustained while in course of landing or until the consignments are stored in the magazine.

6. Explosives specified in the first division, class 6 of the rules published under Government of India's Notification No. 5528, dated 11th October 1901, viz., safety cartridges, safety fuzes for blasting, railway fog-signals, percussion caps and, under certain conditions, fuzes for shells and tubes friction for guns brought as part of a general cargo and which have been placed on board the vessels while lying in dock at ports of shipment, may be brought into port and landed at the docks or jetties in accordance with the regulations prescribed in that behalf in the Port Commissioners' bye-laws.

The term "safety fuze" means a fuze for blasting which burns and does not explode, and which does not contain its own means of ignition, and which is of such strength and construction, and contains an explosive in such quantity, that the burning of such fuze will not communicate laterally with other like fuzes.

The expression "safety cartridges" means cartridges for small-arms of which the case can be extracted from the small arm after firing, and which are so closed as to prevent any

explosion in one cartridge being communicated to other cartridges. The term also includes rifle-calibre machine-gun cartridges if they are of the above description, whether they are for use with machine-guns having chambers identical with those of rifles or with machine-guns which have special chambers.

The maximum diameter at which a small-arm or machine-gun cartridge can be accepted as "safety" is one inch.

7. In order to avoid unnecessary detention, masters of vessels requiring the use of the powder-boat shall hoist a flag at the fore-topmast head on coming in sight of the magazine as a signal to the keeper to have the boat and coolies in attendance.

8. Masters of vessels shall mark the names of their respective vessels on the barrels and packages of ships' gunpowder previously to their being landed; if not marked, they shall not be received by the magazine boat.

9. Explosives shall not be landed within the port or at Moyapore or Diamond Harbour at any time when artificial lights are required to be used, and no explosives shall be landed, received into, or delivered from, the magazine when artificial lights are required to be used.

10. The magazine-keeper shall give to the master of any vessel landing explosives at the magazine a receipt for the number of packages, and the magazine-keeper shall be accountable to such master for the re-delivery of such packages.

11. Before entering the limits of the port, the master of every vessel having explosives on board shall make and sign a declaration in writing that to his knowledge and belief there is not on board any explosive exceeding the quantity prescribed in these rules.

12. A clerk shall be always in attendance in the powder-boat, and shall receive from the master the declaration specified in the foregoing rule.

13. If any vessel shall be prevented, by stress of weather, or by being in distress from landing or depositing such explosives in excess of the quantity allowed as aforesaid, such vessel may be permitted to come up to the lower limits of the port, but shall not proceed above Matteabrooj Ghat, and the master of such vessel shall forthwith give notice to the Harbour Master of his having such explosives on board, and shall obey the Harbour Master's directions relating to the same.

14. Masters of vessels outward bound, who may require ship's gunpowder for their outward voyage, shall not take such powder on board in any part of the river above Budge-Budge, with the exception of a quantity not exceeding 15 lbs. of common gunpowder in addition to 12 rockets and 12 blue-lights.

15. Masters of vessels who have deposited ship's powder at the magazine shall inform the Harbour Master of the date on which the vessel will pass the magazine outward bound, and on receipt of this information, orders shall be forwarded to the keeper to place the powder in the boat, and send it off in such time as to avoid any detention of the outward-bound vessel. Before taking the powder on board, the receipt granted by the magazine-keeper shall be given up.

16. Boats shall be permitted to take on board at the Moyapore magazine and bring as far as Neemuck Mehal Ghat, under cover of passes to be granted by the Commissioner of Police and the Port Commissioners, 50 lbs. of trade gunpowder, the property of dealers and consignees.

17. Delivery of trade powder into boats at the Moyapore magazine for conveyance to Calcutta shall only be granted upon orders issued by the Port Commissioners.

18. No boat containing powder under the provisions of Rules 16 and 17 shall be allowed to proceed above Neemuck Mehal Ghat. All such powder shall be landed at Neemuck Mehal Ghat, and no powder shall be landed at any other ghat, except with the special permission of the Port Commissioners.

19. No smoking, and no fire or light of any description, except the red lamp between sunset and sunrise, shall be permitted on board of any boat having explosives on board.

20. Masters of vessels having on board explosives belonging to the following classes, as laid down in the rules prescribed in the notification of the Government of India, Home Department, No. 5528, dated 11th October 1901, must make their own arrangements for the discharge of the explosives:—

CLASS 2.—Nitrate mixture.	CLASS 4.—Chlorate mixture.
„ 3.—Nitro compound.	„ 5.—Fulminate.

21. Explosives of the classes specified in the foregoing rule shall not be landed at the Moyapore magazine. They shall only be allowed to enter, and pass through, the port under the supervision of the Port Police and subject to such restrictions as may, from time to time, be ordered by the Commissioner of Police and the Port Commissioners, in addition to the restrictions laid down in the rules promulgated by the Government of India under Notification No. 5528, dated 11th October 1901. But they may be landed at Diamond Harbour and conveyed thence by rail to Durgapur: provided they are taken direct from the vessel to wagons; or if there be no wagons ready to receive them, arrangements are made for their safe custody after leaving the vessel.

23. Boats containing explosives of the classes specified in the two foregoing rules may anchor at Diamond Harbour if it is intended to land the explosives at that place, but shall, in no case, anchor within port limits, or be made fast at any part of the river bank or alongside any vessel, stage, jetty, or pier within the limits of the port. Such boats, if allowed to enter port, shall proceed direct through the port to the place licensed by the Local Government for the landing and storage of the explosives.

The 14th August 1903.

No. 101Marine.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in Bhavnagar, in the Bombay Presidency, it is hereby notified for general information that Bhavnagar is declared an infected port, and that the regulations issued by Government for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea will be enforced in the ports of Orissa and in the port of Chittagong against vessels arriving from that port.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 14th August 1903.

No. 102Marine.—Erratum.—In notification No. 95Marine, dated the 7th August 1903, published in Part I, pages 1082 and 1083 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem, for the words "Registered Tonnage" in the second column of the form of certificate of survey sanctioned under it, read "Register Tonnage."

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 18th August 1903.

No. 103Marine.—Mr. E. W. J. Bartlett, Senior Master Pilot, is appointed to act as a Branch Pilot, with effect from the date he is put on the running list, Mr. E. O. Manning, Acting Branch Pilot, reverting to the grade of Senior Master from the date Mr. Bartlett's acting appointment.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 18th August 1903.

No 104Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that Mr. F. P. Dixon, I.C.S., Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong, is appointed, under section 9 of the Chittagong Port Commissioners Act, 1887, to be a Commissioner of the Port of Chittagong, *vice* Mr. E. Geake, resigned.

Mr. Dixon is also appointed to be the Vice-Chairman of the Commissioners.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3676A.

No. 3607A.—The 14th August 1903.—Maulvi Abdur Rahman Mahmood, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, Pabna, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Pabna.

No. 3617A.—The 14th August 1903.—Maulvi Saiyad Tajammul Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is transferred temporarily to the Kendrapara subdivision of that district, with effect from the 10th July 1903.

Cuttack.

No. 2174A.D.—The 17th August 1903.—Babu Mohendra Nath Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Kalna, Burdwan, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Burdwan.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1645P.—The 18th August 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the removal of the head-quarters of the office of the Sub-Registrar of Islampur, in the district of Murshidabad, from Islampur to Domkol-Azimganj. The Sub-Registry Office will henceforth be designated the Domkol-Azimganj Sub-Registry Office.

Murshidabad.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 8421, dated Calcutta, the 13th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Syam Nirad Das Gupta, of the Arambagh Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Hooghly district, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 8424, dated Calcutta, the 13th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Jotindra Nath Basu is appointed to act at the Arambagh Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Hooghly district, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Syam Nirad Das Gupta, or until further orders.

No. 8457, dated Calcutta, the 13th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Jogendra Nath Bosu is allowed privilege leave for one day, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Civil Medical Department Notification No. 7738, dated the 27th July 1903.

S. H. BROWNE, M.D., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

No. 8530, dated Calcutta, the 17th August 1903.—In continuation of Civil Medical Department Notification No. 632D., dated the 9th May 1903, the following list of fourth year students who have passed the final examination for Civil Hospital Assistants from the Cuttack Medical School and are qualified in medico-legal works is published for general information :—

1. Bhagabat Prosad Ghose. | 2. Jnanoj Nath Bose.

No. 8583, dated the 17th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Rash Behary Moitra, of the Raniganj Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Burdwan district, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 26th July 1903.

R. D. MURRAY, M.B., LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
for *Insptr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

ISSUED BY AUTHORITY OF THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

CIVIL.

Rule No. 3 of 1903.

THE attention of all Civil Courts subordinate to the High Court is invited to the rules made by the High Court on the 5th July 1866, pursuant to section 189 of the Indian Companies Act, X of 1866, and published in the *Gazette of India* of the 4th August 1866, at pages 1028 to 1049, and republished in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th July 1903, Part I, at pages 997 to 1017. Those rules shall be now deemed to have been made by the High Court under the power vested in it by section 254 read with section 2 of the Indian Companies Act, VI of 1882, and are applicable to all Courts subordinate to the High Court.

By order of the High Court,

H. L. STEPHENSON,
Offg. Registrar.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 15th August 1903.—Babu Rama Nath Chatterjea, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Sadar Circle, Bankura (class VII), acted as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bankura, from the 17th June 1903 to the date on which he was relieved by Babu Sarat Chandra Brahmachari.

A. C. EDWARDS,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

DACCA DIVISION.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

Private Students.

1. A student who has not attended any H. E. School recognised by the University since the 1st September next preceding the Entrance Examination or has been transferred after the 1st September to the school from which he appears without the consent of the Divisional Inspector of Schools will be treated as a private student.

2. The term "Private student" includes school-masters.

3. Private students desirous of being sent up to the ensuing University Entrance Examination must appear at the test examination of one of the undermentioned schools:—

(1) Dacca Collegiate School.	(3) Faridpur Zilla School.
(2) Mymensingh Zilla School.	(4) Barisal Zilla School.

4. The test examinations of the zilla schools will be held on the 16th December 1903 and the following days. The date of examination of the collegiate school should be ascertained from the Head Master of that school.

5. Every private candidate must submit his application to the Head Master of one of the schools named above at least three weeks before the test examination, and satisfy the following conditions:—

(*a*) that he has not failed at the test examination of any Entrance school during the current session;
(*b*) that he has not left school from any class lower than the first; and
(*c*) that he has left the school in which he last read with a transfer certificate, or (in case of a candidate who appeared at any previous examination) he is in possession of the Registrar's receipt.

A school-master is required to produce a certificate from the Secretary of the school in which he has served as a *bonâ fide* teacher for a period not less than six months, or if he has served in several schools, he must produce certificates from the Secretaries of each of them to prove that he has served as a *bonâ fide* teacher in all of them.

6. Every private candidate must pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master of the school at which he appears for examination. After payment of the necessary expenses, the balance of fees will be paid to the examiners as remuneration.

7. He must be accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to the officer conducting the examination, and satisfy him as to his character, otherwise he will not be admitted to the test examination.

8. The Head Masters of the schools named above are requested to send to this office a statement showing the marks gained by each private candidate in each subject at the test examination within a fortnight from the date of the said examination, and are authorised to sign the application forms of eligible candidates, which should be forwarded to this office for countersignature and transmission to the Registrar of the University of Calcutta in due time.

9. Private candidates should arrange to remit their examination fees, together with the application forms direct to the Registrar.

F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools, and *bonâ fide* teachers of recognised English schools will be admitted to the F.A. and B.A. Examinations as private candidates, provided they have served in their respective capacities for a period of two academical years.

Bonâ fide teachers are those who hold paid appointments in English schools teaching at least the Middle English standard.

2. Exceptions to the above rule will be made in case of those candidates who, after failure at a previous examination, have served for six months since the date of the examination. If, however, a candidate does not complete six months' service at the time of submitting his application, he must satisfy this office that he will stick to the post till he completes six months' service before the examination.

3. School-masters should submit, with their applications, certificates of character and length of service from the Secretaries of their respective schools, and also the University certificates, in proof of their having passed the Entrance or F.A. Examination, as the case may be. Candidates who were admitted to a previous examination should produce the Registrar's receipt in addition.

4. Applications must reach this office on or before the 9th January 1904.

5. Fees should be remitted by the candidates direct to the Registrar of the University of Calcutta, together with the application forms countersigned by the Inspector of Schools, so as to reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 6th February 1904.

DACCA,
The 3rd August 1903.

MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM,
Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.

OFFICE MEMO.

RULES FOR APPEARING AT THE F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS FOR CANDIDATES FROM THE RAJSHAHI DIVISION, WHO ARE NOT STUDENTS OF ANY AFFILIATED INSTITUTION.

DEPUTY INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS, Sub-Inspectors of Schools, and *bonâ fide* masters of English schools, who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or of six months after the examination of the same class last held by the University, in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations. The applications of school-masters should be accompanied by certificate of length of service from the Secretaries or Managers of the schools in which they are employed, and should reach this office not later than the 6th January 1904. The application of a school-master for permission to appear at the F.A. or B.A. examination should be signed by him in the *presence* of the Secretary or a Member of the Managing Committee of the School in which he is employed. The application should be forwarded to this office for counter-signature, together with the Registrar's certificate, to prove, if this be the case, that the candidate has appeared at the examination in a previous year, and the certificate in proof of his having passed the Entrance or F.A. examination, as the case may be, and it will be sent back to him (the candidate) who will have to send it, together with the examination fee, to the Registrar of the University *direct*. School-masters are not required to pay any fee for getting their application for permission to appear at either of the abovementioned examinations countersigned by this office.

2. Candidates should read carefully the form of the certificate which this office is required to sign, and should be careful to supply all information and documents required, including the Registrar's receipt in the case of those school-masters who have been admitted to a former examination of the same class, without which the Inspector must decline to sign the certificate.

3. By *bonâ-fide* masters of schools are to be understood masters who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools, teaching at least the M.E. course.

JALPAIGURI,
The 24th July 1903.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.

Rajshahi Divisional Inspector's Office Memo.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. *Private students* are those who do not appear from any school or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector. The term 'private student' includes *schoolmasters*.

2. Private students must appear at the test-examination of one of the following institutions:—

Those from the	At the test-examination of	Date of test-examination.
1	2	3
1. Rajshahi district ...	Rajshahi Collegiate School (with the Principal's permission).	On the dates fixed by the Principal of the Rajshahi College.
2. Pabna ,, ...	Pabna Zilla School ...	14th December 1903.
3. Bogra ,, ...	Bogra ditto ...	
4. Rangpur ,, ...	Rangpur ditto ...	
5. Dinajpur ,, ...	Dinajpur ditto ...	
6. Jalpaiguri ,, ...	Jalpaiguri ditto ...	
7. Darjeeling ,, ...	Darjeeling High School ...	

The examinations will begin as stated above, and each private student will pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the head of the institution at which he appears for examination. The balance, after payment of expenses (stationery, etc.), will go as remuneration to the examiners

3. Applications for permission to appear must be sent so as to reach *this office* not later than the 24th November, with the following information, etc.—

From Private Candidates proper.

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.

(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate from the same; or

(*c*) In the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.

(*d*) Age of the candidate.

From Schoolmasters.

(*e*) A certificate from the Secretary or Proprietor of the school in which the candidate is serving, to the effect that he has been a *bonâ-fide paid* teacher of the school in which he teaches, and has been so ever since the 1st June 1903. In case of a schoolmaster who has served *in more than one school*, he must produce certificates from the several schools in proof of his having been a *bonâ-fide paid* teacher all along since the 1st June 1903.

Failing to produce the above certificate or certificates, a schoolmaster will be subject to the rules applicable to *bonâ-fide* private candidates, as given above.

4. If this office is satisfied that all is in order, the Inspector will countersign and return the application, and this then will be the candidate's passport for admission *to the test-examination.*

5. The Head Master of an institution (one of those named above) should direct private students to appear before him not later than the 2nd January with their applications for admission to the Entrance examination, and in the case of those candidates who have satisfied the test, he will cause them to sign their application forms in his presence and will grant the necessary certificates, and then forward the applications to this office for countersignature, after which they will be sent by the Inspector *direct* to the candidates.

6. Expedition is necessary in carrying out all these instructions, and candidates should be *most careful* to give their names and addresses written legibly and distinctly, so that no mistake may be likely to occur.

7. *Under no circumstances should the entrance fee be sent to this office.*

8. Private students will understand that the test-examination of any schools other than those named above will not be accepted by this office.

9. Addresses of private students should be supplied to this office.

JALPAIGURI,
The 24th July 1903.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that upon the result of the next Entrance Examination to be held in the year 1904 being known, the three second grade Junior Scholarships allotted to the Bhagalpur Division will be awarded to the three boys who stand first in order of merit in the Divisional list without reference to districts, and the eight third grade Junior Scholarships will be distributed as follows:—

Monghyr	...	1
Bhagalpur	...	2
Purnea	...	2
Malda	...	1
Sonthal Parganas	...	2
Total	...	8

SAKHAWAT HOSSEIN, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 12th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6572B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Wednesday, the 2nd September 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

		Chests
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Total	...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th September 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 17th September 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

DATES	Manufactured at the Patna Factory ; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory ; about chests.	Total ; about chests.
On or about Monday, 12th October 1903...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 2nd November „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	6,000	6,000	12,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th July 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the seventh general election of the Commissioners of the Sahebganj Municipality, in the district of Sonthal Parganas, held on the 29th June 1903, the following gentlemen were elected as Municipal Commissioners :—

Babu Pashupati Basu.
„ Hem Chandra Mukherjee.
„ Hari Das Marwari.
Babu Girindra Chandra Gangooly.
„ Jadu Nath Mukherjee.
„ Upendra Nath Ghose.

C. R. MARRIOTT, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 4th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Managing Committee of the Daudnagore Dispensary, in the district of Gaya :—

Maulvi Sayed Mohomed Qayem Hussain, *vice* Maulvi Abbas Ali, deceased.
„ Zaharul Hussain, *vice* Babu Nabin Chander Sen, transferred.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 11th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Arrah Dispensary, in the district of Shahabad:—

(1) Babu Deo Coomar, *vice* Babu Naurangi Lal, Deputy Magistrate.
(2) „ Durga Pershad, *vice* Babu Mahanand Sahai.
(3) „ Haree Kishoon Rai, *vice* Babu Ram Sahay.
(4) „ Sachitanand Sahay, *vice* Babu Shyamla Nand.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 11th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Koath Dispensary, in the district of Shahabad, in addition to those appointed under this Office Notification, dated the 1st July 1903, published at page 911 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 8th July 1903:—

1. Maulvi Mir Arasta.
2. „ Shah Asghar Ali Khan.
3. Babu Raghunandan Sahai.
4. Munshi Ram Lagan Lal.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 11th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Keshabpur, in the district of Jessore. This notification supersedes all previous notifications on the subject:—

(1) The Civil Surgeon of the district, *ex-officio.*
(2) Maulvi Abdul Wadid.
(3) Babu Kali Nath Ghose.
(4) „ Ambica Charan Bose.
(5) „ Chandra Nath Dhur.
(6) The Sub-Inspector of Police, Keshabpur.
(7) Babu Banko Behari Bandhopadhya.
(8) „ Mahendra Nath Mukhopadhya.
(9) „ Beni Madhab Ghose.
(10) The Sub-Registrar of Keshabpur, *ex-officio.*

B. CHAKRAVARTI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Union Committees of Mankar, Memari, Sribati, Srikhanda, Baidyapur and Bagnapara, in the district of Burdwan:—

Mankar Union Committee.

1. Babu Kuladananda Kabiraj.
2. „ Annada Prasad Banerjee.
3. „ Trilochan Bhattacharjee.
4. „ Mohendra Nath Pal.
5. Babu Makhan Lal Rai.
6. „ Srikanta Rai.
7. „ Prasanna Kumar Chaudhuri.
8. „ Bholanath Kabiraj.
9. Babu Kali Kumar Kabiraj.

Memari Union Committee.

1. Babu Shib Chandra Sarkar.
2. „ Ramballav De.
3. „ Makhan Lall Laha.
4. „ Bama Pada Chowdhury.
5. Babu Suresh Chandra Bose, M.A.
6. „ Kangali Charan Chowdhury.
7. „ Lal Chowdhury.
8. „ Abinash Chandra Sarkar.
9. Babu Adhar Chandra Ghose.

Sribati Union Committee.

1. Babu Giri Raj Chandra.
2. „ Bon Behari Chandra.
3. „ Braja Raj Chandra.
4. „ Baman Das Bhattacharjee.
5. Babu Chandra Bhusan Banerjee.
6. „ Ram Das Mukerjee.
7. „ Kali Pada Mitra.
8. „ Gora Chand Chaudhuri.
9. Babu Baidyanath Samanta.

Srikhanda Union Committee.

1. Babu Radhikananda Thakur.
2. Khondkur Abdul Bari Mia.
3. Babu Upendra Narayan Mozumdar.
4. „ Nilmoni Bhattacharjee.
5. Babu Hari Ram Ghosal.
6. „ Tincouri Datta.
7. „ Lakshmi Narayan Mozumdar.
8. Maulvi Romzan Shaikh.
9. Babu Kshetranath Mallick.

Baidyapur Union Committee.

1. Babu Surja Narayan Mozumdar.
2. „ Amulya Dhan Bhattacharjee.
3. „ Mohendra Nath Kowar.
4. „ Chandra Kanta Palit.
5. Babu Dharani Dhar Kowar.
6. „ Jadu Gopal Nandy Chaudhuri.
7. „ Ashutosh Nandy Chaudhuri.
8. Sheik Manzur Ali.
9. Khondkar Mati.

Bagnapara Union Committee.

1. Babu Ram Krishna Banerjee.
2. „ Ram Gopal Mukerjee.
3. „ Nandalal Goswami.
4. „ Kali Pada Mukerjee.
5. Babu Anukul Chandra Bhattacharjee.
6. „ Girish Chandra Adhicary.
7. „ Devendra Nath Sarkar.
8. Munshi Zahoor Ahmed.
9. Maulvi Syed Aly Rasul.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Personal Assistant*, for *Commissioner on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVISION, CHINSURA, *the 17th August 1903.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 13th August 1903.

No 2929—The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), to make the following addition to clause (9) of paragraph 1 of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 518, dated the 6th March 1879, as amended by subsequent notifications, namely:—

After sub-clause (*d*3) the following shall be added, that is to say—

"(*d*4) Such officials of the Paigah Nobles and the larger Jagirdars of the Hyderabad State as may be authorized by the Resident at Hyderabad to carry arms when travelling on duty from one part of the Hyderabad territory to another part of the same territory."

EXAMINATIONS.

Simla, the 8th August 1903.

No. 470.—The following Regulations respecting the examination of Candidates for the Civil Service of India, to be held in August 1904, are published for general information:—

[*Copies of this paper may be obtained on application to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.*]

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

An open Competitive Examination for admission to the Civil Service of India will be held in London, under the subjoined Regulations, commencing on the 1st August 1904.

The number of persons to be elected at this Examination will be announced hereafter.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 1st July 1904, *an application on the prescribed form, accompanied by a list of the subjects in which the Candidate desires to be examined.*

If Candidates who fill up and return the Application Form do not receive an acknowledgment of it within four complete days, they should write to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Burlington Gardens, London, W.

The Order for admission to the Examination will be posted on the 18th July 1904 to the address given on the Form of Application. It will contain instructions as to the time and place at which Candidates will be required to attend, and as to the manner in which the fee (£6) *is to be paid.*

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
17th June 1903.

REGULATIONS.

*** *The following Regulations, made by the Secretary of State for India in Council, are liable to alteration from year to year:—*

1. An Examination for admission to the Civil Service of India, open to all qualified persons, will be held in London in August of each year. The date of the Examination and the number of appointments to be made for each Province will be announced beforehand by the Civil Service Commissioners.

2. No person will be deemed qualified who shall not satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—

(i) that he is a natural-born subject of His Majesty;

(ii) that he had attained the age of twenty-one, and had not attained the age of twenty-three, on the first day of the year in which the Examination is held;

[*N.B.—In the case of Natives of India it will be necessary for a Candidate to obtain a certificate of age and nationality issued under Notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August, 1888, as amended by Notification No. 404, dated 19th May, 1898, and signed, should he be a resident in British India, by the Secretary to Government of the Province, or the Commissioner of the Division, within which his family resides, or should he reside in a Native State, by the highest Political Officer accredited to the State in which his family resides.*]

(iii) that he has no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for the Civil Service of India;

(iv) that he is of good moral character.

3. Should the evidence upon the above points be *primâ facie* satisfactory to the Civil Service Commissioners, the Candidate, on payment of the prescribed fee, will be admitted to the Examination. The Commissioners may, however, in their discretion at any time prior to the grant of the Certificate of Qualification hereinafter referred to, institute such further inquiries as they may deem necessary; and if the result of such inquiries, in the case of any Candidate, should be unsatisfactory to them in any of the above respects, he will be ineligible for admission to the Civil Service of India, and, if already selected, will be removed from the position of a Probationer.

4. The Open Competitive Examination will take place only in the following branches of knowledge:—

	Marks.
English Composition	500
Sanskrit Language and Literature	500
Arabic Language and Literature	500
Greek Language and Literature	750
Latin Language and Literature	750
English Language and Literature (including special period named by the Commissioners) (*a*)	500
French Language and Literature	500
German Language and Literature	500
Mathematics (pure and applied)	900
Advanced Mathematical subjects (pure and applied)	900
Natural Science, *i.e.*, any number not exceeding *three* of the following subjects:—	
Chemistry 600	1,800
Physics 600	
Geology 600	
Botany 600	
Zoology 600	
Animal Physiology 600	
Greek History (Ancient, including Constitution)	400
Roman History (Ancient, including Constitution)	400
English History	500
General Modern History (one of the periods specified in the Syllabus issued by the Commissioners) (*a*)	500
Logic and Mental Philosophy (Ancient and Modern)	400
Moral Philosophy (Ancient and Modern)	400
Political Economy and Economic History	500
Political Science (including Analytical Jurisprudence, the Early History of Institutions, and Theory of Legislation)	500
Roman Law	500
English Law. Under the head of "English Law" shall be included the following subjects, viz.:—(1) Law of Contract; (2) Law of Evidence; (3) Law of the Constitution; (4) Criminal Law; (5) Law of Real Property; and of these five subjects Candidates shall be at liberty to offer any four, but not more than four	500

(*a*) A Syllabus, defining the character of the Examination in the various subjects, may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Burlington Gardens, London, W.

Candidates are at liberty to name any or all of these branches of knowledge.(*a*) None is obligatory.

5. The merit of the persons examined will be estimated by marks; and the number set opposite to each branch in the preceding regulation denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it.

6. The marks assigned to Candidates in each branch will be subject to such deduction as the Civil Service Commissioners may deem necessary (*b*) in order to secure that no credit be allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

7. The Examination will be conducted on paper and *viva voce*, as may be deemed necessary.

8. The marks obtained by each Candidate, in respect of each of the branches in which he shall have been examined, will be added up, and the names of the several Candidates who shall have obtained, after the deduction abovementioned, a greater aggregate number of marks than any of the remaining Candidates, will be set forth in order of merit, and such Candidates shall be deemed to be selected Candidates for the Civil Service of India, provided they appear to be in other respects duly qualified. Should any of the selected Candidates become disqualified, the Secretary of State for India will determine whether the vacancy thus created shall be filled up or not. In the former case, the Candidate next in order of merit, and in other respects duly qualified; shall be deemed to be a selected Candidate. A Candidate entitled to be deemed a selected Candidate, but declining to accept the nomination as such, which may be offered to him, will be disqualified for any subsequent competition.

9. Selected Candidates before proceeding to India will be on probation for one year, at the end of which time they will be examined, with a view of testing their progress in the following subjects (*c*):—

	Marks.
Compulsory—	
(1) Indian Penal Code	400
(2) Code of Criminal Procedure	200
(3) The Indian Evidence Act	200
(4) Indian History	400
*(5) The principal Vernacular Language of the Province to which the Candidate is assigned	400
Optional [not more than one of the following subjects]—	
(1) Hindu and Muhammadan Law	450
†(2) Sanskrit	400
†(3) Arabic	400
(4) Persian	400
(5) Chinese (for Candidates assigned to the Province of Burma only)	400

In this Examination, as in the Open Competition, the merit of the Candidates examined will be estimated by marks (which will be subject to deductions in the same way as the marks assigned at the Open Competition), and the number set opposite to each subject denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it. The Examination will be conducted on paper and *viva voce*, as may be deemed necessary. This Examination will be held at the close of the year of probation, and will be called the "*Final Examination.*"

If any Candidate is prevented by sickness or any other adequate cause from attending such examination, the Commissioners may, with the concurrence of the Secretary of State for India in Council, allow him to appear at the Final Examination to be held in the following year, or at a special examination.

10. The selected Candidates will also be tested during their probation as to their proficiency in Riding.

The examinations in Riding will be held as follows:—

(1) Shortly after the result of the Open Competitive Examination has been declared, or at such time or times as the Commissioners may appoint during the course of the probationary year.

(*a*) A Syllabus, defining the character of the Examination in the various subjects, may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Burlington Gardens, London, W.

(*b*) No deduction will be made from the marks assigned to Candidates in Mathematics or English Composition.

(*c*) Instructions, showing the extent of the Examination, will be issued to the successful Candidates as soon as possible after the result of the Open Competition is declared.

* The principal Vernacular Language prescribed for each Province to which Candidates are assigned is as follows:—

For the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, the Punjab, and the Central Provinces...	Hindustani.
For Burma	Burmese.
For Bombay	Marathi.
For Madras	Tamil or Telugu } At the option of the Candidate.
For the Lower Provinces of Bengal ...	Hindustani or Bengali }

In Hindustani the Candidate will be required to be acquainted with both the Persian and the Nagari character; and in the case of the last two Provinces mentioned above, a Candidate whose Vernacular Language is either of the languages shown against his Province, must offer the other for examination.

† These subjects may not be offered by any Candidate who has offered them at the Open Competition.

(2) Again, at the time of the Final Examination, Candidates who may fully satisfy the Commissioners of their ability to ride well and to perform journeys on horseback, shall receive a Certificate which shall entitle them to be credited with 200 or 100 marks according to the degree of proficiency displayed, to be added to their marks in the Final Examination.

(3) Candidates who fail to obtain this Certificate, but who gain a Certificate of minimum proficiency in Riding, will be allowed to proceed to India, but will be subjected on their arrival to such further tests in Riding as may be prescribed by their Government, and shall receive no increase to their initial salary until they have passed such tests to the satisfaction of that Government. A Candidate who fails at the end of the year of probation to gain at least the Certificate of minimum proficiency in Riding will be liable to have his name removed from the list of Selected Candidates.

11. The Selected Candidates who, on examination, shall be found to have a competent knowledge of the subjects specified in Regulation 9, and who shall have satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of nationality, age, health, character, conduct during the period of probation, and ability to ride, shall be certified by the said Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of India, provided they shall comply with the regulations in force, at the time, for that Service.

12. Persons desirous to be admitted as Candidates must apply on Forms, which may be obtained from "The Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, W.," at any time after the 1st December, in the year previous to that in which the Examination is to be held. The Forms must be returned so as to be received at the office of the Civil Service Commissioners on or before the 1st July (or, if that date should fall upon a Sunday or public holiday, then, on or before the first day thereafter on which their office is open) in the year in which the Examination is to be held.

The Civil Service Commissioners are authorized by the Secretary of State for India in Council to make the following announcements:—

(i) *Selected Candidates will be allotted to the various Provinces upon a consideration of all the circumstances, including their own wishes; but the requirements of the Public Service will rank before every other consideration.*

(ii) *An allowance amounting to £100 will be given to all Candidates who pass their probation at one of the Universities or Colleges which have been approved by the Secretary of State, viz., the Universities of Oxford, Cambridge, Dublin, Glasgow, Edinburgh, St. Andrews and Aberdeen; Victoria University, Manchester; University College, London; and King's College, London: provided such Candidates shall have passed the Final Examination to the satisfaction of the Civil Service Commissioners, and shall, in the opinion of the Secretary of State, have conducted themselves well and complied with such rules as may be laid down for the guidance of Selected Candidates. The whole probation must ordinarily be passed at the same Institution. Migration will not be permitted, except for special reasons approved by the Secretary of State.*

(iii) *The allowance of £100 will not be paid to any Selected Candidate until he has been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of India; and every Certificated Candidate must, before receiving his allowance, give a written undertaking to refund the amount in the event of his failing to proceed to India.*

(iv) *All Candidates obtaining Certificates will be also required to enter into covenants, by which, amongst other things, they will bind themselves to make such payments as under the rules and regulations for the time being in force they may be required to make towards their own pensions or for the pensions of their families. The stamps payable on these covenants amount to £1.*

(v) *The seniority in the Civil Service of India of the Selected Candidates will be determined according to the order in which they stand on the list resulting from the combined marks of the Open Competitive and Final Examinations.*

(vi) *Selected Candidates will be required to report their arrival in India within such period after the grant of their Certificate of Qualification as the Secretary of State may in each case direct.*

(vii) *Candidates rejected at the Final Examination held in any year will in no case be allowed to present themselves for re-examination.*

N.B.—A Manual of Rules and Regulations applicable to members of the Covenanted Civil Service of India has been compiled by permission of the Government of India, and may now be procured either from Messrs. A. Constable & Co., 2 Whitehall Gardens, S.W. or from Mr. E A. Arnold, 37 Bedford Street, Covent Garden. Price 2*s.* 6*d.*

The Commissioners have been requested by the Secretary of State for India to draw the attention of Selected Candidates to the prefatory note attached to this manual, as it is considered important that it should be clearly understood that this compilation is not to be regarded in any other light than that of a collection, made for facility of reference, of certain information and rules; that it is by no means exhaustive, and that it is liable to such modifications as may from time to time be sanctioned by competent authority.

[*Copies of this paper may be obtained on application to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.*]

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA;

CLERKSHIPS (CLASS I) IN THE HOME CIVIL SERVICE; AND EASTERN CADETSHIPS.

Syllabus showing the extent of the Examination in certain subjects.

English Composition.—An Essay to be written on one of several subjects specified by the Civil Service Commissioners on their Examination Paper.

English Language and Literature.—The Examination will be in two parts. In the one the Candidates will be expected to show a general acquaintance with the course of English Literature, as represented (mainly) by the following writers in verse and prose, between the reign of Edward III and the accession of Queen Victoria:

Verse—Chaucer, Langland, Spencer, Shakespeare, Milton, Dryden, Pope, Gray, Collins, Johnson, Goldsmith, Crabbe, Cowper, Campbell, Wordsworth, Scott, Byron, Coleridge, Shelley, Keats.

Prose—Bacon, Sir Thomas Browne, Milton, Cowley, Bunyan, Dryden, Swift, Defoe, Addison, Johnson, Burke, Scott, Macaulay (Essays and Biographies).

A minute knowledge of the works of these authors will not be looked for in this part of the Examination, which will, however, test how far the Candidates have studied the chief productions of the greatest English writers *in themselves*, and are acquainted with the leading characteristics of their thought and style, and with the place which each of them occupies in the history of English Literature. Candidates will also be expected to show that they have studied in these authors the history of the English Language in respect of its vocabulary, syntax, and prosody.

The other part of the Examination will relate to one of the periods named below, which will follow each other year by year in the order indicated:—

1.	A.D. 1360 to A.D. 1600.
(1904)	[Chaucer to Spencer.]
2.	A.D. 1600 to A.D. 1700.
(1905)	[Shakespeare to Dryden.]
3.	A.D. 1700 to A.D. 1800.
(1906)	[Pope to Cowper.]
4.	A.D. 1800 to A.D. 1832.
(1907)	[Nineteenth Century writers to the death of Scott.]

The Examination in this part will require from Candidates a more minute acquaintance with the history of the English Language and Literature, as illustrated in the chief works produced in each period, and will be based to a considerable extent, but by no means exclusively, on certain books specified each year by the Commissioners.* The names placed under the dates are intended to suggest the general character of the literary development of the period, and, consequently, the natural limits of the Examination. All the works of Shakespeare, for example, will be regarded as falling within the period 1600 to 1700; all the works of Swift within the period 1700 to 1800; all the works of Scott and Wordsworth, and all the works of Macaulay within the period 1800 to 1832.

French Language and Literature.—Translation and Composition. Critical questions on the French Language and Literature. Conversation.

German Language and Literature.—Translation and Composition. Critical questions on the German Language and Literature. Conversation.

* The books for 1904 are:

Chaucer: Tales of the Prioress, the Nonne Preste, the Wife of Bath (without the Prologue), the Canon Yeoman.

The Romaunt of the Rose, to line 1705 (in Skeat's edition).

Spencer: Fairy Queen, I, II.

Shepherd's Calendar.

Wyatt and Surrey: Poems.

Malory: Morte d'Arthur.

Ascham: Toxophilus.

Hooker: Ecclesiastical Polity, Bk. 1.

Latin Language and Literature.—Translation from Latin into English, Composition in Prose and Verse, or (as an alternative for Verse-Composition) a Latin Essay or Letter. Critical questions on the Latin Language (including questions on Philology) and Literature.

Greek Language and Literature.—Translation from Greek into English, Composition in Prose and Verse, or (as an alternative for Verse-Composition) a Greek Dialogue or Oration. Critical questions on the Greek Language (including questions on Philology) and Literature.

Sanskrit Language and Literature.—Translation from Sanskrit into English, and from English into Sanskrit. History of Sanskrit Literature (including knowledge of such Indian history as bears upon the subject); Sanskrit Grammar; Vedic Philology.

Arabic Language and Literature.—Translations as in Sanskrit; History of Arabic Literature (including knowledge of such Arabic History as bears upon the subject), Arabic Grammar; Arabic Prosody.

English History.—General questions on English History from A.D. 800 to A.D. 1848; questions on the Constitutional History of England from A.D. 800 to A.D. 1848.

General Modern History.—Candidates may, at their choice, be examined in any one of the following periods:—

1. From the accession of Charlemagne to the Third Crusade.

   [A.D. 800 to A.D. 1193.]

2. From the Third Crusade to the Diet of Worms.

   [A.D. 1193 to A.D. 1521.]

3. From the Diet of Worms to the death of Louis XIV.

   [A.D. 1521 to A.D. 1715.]

4. From the accession of Louis XV to the French Revolution of 1848.

   [A.D. 1715 to A.D. 1848.]

Periods 3 and 4 will include Indian History.

Greek History.—Questions on the General History of Greece to the death of Alexander; questions on the Constitutional History of Greece during the same period.

Roman History.—Questions on the General History of Rome to the death of Vespasian; questions on the Constitutional History of Rome during the same period.

In Greek and Roman History candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of the original authorities.

Mathematics.—Algebra, Geometry (Euclid and Geometrical Conic Sections), Plane Trigonometry, Plane Analytical Geometry (less advanced portions), Differential Calculus (Elementary), Integral Calculus (Elementary), Statics, Dynamics of a Particle, Hydrostatics, Geometrical Optics.

Candidates may use the methods of the Differential and Integral Calculus in any other division of the subject, but the questions will be such as can be solved without the aid of these methods.

Advanced Mathematics.—Higher Algebra, including Theory of Equations, Plane and Spherical Trigonometry, Differential Calculus, Integral Calculus, Differential Equations, Analytical Geometry (Plane and Solid), Statics including Attractions, Dynamics of a Particle, Rigid Dynamics, Hydrodynamics, the Mathematical Theory of Electricity and Magnetism.

Political Economy and Economic History.—Candidates will be expected to possess a knowledge of economic theory as treated in the larger text-books, also a knowledge of the existing economic conditions, and of statistical methods as applied to economic inquiries, together with a general knowledge of the history of industry, land tenure, and economic legislation in the United Kingdom.

Logic and Mental Philosophy (Ancient and Modern).—Logic will include both Deductive and Inductive Logic. Mental Philosophy will include Psychology and Metaphysics.

Political Science.—The Examination will not be confined to Analytical Jurisprudence, Early Institutions, and Theory of Legislation, but may embrace Comparative Politics, the History of Political Theories, etc.

Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of original authorities.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
July 1903.

[*Copies of this paper may be obtained on application to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.*]

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1904.

(FORM TO BE FILLED UP BY CANDIDATES FOR EXAMINATION.)

*** *The order for admission to the Examination will not be issued unless this Form, filled up by the Candidate himself, is received by the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission on or before the* 1st July 1904.

*Date*_____

SIR,

I beg to inform you that I wish to be a Candidate at the Examination for the Civil Service of India, which is appointed to commence in London on the 1st of August 1904.

I hereby declare that I was born on the day of 18 , and that therefore I had attained the age of 21 years and had not attained the age of 23 years on the 1st of January 1904; I also declare that I have no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting me, or likely to unfit me, for the Civil Service of India; and that I am of good moral character, and otherwise eligible under the Regulations; and I undertake that, if I am successful, I will conform, during my period of probation, to such rules respecting the conduct of Public Servants as have been laid down, or may hereafter be laid down, by the Secretary of State for India in Council.

This should be given on the form attached.

I send herewith a statement of the subjects in which I desire to be examined.

I also send herewith a Certificate of my Birth issued in accordance with the rule respecting Natives of India printed in paragraph III on the next page.

Candidates who are not Natives of India should strike out this paragraph.

I have also to state, with reference to Section 2, Clause (i) of the Regulations, that I am a natural-born subject of His Majesty.

Candidates not born within the British Dominions should state this fact in a separate letter.

I beg further to add that I have*_____been examined under the directions of the Civil Service Commissioners in the year 1_____† as a Candidate for the situation of_____.

* If you have never been examined, insert here the word "never."

† If you have been examined, give the date, etc., of the *last* occasion.

I am, SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

*Name in full*_____

Address to which it is desired that the Order for Examination should be sent‡_____

‡ If a London address, state postal district; if a country, state the post town.

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*Date*_____

To the Secretary,
Civil Service Commission.

This application form relates only to the competition for the Civil Service of India, and does not entitle a candidate to compete also for the Home or Colonial Civil Service.

Certificates of age (except as mentioned above), health, and character, should not be supplied until after the result of the Examination has been declared.

N.B.—Attention is drawn to the annexed Form, which must be filled up by every Candidate.

EVIDENCE OF AGE TO BE REQUIRED FROM CANDIDATES FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

I. Every Candidate born in the United Kingdom should be prepared to produce, when required, a Certificate from the Registrar-General of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, or from one of his provincial Officers. This Certificate may be obtained from the Registrar-General in London, Dublin or Edinburgh, or from the Superintendent Registrar of the district in which the birth took place.

II. A Candidate born of European parents in India should be prepared to produce, when required, a Certificate of Baptism from the district in which he was baptised. If this does not also mention the date of birth, it should be accompanied by a statutory declaration by one of the Candidate's parents, stating the date and place of birth. When such certificates are not in the possession of the candidates, an Extract from the Registers kept at the India Office will probably be obtainable.

III. A Candidate who is a Native of India must, *before he can be admitted to the Competition*, produce a certificate of age and nationality issued under Notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August 1888, as amended by Notification No. 404, dated 19th May 1898, and signed, should he be a resident in British India, by the Secretary to Government of the Province, or the Commissioner of the Division, within which his family resides, or should he reside in a Native State, by the highest Political Officer accredited to the State in which his family resides. *No other Certificates will be accepted for this competition.*

Except as noted in paragraphs II and III, every Candidate who proves to be successful is expected to produce a Certificate of *Birth*. The Civil Service Commissioners will not in ordinary cases accept a Certificate of Baptism, or other testimony, unless they are first satisfied that a Certificate of Birth cannot be procured.

Official Certificates of Birth may generally be obtained as follows:—

(*a*) *For persons born in England or Wales.*—From the Registrar-General, Somerset House, London, or from the Superintendent Registrar of the district in which the birth took place.

(*b*) *For persons born in Scotland.*—From the General Register Office, Edinburgh; or from the Registrar of the parish or district in which the birth took place.

(*c*) *For persons born in Ireland.*—From the General Register Office, Dublin; or from the Superintendent Registrar of the district in which the birth took place.

(*d*) *For persons of English, Scottish, or Irish parentage born on board British ships.*—From the General Register Office, London, Edinburgh, or Dublin, according to parentage.

(*e*) *For persons born in India of European parents.*—From the Director of Funds, India Office, London, S.W. [These are Certificates of *Baptism*, but they usually furnish the date of birth and are then accepted as Certificates of *Birth*.]

Any Candidate who cannot produce a Certificate of Birth from one of the authorities named should, if possible, procure a Certificate of Baptism, and should then apply to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, for further instructions.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1904.

SELECTION OF SUBJECTS TO BE FILLED UP AND RETURNED WITH THE FORM OF APPLICATION.

**** *Place your Initials against the Subjects which you select, and sign your name in the place indicated on the next page.*

In addition to the Written Examination there will be an Oral Examination in each of the undermentioned subjects marked thus †, *and a Practical Examination in each of the undermentioned subjects marked thus* ‡.

INITIALS.	
.....	English Composition.
.....	Sanskrit Language and Literature.
.....	Arabic Language and Literature.
.....	Greek Language and Literature.
.....	Latin Language and Literature.
.....	English Language and Literature.
.....	† French Language and Literature.
.....	† German Language and Literature.
.....	Mathematics (pure and applied).
.....	Advanced Mathematical Subjects (pure and applied).
	Natural Science, viz.:—
.....	‡ Chemistry.
.....	‡ Physics.
.....	‡ Geology.
.....	‡ Botany.
.....	‡ Zoology.
.....	‡ Animal Physiology.
.....	Greek History.
.....	Roman History.
.....	English History.
.....	General Modern History.
	Period_____
.....	Logic and Mental Philosophy.
.....	Moral Philosophy.
.....	Political Economy and Economic History.
.....	Political Science.
.....	Roman Law.
.....	English Law.

In addition to the Written Examination there will be an Oral Examination in each of the Subjects marked thus †, *and a Practical Examination in each of the subjects marked thus* ‡.

The Oral Examinations in Modern Languages being intended as colloquial *tests, no marks will be given at them to Candidates who are not able to converse.*

Any Candidate who wishes to decline *the Oral Examination or the Practical Examination in any of the subjects selected by him should state this in the blank space below:—*

*Signature*_____

*Date*_____

To the Secretary,
Civil Service Commission,
Burlington Gardens,
London, W.

[*Copies of this paper may be obtained on application to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.*]

I. C. S.
1904.

NOTE.

If Open Competitive Examinations for the following Services, viz.:

Eastern Cadetships in the Colonial Service;
Clerkships (Class I) in the Home Civil Service;

should be held in 1904 concurrently with the Open Competitive Examination for the Civil Service of India, Candidates duly eligible in respect of age will be admitted to compete for any two or all three of these Services, subject to the following conditions:—

(1) That they fill up and return to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, an application on *each* of the prescribed forms, within the time limited by the respective regulations: * (*Note.—A separate form of application is required for each of the three services.*)

(2) That it is distinctly understood that every successful Candidate who may have been admitted to compete for either the India or the Colonial Service, as well as for the Home Service, will be called upon to declare, immediately after the announcement of the result of the competitions, whether he prefers his name to remain on the list of candidates for the India or Colonial Service or on the list of Candidates for Clerkships in the Home Civil Service, and that the name of any candidate who fails to declare his choice when called upon to do so will be removed from the list of candidates for Clerkships in the Home Civil Service:

(3) That it is distinctly understood that every successful candidate who may have been admitted to compete for both the India and Colonial Services will be called upon to declare, after the announcement of the result of the competitions, whether he prefers his name to remain on the list of Candidates for the Civil Service of India or on the list of Candidates for Eastern Cadetships in the Colonial Service, and that the name of any Candidate who fails to declare his choice when called upon to do so will be removed from the list of Candidates for Eastern Cadetships:

(4) That all declarations of choice are irrevocable.

Candidates admitted to compete for all three or any two of these classes of appointments will be required to pay a consolidated fee of £6.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
June 1903.

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENT.

Simla, the 14th August 1903.

No. 4966-P.—Mr. H. M. Kisch, Officiating Director-General of the Post Office of India, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 3rd of September 1903.

Mr. C. Stewart-Wilson, Postmaster-General of the Punjab, is appointed to act as Director-General of the Post Office of India, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Mr. H. M. Kisch, or until further orders.

E. N. BAKER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

* Candidates who may desire to enter the competitions for the Home and Colonial Services should apply about Easter next to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Burlington Gardens, London, W., for the prescribed forms of application.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 14th August 1903.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 832.—The following extract is published for general information:—

"London Gazette," dated the 21st July 1903, pages 4589, 4591, 4592, 4593 and 4594.

CHANCERY OF THE ROYAL VICTORIAN ORDER,
ST. JAMES'S PALACE,
21st July 1903.

* * * * * * * * *

The King has approved of the following promotions among officers of the Indian Army and Indian Medical Service made by the Government of India:—

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INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

BENGAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Haslett Browne, C.I.E., M.D. Dated 10th April 1903.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 853.—Arthur Esmonde Martelli, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, with effect from the 20th July 1903, *vice* Mackenzie, resigned.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 1903.

PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2425M.—The 13th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Halishahar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

24-Parganas

Mr. G E Jones.	Babu Kishori Mohon Sen Gupta.
„ R K. Biernackie.	Munshi Mohammad Zulfaquar Hyder.

2 Under section 23 of the Act the Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint Mr. G E Jones to be the Chairman of the said Municipality.

No. 2441L.S.-G.—The 14th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Purnea, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Satkouri Banerjee to be their Chairman

Purnea.

No. 2459M.—The 17th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Khirpai Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, having at a meeting requested the Local Government, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Ahmed to be their Chairman.

Midnapore.

No. 2466L.S.-G.—The 17th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Monghyr to be the Chairman of the Monghyr District Board.

Monghyr

No. 2468L.S.-G.—The 17th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Purnea to be the Chairman of the Purnea District Board

Purnea.

No. 2470L.S.-G.—The 17th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Bhagalpur to be the Chairman of the Bhagalpur District Board.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2472L.S.-G.—The 17th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Malda to be the Chairman of the Malda District Board.

Malda.

No. 1891T.—M.—The 17th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Ranigunge Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, of Mr. A. C. Hills, to be their Chairman.

Burdwan.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2455M.—The 14th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a crematorium on the east side of Lower Circular Road cemetery, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land No. 41 Jannagore Road, in the town of Calcutta, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 2 bighas, is required. The boundaries of the land are as follow:—.

24-Parganas.

North— Premises No. 13 Jannagore 2nd Lane, and the remaining portion of premises No. 41 Jannagore Road.

East and South—The remaining portion of premises No. 41 Jannagore Road.

West—The new road east of Lower Circular Road cemetery extension.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Commissioners.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 1903.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this par of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at Berhampur for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
233	Pardear taruf, pargana Rajpur.	Rs. A. P. 605 15 1	Whole ...	.....	Dharma Dass Mustafi and others of Shubharia, thana Bilsagar, district Hooghly.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 0 3 9	Rs. A. P. .....

Berhampur, the 5th August 1903.

A. C. MACKERTICH, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
288	Srihatshadas taluq, pargana Gunanandi.	Rs A. P. 1,233 11 7	Whole		Srish Chandra Banerjee and others.	Rs. . P.	Rs. A. P. 19 2 3	Rs. A. P.

Tippera Collectorate, the 4th August 1903.

N. C. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 1st Asvin 1310 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1533	Taluk Krishna Prosad Guha, pargana Hajirgomedpur.	Rs. A. P. 3,960 15 8	Whole estate.	.....	Brojo Lal Rai Chowdhury and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 32 1 6½	Rs. A. P.
1720	Zamindari pargana Chandradvip 8a. 12g. 3c. 2kt. share, pargana Chandradvip.	44,537 13 6	.....	Separate account No. 6, share 14g. 3c. 1kt. 7t. 3oh.	Raj Kumar Rai Chowdhuri	3,827 7 10½	.....	823 4 11½
1764	Zamindari, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur, 3a. 1g. 2c. 1kt. share, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur.	8,543 6 8	Whole estate.	.....	Ananda Chandra Rai ...	.....	820 7 5½	.....
1997	Taluk Fate Mahamad, pargana Khanja Bahadurnagar.	738 3 9	Ditto ...	.....	Kusum Kumari Debi Chowdhurani.	.....	92 4 7	.....
2643	Zamindari pargana Selimabad, 13a. pargana Selimabad.	3,509 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Nabin Chandra Sen Chowdhuri and others.	.....	292 11 11	.....
2644	Ditto	3,509 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Sareda Prosad Sen Chowdhuri and others.	.....	312 5 4	.....
4334	Char Sarikal, pargana Zasira.	3,441 11 8	Ditto ...	.....	Rahimunnessa Khatun and others.	.....	2,641 11 8	.....

Barisal, the 24th July 1903.

D. WESTON, Offg. Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the village of Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona, at 12 o'clock noon, on the 20th August 1903, corresponding with 3rd Bhadra 1310, Bengali era.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset prices, which have been fixed by the Collector. The purchaser of these estates will be considered as the proprietor of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him permanently free of rent.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.		
2703	Hiradharpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	0 0 7	Will be sold revenue free.	
2707	Ditto, ditto ...	0 0 21		

Ghatal, the 7th July 1903.

AHMAD, Subdivisional Officer.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and sharer of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th August 1903 at noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Permanently-settled estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
587	Shakarpura, pargana Pharkia.	1,006 4 0	Whole ...	....	Mossamat Jaintl Kumri and others.	.....	300 0 0	..
815	Sihanwan, pargana Malki (Sihanwan Karari in revenue-roll).	1,150 7 0	.....	Ijmali share, excluding separate accounts No.— Rs. A. P. 2. Chethroo Singh ... 112 0 0 3. Kali Prosad ... 313 6 0 5. Kharag Singh ... 5 4 0 6. Fazal Rahman, *alias* Sagir-udin ... ... 2 8 0 7. Goomani Lal ... 4 6 0 8. Mahesh Singh, &c. ... ... 43 9 0 9. Bhim Singh, &c. 9 10 0 10. Jhandoo Singh, &c. ... ... 74 7 0 11. Bhagwan Per-shad, receiver of estate Suja .. 31 15 0 12. Birjbehari Singh, &c. ... ... 26 4 0 13. Gannoo Singh and others .. 79 0 0 14. Rohi Chaudhri, &c. ... ... 17 14 0 Total ... 620 0 0	Mossamat Raghu-natho Kumri, &c.	800 7 0	.....	213 13 6
1072	Baikunthpur, Khan-jehanpur, pargana Bhusari.	1,193 3 0	.....	Ijmali share consisting of Bai-kunthpur, 11a. 7g. 9c. 4dt 5kt. 18r. 2p. and Khanjehanpur, 13a. 19g. 11k. 2dt. 2k. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Abunasar Jelaludin, Manager of Mossa-mat Girjabati Kumri and others.	987 14 0	.....	33 4 7
1078	Taluka Siripur, pargana Bhusari.	3,593 6 0	.....	6a. 16g. 0c. 7dt. 10kt. ijmali share All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Ram Lagan Sahu and others.	1,401 0 0	.....	157 14 3
1166	Qasba Sheikhdih and Hetampur, pargana Musjid-pur.	1,026 5 0	.....	Ijmali share consisting of— A. G. Sheikhdih ... ... 16 0 Hetampur ... ... 12 5 All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Turant Lal, &c. ...	946 9 0	.....	195 1 3
1339	Arazi Tikarampur, pargana Monghyr.	3,072 6 0	Whole ...	.....	Mahanth Siaram Dass, Mahanth Mahabir Dass (minor) under guardianship of Ma-hanth Sarju Dass.	.....	576 2 0	.....
6490	Sihanwan Diara Gangbarar, par-gana Malki.	2,881 8 0	.....	2a. 15g. 3c. 1kt. 1dt. 6r. ijmali share. All other shares besides that specified and separate account 9 are excluded from sale.	Ramtahal Singh, &c.	503 4 0	.....	13 12 0
7022	Parihara Hari Singh Patti Mossamat Jaintl Kumri, par-gana Balia.	1,719 5 0	Whole ...	.....	Mossamat Jaintl Kumri.	.....	430 13 3	.....
				Temporarily-settled estates.				
1321	Arazi Jagdispur Barari, pargana Surajgarha.	1,173 3 0	.....	13 annas ijmali share— All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Udwant Singh and others.	997 8 0	.....	63 6 3
1360	Agar Tappa Saronja, pargana Pharkia.	1,711 10 0	Whole ...	.....	Rambahadur Singh, &c.	.....	97 13 8	.....
1406	Bhawanundpur *alias* Ramdeori, par-gana Malki.	10,680 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Jagsidhar Narain Pershad, minor, under the guardian-ship of his mother Mossamat Tribeni Kumri.	.....	5,340 8 0	..
1433	Akbarpur Barari, pargana Malki.	1,536 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Udwant Singh and others.	.....	137 9 0	.....

Monghyr Collectorate, the 14th/15th July 1903.

F. P. DIXON, Offg. Collector.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
481, share No. 2.	Dihi Gangail, pargana Chapila.	Rs. A. 755 4	Whole estate.	.....	Bhabani Charan Majumdar and others.	...	Rs. A. 13 11	...

Rajshahi Collectorate, Rampur Boalia, the 5th August 1903.

A. GARRETT, Collector.

Sale Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Monday, the 24th August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 16th Bhado 1310 Fasli, for arrears of land revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
434	Mahuli Khurd, pargana Arrah.	Rs. A. P. 550 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Rambaran Singh and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 190 13 0	Rs. A. P. ...
1939	Khurampore, pargana Chousa.	533 10 7	Do. ...	.....	Ramadhin Rai and others.	.....	6 11 7	.....
1946	Piprahi Parikmani, pargana Chousa.	820 14 3	Do. ...	.....	Dewa Pandey and others.	.....	256 8 6	.....
2086	Tukhara, pargana Chainpore.	814 14 11	Do. ...	.....	B. Brindaban and others.	.....	146 10 6	.....
2878 Joint.	Nowanjhonti, pargana Chainpore.	814 14 11	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is 10a. 7p. 10k. Other shares are excluded from sale with the exception of separate account I, which will also be sold.	Sri Sitaram Naikdaji Kalia and others.	541 2 7	.....	17 1 5
3908 Joint	Dawath, pargana Danwar.	1,174 6 5	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is in villages— A. P. K. M. D. Dawath ... 8 7 13 6 15 Bhurkundia ... 7 1 6 13 10 Lilkhanthpore 2 11 19 19 0 Gothani ... 2 11 19 19 0 Patibodhri ... 8 9 3 6 15 Khet Juara ... 5 11 13 6 15 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Ramdahin Singh and others.	553 15 10	.....	94 6 10
3646 Joint	Narwar, pargana Dinara.	1,682 2 0	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is 10a. 8p. Other shares are excluded from sale.	Lakhmi Chand, *alias* Raja Lal and others.	1,121 6 8	.....	68 10 7
4078 Joint	Pawana, pargana Pawar.	4,725 14 7	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is— A. P. Souna ... ... 8 0 Arailangerseupore ... 8 0 Pati Ekoni ... ... 8 0 Chela ... ... 16 0 Soura ... ... 10 8 Naroni ... ... 16 0 Pati Pawar ... ... 16 0 and other shares are excluded from sale.	Raja Rajeswari Prasad Singh and others.	3,005 14 5	.....	23 6 10
6422	Kaup, pargana Peoro.	805 6 0	Whole ...	.....	Sheotahal Rai and others.	.....	277 13 6	.....
6452	Berath, pargana Nonur.	1,467 2 7	Do. ...	.....	Bhirgunath Singh and others.	.....	169 9 8	.....
7062	Balbhadarpore Darihat, pargana Nasaram.	1,339 11 5	Do. ...	.....	Ganga Prasad Sahu and others.	.....	439 9 5	.....
8198	Toufir* Makhdumpore, pargana Barahgawan.	5,672 6 8	Do. ...	.....	Ram Rajendradeonarain.	.....	5,622 12 4	.....

* This is temporarily-settled estate.

Dated Arrah, the 23rd July 1903.

R. G. KILBY, Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 28th August 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of Land Revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares are excluded from sale.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	2	Magura Kangaluria and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,838 15 2½	Whole ...	...	Surendra Nath Deb and others.	.....	Rs. A. P. 329 0 1½	.....

Alipore, the 27th July 1903.

R. C. GHOSH, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
4	Senbhum, pargana Senbhum, thana Bolpur.	Rs. A. P. 41,234 7 8	..	Residuary share, excepting separate accounts Nos. 1, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rajaballika Goswamini and others.	Rs. A. P. 1,526 15 11	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 34 7 7
17	Kagas, pargana Mouresvar Sabek, thana Labpur.	17,182 13 0	....	Separate account No. 4 .. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Mukherjee and others.	4,645 4 0		26 10 11
145	Bagdola, pargana Akbarshahi, thana Suri.	1,033 7 0	...	Residuary share amounting to 13 annas' share, excepting separate account No 1. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Gnanendra Chandra Mukherjee and others.	775 1 3	...	17 9 0

Birbhum Collectorate, Suri, the 27th July 1903.

A. AHMAD, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th September 1903 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Elahabad zamindari, pargana Elahabad.	Rs. A. P.	Share ...	Residuary share 8 annas.	Latifannessa Choudhurain, Golaprose Choudhurain.	Rs. A. P. 358 8 4	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Land revenue— 133 13 3 Road cess— 115 12 0 248 6 3

B. C. SEN, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Jessore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 17th September 1903 at 2 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
188	Mahamudpur, pargana Isafpur.	720 9 2	Yes ...	.. .	Chandra Kanta Siddhanta-bagisa Bhattacharji.	.....	29 14 7	.....
5110	Rampur, pargana Mulghar.	6,040 8 8	Yes ...	.. .	Badan Chandra Choudhuri and Debendra Nath Singha Roy.	. .	71 8 0	.....

Jessore Collectorate, the 31st July 1903. J. T. BARONAU, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Khulna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
101	Fingri, pargana Fingri ...	Rs. A. P.	No ...	Share No. 1, 15a. 5g. ...	Paras Nath Mitra and others.	Rs. A. P. 913 0 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 41 5

Khulna Collectorate, the 29th July 1903. S. C. MUKERJEE, Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the Collector's Office of that district on 7th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
6518	Pargana Havili, taraf Mahamudpur, mahal Salehpur.	Rs. A. P. 1,017 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Probhat Chandra Chatopadhya.	... .	Rs. A. P. 203 0 0	.....

Faridpur, the 30th July 1903. F. W. WARD, Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of the district on 10th September 1903 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
[illegible]	Sothgaman, pargana Bhaia.	Rs. A. P. 503 13 1	The whole	.....	Pun Nath Jha, guardian of Kamla Nath Jha and Mussamat Gun iata Dai.	... .	Rs. A. P. 50 9 11	.....

Darbhanga Collectorate, the 25th July 1903. W. B. HEYCOCK, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2035	Kristohati Chur, pargana Raipur.	Rs. A. P. 632 12 0	Entire ...		Rajendra Nath Rai, Receiver to the estate of Brindabon Chunder Thacoor.	Rs. A. P. ..	Rs. A. P. 60 4 9	Rs A. P. ..

Hooghly, the 8th August 1903. A. W. BOTHAM, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 15th September 1903, corresponding with 9th Asin 1311 F.S., at midday, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
908 Ex.	Amwa-Kalan-Nowazu, pargana Babra, Champaran.	Rs. A. P. 2,000 12 9	.....	Residuary share, 5 as. 7p. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Babu Iswri Prosad and others.	Rs. A. P. 698 2 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 7 11 5
1128	Musodha, pargana ditto.	618 10 8	Entire estate	.....	Musammat Bachoo Kuner.	.....	115 15 6	...

Muzaffarpur Collectorate, the 5th August 1903. SHEO N. L. HOY, *for* Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the Collector's office of that district on 17th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
14	Pargana Bandarkhole, Hls Mahammad Reja.	Rs. A. P. 1,670 14 2½		Residuary	Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury.	Rs. A. P. 916 10 2½	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 13 8 11½
198	Pargana Rajnagar, Hls. Raj Kishna Sen Khajah Pitros Marhal.	688 5 4½	16 annas .	.	Rani Bilasmoni Debi and others.	.... .	32 1 0½	.....
18878	Pargana Nasti, kismat Aligunge	561 9 10	Ditto ...	.....	Kumar Sattya Sankar Ghosal and others.	..	106 0 0	.....
9762	Pargana Bardakhal, char Delwarpur.	4,196 0 0	Ditto ...	.....	Krishna Chandra Saha Sarder and others.	.	648 0 0	.....

Dacca Collectorate, the 5th August 1903. A R. EDWARDS, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Northern Bengal State Railway, in the district of Rangpur, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on the 31st of August 1903, corresponding with the 14th Bhadra 1310 (B.S.) at Nilphamari.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sales.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Parsana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.	Remarks.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.			
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9	10
53	Rangpur	Halhalia and Jorabari, pargana Kazirhat.	147	East ...	12 6 14	4 0 11	Halhalia sold to proprietor.	2 0 11	Commences from mile-post 147 and terminates at mile-post 148.	*West.*—A class land ... ... *East.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	Including brick-field Jorabari.
54	Ditto .	Ditto ...	147	West ..	8 10 12	2 3 11	Ditto ...	2 0 11	Ditto ...	*East.*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
75	Ditto ...	Haroa, pargana Kazirhat.	130	East ...	1 4 3	0 1 24	.....	.....	Commences at mauza Khalisha Kukhapara and terminates at mile-post 130.	*West.*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *North.*—B class land. *South.*—B class land in mauza Khalisha Kukhapara.	
76	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	130	West ...	0 15 4	0 1 2	.....	.....	Commences at mauza Itakhola and terminates at mile-post 131.	*East.*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *North.*—B class land. *South.*—B class land in mauza Itakhola.	
77	Ditto ...	Haroa and Pirpal Perkanusha, pargana Kazirhat.	131	East ...	8 8 10	2 3 6	....	.....	Commences from mile-post 131 and terminates at 132.	*West.*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
78	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	131	West ...	8 8 10	2 3 6	.....	.....	Ditto ...	*East.*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
79	Ditto ...	Haroa, pargana Kazirhat.	132	East ...	5 19 2	1 3 35	Half a mile south of Nilphamari Station.	1 2 31	Commences from mile-post 132 and terminates at the Nilphamari Station.	*West.*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
80	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	132	West ...	5 19 2	1 3 35	Ditto ...	1 2 31	Ditto ...	*East.*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
81	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	133	East ...	6 17 4	2 1 3	Half a mile north of Nilphamari Station.	1 2 3	Commences from mile-post 133 and terminates at Nilphamari village.	*West.*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *South.*—B class land. *North.*—B class land in village Nilphamari.	
82	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	133	West ..	6 17 4	2 1 3	Ditto ...	1 2 3	Ditto ...	*East.*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *South.*—B class land. *North.*—B class land in village Nilphamari.	
83	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	134	East ...	4 3 18	1 1 22	....	.....	Commences at village Bamandanga and terminates at mile-post 135.	*West.*—A class land ... ... *East.*—Private land. *North.*—B class land. *South.*—B class land in village Bamandanga.	Including brick-field.
84	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	134	West ...	1 1 8	0 1 17	.....	.....	Commences at village Nilphamari and terminates at mile-post 135.	*East.*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *North.*—B class land. *South.*—B class land in village Nilphamari.	
85	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	135	East ...	1 19 11	0 2 25	.....	.....	Commences from mile-post 135 and terminates at village kismat Kanaikata.	*West.*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *South.*—B class land. *North.*—B class land in village kismat Kanaikata.	
86	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	135	West ...	1 19 11	0 2 25	.....	.....	Ditto ...	*East.*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *South.*—B class land. *North.*—B class land in village kismat Kanaikata.	

Rangpur Collectorate, the 4th August 1903.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
62	Ramjangal, pargana Mondalghat.	Rs. A. P. 19,342 4 9	.....	Residuary share consisting of 7 annas 5 gandas share of the estate.	Rajendro Narain Ghose and others.	Rs. A. P. 3,760 9 8	.....	Rs. A. P. 4,044 4 10

The 14th August 1903.

L. E. B. CODDEN-RAMSAY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 14, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
47	Pargana Amarshi, mahal Palpara.	Rs. A. P. 800 0 2	Entire, i.e., residuary, and S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.	.....	Ram Charan Dey and others.	Rs. A. P. ..	Rs. A. P. 89 14 6*	Up to Mar. 1903.
1840	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Sridharpore.	939 14 2	Entire, i.e., residuary, and S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.	.....	Abdul Ohed Khan and others.	.....	98 14 0†	

* Balance of separate account No. V.
† Ditto ditto No. IV.

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th October 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1903 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
478	Pargana Chandrakona, mahal Kuldaha.	Rs. A. P. 10,734 7 2	Nil ...	S. A. No. I	Paran Chandra Ray and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,873 13 2	Rs. A. P. ..	Rs. A. P. 238 4 2	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue 238 4 2 Road Cess 37 10 0

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification A.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
154	Pargana Bajarpore, mahal Panchbazari.	Rs. A. P. 650 10 8	Entire ...	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 71 2 8 up to June 1903.	Rs. A. P. .....
275	Pargana tappa Balisita, mahal Bhitarbinode.	1,658 14 9	... .	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra	1,105 15 3		121 0 1
277	Pargana tappa Balisita, mahal Bhitarbinode, 6 annas' share.	2,396 13 0	Entire ..	...	Ditto ditto ...	...	264 5 1	.
382	Pargana Bhuniamutha, mahal Khajurari *alias* Kuchaidighi.	3,276 1 5	..	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ditto ditto ..	1,638 0 9		174 9 8
388	Pargana Dakhinmal, mahal Haripore.	6,769 1 5	.....	S. A. No. II	Hari Priya Debi	3,384 5 9		740 0 9
398	Pargana Danthamutha, mahal Danthamutha *alias* Birenda.	1,021 5 3	Entire ...	.... .	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	.....	102 10 0	. ..
739	Pargana Egrachore, mahal Bhatda.	3,613 6 4	.. ...	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 3, 4, 10 to 23.	Ditto ditto .	1,370 1 9	... .	109 14 6 up to June 1903.
803	Pargana Gaganeswar, mahal Kanpore.	702 9 0	Entire ...	.....	Panchanan Mallik and others.	.....	6 2 6 up to June 1903.	..
921	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Chakdaha *alias* Radhaballav Chak.	9,185 8 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 to 6.	Radhika Nath Banerjee ...	2,583 7 0, including police.	...	282 11 9, including police.
921	Ditto ditto ...	9,185 8 0	.....	S. A. No. I	Ditto ditto ..	717 9 10, including police.	.....	78 8 0, including police.
921	Ditto ditto ...	.....	.....	S. A. No. V	Ditto ditto ..	1,148 3 0, including police.	.....	125 10 9
937	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Garr Purusatumpore *alias* Chaitanyapore	738 10 8	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Ganga Naran Maity and others.	590 14 8	.....	37 7 3
944	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Gumookpota.	3,185 0 0	.....	S. A. No. I	Manimohan Ray ...	1,592 8 0, including police.	.....	174 8 0, including police.
972	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Kesore Chak	1,450 14 1	Entire ...	.....	Devendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	.....	141 9 0	.....
1061	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Kesapat.	800 6 2	Do. ...	.....	Dwarika Nath Sen ...	.....	85 6 2	.. ...
1066	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Palayutter.	2,039 1 2	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 to 4.	Amar Nath Ghose and others.	532 5 2, including police.	.....	59 5 2, including police.
1113	Pargana Kurulchore, mahal Padma.	740 8 4	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	626 7 1	.....	17 3 4
1467	Pargana Khandar, mahal Bansgerya *alias* Saharda.	2,096 8 6	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 4, 5, 6, 8 to 16.	Bisseswar Banerjee, Receiver of estate, Janmajoy Mallik and others.	975 12 4	.	16 5 4
1751	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Ankhapurba.	1,001 7 2	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ganga Naran Maity ...	500 11 7	.....	53 4 6
1815	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Putputya.	12,718 2 9	Entire ...	..	Indra Naran Maity and others.	.....	297 0 0	.....
1884	Pargana Majnamutha, mahal Nankarbazeapti.	2,130 9 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7.	Abinash Chandra Deb ...	746 13 2	.....	163 5 1
1884	Ditto ditto ...	.....	... ..	S. A. No. I	Ditto ...	703 12 5	... ..	154 0 0
2031	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Nankargakulpore.	3,398 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Gopendra Nandan Das Mohapatra.	..	368 6 7	.....
2247	Pargana Sabong, mahal Mohar.	1,445 9 0	Do. ...	... .	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	.....	156 9 0	... ..
2309	Pargana Sabong, mahal Rambhadrapore.	736 0 0	.. ...	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	552 0 0	.....	60 11 10
2474	Pargana Sahapore, mahal Naranbati.	538 0 5, including police.	Entire ...		Mathuralal Bhakat and others.	.....	29 12 0, including police.	
				Part II.—Temporarily-settled estates.				
2717	Pargana Jalamutha, mahal Kooramal French, Bisnan, Baindabazar jaipal.	3,360 14 2	Entire ...	.....	Sreemati Hari Priya Debi	.....	367 9 5	.....
2734	Pargana Khallabhogmai, mahal Paharpore, jaipal Khaspatit.	1,470 9 7	Do. ...	... ..	Ditto ...	.....	162 5 4	?.....
2884	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mangalpore.	2,491 0 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. II.	Upendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	2,016 2 6	.....	220 8 0
2886	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Maugraj.	1,027 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Radha Gobinda Das Mahapatra.	.....	69 0 3	.....

Midnapore, the 14th August 1903.

L. BIBLEY, Covtd. Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned packages, lying unclaimed in the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, will be sold by public auction on or after the 31st August 1903 under section 118 of Act III of 1898 :—

Date of removal.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1903.	SHED No. 1.					
March 18	No mark	...	4	Bars flat iron ...	S.S. "Clan Campbell."	
„ 18	Ditto	...	2	Bundles round iron	Ditto.	
„ 20	304 in a diamond, A Y on top, & Co. below.	...	150	Cases slate ...	S.S. "Dalmatia."	
„ 20	326	...	50	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 20	330	...	50	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 30	G in a diamond, B S on top ...	1	1	Case sample ...	S.S. "Palawan."	
„ 30	Monogram or JŻ (dipthong) ...	9953	1	Case	Ditto.	
April 11	No mark	...	1	Cask cement (empty)	S.S. "Goldenfels."	
„ 11	Ditto	...	2	Bags cement ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	Nil	...	....	A quantity of coke	Ditto.	
„ 25	S W 361 in a diamond, E C on top ...	...	2	Bundles G. C. sheet	S.S. "Clan Lamont."	
„ 25	No mark	...	1	Bundle tie rod ...	Ditto.	
„ 20	↑	...	1	Joist	S.S. "Bavaria."	
„ 30	No mark or A S or S A ...	...	1	Bag cowrie ...	S.S. "Gisela."	
	Withdrawn from last sale.					
1900.						
March 5	A in a diamond, M M on top, Penang below (right side).	...	1	Cask sulphur ...	S.S. "Fallodon Hall."	H. G.
1903.	SHEDS Nos. 2-3.					
February 5	No mark or IIII red, ends red ...	...	1	Bar angle iron ...	S.S. "Borneo."	
„ 5	W C W Co round a cross within a block.	771	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 5	No mark	...	20	Pieces pig-iron = 1 ton.	Ditto.	
„ 18	Ditto	...	2	Kegs paint (empty)	S.S. "Statesman."	
March 18	J C G	...	1	Bar channel ...	S.S. "Japan."	
„ 28	A B in a diamond, Rivers below or A B Rivers	76 or X	1	Keg ...	S.S. "City of Oxford."	
„ 28	No mark or I white	...	1	Bundle flat steel or iron.	Ditto.	
April 6	No mark	...	10	Pieces C.-I. pipes ...	Ditto.	
„ 6	IIII white	...	1	Bar channel ...	Ditto.	
„ 6	E U U	...	5	Wire way or channel	Ditto.	
„ 8	No mark	...	1	Drum (empty) ...	S.S. "Manora" ...	H. G.
„ 8	P in a diamond	...	1	Keg paint ...	Ditto.	
„ 20	No mark	...	1	Piece iron weight ...	S.S. "City of Manchester."	
„ 20	No mark or XXX white ...	...	2	Bundles round iron	Ditto.	
„ 20	M in an inverted (double) triangle, P & Co on sides.	...	5	Casks (empty) ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Marks	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1903.	SHEDS NOS. 2-3—*concluded.*					
April 20	No mark	...	2	Packets insulators ...	S.S. "City of Manchester."	
" 20	Ditto	...	1	Packet steel pins ...	Ditto.	
" 20	S W & H in a diamond ...	1	1	Case	Ditto.	
" 28	P I W	...	2	Pieces wagon forging	S.S. "City of Sparta."	
" 28	B in a triangle, J S on sides, or nil.	..	1	Loose boiler tube ...	Ditto.	
" 28	No mark	...	1	Pressure gauge ...	Ditto.	
" 28	Ditto	..	1	Sieve	Ditto.	
" 28	J C G	...	3	Channels ...	Ditto.	
1902.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
November 25	No mark	...	8	Bundles hoop iron ...	S.S. "Neidenfels"	
" 25	No mark or M P or M S ...	...	6	Bars tee iron ...	Ditto.	
" 25	No mark or H white ...	...	11	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
" 25	V V V	...	1	Bar tee iron ...	Ditto.	
" 26	Nil or M S or M P	...	1	Loose sheet ...	Ditto.	
1903.						
January 6	H white or nil	...	4	Bars tee iron ...	S.S. "Hohenfels"	
" 6	M P or nil	...	6	Ditto ...	Ditto	
" 6	P S or nil	...	5	Bars ½ round ...	Ditto.	
" 6	Nil	...	1	Packet types ...	Ditto.	
" 6	Nil	...	...	A quantity of loose padlocks.	Ditto.	
" 16	M P S or nil	...	2	Bars channels ...	S.S. "City of Athens."	
	SHED NO. 4.					
February 8	P in a triangle, W B on sides ...	700	1	Case (broken and lose).	S.S. "India."	
" 16	No mark	...	1	Bundle hoop-iron (rusty).	S.S. "Clan Robertson."	
" 28	B in a triangle, J S on top or no mark.	...	1	Keg bottles or steel rivets.	S.S. "Hardwick Hall."	
" 28	Diamond, E below (right side), G in a diamond, 12 below or C in a diamond, 12 below, or C in a diamond.	114	1	Cask beer (empty) ...	Ditto.	
" 28	No mark	...	5	Broken pieces R.-W. pipes.	Ditto.	
" 28	No mark	...	1	Cask fire-clay ...	Ditto.	
" 28	6 in a diamond, or C in a diamond, or C in a diamond or Messrs. G F Kellner & Co.	151	1	Case	Ditto.	
" 28	A C M & Co	...	1	Cask	Ditto.	
March 12	Krieg & Co in a diamond ...	583	1	Cask beer (broken and leaky).	S.S. "City of Venice."	
" 12	No mark	...	1	Cask fire-clay (broken and short).	Ditto.	
" 17	B I S C iron works in a block, Guf Co Ld on top or B I S C in a block.	112	1	Cask	Ditto.	
" 12	No mark	...	1	Cask oil ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
April 4	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose white paper.	S.S. "Marquis Bacbuehem."	
" 16	C T in a diamond, H J on top, M M below.	2	1	Case (mark and Nos. in blue pencil).	S.S. "Clan Murray."	
" 16	No mark or $\frac{M}{W}$ in a circle or $\frac{AB}{W}$ in a circle.	...	10	Broken pieces spelter.	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1903.	SHED No. 4—*concluded.*					
April 24	No mark or B in a diamond ...	...	2	Drums	S.S. "Mombassa"	H. G.
" 24	No mark	...	1	Cask (broken and empty).	Ditto ...	
" 24	H D Rivers or no mark	...	1	Bar tee ...	Ditto.	
" 24	M S P or no mark	...	195	Bars angle iron ...	Ditto.	
" 24	No mark	...	5	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
" 24	Ditto	...	1	Joist	Ditto.	
	SHED No. 5.					
February 16	9 7 4 C round a cross or 7 9 4 C round a cross	341-45	1	Case sample match	S.S. "Wartburg" ...	"
" 16	972 in a circle	266-70	1	Case	Ditto ...	"
" 16	971 in a diamond	226-30	1	Case sample match	Ditto ...	"
" 16	973 in a diamond or 973 in a block	301-5	1	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	"
" 17	M P white	...	297	Bars round iron ...	Ditto.	
" 17	Ditto	...	39	Bars flat iron ...	Ditto.	
" 17	Ditto	...	19	Bundles round iron	Ditto.	
" 17	M S P	...	2	Bars tee iron ...	Ditto.	
March 10	M & Co	...	1	Piece cast-iron pipe	S.S. "Arabia."	
" 10	No mark	...	1	Iron stove ...	Ditto.	
" 20	G & Co	17	1	Case	S.S. "Schonfels."	
" 20	No mark	...	1	Case W. glass	Ditto.	
" 20	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of earthenware plates=50 plates	Ditto.	
" 20	Ditto	...	1	Case W. glass ...	Ditto.	
" 20	W C & Co	...	1	Case	Ditto.	
" 27	717 in an inverted triangle, M & Co on sides below.	26	1	Do.	S.S. "Rewa" ...	
" 27	275 in a diamond, A Y on top, & Co below.	1	1	Package ...	Ditto.	
" 31	MS B or MO B or nil	...	1	Bundle machinery or plate iron	S.S. "Clan Alpine."	
April 20	No mark	...	4	Tins oilman's store or oysters.	S.S. "Bengali."	
" 20	S A in a triangle	292	1	Keg (empty) ...	Ditto.	
" 28	No mark	...	4	Bundles C. sheets ...	S.S. "Tactician."	
" 28	Ditto	...	3	Loose sheet ...	Ditto.	
" 28	Ditto	...	1	Cask	Ditto.	
" 28	Ditto	...	1	Bag bolts ..	Ditto.	
" 28	‡ or nil	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
1902.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
November 11	M P	..	2	Plates	S.S. "Coromandel."	
December 6	Do.	...	3	Bars tee iron ...	S.S. "Scharzfels."	
" 6	P S or nil	...	3	Chequered plates ...	Ditto.	
1903.	SHED No. 7.					
February 16	No mark	...	2	Pieces bend pipes ...	S.S. "City of Corinth."	
" 16	White Centre	...	1	Bar half-round iron	Ditto.	
" 16	No mark	...	1	Rice bowl ...	Ditto.	
" 16	Ditto	...	5 pieces.	Parts of machinery	Ditto.	
" 16	Ditto	...	1	Bag cement ...	Ditto.	
" 28	B H S	1B	1	Case	S S. "Somali."	

Date of removal.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1903.	SHED No. 7—*concluded*					
February 28	F W H & Co.	...	1	Case	S.S. "Somali."	
„ 28	No mark or P A or U J ...	X or 227	1	Cask (empty) ...	Ditto.	
March 12	Nil or $\frac{C}{L}$ or $\frac{C}{LL}$	...	1	Cask (broken and empty).	S.S. "Craftsman"	
„ 27	No mark	...	16	Pieces pig iron ...	S.S. "City of Edinburgh."	
„ 27	Ditto	...	2 pieces	Parts of machinery or weight.	Ditto.	
„ 27	$\frac{K J M}{E}$	5^R	1	Bag	Ditto.	
„ 27	No mark	...	1	Cask	Ditto.	
„ 27	Ditto	...	1	Package circle or iron circle or ring.	Ditto.	
„ 27	Ditto	...	1	Axle arm ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	Messrs. Shah & Co ...	X^B	1	Case	Ditto.	
April 6	L in a diamond, M M and Bombay below.	...	1	Cask	S.S. "Collegian."	
„ 6	No mark ...	...	1	Case tin plate ...	Ditto.	
„ 6	Ditto	...	1	Keg soda ..	Ditto.	
„ 6	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of tin plates.	Ditto.	
„ 6	O B E C in a diamond, Dry on right side top, whole in a block, Ceylon below, or O B E C in a diamond Ceylon below.	...	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 6	I X I red or I X I	...	8	Bars flat iron ...	Ditto.	
„ 6	No mark	...	5	Chains ...	Ditto.	
„ 6	Ditto	...	1	Loose bucket ...	Ditto.	
„ 17	G H in a diamond	...	1	Bag soda (torn) ..	S.S. "Patrician."	
„ 1	No mark	...	1	Loose bucket ...	Ditto.	
„ 23	Ditto	...	2	Pieces alluminus cake.	S.S. "Mahratta"	
„ 23	Ditto or F G Dilma ..	...	1	Package ...	S.S. "Sumatra."	
1902.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
November 13	P S	...	13	Bars galvd. flat ...	S.S. "Drachenfels."	
„ 21	K C S	...	1	Case ...	S.S. "Somali."	
1903.	SHED No. 8.					
February 5	Nil	...	...	A small quantity of loose iron nails.	S.S. "Scharlachberger."	
„ 5	Do.	...	1	Bundle foolscap papor.	Ditto.	
March 16	No mark	...	1	Drum oil ...	S.S. "Barenfels" ..	H. G.
„ 4	M A R S or nil	...	1	Cake spelter ...	S.S. "Clan Colquhoun."	
„ 4	Mint or no mark	...	1	Bar square iron ...	Ditto.	
„ 4	F M	457	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 12	Messrs Frank Medlasel or Medland.	...	1	Do.	S.S. "Matiana."	
„ 12	M W or nil	...	8	Broken pieces R.-W. pipes.	Ditto.	
„ 12	Nil or Calcutta	...	4	Drums ...	Ditto.	
„ 12	No mark	...	...	A quantity of cement.	Ditto.	
April 3	H C C or $\frac{H C C}{977R}$	...	2	Cases W. glass ...	S.S. "Neuenfels."	
„ 3	No mark or Calcutta ...	...	2	Cases	Ditto.	
„ 3	L C R	...	10	Bars square iron ..	Ditto.	
„ 3	No mark or X X white ...	...	1	Rail	Ditto.	
„ 3	M or nil	...	1	Bar angle ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	No mark	...	1	Joist	S.S. "Argenfels."	
„ 21	Nil or white	...	6	Rails	Ditto.	
„ 21	Nil	..	10	Pieces rice bowls ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	P in a triangle	15299	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 21	C H in a block	...	4	Kegs red lead ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
	SHED No. 8—*concluded.*					
1903.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
January 13	J G F.D Delhi in a diamond No. 1 ...	1	1	Case	S.S. "Taroba."	
,, 31	II white	...	21	Bars tee iron ...	S.S. "Lowenburg."	
,, 31	M S P	...	2	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	M P or T	...	1	Chequered plate ...	Ditto.	
,, 19	Nil	...	3	Earthenware China-plates	S.S. "Tarmenfils."	
1902.						
September 17	Nil	...	...	A quantity of sweeping sugar.	S.S. "Silesia."	
1903.	*Unidentified goods.*					
February 4	Nil	...	1	Tin asparagus.		
March 21	Do.	...	...	A quantity of rice (in a bag).		
February 18	Do.	...	1	Piece pig iron.		
March 30	Do.	...	17	Iron bands.		
	Do.	...	5	Packets sundries.		
	Do.	...	30	Bars round iron.		
	Do.	...	50	Bars flat iron.		
	Do	...	10	Bars square iron.		
	Do.	...	10	Plates or sheets.		
	Do.	...	2	Cases.		
	Do.	...	1	Keg soda.		
	Do.	...	3	Casks cement sweeping.		
	Do.	...	2	Bags cement sweeping.		
	Do.	...	...	A quantity of loose iron bands, ties, etc.		
	Do.	...	1	Chest.		
	Do.	...	3	Empty chests.		
April 3	Do. or Calcutta	...	3	Slabs marbles ...	S.S. "Buldana."	

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 18th August 1903. (915—1) C. H. WINDLE, Traffic Manager, Port Commrs.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 11th August 1903.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 73,61,343 12 5			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,03,46,973 7 1	1,77,13,317	3	6
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	8,19,78,238	0	3
Bank Post Bills, &c.	3,75,268	8	5
Sundries	16,52,797	14	1
Rupees ...	13,38,64,621	5	3

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	1,86,38,418	8	0
Other authorised investments	39,48,629	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	2,67,94,949	9	5
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	1,68,06,502	5	4
Bills discounted and purchased	1,78,66,835	9	6
Balances with other Banks	13,14,826	15	1
Bullion	1,263	9	7
Dead Stock	18,10,470	15	4
Stamps	12,094	2	7
Sundries	10,77,747	3	2
	8,82,71,637	14	3
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 2,17,15,140 3 5			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches† ... ,, 2,38,77,843 3 7	4,55,92,983	7	0
Rupees ...	13,38,64,621	5	3

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,31,235 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 1,80,405 0 0
Rs. 3,11,640 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 13th August 1903.

H. F. FRESHWATER, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 44 2.

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.
(913—1)

In the Court of the 2nd Munsif, Rangpur.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 676 OF 1903.

Nibaran Chandra Bhattacharjee, Secretary to the Loan Office, Limited, Kurigram, decree-holder, *versus* Mohamed Toira Mia, judgment-debtor

PRESENT:

Babu Baman Das Mukerjee, Munsif, 2nd Court, Rangpur.

TO be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Rangpur, in the ordinary sale place at 12 o'clock noon on the 5th day of September 1903 for the right, title, and interest of the judgment-debtor —

Serial No	Description of properties.	Tauzi No.	Sadar jama.	Approximate value stated by the decree-holder.
1	Sixteen annas' share of mahal Muda Madan and others, situated in mauzas Baboos, Charoo Chandra, Biroo, Ramchandrapur, kismat Dahaband, hishya 7 annas' Upanchaki Ram Bhadro Godadhor, Kartik, kismat Kamal Lochan, kismat Mohespur, kismat Ramchandrapur, and kismat Upanchaki Bhabani Prasad.	541	Rs. A. 671 1	

BAMAN DAS MUKERJEA, Munsif.

Rangpur, 2nd Munsif's Court, the 14th August 1903. (910—3)

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported, and when	REMARKS.
Mr Boreham, late Assistant Manager of the Barborna Garden	Dibroogarh	23rd June 1903	Judge of the Assam Valley districts, 11th July 1903.	No Will. No application.
E Wilcox, late a resident of the Lalkurti Bazar, Rawal Pindi	Rawal Pindi	12th July ,, ...	District Judge, Rawal Pindi, 20th July 1903.	Not known whether the deceased has left any Will or not. No application.
William Martin, late of Naini Tal	Naini Tal ..	18th June ,,	District Judge, Agra, 24th July 1903	No Will The deceased's brother has applied for Letters of Administration
Richard Theodore Johnson, late of Purnea.	Purnea	5th July ,, ...	District Judge, Purnea, 29th July 1903.	Will left. The deceased's son, Mr. William Walterton Johnson, has applied for Probate.
George Edward Coles late Superintending Engineer, 2nd Circle, Irrigation Works, Public Works Department	Naini Tal	21st June ,, ..	District Judge, Agra, 30th July 1903.	Will left. Probate granted to the widow of the deceased.
Frank Reilly, late Executive Engineer, North-Western Railway, Multan.	Multan . ..	12th ,, ,, ...	District Judge, Multan, 4th August 1903.	Will left. Mr. W E. Mellor of Finance Department, Lahore, the Executor, has applied for Probate.
J. M Madge, late of Allahabad.	Allahabad	6th Feby, ,, ...	District Judge, Allahabad, 4th—5th August 1903.	No Will. No application.
C. E. Newton, late Vice-Chairman of the District Road Cess Committee and Chairman of the Kurseong Municipality.	Darjeeling	26th July ,, ...	District Judge, Dinajpur, 31st July 1903.	Ditto.

Calcutta, the 17th August 1903 C. E. GREY, Offg. Administrator-General of Bengal.

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1 Pound tin	Rs. 16,	or, post free,	Rs. 16-8
½ " "	8 "	" "	8-6.
¼ " "	4 "	" "	4-6.

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans. 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

NOTICE.

WANTED 12 Bengali-knowing Inspectors on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 each and 80 Bengali-knowing amins, on a monthly salary of Rs. 20 to Rs. 25 each, for survey and settlement work in the Sundarbans during the ensuing cold weather.

Applicants must either have served in the Survey of India Department or have certificates of their acquaintance with offset cadastral survey work. They should also be able to prepare the necessary settlement records.

WANTED also 4 clerks on Rs. 25 each and 8 muharrirs on Rs. 20 each per mensem for settlement work. Only men who have experience in such work need apply.

Applicants should state their age and send their applications with copies of testimonials to the undersigned not later than the 30th October 1903.

D. SUNDER, Commissioner in the Sundarbans.

Sundarbans Commissioner's Office, Alipur, the 7th August 1903.

Wanted

A GUARDIAN for the Lunatic Zamindar of the Barsalupara Estate under the supervision of this Court on a monthly salary of Rs. 50. Preference will be given to a Hindu who has retired from Government service. The selected candidate will have to furnish a security of Rs. 1,000 in Government Promissory Notes, and will live with the Lunatic Zamindar at Benares. Free quarters will be allowed. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 1st September 1903.

C. FISHER, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 1st August 1903. (841—3)

Wanted

A HEAD MUHARIR and Peshkar on Rs. 30 a month for the office of the undersigned.

Preference will be given to one possessing previous experience. Applications will be received up to the end of this month.

A number of peons on Rs. 8 a month are also wanted immediately.

D. R. GHOSE, Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Ranaghat-Murshidabad Railway.

Krishnagar, the 10th August 1903.

Wanted

BY the District Board of Jessore an Overseer to be in charge of one of the subdivisions in the district on a monthly salary of Rs. 45, rising by annual increment of Rs. 3 to Rs. 60, *plus* an allowance of Rs. 5 for the supervision of Government buildings, which will be paid as long as the said buildings are under the control of the District Board, Jessore, *plus* a fixed conveyance allowance of Rs. 30. None need apply who is not qualified according to Rule 7 (*1*) of the Bengal Government Notification No. 334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901.

Applications with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned, will be received by the undersigned up to the 30th August 1903. The successful candidate will remain on probation for six months, and he will have to furnish a security of Rs. 500 in cash or Government Promissory note. Applicants must state their age, and will have to undergo a medical examination of fitness.

R. C. DUTT, *for* Chairman.

District Board, Jessore, the 10th August 1903. (906—3)

WANTED an Overseer for the Patna Municipality. Applicants must have experience in municipal drainage works, road making, etc. The Overseer is not expected to be in charge of conservancy. Salary, including all allowances, Rs. 75. Application, accompanied by copies of testimonials, to be submitted to the office of the Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, by the 31st August 1903.

J. G. CUMMING,

Chairman, Patna Municipality.

Patna, the 5th August 1903. (860—2)

WANTED at once by the District Board, Ranchi, a Sub-Overseer-draftsman on a pay of Rs. 35 *plus* Rs. 10 as horse allowance per mensem. In addition to the qualifications mentioned in Rule 7 (3) (*a*) and (*b*) of the Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, the candidate must be well up in drawing. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 31st August 1903. The vacancy will be filled up subject to one year's lien of the late incumbent on the post.

G. C BANERJI,

Vice-Chairman, District Board, Ranchi.

(925—2)

Notice.

WANTED a second Clerk for District Engineer's Office, Mymensingh, on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem rising to Rs. 40 by biennial increment of Re. 1.

None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination and has no experience in office works.

Preference will be given to a candidate who has a practical knowledge of District Engineer's accounts.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 25th August 1903.

KISHORI MOHAN MUKHERJI,

District Engineer, Mymensingh.

Mymensingh District Engineer's Office, the 10th August 1903. (912—1)

Notice.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of the senior education clerk in the office of the Midnapore District Board, on a pay of Rs. 30, rising by biennial increments of Rs. 2 to Rs 40.

Preference will be given to those who have passed the F.A. examination and have experience of office work.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st August 1903.

R. N. DAS, Vice-Chairman, District Board.

Midnapore, the 7th August 1903. (867—2)

Notice

IS hereby given that a 2nd Master for the Dhenkanal High English School on a salary of Rs. 50 a month is wanted.

Preference will be given to one who has experience in teaching and is a graduate of the Calcutta University and will stick to the post for at least two years. Applications with testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st instant.

S. C. BOSE, Manager.

Manager's Office, Dhenkanal, the 6th August 1903

(907—3)

NOTICE.

Estate of James Nisbett Turnbull, deceased.

PURSUANT to section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1866, the creditors and all persons interested in the estate of James Nisbett Turnbull, late of the Malrucherra Tea Estate in Sylhet, Assam, who died at the Malrucherra Tea Estate aforesaid on the 25th day of December 1902, and probate of whose will was on the 27th day of July 1903 granted by the High Court, Calcutta, to David Nisbett Turnbull, of "Egerton Hall," Dharmsala, in the Punjab, but at present of Calcutta, and David Fraser Campbell, of the Lackatoorah Tea Estate, Sylhet, the executors therein named, are hereby required to submit particulars of their claims with vouchers attached to the said D. N. Turnbull or D. F. Fraser on or before the 15th September 1903 next, after which date no claims will be admitted and the assets of the estate will be distributed. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment of their respective debts without delay.

MORGAN & Co., Attorneys for the executors.

Dated Calcutta, this 29th day of July 1903.

(832—3—742)

Notification.

Re MURALI ENDOWMENT FUND.

UNDER the orders of the District Judge of Jessore, dated the 14th July 1903, Babu Mohendra Nath Sen, pleader of Jessore, is appointed to be a member of the Murali Endowment Fund Committee in place of Ray Jadu Lal, resigned. He will act in concert with the other two members—Babu Kiron Lal Mitra and Babu Sital Chandra Dhor.

H. F. SAMMAN, District Judge of Jessore,

Dated Jessore, the 4th August 1903. (852—3)

REQUIRED a female compounder for Bettiah Dufferin Hospital—either passed or willing to learn. For particulars apply to the Medical Officer, care of the Manager, Bettiah Raj, Bettiah, Champaran.

(911—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house, on Saturday, the 29th day of August 1903 at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and order of the said Court made in suit No. 543 of 1901 (wherein Mary Anne Twidale is the plaintiff and Sreemati Nishadini Dasi and another are the defendants) and dated the 26th day of March 1902 and the 10th day of June 1903, respectively, the undermentioned property belonging to the defendants abovenamed:—

Lot. 1.—All that three-storied messuage, tenement or dwelling-house and hereditaments and premises, together with the piece or parcel of land whereupon the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 3 cottahs 10 chitaks and 14 square feet, situate, lying and being premises formerly No. 114 Manicktollah Street and now No. 38 Kristo Singhee's Lane at Simla, in the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by the house of Modun Dhara, on the south by Manicktollah Street, on the east by Kristo Singhee's Lane, and on the west partly by a house dedicated to Dhurmo Thakoor and now occupied by Shebait Bhugobutty Damnee, and partly by the land belonging to the estate of Raj Mohun Nang Chowdhury.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's office in the High Court and also at the office of Babu Suresh Chander Mookerjee, Solicitor, at No 7 Old Post Office Street on any day before sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Suresh Chander Mookerjee, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, the 17th July 1903.

(813—1—741)

Notification.

IN supersession of the notification dated the 8th August 1891, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, the following certificate of the mode in which copies of Judicial records of the Cooch Behar Courts are certified as correct copies is published for general information:—

"I do hereby certify that the different modes in which copies of Judicial records of the Cooch Behar Courts are certified as correct copies are as follows:—

A copy of a document being made, the words 'certified to be a true copy' are written at the foot of the copy. It bears the seal of the Court, and is signed in full—if not by the presiding officer, then by the officer hereinafter named, viz.—

At the Sadar.

1. Copies made in the State Council by the Registrar of the State Council.
2. Copies made in any other Civil or Rent Courts (including Small Cause Court) by the Sarishtadar of the Civil Judge's Court.
3. Copies made in any Revenue Court other than the State Council and those made in the Court of the Settlement Naib Ahilkar by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Dewan.
4. Copies made in the State Superintendent's Court by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Superintendent of the State.
5. Copies made in the Court of the Sessions Judge by the Sarishtadar of the Sessions Judge.
6. Copies made in any other Criminal Court by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Fouzdari Ahilkar.

At Subdivisional Courts.

All copies by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Court.

In every such case the Certifying Officer appends to his signature the words 'authorized under section 76, Act I of 1872.'

The words

Certified to be a true copy Authorised under section 76, Act I of 1872

may be impressed by means of a stamp."

H. C. WILLIAMS, Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division, and Political Agent for the Cooch Behar State.

Darjeeling, the 1st August 1903.

Notification (Sixth Sale).

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 29th day of August 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and orders of the said Court made in suit No. 288 of 1899 (Debender Nauth Sen *versus* Ambica Churn Bonnerjee and others), and dated, respectively, the 5th day of January 1900, the 3rd day of July 1901, the 11th day of April 1902, and the 2nd day of June 1903, the following property:—

Lot I.—All that undivided moiety or half part or share of the piece or parcel of land forming part of premises formerly numbered 134 Jaunbazar Street, now numbered 3-5 Grant Street, in block No XVII, holding No 62, in the Southern Division in the town of Calcutta, the whole containing by measurement 1 bigha 15 cottahs 6 chitaks, butted and bounded in the manner

following, that is to say, on the north by the municipal drain and the tenanted land of Munshi Munshar Ali, on the south by the common bustee passage belonging to the said premises running from Grant Street to the eastern end of the said premises, on the east by the tenanted land of the Kundus, and on the west by the said Grant Street.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar or at the office of Babu Jugneswar Sen, Attorney for the plaintiff, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Jugneswar Sen, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 17th day of July 1903. (917—1—759)

Treasure Trove Case No. 1 of 1903-1904.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of Act VI of 1878 that on the 18th June 1903, the idols, &c., weighing about 3,096¾ seers and valued at Rs. 580-10-3, as noted below, were found by one Saminadhan, one of the coolies engaged by Pambayan *alias* Alaga Nadan of Tirunageswaram, Kumbakonam taluk, a lessee of the temple lands in S. No. 397, registered as Inam dry land of Sannapuram Vattam, belonging to Sri Naganadhasawmi Temple of Tirunageswaram, while digging and levelling the said lands.

List showing the names, value, and weight of Idols found in the Tirunageswaram Treasure Trove Case.

No.	Description of Idols.	Weight in seers.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Bikshayardavar Nayahar ...	375	70	5	0
2.	Chandrasekarar	313	58	11	0
3.	Subramania Swami	283¾	53	3	0
4.	Natesar, big size, and Tiruvasi, half broken	316	59	4	0
5.	Natesar, smaller	155	29	1	0
6.	Do., including Tiruvasi ...	152	28	8	0
7.	Sundreswerar	193½	36	4	6
8.	Chandrasekarar Amman	137½	25	11	9
9.	Naharaja	110	20	10	0
10.	Chandrasekarar, small size ...	61½	11	7	9
11.	Sivakami Amman	90	16	14	0
12.	Ditto	69½	12	15	9
13.	Chandikeswarar	54½	10	4	3
14.	Sivakami Amman	53½	9	15	9
15.	Chandrasekarar Amman	38½	7	4	3
16.	Krishnamurti	51	9	9	0
17.	Somaskandamurti	70½	13	3	0
18.	Suryan	39½	7	7	3
19.	Manikkavachakar	42½	8	0	3
20.	Subramaniaswami Amman ...	80	10	14	0
21.	Sundaramurti	39½	7	7	3
22.	Krishnan	32	6	0	0
23.	Pisthoshanayakar	23½	4	7	3
24.	Rashisanger	39½	7	7	3
25.	Somaskandamurti Arubamman ...	48	9	0	0
26.	Chandrasekarar	36	6	12	0
27.	Krishnan	40	7	8	0
28.	Female statue	33½	6	5	9
29.	Chandrasekaraswami Amman ...	17½	3	4	2
30.	Astar Devar	46½	8	11	6
31.	Ditto	29	5	7	0
32.	Four-cornered Peetam	21	3	15	0
33.	Astar Devar Peetam	16½	3	1	6
34.	Ditto	12½	2	5	1
35.	Tiruvasi, smaller size	7	1	5	0
	Total ...	3,096¾	580	10	3

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore, at his office on the 9th January 1904, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

H. D. TAYLOR, Acting Collector.

Tanjore Collector's Office, the 1st August 1903.

Notice.

MR. AUDHUR LALL DAY, Proprietor, *Calcutta Printing Works*, and MR. GOUR CHAND DAY, Proprietor, Lewis & Co., will conjointly carry on business from this date.

Nos 12 1 to 12-5 Lindsay St. } AUDHUR LALL DAY.
Calcutta, the 1st August 1903. } GOUR CHAND DAY.
(929—1—764)

Howrah Mills Company, Limited.

PROCEEDINGS of the 26th half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of shareholders held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 9 Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, the 14th August 1903, at 12-45 P.M. :—

PRESENT:

Shirley Tremearne, Esq., in the chair, Wm. Bleeck, Esq., Fred. Siddons, Esq., John Gemmell, Esq., D. R. Wallace, Esq., T. B. G. Overend, Esq., Messrs. C. B. Ovenstone, P. Goldschmidt, Chas. Obach, Mrs. A. H. E. F. Benecke, W. E. T. Benecke, R. E. Latham and Mrs. M. E. Malcolm by their Attorney, Wm. Bleeck, Esq., Messrs. John Owen, George Gough, Lt.-Col. J. L. A. Mackay, J. H. Harford and Mrs A. J. Siddons by their Attorney Fred. Siddons, Esq., Messrs. L. Oliver, J. E. E. Corstorphine, J. Stuart, Dr. D. O'Brien, Mrs. C. C B. Blotzky, Col. A. G. Begbie, W. R. Partridge, Capt. T. L. Ormiston and Capt. P. J. Gordon by their Attorney John Gemmell, Esq.

The advertisement convening the meeting having been read, and the Directors' Report being taken as read, the following resolutions were passed unanimously :—

Proposed by Shirley Tremearne, Esq.
Seconded by Fred. Siddons, Esq.

That the Directors' Report, dated 3rd August, be adopted, and that the accounts to 30th June 1903, as printed and circulated to shareholders be passed.

Proposed by Thos. B. G. Overend, Esq.
Seconded by Wm. Bleeck, Esq.

That in accordance with the recommendation of the Directors a dividend of Rs. 6 per share free of income-tax be declared payable forthwith on the ordinary shares of the Company.

Proposed by Shirley Tremearne, Esq.
Seconded by John Gemmell, Esq.

That the minimum remuneration payable to the Agents' Firm be increased from Rs. 30,000 per annum to Rs. 36,000 as from the 1st January 1903.

The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the chair.

SHIRLEY TREMEARNE, Chairman.

Calcutta, the 14th August 1903. (927—1—761)

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE.

IN supersession of the notice published at page 1101, Part II of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 5th August 1903, it is hereby notified that the Tolly's Nala will be closed to traffic from the 1st to the 15th September 1903, both days inclusive, for the purpose of constructing a syphon for the Suburban Drainage Scheme of the Calcutta Municipality.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 18th August 1903.

Lost or Stolen

THE Government Promissory Notes—

No.			Rs.
185625, 3½ per cent.,	1865	...	500
185626 ditto,	„	...	1,000
014666 ditto,	1900-1901	...	1,000

originally standing in the name of Abinash Chunder Ghose, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest and for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of the proprietor—AMARKRISTA ROY.

Residence—Sugandha, district Hooghly.

(916—3—757)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 484, dated 7th August 1903, and granted by Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Calcutta Port Trust Debenture. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the Debenture :—

P. T. Debenture No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
4702	5½ per cent., 1886.	500	Sarada Sundari Gupta.

Name of Proprietor—DINESH CHUNDRA SEN, *for* SEM. SARADA SUNDARI GUPTA.

Residence—No. 15 Sitaram Ghose's Street, Calcutta.

(926—1—758)

Lost.

THE lower half of the Government Promissory Note No. 078595 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1842-43 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to Jnanendra Chandra Bagchi, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor after six months from the date of last advertisement.

JNANENDRA CHANDRA BAGCHI.

3 and 4 Hare Street, Calcutta, the 10th August 1903.

(871—3—751)

Caution.

LOST OR STOLEN.

THE Government Promissory Notes—

No.		Rs.
079425 of the 3½	per cent. loan of 1842-43 for	7,000
079426 „ 3½	„ „ 1842-43 for	500

originally standing in the name of Girish Chunder Mitter, deceased, and last endorsed by him to Behary Loll Mitter, his minor son, the proprietor by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

And the Government Promissory notes—

No.		Rs.
135976 of the 3½	per cent. loan of 1865 for	1,000
135975 „ 3½	„ „ 1865 for	2,000

originally standing in the name of the said Girish Chunder Mitter, deceased, the proprietor by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of Proprietor—PROSONNO KUMAR MITTER guardian of Behary Loll Mitter.

Residence—Sarangabad, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas.

(931—3—762)

WANTED a District Engineer for the District Board of Murshidabad on a salary of Rs. 300 rising to Rs. 400 by biennial increment of Rs. 20 and travelling allowance according to rules. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules. Applications will be received by the Magistrate and Chairman, Murshidabad District Board, up to 31st August 1903.

J. J. BARNIVILLE, *for* Chairman.

Dated Berhampore, the 17th August 1903. (938—2)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1903, at the hour of 12'oclock noon, pursuant to a decree and an order of the said Court, made in suit No. 223 of 1901 (wherein Sarat Chunder Roy and others are the plaintiffs and Khetter Mohun Pal and another are the defendants), and dated the 17th day of July 1901 and 25th day of November 1902, respectively, the undermentioned property belonging to the defendants Khetter Mohun Pal and Adhar Chunder Pal :—

Lot No. I.—All that partly two-storied and partly three-storied, brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house, and corrugated-iron shed, together with the leasehold interest of the defendants abovenamed for the unexpired period of 50 years commencing from the 1st Falgoon 1300 B.S to the end of Magh 1350 B.S., under an indenture of lease dated the 5th February 1894 in the piece or parcel of land or ground appertaining to the said dwelling-house and shed and on part whereof the same are erected and built containing by estimation 8 cottahs and 5½ chitaks, more or less, situate, lying and being premises Nos. 23H8, 23H9, 23H10, 23H11 and 23H12 and now consolidated into No. 23-1, Durmahatta Street, and No. 23H7 in the same street in Sootanutty in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded on the north by Gangooly's Lane, on the south by the lane belonging to the late Ganga Ram Dutt and others, on the west by Durmahatta Street, aforesaid, and on the east by the tenanted land belonging to Srimati Annapurna Dasi, being the remaining portion of the premises No. 23 Durmahatta Street, formerly occupied by Brahmo Bewa, Adaitya Charan Sen and now occupied by the defendants and by Tarapada Chatterjee, Jadu Nath Haldar and others.

Lot No. II.—All that mourashi mokrari land, together with the tiled hut thereon, containing by estimation 2 cottahs and 1 chitak, situate at Moorgihatta in Salkea in the northern portion of Jeliapara Lane, in the district of Hooghly, sub-registration district Howrah, police-station Golabati, in pargana Pyken, and butted and bounded on the east by the building and purchased land of Khetter Mohun Pal and Adhar Chunder Pal, on the south by a public road, on the west by the tank of the malikun zamindars, and on the north by the tiled hut of Kundu Babu's tenant Joga Bibee, the annual rent payable to zamindars, Babu Guru Das Kundu and others, in respect whereof is Rs. 4.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale of lot 1 may be seen at the Registrar's office in the High Court, and also at the office of Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, Solicitor, at No. 5 Old Post Office Street, and the abstract of title and conditions of sale of Lot II may be seen at the office of the said Registrar and also at the office of Babu Gnanendra Narain Dutt at No. 4 Strand on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Bhupendra Nath Basu, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Gnanendra Narain Dutt, Attorney for the defendant Harendra Nath Muzumdar.

High Court, Original Side, the 30th May 1903.

(932—1—765)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

EXECUTION CASE No. 667 OF 1903.

Bhagbut Mahanti, decree-holder, *versus* Ram Mohan Das and others, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore, in the Court premises at 12 o'clock noon on the 15th September 1903 for realization of Rs. 683-11-2 :—

Two annas share belonging to the judgment-debtors in estate Brahmapur Araji paikali, bearing tauzi No. 823 of the Balasore Collectorate, station Busta.

Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 2,141, and that payable for the above share is Rs. 267-10.

ANNODA CHARAN SEN, Munsif.

Balasore Munsif's Office, the 12th August 1903.

(940—1)

In the 2nd Court of the Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas.

PRESENT:

Rai Bhugobutty Charan Mitter Bahadur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 138 OF 1903.

Raja Srinath Roy and others, decree-holders, *versus* Muddan Mohan Podder and others, judgment-debtors.

WILL be sold at public auction on the 14th day of September 1903 by the Nazir of the Court in the Court-house at Alipur for the realisation of Rs. 66,591-8-3 due to the decree-holders, the following mortgaged properties of the judgment-debtors:—

Schedule of properties.

1. Three bighas and odd land situated at mauza Bhatikhana, dihi Soora, thana Narkoldangah, district 24-Parganas, division 3, subdivision 16, holding Nos. 25-26, for which Rs. 5-0-3 is payable annually to the 24-Parganas Collectorate. Out of this land 1 bigha 3 cottahs and odd have been acquired by the Eastern Bengal State Railway. The remaining 1 bigha 17 cottahs and odd with building, etc., publicly known as *Guddi bati* will be sold.

2. Eight cottahs of land situated at mauza Bhatikhana, dihi Soora, division 3, subdivision 16, holding No. 34, thana ditto, district ditto, for which annas 11-9 is payable annually to the 24-Parganas Collectorate, together with building, etc., publicly known as *Phoolbagan*.

3. Four bighas and 7 cottahs of land situated at mauza Paschimkoolia, dihi ditto, thana ditto, division 3, subdivision 15, holding No. 77, for which Rs. 7-14-6 is payable annually to the 24-Parganas Collectorate, together with old building, godown thereon, publicly known as *Nandibati*.

4. Eight cottahs of mourasi land at mauza Bhatikhana, dihi Panchannogram, division 3, subdivision 16, holding No. 18, for which Rs. 4 is payable monthly to the *Shebait* of Sri Sri Braja Doolal Thakur, publicly known as *Mayerbati*.

5. Six cottahs of land in dihi ditto, thana ditto, district ditto, division 3, subdivision 16, holding No. 9, for which annas 6-6 is payable to the 24-Parganas Collectorate, publicly known as *Bonku Sircar's bati*.

6. Five cottahs and odd land at ditto, division ditto, subdivision ditto, holding No. 19, for which annas 5-6 is payable to the 24-Parganas Collectorate, publicly known as *Panchu Bewa's bati*.

7. One bigha 8 cottahs and odd land at ditto, division 3, subdivision 16, holding No. 17, for which Re. 1-15-3 is payable to the 24-Parganas Collectorate. The said land with building and portion of tank, etc.

8. One bigha of maurasi land at ditto, division ditto, subdivision ditto, holding No 18, for which Rs. 64 is payable annually to Srishdhur, together with building, tile huts, publicly known as *Mayer bati* and *Barowari bati*.

9. Nine cottahs and odd Meyadipottai jamai land under the same malik, out of which 2 cottahs and 13 chitaks at ditto, thana ditto, holding No. ditto, with appurtenances, etc.

10. Four bighas 18 cottahs of land at mauza Khodaiganj, thana ditto, dihi Panchannogram, division 3, subdivision 10, holding No. 9, for which Rs. 11 is payable to the 24-Parganas Collectorate, publicly known as Nimtala and *Dhapar bati*.

11. Seventeen cottahs of land with building at mauza Bhatikhana, dihi Soora, division 3, subdivision 16, holding No. 35, for which annas 15-9 is payable to the 24-Parganas Collectorate, publicly known as *Madhub Das bati*.

12. One bigha 16 cottahs of land at Entally Kamardangah, division 4, subdivision D, holding Nos. 38-73C and 73, for which Rs. 2-1-6 is payable to the 24-Parganas Collectorate.

13. Four cottahs and odd land with tank at Entally Kamardangah, division 4, subdivision D, holding No. 38, for which annas 6 is payable to the 24-Parganas Collectorate.

14. Fifteen cottahs and odd land at mauza Bhatikhana, division 3, subdivision 16, holding No. 21, together with godown and appurtenances for which Re 1-14 is payable to the Collectorate, publicly known as *Jadu Pal's bati*.

15 One bigha 1 cottah and 10 chitaks of mourasi land at Beliaghata, division 3, subdivision 16, holding No. 20, for which Rs 120 is payable annually to one Pran Patya Dasi. This land, together with godowns and buildings, etc, publicly known as *Jadu Pal's bati*.

16. One bigha 3 cottahs and odd land at Bhatikhana, dihi Soora, division 3, subdivision 16, holding No. 22, together with building and godowns for which Rs. 2-1-3 is payable annually to the 24-Parganas Collectorate, publicly known as *Thakurbari*.

17. One bigha and 2 cottahs of land at ditto, division 4, subdivision L, holding No. 112, dihi Panchannogram, for which Rs. 2 2-6 is payable annually to the 24-Parganas Collectorate, publicly known as *Tangra mai dhani jami*.

18. Three bighas 3 cottahs of land at ditto, division 4, subdivision N, holding No. 191, for which Rs. 2-3-3 is payable annually to the 24-Parganas Collectorate, publicly known as *dhani jami*.

19 Two bighas 9 cottahs 9 chitaks of land at ditto, thana ditto, division 3, subdivision 15, holding No. 11, for which Rs. 4 2-3 is payable annually to the 24-Parganas Collectorate, publicly known as *Moochikhola*.

B. C. MITTER, Subordinate Judge.

Alipur, the 14th August 1903. (920—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Gaya.

EXECUTION CASE No. 25 OF 1903.

Babu Kailaspati Narain Singh and others, decree-holders, *versus* Rani Sunder Koer, judgment-debtor.

THE following property belonging to the judgment-debtor will be sold by auction in the sale-room of Gaya Judge's Court on the 26th day of October 1903 at 10 A.M. in the execution of the decree for Rs. 58,866-10-10 in the abovementioned case:—

Sixteen annas of mauza Rajowli, *asli mai dakhli*, situated in mahal Amawan Bansgopal, in pargana Jarrah, in zilla Gaya, bearing tauzi No. 2496, the jama sadar of the mahal being Rs. 1,355-4 milkiat (proprietary interest) of judgment debtor Rani Sunder Koer, widow of the late Raja Rameswar Prasad Narain Singh. Approximate value Rs. 40,000.

Be it known that the said property with other properties is mortgaged under decree for 12 lakhs in favour of Lalanji and Chakanji, of Benares.

C. W. E. PITTAR, District Judge.

Gaya, the 11th August 1903. (914—1)

NOTICE.

In the first Court of the Sub-Judge at Midnapore.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 60 OF 1903.

Madhob Chandra Bera, decree-holder, *versus* Raja Bhupendra Narayan Roy, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at 12 o'clock noon on the 15th September 1903, the right, title and interest and profits of the judgment-debtor in respect of his eight-anna share in all the mauzas lying in mahal Chodda Hazari, bearing tauzi No. 880 (new) and 871 (old) and registered as No. 719A under the jurisdiction of the Contai Sub Registrar's Office, district Midnapore, and comprised in parganas Paharpur and Majnamutha within the limits of thana Contai in pargana Baharimutha, Bhaintghar, Dakhinmal, Balijora, Kooramal and in pargana Taraf Bisuan within the limits of thanas Contai and Khejuri police-station and in pargana Jalamutha within the jurisdiction of thanas Bhagabanpore and Nandigram and in pargana Baidardar, except the mauzas situated in pargana Kalindi Balisai and already sold for judgment-debtor's debt. The Government Revenue payable in respect of the whole estate is Rs. 2,317 and the sum payable on account of judgment-debtor's half share is Rs. 1,158-8. The estimated value of the property as given by decree-holder is Rs. 1,500 and the amount due under the decree is Rs. 4,605-15-9 only.

JADUPATI BANERJEE, Sub-Judge, 1st Court.

Midnapore, the 13th August 1903. (921—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

EXECUTION CASE No. 544 OF 1903.

Madhusudan Sahu, decree-holder, *versus* Siro Mohan Singh and others, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore in the Court premises at 12 o'clock noon on the 15th September 1903 for realization of Rs. 1,980-7-3 :—

One anna and six pies share belonging to the judgment-debtor in estate Arajee paikali Brahmapur, pargana Talasabong, bearing tauzi No. 823 of the Balasore Collectorate, station Basta.

Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 1,060-8-0½ and that payable for the above share is Rs. 204-15.

ANNADA CHARAN SEN, Munsif.

Balasore Munsif's Office, the 12th August 1903.

(941—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

EXECUTION CASE No. 540 OF 1903.

Urdhab Charan Puthal, decree-holder, *versus* Sukhi Dei and others, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore, in the Court premises, at 12 o'clock noon on the 15th September 1903, for realization of Rs. 162-2-7 :—

Six pies share belonging to the judgment-debtor in estate Kashimpur, pargana Mulgan, bearing tauzi No. 717 of the Balasore Collectorate, station Sadar,

Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 875, and that payable for the above share is Rs. 27-5-6.

ANNADA CHARAN SEN, Munsif.

Balasore Munsif's Office, the 12th August 1903.

(942—1)

In the Court of Lala Suraj Narayan, M.A., Munsif, 2nd class, Hissar, district Hissar.

CIVIL SUIT No. 412.

Ugrá Sen, son of Surat Singh, Magni Singh, son of Mula Singh, and Bhagwan Singh, son of Johri Singh, Rajput, of Bhiwani, plantiffs, *versus* Ram Dhan and Radha Kishan, sons of Mukh Ram, mahajan, of Bhiwani, now dwelling at Calcutta, Pancha Gali, No. 6 Harmonium Street, Jogendra Roy Company, defendants.

Claims for Rs. 4 on account of Haq Malikana.

WHEREAS it is proved to the satisfaction of this Court from the plaintiffs' affidavit that defendants Ram Dhan and Radha Kishan, now residing in Calcutta, are intentionally avoiding the service of summons, and that the summons cannot be served upon the said defendants in the ordinary way, it is hereby notified, under section 82, Civil Procedure Code, that if the abovenamed defendants do not appear in person or through their Agents or Pleader on the 25th instant, the case will proceed *ex-parte* against them.

SURAJ NARAYAN, Munisf, 2nd class.

Issued under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 12th day of August 1903. (918—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of KHITISH CHANDRA PAL, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 17th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (875—2)

In the matter of UPENDRA NATH BANNERJEE, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 22nd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. K. Thakur, Attorney. (876—2)

In the matter of GEORGE ST. CLAIR PEDROZA, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 23rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (877—2)

In the matter of HARI CHARAN GIRI, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 29th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Atul Chunder Ghose, Attorney. (878—2)

In the matter of BHUJAN LALL, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. C. Bose, Attorney. (879—2)

In the matter of SARAT CHUNDER BOSE, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 17th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (880—2)

In the matter of JOSEPH ANDREW HAMEL LEWIS, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Manual and Augurwallah, Attorneys. (881—2)

In the matter of SASTHI CHARAN BANNERJEE, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 20th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Nundo Gopal Roy, Attorney. (882—2)

In the matter of CHARLES FREDERICK DERPHOLTS, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 22nd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (883—2)

In the matter of LOKENATH MEHRA, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 29th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Abinash Chundra Dey, Attorney. (884—2)

In the matter of AKSHAY KUMAR MITRA, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 23rd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Kali Mohan Rakshit, Attorney. (885—2)

In the matter of FREDERICK DUNBAR INGLIS, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 28th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Ghose and Kar, Attorneys. (886—2)

In the matter of RAM CHUNDER BANNERJEE, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Khogendra Nath De, Attorney. (887—2)

In the matter of JOSEPH HYAAM ELIAS, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 29th day of June last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the first Court day in July 1904, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

D. N. Bose, Attorney (888—2)

Chief Clerk's Office, the 10th day of August 1903.

In the matter of SEWNANDAN SHA and HARNANDAN SHA, insolvents.

On Friday, the 17th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rakshit, Attorney. (934—2)

In the matter of SEW PROTAP MAHATA, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 20th day of July last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

S. K. Deb, Attorney. (935—2)

In the matter of RADHAKISSEN, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 12th instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the ACTING COMMISSIONER of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 24th day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

A. K. Mitter, Attorney. (936—1)

In the matter of RAMPROTAP SEW LALL and SITARAM insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvents, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 24th day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvents desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Fox and Mandal, Attorneys. (937—1)

Chief Clerk's Office, the 18th day of August 1903.

Notice.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 22 OF 1903.

In the matter of Brihashpati Dosad, an insolvent.

BRIHAS PATI DOSAD, of Uttar Barahanagar, has been declared insolvent on the 30th July 1903. Creditors are to prove their claims on or before the 29th August 1903.

NISTARAN BANERJEE, Munsif.

Sealdah, the 13th August 1903. (933—1—760)

INSOLVENCY NOTICE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. $\frac{5}{6}$ OF 1903.

BAHULLA MOHAMED, son of Shaher Mohamed of Bherbheri, police-station Nilphamari, was, on the 25th July 1903, declared an insolvent

J. N. GHOSH, Subordinate Judge.

Rangpur, the 13th August 1903 (928—1—763)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	1903. 20th Aug.	P.M. At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	19th ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	24th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	21st ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *C. Apcar.*
Burma	20th ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	22nd ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
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* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

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1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

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For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
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For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
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NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

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5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8 45 P.M.

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CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 18th August 1903.* } JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 14th August 1903.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings.		REMARKS.
		Ft.	in.	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	19	0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	18	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	19	0	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	18	0	Kasiadanga.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa ..	14	0	Kadati.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	14	6	Dewarganj.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	14	6	
	Thence to Akriganj ..	14	0	Akriganj.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	14	0	Kasiadanga.
	Thence to Patkabari	18	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	15	0	Jitpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	12	6	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	13	6	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	14	0	Meghna.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	14	6	Kadmore.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	15	9	Sealmari.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengunj and Hanskhali ...	14	8	Ganjo.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	REMARKS.
Ganges ...	Jahabganj	15-8-1903	A.M. 6	Ft. 22·42	Ft. 90·42	Rising.
	Rampur Boalia ..	14-8-1903	12	18·60	61·60	,,
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah ..	16-8-1903	7	...	71·30	,,
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ...	16-8-1903	7	...	50·85	,,
	Entrance of Mathabhanga	14-8-1903	...	18·75	...	,,
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	16-8-1903	...	...	68·70	,,
	Berhampore ...	16-8-1903	10	24 25	58·00	,,
	Katwa	13-8-1903	6	24·00	40·06	,,
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	14-8-1903	...	18·50	...	,,
	Sarupganj ...	15-8-1903	12	...	22·20	,,
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ..	15-8-1903	...	17·00	...	,,

A. K. BANERJEE, *Accit.*,
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Berhampore, the 17th August 1903.

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PART VI.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 4th August, 1903:

NO. 10 OF 1903.

A Bill to provide for the regulation of the possession and sale of all poisons in certain local areas, and the importation, possession and sale of white arsenic generally.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the regulation of the possession and sale of all poisons in certain local areas, and the importation, possession and sale of white arsenic throughout the whole of British India; It is hereby enacted as follows:

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Poisons Act, 1903; and

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India.

Poisons generally.

Power to regulate possession for sale and sale of any poison in certain areas.

2. (*1*) Subject to the control of the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may, by rule, regulate within the limits of any municipality or cantonment the possession for sale and the sale, whether wholesale or by retail, of any poison.

(*2*) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*), rules made thereunder may provide for, amongst other matters,—

(*a*) the grant of licenses to possess any poison for sale, wholesale or by retail;

(*b*) the classes of persons to whom alone such licenses may be granted;

(*c*) the classes of persons to whom alone any poison may be sold;

(*d*) the maximum quantity of any poison which may be sold to any one person;

(*e*) the maintenance by vendors of any poison of registers of sales, the particulars to be entered in such registers, and the inspection of the same; and

(*f*) the labelling of packets in which any poison is sold or possessed for sale.

White Arsenic.

Power to prohibit importation into British India of white arsenic except under license.

3. The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, prohibit, except under and in accordance with the conditions of a license, the importation of white arsenic into British India, and may, by rule, regulate the grant of licenses and prescribe the conditions to be imposed thereby under this section.

Power to regulate possession for sale and sale of white arsenic throughout province.

4. (*1*) Subject to the control of the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may, by rule, regulate within the whole or any part of the

territories under its administration the possession for sale and the sale, whether wholesale or by retail, of white arsenic.

(2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the power conferred by sub-section (1), rules made thereunder may provide, amongst other matters, for all or any of the matters specified in section 2, sub-section (2).

(3) Rules made under sub-section (1) may further provide that no person shall sell any powdered white arsenic unless the same is, before the sale thereof, mixed with soot, indigo or Prussian blue in the proportion of half an ounce of soot, indigo or Prussian blue at least to one pound of the white arsenic, and so in proportion for any greater or less quantity:

Provided that, where such arsenic is stated by the purchaser to be required for some purpose for which such admixture would, according to the representation of the purchaser, render it unfit, such arsenic may be sold, without such admixture, in a quantity of not less than ten pounds at any one time.

Power to regulate possession of white arsenic in certain tracts.

5. (1) The Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may further, by rule, regulate the possession of white arsenic in any local area in which murder by poisoning with that drug or the offence of mischief by poisoning cattle therewith appears to it to be of such frequent occurrence as to render restrictions on the possession thereof desirable.

(2) In making any rule under sub-section (1), the Local Government may direct that any breach thereof shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both, together with confiscation of the white arsenic in respect of which the breach has been committed, and of the vessels, packages or coverings in which the same is found.

Other Poisons.

[*Cf.* VIII of 1899, s. 22 (1).]

Power to apply Act to other poisons.

6. The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, apply to any poison other than white arsenic all or any of the provisions of this Act relating exclusively to white arsenic.

Penalties and Procedure.

Penalty for unlawful importation, etc.

7. (1) Whoever,—

(*a*) commits a breach of any rule made under section 2 or section 4, or

(*b*) imports into British India, without a license, white arsenic the importation of which is for the time being restricted under section 3, or

(*c*) breaks any condition of a license for the importation of white arsenic granted to him under section 3,

shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

(2) Any poison in respect of which an offence has been committed under this section, together with the vessels, packages or coverings in which the same is found, and any animals and conveyances used in carrying it, shall be liable to confiscation.

Power to issue search-warrant.

8. (1) The District Magistrate, the Sub-divisional Magistrate and, in a Presidency-town, the Commissioner of Police, respectively, may issue a warrant for the search of any place in which he has reason to believe or to suspect that any poison is possessed for sale or sold in contravention of this Act or any rule thereunder or that any poison liable to confiscation under this Act is kept or concealed. [*Cf.* XII of 1896, s. 40.]

(2) The person to whom the warrant is directed may enter and search the place in accordance therewith, and the provisions of sections 47 to 49 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, shall, as far as may be, be deemed to apply to the execution of the warrant. V of 1898.

Previous publication, etc., of rules.

9. (1) Every power to make rules conferred by this Act is subject to the condition of the rules being made after previous publication. [*Cf.* VIII of 1899, s. 24.]

(2) All rules made by the Governor General in Council or by the Local Government under this Act shall be published in the Gazette of India or the local official Gazette, as the case may be, and on such publication shall have effect as if enacted by this Act.

Savings.

Savings.

10. (1) Nothing in this Act or in any license granted or rule made thereunder shall extend to or interfere with anything done in good faith in the exercise of his profession or business as such— [*Cf.* 31 & 32 Vict., c. 121, s. 16.]

(*a*) by a medical practitioner, or

(*b*) by a chemist or druggist duly qualified to act as such under the law for the time being in force in the United Kingdom, or

(*c*) by a chemist or druggist dispensing or compounding in compliance with the prescription of a medical practitioner, or

(*d*) by a manufacturer of pharmaceutical preparations, sheep-dips or weed-killers, or

(*e*) by a tanner or hide-merchant.

(2) Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the Local Government may in its discretion, by general or special order, declare that all or any of the provisions of this Act shall not be deemed to apply to any article, or class of articles, of commerce specified in such order or to any poison, or class of poisons, used for any purpose so specified, and may, from time to time, alter or vary any such declaration.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE question of restricting by legislation the sale and possession of poisons in India has been under the consideration of the Government for many years. It was at one time thought that the working of a general law on the subject would be attended with such difficulties as to render its enforcement all but impracticable. Among the reasons for this conclusion were the facts that some mineral poisons are largely used for legitimate purposes connected with trade, and that, since plants from which vegetable poisons can be extracted grow all over the country and are readily accessible, any restriction on the sale and possession of mineral poisons might result in inducing criminals to have recourse to the more subtle and less easily detected vegetable poisons, which could in no case be placed beyond their reach. On further consideration, however, it seems to the Government of India to be an extraordinary anomaly, which should be removed with the least practicable delay, that a deadly poison, such as arsenic, which is without taste or smell, which produces effects very similar to those of cholera, and which is known to be the agent most frequently employed for homicidal purposes, should be procurable in unlimited quantities in every part of India. There is, so far as the Government of India are aware, no other civilized country in the world in which the sale and possession of poisons is not carefully restricted, and it is thought that, notwithstanding the special conditions prevailing in India, a beginning at least in the direction of legislation should be made. This view is supported by the great mass of opinion which has been obtained from Local Governments and Administrations and from the several Chambers of Commerce and Trades Associations.

2. The only measure in the Indian Statute-book dealing with poisons generally is Bombay Act VIII of 1866; but that enactment extends only to the Province of Bombay, and even there, owing to defects in its form and limitations in its scope, it has produced but little effect. No provision is made in it for the inspection or searching of vendors' shops, and it places no restriction on the amount of poison which may be possessed or sold. In the United Provinces the matter is regulated by rules under section 128 (*l*) of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh Municipalities Act, 1900; but these have not been rigidly enforced and seem to have been virtually inoperative. The experience of the United Provinces seems, indeed, to show that the matter is one which cannot with safety be left to municipal control.

3. The present Bill provides in the first place (clause 2) for the control of the sale of poisons generally within municipalities and within cantonments, which often adjoin municipalities. It also (clause 3) authorises the prohibition of the importation of white arsenic into British India except under license, and (clauses 4 and 5) empowers the Local Government to regulate the sale of that poison within the whole or any part of the Province, and its possession in any area in which murder by poisoning with that drug, or the offence of mischief by poisoning cattle, is of frequent occurrence. It further (clause 6) takes power for the Governor General in Council to apply to any other poison the provisions relating to white arsenic, and thus there will be an immediate remedy at hand should it be found that other poisons are beginning to take the place of white arsenic for criminal purposes. Finally protection is secured (clause 10) for acts done in good faith by members of the medical profession and by chemists and others who deal with poisons in the ordinary course of their business. The measure will be permissive, and its effectiveness will depend entirely upon the extent to which it is applied, and upon the success attained in framing and enforcing rules under it.

DENZIL IBBETSON.

The 4th July, 1903.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 4th August, 1903:

NO. 11 OF 1903.

A Bill further to amend the Transfer of Property Act, 1882.

IV of 1882.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Transfer of Property Act, 1882; It is hereby enacted as follows:

1. This Act may be called the Transfer of Property (Amendment) Act, 1903.

Short title.

2. In the fourth paragraph of section 1 of the said Act, after the words "extend this Act" the words "or any part thereof" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 1, paragraph 4, Act IV of 1882.

3. In the second paragraph of section 59 of the said Act, for the words "an instrument" the words "a registered instrument" shall be substituted, and to the same paragraph the following proviso shall be added, namely:

Amendment of section 59, Act IV of 1882.

"Provided that the Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, from time to time, by notification in the local official Gazette, direct that all or any mortgages made within the territories under its administration or any part thereof, shall be effected only by such instruments as aforesaid."

4. In the last paragraph of section 59 and in clause (*c*) of section 69 of the said Act, for the words "and Rangoon" and for the words "or Rangoon" the words "Rangoon, Moulmein, Bassein and Akyab" and the words "Rangoon, Moulmein, Bassein or Akyab" shall be respectively substituted.

Amendment of last paragraph of section 59 and of section 69, Act IV of 1882.

5. For the second paragraph of section 107 of the said Act the following paragraph shall be substituted, namely:

Substitution of new paragraph for second paragraph of section 107, Act IV of 1882.

"All other leases of immoveable property may be made either by a registered instrument or by oral agreement accompanied by delivery of possession:

Provided that the Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, from time to time, by notification in the local official Gazette, direct that leases of immoveable property, other than leases from year to year, or for any term exceeding one year, or reserving a yearly rent, may be made by unregistered instrument or by oral agreement without delivery of possession."

6. In section 117 of the said Act, after the words "to be so applicable" the words "in the case of all or any of such leases" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 117, Act IV of 1882.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE object of this Bill is to make certain amendments in the Transfer of Property Act, 1882, which the Government of India have decided to undertake for the following reasons.

2. Under the Indian Registration Act, 1877, registration is compulsory in the case of certain documents and merely optional in that of others. Documents of the first class are practically of no effect unless registered, but those belonging to the latter are equally effective, whether registered or not, subject to this limitation, that, if unregistered, they are liable to be superseded by subsequent registered documents. Among the documents the registration of which is optional are those relating to the transfer of rights in immoveable property of less than Rs. 100 in value, and it is in consequence of the questions that have

arisen in connection with this latter class of documents that the present Bill has been prepared.

3. There was at one time a diversity of opinion as to the effect of section 50 of the Registration Act, which postpones all unregistered documents relating to land of which the registration is optional to a subsequent registered one of the same character. But it has recently been decided by all the chartered High Courts as well as by the Chief Court of the Punjab, that the section should be read subject to the equitable doctrine of notice, or, in other words, that an unregistered document should not be postponed to a registered one where it can be shown that the transferee under the latter had notice of the transfer evidenced by the former at the time when the latter was executed. These rulings did not appear to the Government of India to leave the law on a satisfactory footing. They learnt that in England there had been divergence of opinion with regard to the propriety of the recognition of the equitable doctrine of notice in connection with the construction of the English Registry Acts, and that that doctrine had in 1884 been deliberately abolished by Parliament in the case of the Yorkshire Registry, whilst past experience in this country had shown that the application of that doctrine in India was open to very grave objection. The Indian Registration Law prior to Act I of 1843 expressly provided for notice, and, as stated in the preamble to that Act, it was in consequence of the "forgeries, perjuries, fraudulent concealments and other practices" to which the application of the doctrine gave rise that that Act, which ignored the doctrine, was passed.

4. After giving the whole question very careful consideration the Government of India came to the conclusion that, instead of attempting to amend the provisions of the Registration Law as to priority between registered and unregistered instruments relating to the transfer of land in order to meet the difficulties to which the existing law gives rise, the better course would be so to amend the law on the subject of transfer of immoveable property as to make it impossible for such difficulties to arise in the case of future transfers of such property. It seemed to them that this result could be obtained if the law required all transfers of such property throughout India, when effected by written instruments, to be registered. They accordingly asked the opinion of Local Governments on the following proposals designed to carry out this intention:

(1) that the whole or certain sections of the Transfer of Property Act, 1882, should be extended to the parts of British India to which that Act had not yet been extended under the powers conferred by section 1, namely, the Punjab, and Lower Burma outside Rangoon;

(2) that section 59 of the Act (relating to mortgages) should be amended so as to require all mortgages effected by written instruments to be registered, whatever the amount secured; and

(3) that section 107 of the Act (relating to leases) should be amended so as to require all instruments of lease to be registered and all leases made by oral agreement to be accompanied or followed by possession.

5. With regard to the first point the Government of the Punjab objected strongly to the extension of the Act to that Province, and, as the arguments advanced by the Local Government against this proposal seemed to the Government of India to be of much force, this proposal has been abandoned in so far as the Punjab is concerned. The Government of Burma desired (1) to extend the whole of the Act to the towns of Moulmein, Bassein and Akyab, and to include those towns in the list of towns contained in sections 59 and 69; (2) to extend sections 54, 59, 107, 117, 118 and 123 to the whole of Lower Burma with the exception of areas to which the Registration Act does not apply and of specially backward tracts; and (3) to take power to extend from time to time any part of the Act which may appear to it to be suitable to any part of the province. The amendments of the Act proposed in clauses 2 and 4 of the Bill are designed to enable the Local Government to give effect to its wishes in this respect.

6. Apart from the Punjab, all Local Governments accepted the second proposal which is given effect to by the amendment of the second paragraph of section 59 of the Act contained in clause 3 of the Bill. The proviso which it is further proposed to add to the same section of the Act is intended to give effect to a suggestion of the Government of Bengal that Local Governments should have power to require mortgages made within their territories, even when securing a less sum than Rs. 100, to be effected by registered instrument.

7. The third proposal was accepted by all Local Governments except the Governments of Bombay and Bengal, in deference to whose objections the Government of India have, while amending the second paragraph of section 107 of the Act, as originally proposed, in clause 5 of the Bill, added at the same time to the revised section a proviso reserving power to Local Governments to adopt or not to adopt, as they may think fit, the revised section in their respective provinces.

8. The Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces made a further suggestion that a proviso should be added to section 107 of the Act on the lines of the proviso to section 17 of the Indian Registration Act in order to encourage the application of Chapter V of the latter Act to agricultural leases. Though the principle of the suggestion is accepted by the Government of India, it appears to them that it will be more simply and conveniently given effect to by amending section 117 of the Act as proposed in clause 6 of the Bill, so as to give power to Local Governments to limit the scope of any notification issued under that section to particular classes of agricultural leases.

The 24th July, 1903.

DENZIL IBBETSON.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 4th August, 1903:

NO. 12 OF 1903.

A Bill further to amend the Indian Tariff Act, 1894.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the VIII of 1894. Indian Tariff Act, 1894; It is hereby enacted as follows:

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, 1903. Short title and duration.

(*2*) Section 3 shall remain in force until the thirty-first day of March, 1904.

2. In section 8A, sub-section (*1*), of the VIII of 1894. Indian Tariff Act, 1894, as amended by section 2 of the Indian Tariff Amendment Act, 1899, before the words "the exportation therefrom" the words "the production therein or" shall be inserted. Amendment of section 8A, Act VIII, 1894. XIV of 1899.

3. After section 8B of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894, as amended by section 2 of the Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, 1902, the following section shall be added, namely. VIII of 1894. VIII of 1902. Addition of new section, 8C, to Act VIII, 1894

"8C. Notwithstanding that the condition precedent to the imposition of a duty under section 8A may have ceased to exist, and notwithstanding anything in section 1, sub-section (*2*), of the Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, 1902, any duties which may have been imposed and are chargeable under section 8A or section 8B on the thirty-first day of August, 1903, shall continue to be chargeable in accordance with any rules which may have been in force on the said date: VIII of 1902. Continuation of duties chargeable under section 8A or 8B on 31st August, 1903.

Provided that the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, reduce the rate at which any such duty is levied, and amend or vary any such rules as aforesaid."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

SECTION 8A of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894, provides for the levy of an additional duty on articles on which a bounty is given directly or indirectly by a foreign State, and section 8B provides for the levy of additional duties in certain cases in which high protective duties render possible the creation of bounties by private trade combinations or cartels. The majority of the chief sugar-producing countries of Europe have agreed to arrangements designed to secure the abolition of all bounties and high protective duties on sugar on the 1st of September, 1903. Large stocks of sugar exist in those countries on which bounties have been paid and which have been produced under the cartel system. The object of this Bill is to continue the present additional duties on sugar until the 31st of March, 1904, when it is expected that the greater part of the stocks which have received bounties will have been consumed.

The opportunity has been taken to make it clear that section 8A of the Act of 1894, as amended in 1899, extends to bounties or grants paid or bestowed upon production as well as upon exportation.

The 3rd August, 1903.

E. FG. LAW.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

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REPORT ON THE STATE OF THE SALT MARKET FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1903-1904.

No. 8107B., dated Calcutta, the 11th August 1903.

From—H. WHEELER, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I AM directed to submit the following report on the state of the salt market for the first quarter of the year 1903-1904, comprising the months of April, May and June 1903.

Member in charge:
THE HON'BLE MR. C. E. BUCKLAND, C.I.E.

2. The quantity of salt of every description cleared during the quarter amounted to 28,99,901 maunds, as compared with 28,78,656* maunds in the previous quarter, and 32,49,311 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year. The net amount of duty levied thereon was Rs. 55,38,184, as against Rs. 64,05,866* in the previous quarter, and Rs. 76,80,087 in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

3. The subjoined Table (I) shows in detail the importations into the port of Calcutta and the total clearances of sea-imported salt during the quarter,

* Revised figures.

as compared with the figures of the corresponding quarters of the two previous years:—

TABLE I.

WHENCE IMPORTED.	1901-1902. First quarter.		1902-1903. First quarter.		1903-1904. First quarter	
	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom	11,81,725	10,73,349	11,46,893	10,16,449	12,90,790	11,41,214
Hamburg	2,71,671	2,28,144	1,21,813	3,73,693	3,03,363	2,65,175
Batoum (Russia)	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Port Said	.....	.....	1,27,034	1,19,726	.....	.....
Salif	4,85,888	4,38,072	3,81,038	5,06,665	.....	2,04,385
Rawayah	.....	14,334	1,76,944	62,057	.....	48,280
Aden	2,77,134	3,88,440	4,60,690	5,07,134	4,29,355	6,03,779
Muscat, Linga, Hanjam, &c.	98,000	80,074	.....	21,416	.....	84,672
Rock salt	19,056	6,444	.....	5,100	.....	2,710
Diego-Suarez (Madagascar)	8,926	2,400	.....	3	.....	.....
North Africa, Egypt, &c.	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	4
South Africa, Cape Colony, Natal, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4
Bombay	1,53,424	1,70,425	1,01,400	1,70,397	77,386	1,24,716
Ceylon	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Madras, Coconada	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,000	.....
Java, Australia and Straits Settlements	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Total	24,94,934	24,00,577	25,16,811	27,84,670	21,06,874	24,74,948

Compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year there was a noticeable decrease in the quantity imported and cleared; compared with the same quarter of 1901-1902 importations decreased but clearances increased.

4. Table II shows the quantity of sea-imported salt remaining in the warehouses at the close of the quarter as compared with the previous four quarters:—

TABLE II.

WHERE STORED.	First quarter of 1902-1903.	Second quarter of 1902-1903.	Third quarter of 1902-1903.	Fourth quarter of 1902-1903.	First quarter of 1903-1904.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Sulkea Government Salt Golas	16,19,997	20,72,887	16,69,084	16,00,520	9,76,748
Kidderpore Dock do.	8,60,421	9,01,200	8,98,354	8,20,179	6,99,447
Chittagong do.	77,257	1,66,991	1,77,713	1,91,062	1,21,541
Narayanganj (private bonded salt warehouses)	54,982	55,067	35,140	41,765	64,640
Chandbali (ditto ditto)	8,846	6,824	300	7,750	750
Bhairab Bazar (ditto ditto)	24,656	24,354	29,070	15,075	22,150
Jhalakati (ditto ditto)	86,354	81,960	1,38,238	1,14,986	83,070
Ashuganj (ditto ditto)	5,190	10,320	9,545	20,825	21,300
Dacca (ditto ditto)	3,030	5,375	5,050	8,540	11,591
Madaripur (ditto ditto)	.....	.....	13,112	13,127	13,903
Chandpur (ditto ditto)	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,686
Total	27,40,713	33,36,978	29,85,605	28,28,849	20,27,798

Stocks at the close of the quarter were considerably less than those of the previous quarter and of the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

5. The despatches of salt from Calcutta by boat and by the several railways passing through the different pass-stations into the interior of the country, both east and west of the river Hooghly, as well as the despatches by steamers and flats during the quarter and the corresponding quarters of the last two years, are shown in Table (III) below:—

TABLE III.

PERIOD.	BY WATER					BY RAIL			BY STEAMERS AND FLATS.	
	Vid Balikhal.	*Vid* Sankrail.	*Vid* Gewankhali.	*Vid* Kidderpore.	*Vid* Ballighatta.	By the East Indian Railway.	By the Eastern Bengal, Bengal Central and South-Eastern Railways.	By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway or *vid* Shalimar.	Quantity despatched into the interior (excluding Orissa).	Quantity despatched to Orissa.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
First quarter of 1901-1902.	97,783	1,30,977	54,719	42,147	1,31,990	9,98,402	6,30,004	.....	2,47,067	8,826
First quarter of 1902-1903.	1,07,930	1,32,321	56,060	42,296	1,36,789	12,25,118	6,45,462	39,958	2,66,897	600
First quarter of 1903-1904.	96,760	1,29,417	58,443	43,400	1,38,738	9,13,195	7,47,650	1,05,418	2,33,925	7,500

6. The quantity of salt despatched during the quarter by the East Indian Railway to stations beyond Buxar amounted to 1,215 maunds, against 1,620 maunds in the previous quarter and alike amount in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

7. The quantity of saltpetre salt excised in the refineries of the Lower Provinces during the quarter amounted to 5,247 maunds, as compared with 7,320 maunds in the previous quarter, and 4,742 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

8. The shipments of Liverpool salt during the quarter for the port of Calcutta, according to the published market reports, amounted to 23,060 tons. It is reported that no vessel was afloat for Calcutta at the close of the quarter with full cargoes of salt from Hamburg.

9. Table IV shows the average wholesale prices per 100 maunds of Liverpool and other descriptions of salt during each fortnight of the quarter:—

TABLE IV.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1903.	Fortnight ending 30th April 1903.	Fortnight ending 15th May 1903.	Fortnight ending 31st May 1903.	Fortnight ending 15th June 1903.	Fortnight ending 30th June 1903.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Liverpool *panga*	50 0 0	50 0 0	50 8 0	54 5 4	55 7 4	55 5 4
Hamburg *karkatch*	48 6 4	48 0 0	48 6 4		49 9 7	50 9 10
Muscat ditto	39 0 0	43 0 0	55 8 0	51 0 0	63 10 5	67 0 0
Jedda ditto	30 10 8	40 0 0	55 0 0	51 0 0	54 9 1	66 8 0
Bombay ditto	35 12 0	37 10 0	41 1 4	42 15 8	70 0 0	50 0 0
Aden crushed	38 5 7	38 8 7	39 14 8	42 4 4	47 2 8	47 14 0
Salif ditto	37 15 1	38 4 11	38 14 10	.....	.....	.....

During the quarter the prices of all kinds of salt showed an upward tendency. The marked fluctuations in the price of Muscat salt were due to the small stocks of *karkatch* salt in bond, and also to the fact that the prices quoted are of two qualities. The variations in the price of Bombay salt were also due to the small stocks in bond.

10. The following Table (V) shows the quantity of sea-imported salt admitted into bond and cleared from bond and shipboard at the several out-ports and inland warehousing stations:—

TABLE V.

PORT OR STATION.	Description of salt.	ADMITTED INTO BOND.		CLEARED.	
		First quarter of 1902-1903.	First quarter of 1903-1904.	First quarter of 1902-1903.	First quarter of 1903-1904.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Chittagong	English *panga*	.....	.....	53,882	42,155
	Hamburg *karkatch*	55,053	26,443	30,395	21,773
	Aden crushed	.....	.....	.....	48,602
Narayanganj	English *panga*	1,24,560	1,21,620	1,19,460	94,971
	Hamburg *karkatch*	7,000	.....	5,700	.....
	Aden crushed	.....	13,000	3,625	11,730
	Rawayah crushed	.....	.....	.....	2,650
Chandbali	English *panga*	13,080	...	10,563	6,928
Bhairab Bazar	Ditto	35,325	50,067	32,525	40,760
Jhalakati	Ditto	1,00,223	76,240	1,15,688	1,05,408
	Aden crushed	11,000	16,000	3,506	11,350
	Rawayah ditto	..	.....	9,756	4,158
Ashuganj	English *panga*	10,000	....	11,202	6,196
	Hamburg *karkatch*	.....	.....	.....	1,500
	Aden crushed	... .	10,000	.....	500
Dacca	English *panga*	5,460	7,000	2,650	3,822
Madaripur	Aden crushed	.....	8,000	.....	800
Chandpur	English *panga*	.....	16,000	... ..	16,697
	Ditto	.....	12,000	. .	6,400
	Aden crushed	.....	7,000	.....	1,500
	Total ...	3,61,641	3,65,303	4,14,251	4,24,958

Compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year, there was an increase both in the quantity admitted into bond and cleared.

No transactions in sea-imported salt were reported for the quarter from Cuttack and Puri.

WORKING OF TREASURIES IN BENGAL DURING THE YEAR 1902-1903.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT—FINANCE.

Calcutta, the 13th August 1903.

RESOLUTION—No. 3805F.

READ—

A letter from the Accountant-General, Bengal, No. 182T.M., dated the 31st May 1903, reporting on the working of treasuries in Bengal for the year 1902-1903.

THE aggregate number of irregularities committed during the past year shows a decrease of 7,016 as compared with those detected in the preceding year, and the Lieutenant-Governor notices with satisfaction that the result of calling attention to those errors in past years has been to materially diminish the number of them, inasmuch as Treasury Officers have thus been made familiar with the commonest forms of such defects.

2. No serious mistakes were committed in the treasuries at Calcutta, Noakhali, Chittagong, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Angul and Khondmals and Puri.

3. The smallest number of irregularities occurred at Manbhum (10), and the treasuries at Dumka, Malda, Murshidabad, and Jalpaiguri were responsible for only 18, 19, 21, and 25 errors, respectively.

4. Very great improvement took place in the administration of the treasuries at Hooghly, Muzaffarpur, Champaran, Shahabad, Tippera, Cuttack, Bhagalpur, Murshidabad and Purnea. Considerable improvements are noticeable also in the cases of Rajshahi, Patna, Dacca, Backergunge, and 24-Parganas, although in each of these treasuries a few serious errors occurred.

5. The Accountant-General has brought to notice the names of certain Treasury Officers, who are most deserving of commendation for the good work achieved by them in improving the working of the treasuries of which they were in charge during the year under review. These are—

(1)	Babu Banku Behari Bakhsi	... Gaya.
(2)	„ Hira Lall Banerjee	... Dumka.
(3)	„ Bhabani Prosad Neogi	... Tippera.
(4)	„ Kedar Nath Mukerjee	... Murshidabad.
(5)	„ Chandra Bhusun Chackravarti	... Hooghly.
(6)	„ Gopal Chandra Mukerjee	... 24-Parganas.

The Lieutenant-Governor has much pleasure in acknowledging their services.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to all Commissinoers of Divisions for information and communication to the District Officers in their Division (and through them to the Treasury Officers) and to the Accountant-General, Bengal, and the Appointment Department for information.

Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

L. P. SHIRRES,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PRELIMINARY FORECAST OF THE SUGARCANE CROP OF BENGAL, 1903.

THE following note is published for general information.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 17th August 1903.

DEPARTMENT OF LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Preliminary Forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of Bengal, 1903.

Explanatory.—With Government order No. 114T.—R., dated the 22nd May 1899, instructions were received for including in this forecast an estimate of the raw sugar produced in these Provinces from other sources than cane, and an attempt is made to give effect to the above order in the present report, but the information available on the subject is yet far from complete.

2. *The character of the season.*—The drought which commenced in the beginning of October 1902 lasted till after the end of the year. The rainfall in January and February was deficient everywhere, except in the Orissa and Chittagong Divisions and in parts of the Burdwan, Presidency, and Dacca Divisions. In March, there were fairly good showers throughout Bengal, although Bihar and Chota Nagpur continued to suffer from the drought. The fall in April and May was in defect everywhere, except Chota Nagpur, and the deficiency continued through June all over the Province, save in North Bengal, in the North Gangetic districts of Bihar, in some parts of the Presidency Division, and in Dacca, Mymensingh, Tippera and Noakhali in East Bengal. The rains during the past month were general but scanty almost throughout the Province, and more rain is urgently needed at this moment in the Burdwan, Presidency, Patna, and Bhagalpur Divisions, and in some districts of the Rajshahi, Chittagong, and Chota Nagpur Divisions. On the whole, the season has not been favourable to the sugarcane crop.

3. *Area sown.*—The normal area under sugarcane in this Province is now estimated at 689,100 acres, against 682,600, returned last year. It is estimated that the area planted this year is 643,000 acres, the contraction being due to the unfavourable character of the sowing season.

4. *Character of the crop.*—It will be seen from the summary of the district returns appended to this report, that

in eleven districts the outturn is expected to reach or exceed the normal, while nine other districts anticipate an outturn of over 90 per cent. In eleven districts the estimate varies between 80 and 89 per cent., while in the remaining fourteen districts crops from 59 to 79 per cent. of the normal are anticipated.

5. *Outturn.*—According to the estimates of the District Officers, the outturn of the crop for the Province as a whole will this year amount to 89 per cent. of a normal crop. But a tendency to underestimate the crop is observable in the important sugarcane-growing districts of East Bengal, and I anticipate that under normal conditions for the rest of the year, the provincial outturn will reach 92 per cent. of a normal crop.

S. L. MADDOX,

Offg. Director of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 9th August 1903.

Preliminary forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of 1903.

Division.	District.	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under sugarcane, in acres.	Approximate area under sugarcane last year (1902), in acres.	Estimated area under sugarcane this year (1903), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1902)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1903)?	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	1,720,960	1,284,800	27,400	27,900	27,700	81	76	The monsoon is late this year. June rains were deficient, and it has been found on enquiry that want of proper rains at the end of May affected the seedlings. Hence a comparatively low outturn is expected.	
	Birbhum ...	1,121,920	800,000	9,000	9,000	9,000	80	100		
	Bankura ...	1,677,440	642,800	14,000	15,000	13,000	90	100	The area is below the normal, but the outturn may now be estimated at 100 per cent.	
	Midnapore ...	3,519,640	2,190,800	20,400	17,900	17,100	76	80		
	Hooghly ...	1,067,360	652,300	14,300	14,300	13,600	99	88	Want of timely rainfall is the cause of the decrease in outturn.	
Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	3,574,851	1,079,700	4,000	4,400	4,400	108	95	The figures in columns 4 and 5 have been revised. Want of seasonable rainfall accounts for the low outturn this year.	
	Nadia ...	1,787,520	630,500	11,400	7,500	5,700	75	59	The decrease in the area and outturn is due to want of seasonable rainfall.	
	Murshidabad	1,371,520	965,500	14,700	14,600	14,500	81	85	The decrease in the area sown is due to the fact that the market was low last year.	
	Jessore ...	1,572,800	1,142,100	15,000	12,400	9,300	74	79	Failure of this crop last year and want of rainfall during the sowing time this year are the chief causes of the decrease in area under this crop.	
	Khulna ...	3,103,942	870,000	3,100	1,200	600	100	75	For want of rain, half the land could not be cultivated for the sugarcane crop, and the outturn is expected to be below the normal for the same reason.	

Division.	District.	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under sugarcane, in acres.	Approximate area under sugarcane last year (1902), in acres.	Estimated area under sugarcane this year (1903), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1902)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1903)?	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi ...	1,663,040	1,262,100	18,000	16,000	15,500	100	100		
	Dinajpur ...	2,526,080	1,697,600	25,000	30,000	25,000	110	100	The low outturn is due to want of rains at the time of the planting of the crop.	
	Jalpaiguri ...	1,894,600	925,000	5,000	4,400	4,100	90	75	The decrease in area and outturn is due to want of seasonable rain.	
	Darjeeling ...	744,960	148,000	400	200	200	75	60		
	Rangpur ...	2,235,520	1,602,700	24,100	22,800	22,100	85	89		
	Bogra ...	869,760	622,900	20,000	17,000	18,300	75	90	Revised figures have been shown in columns 4 and 5 (*vide* Director's letter No. 414A., dated the 10th March 1903).	
	Pabna ...	1,176,960	884,500	3,500	3,100	3,200	80	90		
Dacca ...	Dacca ..	1,780,480	1,213,500	20,000	20,000	19,900	91	100	The subdivisional reports show that for want of timely rain this year the outturn is expected to be less than that of the last year. But as I think the outturn was estimated last year at less than its real value there is a discrepancy in the figures. This year's crop will probably be about normal.	
	Mymensingh	4,062,480	2,465,700	35,000	33,500	34,600	81	92		
	Faridpur ...	1,459,840	1,132,600	42,000	35,000	30,000	75	75	The area under sugarcane is gradually decreasing.	
	Backergunge	2,335,360	1,418,000	20,500	20,000	18,500	80	75	The outturn is expected to be below the normal owing to want of rainfall at the sowing season, which has also decreased the area sown from that of last year. The outturn of date-gur is expected to be normal.	

Chittagong	Tippera ...	1,539,360	1,209,000	8,800	8,700	7,900	63	83	The figures in columns 4, 5, and 6 have been revised.
	Noakhali ...	1,653,300	784,900	900	600	600	70	80	Sugar is not produced in this district from date-palm or from any other source
	Chittagong ...	1,594,815	559,800	9,200	9,000	9,000	80	75	The low outturn is due to insufficient rainfall.
Patna	Patna ...	1,328,000	1,062,100	20,200	1,000	20,000	82	100	The figures in columns 3, 5, and 7 have been revised.
	Gaya ...	3,015,680	2,207,500	29,000	29,500	29,400	100	100	
	Shahabad ...	2,798,720	1,841,900	36,000	41,100	34,300	73	89	The decrease in the area sown is due to want of sufficient moisture at the sowing season.
	Saran ...	1,708,726	1,357,300	36,500	46,800	42,000	85	75	The failure of winter rains has told much upon the area and prospects of the crop this year. Rain also failed at the time of planting and germinating.
	Champaran ...	2,679,815	1,447,700	10,300	9,900	10,500	90	100	There is reported to be a slight decrease in area under sugarcane in Bettiah and an increase near Seeraha sugar-works.
	Muzaffarpur	1,941,334	1,627,000	8,800	9,300	8,800	85	75	
	Darbhanga ...	2,142,600	1,678,000	17,000	15,100	15,100	96	86	
	Monghyr ...	2,509,440	1,582,800	6,980	6,000	6,800	58	86	
Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur ...	2,704,640	2,097,000	63,700	63,700	63,700	117	94	
	Purnea ...	3,195,513	1,639,800	7,000	7,000	7,000	94	85	The outturn is not satisfactory owing to the lateness of the rainfall.
	Malda ...	1,216,000	675,800	5,000	3,900	3,900	100	90	The decrease both in area and outturn is due to want of sufficient rainfall at the time of planting.
	Santhal Parganas.	3,500,160	1,545,300	13,400	13,400	13,400	100	110	The outturn estimated at Jamtara is much above the normal for timely rainfall.
Orissa	Cuttack ...	2,344,320	1,161,400	5,000	4,600	4,600	92	95	
	Balasore ...	1,334,368	870,800	4,400	2,000	2,000	100	100	
	Angul ...	1,075,840	280,000	2,300	2,300	2,300	80	75	Low outturn is due to want of rain in April and May.
	Puri ...	1,599,360	738,200	3,500	2,700	2,400	90	88	

Division.	District.	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under sugarcane, in acres.	Approximate area under sugarcane last year (1902), in acres.	Estimated area under sugarcane this year (1903), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1902)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1903)?	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh ...	4,493,440	1,763,030	35,600	35,600	35,600	100	100		
	Ranchi ...	4,561,920	987,600	300	300	300	75	75	The decrease in the outturn is due to want of seasonable rainfall.	
	Palamau ...	3,139,200	768,600	4,200	4,500	4,200	85	92		
	Manbhum ...	2,654,080	1,419,200	12,300	11,800	12,300	84	97		
	Singhbhum ...	2,494,080	832,800	1,000	1,000	1,000	100	100		
	Total ...	97,488,854	53,770,700	689,100	674,000	643,000	89	93*	.....	* As estimated by this Department.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 17th August 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·80, Kalna 1·83, Katwa 2·69, Raniganj 2 06. Weather cloudy. Transplantation of *aman* continues. Condition of sugarcane, *aus*, jute, and indigo fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Scarcity of water still prevails in some parts of thanas Katwa and Mangalkot, where transplantation is proceeding with difficulty. Condition of cattle good. Common rice sells at 10 seers per rupee.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·65, Rampur Hât 7·84. Weather seasonable. Transplantation rapidly in progress. Sugarcane is in flourishing condition. Rice sells at 11½ seers per rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·95, Vishnupur 1·7. Transplantation going on throughout the district. Rice sells at 10 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·30, Contai ·07, Tamluk ·95, Ghatal 1·14. Transplantation continues. Rain greatly needed throughout district. Prospects of paddy uncertain. Crop damaged by insects. Jute and sugarcane thriving. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Contai	12	0	
Tamluk	11	12	
Ghatal	Not reported.		

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·65, Serampore 0·49, Arambagh 2·38. Transplantation has been going on well during the week, but rain is badly wanted for completion. Prospect of *aus* good. Jute and sugarcane doing well. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Serampore	10	4	
Arambagh	9	8	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·09. Weather cloudy and seasonable. Condition of standing crops good. The recent rain has done immense good to the standing paddy. The transplantation of *aman* paddy is going on briskly. Sowing of jute over. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice is selling at 10¾ seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·47, Barasat 2 00, Basirhat 0 24, Diamond Harbour 0·27. Weather cloudy. Rainfall insufficient in Sadar and Basirhat subdivisions and thana Mograhat in the Diamond Harbour subdivision, but more rain is wanted in the remaining thanas of the last-named subdivision also. *Aus* and jute doing well as also *aman* sown broadcast on *bil* lands. Transplanted *aman* seedlings in Basirhat want rain badly. Prospect of *aus* and jute good, but that of *aman* problematical. Jute being cut and steeped. Transplantation of *aman* in fair progress excepting in Basirhat, where it is at a standstill for want of rain. Common rice sells at 11¾ seers per rupee except at Barasat and Diamond Harbour, where it sells at 10 seers per rupee. Cattle-disease reported to have made its appearance at Chaital, in the Basirhat subdivision. Fodder and water good.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·74, Kushtia 4·72, Meherpur 6·53, Chuadanga 10·93, Ranaghat 7·18. Rainfall sufficient throughout the district except in a few places in Meherpur and Kushtia subdivisions where still some more rain wanted. Prospects of standing crops better. Transplantation of *aman* far advanced. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kushtia	11	0	
Meherpur	10	10	
Chuadanga	11	8	
Ranaghat	11	0	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·76, Kandi 3·56, Jangipur 3·54, Lalbagh 10·60. Weather seasonable. Recent rains greatly improved the condition of standing crops, especially *aus* and *aman*. Transplantation of *aman* goes on. Jute and sugarcane thriving. Prospects of *maize* specially good in Forekka outpost in Jangipur subdivision. *Bhadoi* has been much damaged for absence of rain. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Kandi	11	8	
Jangipur	12	4	
Lalbagh	11	0	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·37, Jhenida 7·18, Magura 8·07, Narail 2·24, Bangaon 1·98. Weather hot and cloudy. Recent rain has done good to the *aman* paddy, especially in Jhenida and Magura. Its transplantation going on vigorously. More rain wanted. Harvesting of *aus* begun. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Salikha. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	8	per rupee.
Jhenida	12	0	
Magura	12	0	
Narail	12	5	
Bangaon	12	5	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·35, Bagerhat 2·57, Satkhira 0·80. Weather seasonable, but more rain is urgently wanted, as transplantation is still being retarded. Transplantation of winter paddy is now estimated at 65 per cent. *Til* sowing is estimated at 79 per cent. Cattle-disease reported from Khulna, Paikgacha, Kaligunge, and Budhatta. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	4	per rupee.
Bagerhat	12	0	
Satkhira	11	0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·19, Nator 4·15, and Naugaon 5·61. Prospects of *aus* paddy much improved. Steeping of jute and transplantation of winter paddy going on. More rain wanted. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water ample. Common rice selling at 13 seers a rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·16. Fall in the district general, varying from 10·54 to 2·24. Weather seasonable. Steeping of jute has commenced in some places. Standing crops fair. Transplantation of winter rice is going on well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at 13 seers a rupee.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 11·40, Alipur Duars 22·43. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter paddy briskly going on. Recent rain has done immense good to the crop. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy commenced in places. Jute doing well. Common rice sells at 11 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·45. Weather wet. *Hills*—Maize and *chota marua* maturing. *Bara marua*, *bhadoi*, and winter rice progressing. *Terai*—Transplantation of winter rice going on. Reaping of jute commenced. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Hills	9	0	per rupee.
Terai	13	0	

Maize sells at Darjeeling at 14 seers and at Kalimpong at 12 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·30, Gaibanda 5·40, Kurigram 5·51, Nilphamari 7·02. Weather hot. Prospects of standing crops fair. Transplantation of *aman* and cutting of jute going on. Harvesting of *bhadoi* going on. More rain wanted. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Nilphamari	11	0	
Kurigram	12	0	
Gaibanda	13	0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·36. Fall general. Weather hot and cloudy. Recent rain has improved the prospects of winter rice. Transplantation of *aman* being pushed on. More rain still wanted. Cutting of *aus* and jute going on. Common rice sells at 14¼ seers a rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 9·91, Sirajganj 6·35. Weather rainy and cloudy. Prospects of standing crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. General rain throughout, and it has done much good to the standing crops. Common rice sells at 12 seers a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·78. Fall general. Prospects of crops fair. Weather hot and cloudy. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12¾ seers a rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 16·84, Jamalpur 10·10, Kishorganj 11·22, Netrokona 15·59, Tangail 3·99. Weather rainy. Prospects of crops improved by recent rain. Transplantation of winter rice, harvesting of *aus*, and jute steeping continue. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Kishorganj	13	0	
Jamalpur	15	4	
Netrokona	14	8	
Tangail	12	0	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·23, Goalundo 6·40, Madaripur 2·97. Weather cloudy with frequent heavy showers. *Aus* paddy being harvested. Jute is also being steeped, there being no lack of running water owing to recent heavy rain. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Rice continues to sell at 13 seers per rupee.

Backerganj.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·27. Fall general and heaviest at Sadar. Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aus* and jute good. Fodder sufficient. Cattle-disease decreasing. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Aman	12	8	per rupee.
Aus	13	8	

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·75, Brahmanbaria 7·73, Chandpur 3·62. Weather seasonable. Prospects good. Harvesting of *aus* and jute and transplantation of winter rice going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Muradnagar thana. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.
Sadar	15	0
Brahmanbaria	16	0
Chandpur	13	0

Noakhali.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·38, Feni 5·01. Weather showery. More rain wanted. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers 10 chitaks and at Feni at 16 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·53, Cox's Bazar 16·47. Cultivation of *aman* and reaping of *aus* crops going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells at 12½ seers per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Rainfall 8·11. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continues. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 12 seers a rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·47, Bihar 0·80, Barh 2·78, Dinapore 3·39, Bikram 3·18, Hilsa 3·28. Weather hot and showery. The recent rain has done good to the crops. More rain wanting. Transplantation of *dhan* is delayed for want of sufficient rainfall. The standing *bhadoi* crops improved owing to showery weather, and more *makai* has been sown. Late *makai* is promising. Sugarcane doing well now. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	8	per rupee.
Bihar	10	8	
Barh	12	8	
Dinapore	13	8	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·61, Nawadah 0·49, Jahanabad 2·83, Aurangabad 1·87. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of paddy going on in places where there are *pains* and canals or other means of accumulating water. More rain wanted for the purpose in the areas having no such means of irrigation. *Bhadoi* crops doing well. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Average price of common rice 11½ seers per rupee.

Shahabad.—Rainfall at Arrah 3·17, Buxar 1·51, Bhabhua 1·58, Sasaram 2·08, Dehri 1·63. Condition of standing crops considerably improved by recent rains. More rain wanted for paddy transplantation. Fodder and water abundant. Rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers per rupee.

Saran.—Rainfall at Chapra 2·38, Siwan 6·16, Gopalganj 5·37. Weather cloudy and rainy. Prospects improved by recent rain. Standing crops doing well. Transplantation of winter rice is going on. More rain wanted in some parts of the Sadar subdivision. Cattle-disease at Manjhi continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices of common rice 13 seers 8 chitaks and maize 20 seers 8 chitaks per rupee at Chapra.

Champaran.—Rainfall at Motihari 8·11, Bettiah 8·57. Sufficient rain fell over the district for transplantation of rice which is progressing. Standing crops doing well. Indian-corn damaged by Sikrahua flood. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15½ seers and maize at 22 seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Muzaffarpur 4·70, Hajipur 3·70 and Sitamarhi 8·88. Weather cloudy and rainy. Rainfall of the week has been general and very beneficial to crops. Transplantation of paddy going on. Prospects of crops favourable. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 12 and maize at 20 seers per rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·79, Samastipur 0·36, Madhubani 5·15. Weather cloudy with occasional showers. Rainfall sufficient for transplantation of paddy in Sadar and Madhubani. More rain is wanted in Samastipur. Prospect of *bhadoi* greatly improved. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	12	per rupee.
Samastipur	14	0	
Madhubani	13	0	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·93, Begusarai 4·70, Jamui 1·56. Weather hot and cloudy at Sadar subdivision. Condition of standing crops improved by rainfall. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy going on in places. At Begusarai subdivision *bhadoi* prospect has now become fair. Sowing of *marua*, *janera*, *chidle* and *kodo* going on. Further rain needed for *aghani* paddy. In Jamui subdivision standing crops much benefited by recent rains. Sowing of *bhadoi* and paddy going on vigorously; but more rain badly wanted. Prospect of paddy crop very poor. Sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	4	per rupee.
Begusarai	12	0	
Jamui	11	0	

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·06, Banka 2·15, Madhipura 3·88, Supaul 5·23. Weather seasonable in all subdivisions. *Bhadoi* and *marua* crops have been saved by rain during the week. Rain during the week have put a fresh impetus to transplantation of *aghani* and winter paddy which is now in full sowing in all subdivisions. Thana Bangaon of Madhipura subdivision has had some rain. Rain is still wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	10	per rupee.
Banka	11	4	
Madhipura	14	0	
Supaul	15	0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·99, Kishanganj 6·36, Araria 6·13. Fall general The rain has done immense good. But more rain is wanted, specially in the Sadar sub division. A few cases of cattle-disease are reported from Forbesganj thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	12	0	
Araria	13	0	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·42, Chanchal 5·49, Gazole 4·30, Shibganj 3·61. Fall general. Weather hot and cloudy. The rainfall has done good to the *bhadoi*, which was withering. Transplantation of winter rice going on, but more rain is wanted. State of other standing crops has improved since last week. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-pox, reported from Khorba and Tulsihatta thanas. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Sonthal Parganas.—Rainfall at Dumka 2·01, Deoghar 1·03, Godda 3·62, Jamtara 4·09. Pakaur 5·76, Rajmahal 1·97. Weather hot. Transplantation of winter rice going on briskly. The recent rainfall has much improved the prospects of *bhadoi* and Indian-corn. Sugarcane doing well. Indigo being cut. Prospects good. More rain is needed specially for high lands. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 11 seers per rupee at Dumka.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·61. Fall general, but scanty. Weeding and transplantation of *sarad* in progress. *Beali* in ears. Prospect good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers 7 chitaks per rupee at Cuttack.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·73. More rain is wanted. Puddling nearly over. Transplanting continues. *Beali* paddy being weeded and in ears. Miscellaneous crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 14 seers per rupee both at Sadar and Bhadrak.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·13, Bisipara 0·92. Weather seasonable. Puddling and transplantation of paddy in progress. Harvesting of *suan* going on. Common rice sells at 14 and 13½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals respectively.

Puri.—Rainfall 1·81 inches. Weather cloudy, hot and rainy. Puddling and transplanting of winter rice paddy going on. Miscellaneous crops doing well. *Beali* paddy growing well. Sugarcane leaves are being tied up. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·17, Giridih 1·81. Weather hot. There was rain in almost all parts of the district during the week. Transplantation of winter paddy is going on, but more rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. *Bhadoi* crops promise well. Common rice sells at 11 seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·00. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy continues. Other crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from several thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Gumla	16	0	

Palamau.—Rainfall general, and has greatly benefited the standing crops, specially maize. Transplantation of winter rice slowly continues. More rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at Sadar at 11¼ seers, and maize at 16 seers 4 chitaks per rupee.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·01, Gobindpur 2·74. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Barabazar thana. Common rice sells both at Sadar and Gobindpur at 10 seers per rupee.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 1·15. More rain needed. Prospects not favourable. Fodder sufficient. Rice sells at 11 seers per rupee.

General Summary.—Rainfall during the week was general, but not evenly distributed It was heavy in some parts of North and East Bengal, but very insufficient in most of the districts of Bihar and in several other places. The standing *bhadoi* crops have further improved by the recent rain in the districts of Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Saran, Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Palamau, but the transplantation of the winter rice is retarded for want of sufficient rain Prospects have improved generally, but are still unfavourable. Paddy is being damaged by insects in parts of Midnapore. Some damage to Indian-corn has been caused by flood in Champaran. The outturn of sugarcane is estimated at 92 per cent. of a normal crop. Cattle-disease reported from 10 districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in 12 districts, has fallen in 11 and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 18th August, 1903.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION.													
1	Burdwan ..	12 8	13 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 12	10 8	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	13 8	14 4	12 0	...	...	...	13 8	14 4	12 0	...	.	...
3	Bankura ...	12 8	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 12	12 3	..	..	...
4	Midnápore ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 4	12 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	9 4	...	...	.
6	Howrah ...	...	...	...	.	...	...	11 6	11 4	10 8	...	.	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.													
7	24-Parganas ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 8	10 8	...	...	...
8	Calcutta ...	12 4	12 4	10 0	16 0	16 13	14 8	9 6	9 6	10 0	16 0	16 13	12 4
9	Nadia ...	14 9	13 8	15 8	...	19 0	17 0	11 10	11 5	11 0	...	...	...
10	Murshidabad ...	15 0	15 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	21 0	12 0	12 4	11 4	...	...	...
11	Jessore ..	11 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 8	10 0	13 0	13 0	11 12	..	...	...
12	Khulna ...	...	...	...	..	.	...	14 3	14 3	11 10	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.													
13	Rajshahi ..	15 0	15 12	16 8	24 0	27 12	21 0	12 12	13 8	11 4	...	...	...
14	Dinajpur ...	15 0	14 6	12 14	...	...	...	13 3	13 3	12 0	...	...	...
15	Jalpaiguri ...	11 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	11 4	11 8	10 12	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	...	...	7 0	...	...	8 0	11 0	11 0	9 8	...	...	...
17	Rangpur ...	12 0	12 0	10 8	..	...	...	12 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...
18	Bogra ...	13 8	13 8	10 8	...	...	...	14 4	15 0	11 4	...	...	...
19	Pabna ...	17 4	17 4	15 12	27 8	27 8	26 4	12 12	12 12	11 4	...	...	...
DACCA DIVISION.													
20	Dacca ...	13 0	13 0	11 13	20 0	20 0	18 0	15 0	13 0	11 0	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ..	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...
22	Faridpur ...	19 0	17 0	16 8	20 0	20 0	22 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...
23	Backergunge ...	..	...	...	...	..	...	12 8	12 12	10 8	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kalna 11 seers 4 chitaks ; Katwa 12 seers 10 chitaks ; Raniganj 12 seers.

B. At Rampur Hát the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.

C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 12½ seers per rupee.

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Contai 13 seers ; Tamluk 11 seers ; Ghatal 13½ seers.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 12 seers 13 chitaks , Arambagh 12 seers 15 chitaks.

. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 13 seers 14½ chitaks per rupee.

. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 13 seers , Barasat 13 seers 5 chitaks ; Baduria 13 seers 8 chitaks ; Moraghat 10 seers 10½ chitaks.

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 13½ seers ; Chuadanga 13 seers (panga) , Meherpur 12 seers , Ranaghat 14 seers 8 chitaks (crushed).

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Lalbagh 12½ seers ; Kandi 11½ seers ; Jangipur 11 seers.

quarters Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 31st July 1903.

Salt.			Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers.			Average wages per month.									Districts.	Number.	
			Salt.			Unskilled labour—Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.			Syce or Horse-keeper.			Skilled labour—Common Mason, Carpenter or Blacksmith.					
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
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D 12 0	12 0	10 8	Panga. 2 14 0	2 14 0	3 8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	12 0 to 18 0	12 0 to 18 0	12 0 to 18 0	Midnapore.	4	
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Q 12 10	12 10	10 8	Panga. 3 2 0	3 5 0	3 12 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 11 0	8 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 8 0	10 0 to 22 0	10 0 to 22 0	10 0 to 20 0	Pabna.	19	
R 11 0	11 0	11 0	Panga. 3 8 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 9 0	7 8 to 20 0	7 8 to 20 0	9 0 to 18 0	Dacca.	20	Dacca Division.
S 10 0	10 0	10 0	Panga. 3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0	13 0 to 15 0	11 0 to 15 0	Mymensingh.	21	
T 13 0	13 0	10 10	Panga. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0 to 15 0	15 0	15 0	Faridpur.	22	
U 13 0	13 0	10 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	8 0	8 0	10 0 to 12 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0 to 12 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	Backergunge.	23	

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 12 seers; Magura 12 seers; Bangaon 13 seers; Narail 12 seers.
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 13 seers; Satkhira 13 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Nator 12 seers; Naugaon 12 seers.
M. No report from subdivision.
N. At Alipur Duars the retail price of salt is 10 seers per rupee.
O. At Kurseong and Siliguri the retail prices of salt per rupee are 8 seers and 10 seers, respectively.
P. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gaibanda 12 seers; Kurigram 8 seers; Nilphamari 11 seers.
Q. At Sirajganj the retail price of salt is 13 seers 9 chitaks per rupee.
R. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Madanganj 12 seers 4 chitaks; Manikganj 11 seers; Mirkadim return not received.
S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishorganj 12 seers 13 chitaks; Jamalpur 12 seers 4 chitaks; Tangail 10 seers 10 chitaks; Netrokona 9½ seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Goalundo 12 seers 1 chitak; Madaripur 13 seers (crushed).
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Pirojpur 12 seers; Patuakhali 13 seers; Bhola 10½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN														
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
BENGAL—*concluded.*		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.													
24	Tippera ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	15 6	12 0	...	...	...
25	Noakhali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	13 5	11 0	...	...	...
26	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	13 0	12 14	...	...	...
BIHAR.													
PATNA DIVISION.													
27	Patna ...	16 8	17 0	14 0	23 0	24 0	19 0	13 0	14 0	11 4	*White* 19 0 *Rabee* 23 0	*White* 20 0 *Rabee* 28 0	*White.* 16 0 *Rabee* 24 0
28	Gaya ...	14 8	15 0	13 4	18 0	21 0	17 4	11 0	13 8	10 12	17 0	19 0	15 0
29	Shahabad ..	13 0	15 8	13 0	19 0	22 0	16 0	13 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...
30	Saran ...	14 12	15 0	15 0	21 0	23 0	19 0	13 8	15 0	11 8	18 0	20 8	...
31	Champaran ...	16 0	16 0	13 0	23 0	23 0	22 0	15 0	15 8	12 8	...	...	...
32	Muzaffarpur ...	13 0	14 0	13 8	23 0	23 0	19 0	14 0	14 0	11 8	...	...	...
33	Darbhanga ..	16 8	17 9	14 4	22 0	23 4	19 12	13 4	14 8	12 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION.													
34	Monghyr ...	13 0	16 0	14 8	20 0	25 0	20 0	9 8	11 12	10 0	...	...	...
35	Bhagalpur ...	13 0	15 4	13 14	16 8	20 4	19 0	9 8	13 14	12 0	...	...	...
36	Purnea ...	16 0	16 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	9 0	...	...	...
37	Malda ...	16 8	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	12 12	14 0	11 0	...	...	...
38	Sonthal Parganas.	11 8	11 8	11 8	17 0	16 0	15 0	11 4	14 4	11 12	...	...	...
ORISSA.													
ORISSA DIVISION.													
39	Cuttack ...	11 13	13 2	12 7	...	...	...	15 1	15 12	13 2	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	13 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	11 0	14 0	14 4	13 0	...	...	...
41	Angul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...
42	Puri ...	12 7	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 1	14 7	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR.													
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.													
43	Hazaribagh ...	11 0	11 8	11 0	15 8	15 0	14 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	...	...	...
44	Ranchi ...	9 0 to 11 8	8 0 to 12 0	7 4 to 10 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...
45	Palamau ...	14 1	14 10	10 2	20 4	18 0	14 10	12 6	12 15	10 2	...	...	...
46	Manbhum ...	13 0	12 8	13 0	...	16 0	14 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...
47	Singhbhum ...	12 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chandpur 10 seers 10 chittaks; Brahmanbaria 10 seers 10 chittaks.
W. At Feni Hát the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
X. Return from Cox's Bazar not received.
Y. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 13 seers; Dinapore return not received; Bihar 12 seers.
Z. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 10 seers; Nawada 12 seers; Aurangabad 12 seers.
a. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 12 seers; Bhabua 11 seers; Sasaram 11 seers.
b. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 13 seers; Gopalganj 12 seers 6 chittaks.
c. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Hajipur 12 seers; Sitamarhi 11 seers.
e. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 11 seers; Madhubani 11 seers 2 chittaks.
f. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 10½ seers; Jamui 12 seers.
g. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 11½ seers; Madhipura 10 seers; Supaul 11 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 17th August 1903.

Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 31st July 1903—concld.

WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS. — SALT.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH. — UNSKILLED LABOUR—ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			SKILLED LABOUR—COMMON MASON, CARPENTER OR BLACKSMITH					
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	DISTRICTS.	Number.	
S. Ch V	S. Ch	S. Ch	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	BENGAL—*concluded.*		
10 10	10 10	9	0 3 2 0 Panga.	3 4 0	3 12 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 8 0	15 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0	Tipera.	24	CHITTAGONG DIVISION.
W 12 12	11 10	9	0 2 12 9 Panga.	3 2 0	4 2 0	9 6	9 6	9 6	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	15 0	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 15 0	Noakhali.	25	
X 12 0	12 0	10 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	3 6 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 9 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Chittagong	26	
															BIHAR.		
Y 10 8	10 8	10 12	3 3 0	3 2 0	3 10 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	4 8 to 5 0	8 0 to 12 0	8 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 7 0	Patna.	27	PATNA DIVISION.
Z 12 8	13 0	11 0	3 3 0	3 1 6	3 9 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 12 0	Gaya.	28	
a 12 8	13 0	10 0	3 3 3	3 1 3	4 0 0	4 11	4 11	4 11	5 8 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	4 0	7 8 to 9 6	7 8 to 9 6	7 8 to 9 6	Shahabad.	29	
b 12 4	12 4	11 8	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 10 0	3 12 to 5 10	3 12 to 5 10	3 12 to 5 10	4 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 8 0	4 0 to 10 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 10 0	Saran.	30	
c 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 13 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	Champaran.	31	
d 12 0	12 0	10	0 3 3 0 Panga.	3 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	4 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	7 0 to 8 0	4 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	Muzaffarpur.	32	
e 12 1	11 0	11 0	3 3 2	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 12 to 5 0	3 12 to 5 0	3 12 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 4 0	5 10 to 10 5	5 10 to 10 5	5 10 to 10 5	Darbhanga.	33	
f 12 0	12 0	10	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 12 0	3 12 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 5 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	Monghyr.	34	BHAGALPUR DIVISION.
g 12 8	12 8	10 12	12 14 3 Panga.	2 15 0	3 10 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Bhagalpur.	35	
h 10 10	11 0	10	0 3 12 0 Panga.	3 12 0	3 14 0	8 0	5 10 to 7 8	4 11 to 7 8	6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	15 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	Purnea.	36	
i 11 0	10 8	10	0 3 8 0 Panga.	3 10 0	3 14 0							2 6	10 0	10 0			
j 10 0	10 0	9	8 3 12 0 Karkatch.	3 12 0	4 0 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	to 15 0	to 15 0	to 15 0	Malda.	37	
11 0	11 0	10 8	3 3 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	4 11 to 5 10	3 12 to 4 12	3 12 to 4 12	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	Santhal Parganas.	38	
															ORISSA.		
k 14 0	14 0	11 0	2 8 0	2 9 0	3 4 0	5 0	5 0	5 10	5 8	5 8	5 0	9 0 to 10 0	9 0 to 10 0	7 8 to 18 12	Cuttack.	39	ORISSA DIVISION.
l 13 0	13 8	11 0	Panga. 2 15 6	2 15 0	3 7 6	5 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 5 8	5 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 8 0	3 12 to 6 0	4 0 to 8 0	7 8 to 12 0	11 4	9 0 to 11 0	Balasore.	40	
m 8 0	8 0	8 0	1 ...	...	...	3 12 to 4 11	3 12 to 4 11	3 12	3 0 to 6 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 11 4	Angul.	41	
n 15 4	15 8	13 4	2 9 6	2 9 0	3 0 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 0	10 0 to 11 0	9 0 to 11 0	Puri.	42	
															CHOTA NAGPUR.		
9 8	9 8	8	8 4 0 Panga.	4 3 0	4 7 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0	5 0 to 7 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	7 0 to 12 0	Hazaribagh.	43	CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.
o 10 0	10 0	9	12 3 10 0 Panga.	3 12 0	4 2 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Ranchi.	44	
11 13	11 13	9	9 1 ...	...	...	6 1½	6 1½	6 1½	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 12 0	10 0 to 12 0	7 8 to 12 0	Palamau.	45	
p 13 0	12 0	10	0 3 0 0 Panga.	3 4 0	3 10 0	5 10	5 10	5 10	6 0 to 7 0	6 0	6 0	11 4 to 15 0	11 4 to 18 12	11 4 to 18 12	Manbhum.	46	
11 0	11 0	9	0 3 8 0	3 8 0	4 4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0	12 0 to 15 0	Singhbhum.	47	

h. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 11 seers; Araria 9 seers.
i. At Balia Nawabganj the retail price of salt is 10½ seers per rupee.
j. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Deoghur 13 seers (panga); Godda 10 seers; Jamtara 11 seers; Pakaur 13 seers; Rajmahal 12 seers.
k. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jajpur 10 seers 10 chittaks; Kendrapara 13 seers (panga).
l. At Bhadrak the retail price of salt is 10½ seers per rupee.
m. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 9 seers, Bansipara 8 seers.
n. At Khurda the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.
o. At Gumla the retail price of salt is 8 seers per rupee.
p. At Gobindpur the retail price of salt is 11 seers per rupee.

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A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt of Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
2	Burdwan ...	4 8 0	4 2 3	5 0 0	3 12 0	3 7 0	3 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 5 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Pabna ...	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	3 2 1½	3 2 1½	3 10 9	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 8 6	...	...	...
5	Rangpur ...	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	...	...	...
6	Dacca ...	3 6 0	3 12 0	4 4 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	3 6 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 2 0
7	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Patna ...	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 11 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	2 6 6	2 5 0	2 12 0	1 11 0	1 10 9	2 1 0
9	Muzaffarpur ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 5 3	2 13 9	2 12 0	2 13 9	1 10 6	1 10 6	2 0 0
10	Bhagalpur ...	3 12 0	3 7 9	4 3 0	4 3 5	3 0 2	3 8 0	3 1 0	2 10 0	2 14 0	2 11 3	1 15 6	2 0 6
11	Cuttack ...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 4 0	2 8 0	2 5 6	2 13 0	3 3 0	2 14 6	3 0 0	...	...	...
12	Ranchi ...	4 3 0	3 15 9	4 10 0	3 1 0	2 15 3	2 13 6	3 8 0 to 4 7 0	3 5 4 to 5 0 0	4 0 0 to 5 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 13 6

Calcutta,
The 17th August 1903.

Til or Jinjili seed.			Sugar (raw).			Cotton (cleaned).			Jute.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	16 0 0	17 0 0	16 0 0	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 4 0
...	...	...	4 1 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	3 4 0 to 3 10 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 4 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	21 0 0	5 7 6	4 15 0	4 11 0
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 0 0
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 12 0	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	15 8 0	15 0 0	14 8 0	...	...	...
4 0 0	3 14 0	5 12 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	4 8 0 to 5 12 0	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	4 6 0
...	...	...	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 5 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 9 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	20 0 0	19 4 6	19 0 0	...	...	...
3 7 0	3 7 0	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 11 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...

Ghi (clarified butter).			Tobacco Leaf.			Hides (cow).			Grass.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
						Per 100 pieces.					
39 0 0	39 0 0	39 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
30 0 0	30 0 0	32 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				Madhukhali.			Unclean hides per piece.				
32 0 0 to 32 8 0	30 8 0 to 31 0 0	31 8 0	7 0 0 to 10 0 0	7 0 0 to 9 8 0	5 8 0 to 6 8 0	0 12 0 to 2 12 0	0 12 0 to 2 12 0	1 0 0 to 2 8 0	...	...	...
				Pulta.			Cleaned hides per piece.				
						1 0 0 to 3 0 0	1 0 0 to 3 0 0	1 4 0 to 2 12 0			
53 0 0	53 0 0	53 0 0	10 0 0	9 4 0	6 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 0 0	30 0 0	33 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	...	...	...	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 6
						Per maund.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 3 0	0 4 0	0 3 0
						Per maund.					
33 0 0	32 8 0	33 8 0	11 0 0	10 0 0	11 0 0	17 4 0	17 0 0	16 4 0	...	...	...
29 0 0	28 0 0 to 27 0 0	30 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	0 6 0	0 7 0	0 5 0
27 13 0	27 13 0	29 1 6	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 0 0	31 4 0	32 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
						Per maund.					
34 8 0	34 14 0	34 8 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 7 6	0 9 0	0 7 0
						Per piece.					
29 8 0 to 34 0 0	27 8 0 to 34 0 0	32 0 0 to 37 8 0	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 4 0 to 2 8 0	0 4 0	0 5 4	0 4 9

Juar or Cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 6 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 5 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0 to 2 14 0	2 7 0 to 2 14 0	2 10 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 5 9	2 5 9	2 10 6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 6 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 12 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0
2 1 0	White. 2 0 0	2 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 1 0	1 14 0	2 0 0
1 11 0	Raksa. 1 6 6	1 10 0									
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	2 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	1 15 0	2 4 0
									Buri.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 0	1 14 0	2 7 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 15 3	2 12 0	2 13 6 to 3 0 0

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 4 0	2 4 0	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	7 0 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	5 0 0
...	...	...	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 3 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 4 0
...	...	...	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	6 8 0	Black mustard. 4 4 0 / Rapeseed. 3 12 0	4 4 0	4 10 0 to 4 12 0 / 4 14 0
...	...	...	3 14 9	3 14 9	4 5 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	6 4 0	4 12 0	4 13 0	4 8 0
2 6 0	2 6 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 8 0
...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0
1 14 0	1 10 9	2 3 0	1 13 0	1 10 9	2 4 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	4 3 0
1 9 6	1 9 6	2 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 13 0	1 13 6	2 0 6	Nil	2 13 3	3 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	Mustard. 3 15 0 / Rapeseed. 3 7 0	3 18 0 / 3 5 3	4 0 0 / 4 6 0
...	...	...	2 6 3	2 8 6	2 7 0	...	...	...	3 12 9	3 12 9	4 0 9
...	...	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	6 2 6 to 7 4 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 0	3 10 0 to 4 4 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	5 9 0

in the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 31st July 1903.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.									MARTS.
						IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	
63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78
Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 12 0	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 10 0	Panga. 2 10 0	3 6 0	1. Calcutta.
0 12 0	0 10 0	0 10 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 8 0	2 14 0	2 13 0	3 4 0	2. Burdwan.
1 4 0	1 4 0	0 4 8	...	...	...	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 12 0 to 4 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 14 0	Panga. 2 14 0	3 8 0	3. Midnapore.
0 14 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 10 0	3 2 0	Panga. 3 5 0	3 12 0	4. Pabna.
0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 12 0	5. Rangpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 4 0	0 5 0	0 5 3	3 3 0	Panga. 3 3 0	3 10 0	6. Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	2 11 0	Panga. 2 11 0	3 6 0	7. Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 7 0	3 3 0	3 2 0	3 10 0	8. Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	5 11 6	0 5 3	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 3 0	Panga. 3 3 0	4 0 0	9. Muzaffarpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 5 9	2 14 3	2 15 0	3 10 0	10. Bhagalpur.
0 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	0 4 6	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 8 0	2 9 0	3 4 0	11. Cuttack.
0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 6 0 to 0 10 0	...	...	...	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 10 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 10 0	Panga. 3 12 0	4 2 0	12. Ranchi.

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water in the rivers Ganges, Bhagirathi, Jalangi, and Brahmaputra for the month of May 1903, and the highest reading of each gauge over M. S. L. since 1876.

Date.	River Ganges.																River Bhagirathi.		River Jalangi.		River Brahmaputra.	
	Mirzapore.		Benares.		Buxar.		Dinapore.		Monghyr.		Sahibganj.		Rampur Boalia.		Goalundo.		Berhampore.		Sarapganj.		Gauhati.	
	Distance in miles.	From Allahabad ... 88	From Allahabad ... 134	From Mirzapore ... 46	From Benares 90		From Benares 177	From Buxar 87	From Benares 267	From Dinapore 110	From Benares 301	From Monghyr 94	From Benares 471	From Sahibganj ... 90	From Benares 621	From Rampur Boalia ... 130						
	Highest Gauge Reading.	26th August 1889. 253·47	20th August 1889. 241·66		31st August 1896. 200·63		5th September 1901. 166·73*		8th September 1901. 129·60		23rd August 1879. 98·25		26th August 1879. 69·25		20th August 1893. 31·52		14th August 1880. 64·70		25th September 1900. 36·90		24th July 1900. 179·41	
	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
				Below zero.		Below zero.				Below zero.				Below zero.									
1st		6·67	206·89	4·50	192·30	1·75	167·30	3·20	137·43	2·17	99·68	0·13	68·13	1·76	40·24	4·25	13·19	2·04	35·78	6·40	6·40	10·00	158·76
2nd		6·58	206·80	4·50	192·30	1·75	167·30	3·20	137·43	2·08	99·77	0·21	68·21	1·78	40·22	4·50	13·44	2·04	35·78	6·00	6·00	10·05	159·71
3rd		6·50	206·72	4·50	192·30	1·75	167·30	3·20	137·43	2·06	99·77	0·29	68·29	1·90	40·10	4·25	13·19	2·04	35·78	5·10	5·10	12·55	161·21
4th		6·42	206·64	4·51	192·30	1·83	167·22	3·30	137·53	1·92	99·93	0·37	68·37	1·92	40·08	4·75	13·69	2·04	35·78	4·30	4·30	13·80	162·36
5th		6·33	206·55	4·54	192·36	1·87	167·22	3·50	137·73	1·92	99·93	0·46	68·46	1·94	40·06	5·25	14·19	2·04	35·78	3·40	3·40	13·95	162·71
6th		6·25	206·47	4·58	192·22	1·83	167·22	3·60	137·83	1·83	100·02	0·54	68·54	1·96	40·04	5·75	14·69	2·04	35·78	3·00	3·00	13·80	162·36
7th		6·17	206·39	4·62	192·18	1·83	167·22	3·70	137·93	1·83	100·02	0·62	68·62	1·80	40·20	6·25	15·19	2·04	35·78	2·80	2·80	11·75	160·51
8th		6·08	206·30	4·67	192·13	1·92	167·13	3·80	138·03	1·83	100·02	0·71	68·71	1·70	40·30	6·33	15·77	2·04	35·78	4·40	4·40	9·75	158·51
9th		6·00	206·22	4·67	192·13	1·92	167·13	4·00	138·23	1·83	100·02	0·87	68·87	1·65	40·35	7·17	16·11	2·04	35·78	4·80	4·80	9·00	157·76
		Below zero.																					
10th		0·17	205·05	4·71	192·09	1·92	167·13	4·10	138·33	1·92	99·83	1·06	69·06	1·65	40·35	7·00	15·94	2·04	35·78	4·90	4·90	8·00	156·76
11th		0·33	205·89	4·75	192·05	1·92	167·13	4·20	138·43	1·92	99·93	1·08	69·08	1·60	40·40	6·83	15·77	2·04	35·78	5·10	5·10	7·20	156·06
12th		0·50	205·72	4·75	192·05	1·92	167·13	4·20	138·43	2·00	99·85	1·17	69·17	1·55	40·45	6·50	15·44	2·04	35·78	5·10	5·10	9·70	158·46
13th		0·67	205·55	4·75	192·04	2·00	167·05	4·30	138·43	2·00	99·85	1·21	69·21	1·50	40·50	6·25	15·19	2·04	35·78	4·90	4·90	10·30	159·06
14th		0·83	205·39	4·75	192·04	2·00	167·05	4·40	138·53	1·92	99·93	1·25	69·25	1·45	40·55	6·17	15·11	2·04	35·78	5·50	5·50	11·05	159·81
15th		1·00	205·22	4·75	192·05	2·00	167·05	4·40	138·53	1·92	99·93	1·27	69·27	1·40	40·60	6·17	15·11	2·04	35·78	5·60	5·60	11·05	159·81
										Above zero.													
16th		1·17	205·05	4·75	192·05	2·00	167·05	4·30	138·43	0·25	101·10	1·46	69·46	1·40	40·60	6·17	15·11	2·04	35·78	4·50	4·50	9·95	158·71
17th		1·33	204·89	4·75	192·05	2·00	167·05	4·20	138·43	0·33	101·18	1·50	69·50	1·42	40·58	6·33	15·27	2·04	35·78	4·10	4·10	8·35	157·11
18th		1·50	204·72	4·75	192·05	2·00	167·05	4·10	138·33	0·33	101·18	1·58	69·58	1·44	40·56	6·50	15·44	2·04	35·78	4·00	4·00	8·70	157·46
19th		1·67	204·55	4·79	192·01	2·06	166·97	4·08	138·23	0·42	101·27	1·67	69·67	1·40	40·60	6·43	15·37	2·04	35·78	3·80	3·80	8·75	157·51
20th		1·83	204·39	4·83	191·97	2·06	166·97	3·80	138·03	0·42	101·27	1·75	69·75	1·35	40·65	6·08	15·02	2·04	35·78	3·50	3·50	9·30	157·96
21st		2·00	2·14·22	4·87	191·93	2·06	166·97	3·80	138·03	0·58	101·43	1·67	69·67	1·30	40·70	5·75	14·69	2·04	35·78	2·90	2·90	9·06	157·76
22nd		2·17	204·05	4·87	191·93	2·06	166·97	3·80	138·03	0·58	101·43	1·58	69·58	1·25	40·75	5·67	14·61	2·04	35·78	2·80	2·80	9·00	157·70
23rd		2·33	203·89	4·92	191·88	2·06	166·97	3·80	138·03	0·83	102·68	1·50	69·50	1·20	40·80	5·58	14·52	2·04	35·78	2·70	2·70	9·30	157·96
24th		2·50	203·72	4·92	191·88	2·06	166·97	4·10	138·33	0·92	102·77	1·42	69·42	1·18	40·82	5·58	14·83	2·04	35·78	2·70	2·70	9·35	158·11
25th		2·67	203·56	4·96	191·84	2·17	166·86	4·00	138·23	0·92	102·77	1·37	69·37	1·16	40·84	5·75	14·83	2·06	35·80	2·90	2·90	13·40	161·16
26th		2·83	203·39	4·96	191·84	2·17	166·86	3·80	138·03	0·92	102·77	1·37	69·37	1·14	40·86	5·75	14·83	2·06	35·80	4·50	4·50	11·90	160·66
27th		3·00	203·22	4·96	191·84	2·17	166·86	3·70	137·93	0·58	102·43	1·54	69·54	1·12	40·88	6·17	15·11	2·08	35·82	5·40	5·40	12·00	160·76
28th		3·17	203·06	4·96	191·84	2·25	166·80	3·70	137·93	0·67	102·52	1·71	69·71	1·10	40·90	6·42	15·36	2·10	35·84	5·50	5·50	11·50	160·26
29th		3·33	202·89	4·96	191·84	2·25	166·80	3·70	137·93	0·42	102·27	1·87	69·87	1·08	40·92	7·00	15·94	2·12	35·86	5·70	5·70	11·70	160·46
										Below zero.													
30th		3·50	202·72	5·00	191·80	2·25	166·80	3·70	137·93	0·25	101·60	2·00	70·00	1·04	40·96	7·42	15·36	2·14	35·88	6·00	6·00	11·50	160·26
31st		3·67	202·55	5·00	191·80	2·25	166·80	3·70	137·93	0·25	101·60	1·92	69·92	1·02	40·98	7·58	16·52	2·17	35·91	6·20	6·20	11·60	160·36

CALCUTTA,
The 15th August 1903.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 15th August 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 15th August 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 16th August 1902.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	144	31,125	440	432	47,925	637
Jute	12	5,050*	46	43	8,550†	113
Firewood	63	34,450	512	69	61,450	923
Other articles	453	1,23,875	1,408	530	1,26,737	1,404
Total ...	672	1,94,500	2,406	1,074	2,44,662	3,082

* Weight by canal measurement, 5,712 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 9,212 „

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 9th to 15th August 1903.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1903.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.	°	%			Inches.	
Aug.	9th	153·9	6·1	29·668	84·0	89·0	10·1	78·9	80·4	0·989	78·9	85	SW by W and W by N.	98	Nil	Partially cloudy, o, d.
,,	10th	124·9	1·0	·696	83·3	86·6	7·7	78·9	79·0	·934	77·2	82	SW by W, W by N and SW ...	107	0·09	Chiefly cloudy, o, d.
,,	11th	135·1	0·4	·722	83·9	87·8	7·9	79·9	79·4	·945	77·5	81	SW and SSW ...	201	0·07	Chiefly cloudy, o.
,,	12th	148·9	4·0	·680	85·0	89·8	9·3	80·5	79·2	·921	76·7	76	SW and SSW ...	213	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, d
,,	13th	148·5	4·4	·649	84·3	89·4	11·3	78·1	79·6	·949	77 6	80	SSW and WSW	103	0 04	Chiefly cloudy, t, ⊕.
,,	14th	129·1	0·3	·671	81·8	85·4	7·4	78·0	78·4	·927	76·9	85	SW by W and SW by S.	65	0 02	Chiefly cloudy, o, d.
,,	15th	140·9	1 9	·665	80 6	87·9	11 0	76·9	77·7	·912	76·4	87	SW by S and ENE	50	0 04	Chiefly cloudy, o, g, p, t, ∠.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·679
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·592
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	18·1
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	90·5
The mean temperature of the seven days	83·3
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	83·2
The extreme variation of temperature	12·9
The maximum temperature	89·8
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	17
	%
The mean relative humidity	82
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	86
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 9th to 15th August 1903	0·26
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	3·69
The total fall from 1st January to 15th August 1903	27·41
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	41·69

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86 formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

[Rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.]

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; t, thunder; ⊕, solar corona; g, gloomy; ∠, lightning; p, passing temporary showers.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 17th August 1903.

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Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st August 1903 on 1,926·13 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	377,269	3,53,660 0 0	46,10,282 0	7,77,014 0 0	28,859 0 0	11,59,733 0 0	113,168	169,089	284,252
Or per mile of railway ...	...	183 11 8	...	403 6 6	14 15 9	602 1 8	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year.	1,401,629	13,34,440 0 0	1,56,57,378 0	26,33,359 0 0	1,04,943 0 0	41,12,742 0 0	402,321	568,966	971,240
Total for 4½ weeks ...	11,838,898	16,78,300 0 0	2,04,67,660 0	34,60,373 0 0	1,33,802 0 0	52,72,475 0 0	515,484	738,057	1,253,541
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	345,725	3,21,062 14 10	49,81,100 30	7,36,833 4 9	28,772 7 5	10,86,788 11 0	107,838	177,636	285,468
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	167 13 1	.... .	385 2 8	15 0 8	568 0 5	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 4½ weeks of previous year.	1,873,733	17,41,136 13 5	2,29,29,590 30	37,10,121 4 8	93,884 12 10	55,45,162 13 6	516,896	846,910	1,363,806

(a) The increase is due to the movements of pilgrims and marriage parties
(b) The increase is chiefly in coal and seed traffic.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,926·13	11 days of July ...	705,575	5,96,640	63,12,883	11,56,402	46,563	17,99,595	934	416,486	4 5 1
1,926·13	Week ended 18th ,, ,,	384,365	3,57,547	44,31,113	7,46,067	28,957	11,34,601	589	277,459	4 1 5
1,926·13	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	371,699	3,70,353	47,23,383	7,78,890	30,403	11,79,646	612	277,344	4 4 1
1,926·13	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	377,269	3,53,660	46,10,283	7,77,014	28,859	11,59,733	602	282,242	4 1 9
	Totals up to date ...	1,838,898	16,78,300	2,04,67,660	34,60,373	1,33,802	52,72,475	899	1,253,541	4 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A P.
1,913·28	12 days of July ...	716,803	6,65,787	86,36,982	14,63,320	51,611	21,80,687	1,129	509,575	4 3 10
1,913·28	Week ended 19th ,, ...	441,138	3,78,481	47,42,891	8,02,446	10,686	11,97,613	626	288,530	4 2
1,913·28	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	370,207	3,75,906	45,66,617	7,07,453	16,816	11,00,075	575	279,023	3 15 1
1,913·28	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	345,725	3,21,063	49,31,101	7,36,933	28,773	10,86,769	568	285,468	3 11 11
	Totals up to date ...	1,873,733	17,41,137	2,29,29,591	37,10,121	93,886	55,45,163	611	1,362,596	4 1

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st August 1903 on 23·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	19,728	4,561 0 0	2,615 0	340 0 0	6 0 0	4,837 0 0	1,078	110	1,188
Or per mile of railway	.....	202 7 7	.....	14 13 6	0 4 4	217 9 5	... ..	.....	..
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year	90,381	22,418 0 0	34,668 0	1,483 0 0	24 0 0	23,924 0 0	3,868	444	4,312
Total for 4½ weeks ...	110,109	26,979 0 0	44,103 0	1,813 0 0	30 0 0	28,761 0 0	4,946	554	5,500
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	16,690	3,759 8 7	3,830 30	334 2 0	11 2 3	4,104 13 10	1,102	80	1,18
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	. ....	169 1 11	.... .	15 0 6	0 8 1	184 10 6	..	.....	...
Total for corresponding 4½ weeks of previous year	111,460	26,065 10 0	1,11,330 0	2,513 2 0	37 6 6	28,616 2 6	5,143	333	5,47..

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	11 days of July ..	47,000	12,069	14,677	651	12	12,712	572	1,936	6 9 1
22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	23,759	5,510	9,164	414	7	5,931	267	1,189	4 15 10
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,022	4,839	10,867	437	5	5,281	238	1,186	4 7 1
22·23	,, ,, 1st Aug.	19,728	4,501	9,415	330	6	4,837	218	1,188	4 1 8
	Totals up to date ...	110,109	26,919	44,103	1,812	30	28,761	283	5,500	5 3 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	12 days of July ...	40,681	10,020	72,607	1,574	10	11,604	522	2,068	5 9 9
22·23	Week ended 19th ,,	31,087	6,929	10,687	403	10	7,342	330	1,782	5 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,,	22,846	5,357	19,065	504	6	5,867	264	1,188	4 15 0
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	16,896	3,760	8,881	334	11	4,105	185	1,188	3 7 8
	Totals up to date ..	111,460	26,046	1,11,230	2,815	37	28,918	276	5,078	5 1 6

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st August 1903 on 162·24 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	22,747	19,757 0 0	62,019 0	8,017 0 0	34 0 0	27,808 0 0	9,457	3,521	12,978
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	121 12 5	.....	49 6 8	0 3 4	171 6 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year	79,698	70,697 0 0	2,70,016 0	36,195 0 0	137 0 0	1,07,029 0 0	34,103	12,488	46,591
Total for 4½ weeks ...	102,445	90,454 0 0	3,32,035 0	44,212 0 0	171 0 0	1,34,837 0 0	43,560	16,009	59,569
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	20,154	15,926 3 5	1,00,892 10	7,715 4 0	40 3 0	23,681 10 5	8,555	4,917	13,472
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	...	98 3 8	...	47 8 11	0 3 11	145 15 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 4½ weeks of previous year	109,759	88,085 1 8	9,13,689 20	51,524 3 6	207 14 6	1,39,817 3 6	40,750	22,990	63,740

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	11 days of July ...	35,731	20,852	1,06,755	14,326	61	45,439	280	20,717	2 3 1
162·24	Week ended 18th ,, ...	21,700	12,507	87,923	12,382	43	31,931	197	13,296	2 6 8
162·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	24,267	20,388	75,340	9,227	34	29,859	183	13,648	2 5 6
162·24	,, ,, 1st Aug. ..	22,747	19,757	62,019	8,017	34	27,808	171	12,978	2 3 3
	Totals up to date ...	102,445	90,454	3,32,035	44,212	171	1,34,857	183	59,569	2 4 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	12 days of July ..	40,896	32,090	1,48,494	19,647	94	51,831	319	22,788	2 4 5
162·24	Week ended 19th ,, ..	22,411	17,962	5,64,416	15,268	43	33,273	205	13,707	2 8 10
162·24	,, ,, 26th ,, .	20,296	22,107	1,02,087	8,894	32	31,033	191	13,776	2 4 0
162·24	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ..	20,154	15,926	1,00,902	7,715	40	23,681	146	13,472	1 13 1
	Totals up to date ..	109,759	88,085	9,13,689	51,524	208	1,39,817	183	63,740	2 3 1

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st August 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	11,481	5,502 0 0	37,415 0	3,696 0 0	31 0 0	5,229 0 0	1,825	676	2,501
Or per mile of railway	.....	69 13 9	...	34 3 3	0 6 4	104 7 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year	45,658	25,142 0 0	1,30,795 0	6,013 0 0	127 0 0	33,302 0 0	6,533	2,907	9,440
Total for 4½ weeks ...	57,139	30,644 0 0	1,68,210 0	10,719 0 0	158 0 0	41,531 0 0	8,358	3,583	11,941
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	13,364	6,000 10 11	53,574 20	3,209 6 0	10 15 3	9,221 0 2	1,829	1,006	2,835
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	76 3 0	.....	40 12 0	0 2 3	117 1 3	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 4½ weeks of previous year ...	59,863	30,686 11 0	1,99,296 20	12,209 14 0	67 6 9	43,023 15 9	9,005	4,304	13,309

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	11 days of July ...	21,410	11,020	50,021	2,806	59	14,875	189	4,343	3 8 1
78·76	Week ended 18th ,, ...	12,731	7,239	40,840	2,740	35	10,014	127	2,756	3 10 8
78·76	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	11,517	5,983	29,833	2,337	33	8,403	107	2,441	3 7 1
78·76	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	11,481	5,502	37,415	3,696	31	9,229	104	2,501	3 4 8
	Totals up to date ...	57,139	30,644	1,68,210	10,719	158	41,531	115	11,941	3 7 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	12 days of July ...	23,554	13,211	70,897	4,577	40	16,828	214	4,961	3 6 3
78·76	Week ended 19th ,, ...	12,910	6,881	33,421	2,135	8	9,724	111	2,678	3 4 1
78·76	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	11,748	5,894	41,404	2,346	9	8,251	106	2,385	3 14 7
78·76	,, ,, 2nd Aug.	12,264	6,001	53,575	3,209	11	9,221	117	2,835	3 4 0
	Totals up to date ...	59,863	30,687	1,99,297	12,269	68	43,024	116	13,309	3 3 9

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st August 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	38,679	14,807 0 0	79,375 0	8,005 0 0	214 0 0	23,736 0 0	4,968	2,964	7,932
Or per mile of railway	278	112 0 0*	570 0	58 0 0	2 0 0	172 0 0	...	.....	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	143,433	53,046 0 0	1,69,782 0	14,747 0 0	1,063 0 0	69,856 0 0	17,787	9,067	26,854
Total for 5 weeks ...	182,112	68,153 0 0	2,49,057 0	22,752 0 0	1,277 0 0	93,182 0 0	22,729	12,011	34,740
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	35,537	12,990 0 0	53,728 0	5,035 0 0	363 0 0	18,387 0 0	3,336	2,571	5,907
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	273	100 0 0*	379 0	36 0 0	3 0 0	139 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	176,403	67,966 0 0	2,93,541 0	17,662 0 0	2,460 0 0	88,188 0 0	16,377	12,145	28,522

* Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING N. B., K.-D., DACCA, AND ASSAM-BEHAR SECTIONS.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st August 1903 on 898 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	233,430	1,06,090 0 0	10,13,500 0	1,70,240 0 0	9,040 0 0	2,85,300 0 0	40,738	40,839	81,577
Or per mile of railway	260	118 0 0	1,129 0	190 0 0	1 0 0*	309 0 0*	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	897,380	4,13,200 0 0	32,03,030 0	4,67,460 0 0	63,340 0 0	9,44,460 0 0	145,827	128,151	273,978
Total for 5 weeks ...	1,130,810	5,19,290 0 0	42,15,530 0	6,37,663 0 0	72,380 0 0	12,29,760 0 0	186,565	168,990	355,545
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	199,563	95,739 0 0	9,07,170 0	1,55,891 0 0	8,201 0 0	2,59,831 0 0	37,201	38,805	76,006
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (861 miles)	232	111 0 0	1,054 0	181 0 0	1 0 0	293 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,070,761	5,08,654 0 0	40,18,451 0	6,55,871 0 0	75,480 0 0	12,20,011 0 0	180,738	161,576	342,314

* Excluding ferry earnings Rs. 6,010.

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st August 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	7,400	2,290 0 0	34,910 0	3,060 0 0	30 0 0	5,380 0 0	1,092	948	2,040
Or per mile of railway ...	125	39 0 0	588 0	52 0 0	.....	91 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	27,170	7,960 0 0	80,040 0	4,240 0 0	110 0 0	12,310 0 0	4,016	1,984	6,000
Total for 5 weeks ...	34,570	10,250 0 0	84,950 0	7,300 0 0	140 0 0	17,690 0 0	5,108	2,932	8,040
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,330	2,171 0 0	25,522 0	2,718 0 0	23 0 0	4,912 0 0	912	1,720	2,632
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	123	37 0 0	430 0	46 0 0	.	83 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	33,563	9,454 0 0	83,731 0	7,951 0 0	149 0 0	17,554 0 0	5,386	6,190	11,576

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st August 1903 on 53·14 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	9,550	2,380 0 0	26,090 0	1,340 0 0	30 0 0	3,650 0 0	1,260	274	1,534
Or per mile of railway ...	180	45 0 0	490 0	25 0 0	1 0 0	69 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	38,950	7,600 0 0	37,140 0	2,090 0 0	60 0 0	9,750 0 0	4,260	1,040	5,300
Total for 5 weeks ...	38,490	9,980 0 0	63,160 0	3,330 0 0	90 0 0	13,400 0 0	5,510	1,314	6,824
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,338	2,344 0 0	13,466 0	627 0 0	28 0 0	2,999 0 0	1,272	776	2,048
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	156	44 0 0	252 0	12 0 0	.....	56 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	38,811	10,739 0 0	57,197 0	2,398 0 0	93 0 0	13,220 0 0	5,721	2,793	8,514

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st August 1903 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	26,220	7,680 8 0	25,980 0	1,730 8 0	210 0 0	9,620 8 8	3,219	1,089	4,308
Or per mile of railway	306	92 0 0	302 0	20 8 0	2 0 0	114 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	107,900	30,120 0 0	56,040 0	4,750 0 0	860 0 0	35,450 0 0	11,277	5,397	16,674
Total for 5 weeks ...	134,120	38,000 0 0	82,020 0	6,480 0 0	790 0 0	45,070 0 0	14,496	6,486	20,982
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	26,107	7,348 0 0	14,941 0	1,494 0 0	82 0 0	8,924 0 0	2,711	1,597	4,308
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	304	86 0 0	174 0	17 8 0	1 0 0	104 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	131,467	37,207 0 0	73,693 0	6,633 0 0	1,357 0 0	45,197 8 0	13,120	9,328	22,448

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st August 1903 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	2,830	1,050 0 0	6,240 0	960 0 0	30 0 0	2,040 0 0	462	822*	1,284
Or per mile of railway ...	84	31 0 0	186 0	29 0 0	1 0 0	61 0 0	...	...	..
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	10,050	3,710 0 0	29,940 0	3,460 0 0	140 0 0	7,310 .0 0	1,672	5,474	7,146
Total for 5 weeks ...	12,880	4,760 0 0	36,180 0	4,420 0 0	170 0 0	9,350 0 0	2,134	6,296	8,430
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2,400	792 0 0	5,678 0	870 0 0	27 0 0	1,689 0 0	273	897	1,170
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	71	23 0 0	163 0	26 0 0	1 0 0	50 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	11,306	3,349 0 0	2,42,748 0	6,728 0 0	101 0 0	10,678 0 0	1,302	4,056	5,358

* Ballast train-miles 500.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 1st August 1903 on 622 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	30,292	18,738 0 0	1,70,625 0	15,795 0 0	1,335 0 0	35,858 0 0	6,770	8,833	15,603
Or per mile of railway	48·70	30·13	265·36	24·56	2·06	56·75	10·88	13·74	24·62
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	113,431	67,163 0 0	7,03,405 0	66,793 0 0	13,037 0 0	1,46,993 0 0	28,134	33,696	59,830
Total for 5 weeks ...	142,724	85,901 0 0	9,04,030 0	82,588 0 0	14,363 0 0	1,82,851 0 0	31,904	42,529	74,433
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	27,200	17,056 0 0	1,65,536 0	17,139 0 0	1,359 0 0	35,574 0 0	6,333	7,961	14,293
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	43·74	30·57	266·18	29·13	2·31	62·01	11·35	13·62	24·97
Total to corresponding date of previous year	137,065	83,767 0 0	7,75,634 0	78,641 0 0	7,486 0 0	1,63,894 0 0	30,819	38,898	69 717

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 1st August 1903.			Receipts for week ending 2nd August 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 1st August 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 2nd August 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	35,858	56·75	589	35,574	62·01	643	6,95,335	...	589	6,40,986	...	54,349	.....

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 1st August 1903 on 1,331 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,331 miles open	223,530	(a) 96,130	7,56,020	(b)85,230	26,800	2,08,160	41,216	(c)31,711	72,927
Or per mile of railway ...	167·94	72·22	568·01	64·03	20·14	156·39	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year	789,370	3,31,510	26,32,170	2,91,160	77,470	6,82,140	148,015	110,840	258,855
Total for 4½ weeks	1,012,900	4,09,640	33,88,190	3,76,390	1,04,270	8,90,300	189,231	142,551	331,782
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,261 miles open	187,391	69,274	6,19,956	46,186	25,857	1,41,317	42,866	(d)24,324	67,190
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	148·60	54·94	491·63	36·63	20·50	112·07	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	900,594	3,61,370	28,92,359	2,82,388	92,662	7,36,426	206,975	132,075	333,050

(a) The increase was chiefly under local and foreign outward passengers.
(b) Goods increased by Rs. 39,049, viz.—

	Rs.
By special debit adjustment in corresponding period of 1902	11,365
Increase in current period's local and foreign outward traffic	25,000
	36,365

(c) Includes 4,461 miles of ballast trains.
(d) " nil " "

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 1st August 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	1,213	183	10,541	243	9	435	354	150	504
Or per mile of railway	67·39	10·17	585·61	13·50	0·50	24·17	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year	4,718	727	30,371	700	44	1,471	1,381	419	1,800
Total for 4½ weeks ...	5,931	910	40,912	943	53	1,906	1,735	569	2,304
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	1,630	167	7,415	169	6	342	419	85	504
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	90·56	9·28	411·94	9·39	0·33	19·00	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	9,395	963	48,823	1,007	28	1,998	1,824	552	2,376

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 8th August 1903 on 1,331 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,331 miles open	283,320	(a)1,23,270	8,76,450	(b)1,05,880	(c)16,360	2,45,610	41,375	(d)34,422	75,797
Or per mile of railway ...	212·86	92·69	658·49	79·55	12·20	184·53	.....	... ..	... ..
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year	1,012,900	4,09,640	33,89,190	3,76,390	1,04,270	8,90,300	189,231	142,551	331,782
Total for 5½ weeks ...	1,296,220	5,33,010	42,64,640	4,82,270	1,20,630	11,35,910	230,606	176,973	407,579
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,261 miles open	187,571	65,898	5,11,727	71,446	12,071	1,49,415	42,246	(e)24,569	66,815
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	148 75	52·26	405·81	56·66	9·57	118·49	.....	.. ..	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,086,165	4,27,268	34,04,086	3,53,833	1,04,733	8,85,834	248,231	156,644	399,865

(a) Increase chiefly under local traffic due to the Ajodhya *méla*.
(b) Ditto occurred mainly under local and foreign outward goods.
(c) Due to increase in goods traffic.
(d) Includes 4,830 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto nil miles of Ditto.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 8th August 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	1,331	188	20,569	299	[illegible]	506	325	179	504
Or per mile of railway	73·94	10·44	1,143·83	16 61	2·06	28·11	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year	5,931	910	40,912	943	53	1,906	1,735	569	2,304
Total for 5½ weeks ...	7,262	1,098	61,501	1,243	72	2,412	2,060	748	2,808
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,452	228	6,669	180	7	415	419	85	504
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	135·11	12·67	370·50	10 00	0·39	23·06	.....	... ..	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	11,837	1,191	55,492	1,187	35	2,413	2,243	637	2,880

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 8th August 1903 ...	Coaching ...	3,517	0	0	12,591	0	0
	Goods ...	9,025	0	0			
	Other earnings ...	49	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	4,449	0	0	12,167	0	0
	Goods ...	7,672	0	0			
	Other earnings ...	46	0	0			
	Increase ...				424	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 8th August 1903					246	14	1
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					238	9	0
	Increase ...				8	5	0
Receipts from 1st July to 8th August 1903					87,796	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					86,559	0	0
	Increase ...				1,237	0	0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3680A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2343A.D.—The 25th August 1903.*—Mr. C. F. Payne, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 2216A.D.—The 21st August 1903.*—The Revd. Father Peter Mary, O. C., is appointed to be Honorary Chaplain, St. Michael's School Cadet Corps, with effect from the 20th July 1903, *vice* the Revd. Father Gregory, resigned.

POLICE.—*No. 2302A.D.—The 24th August 1903.*—Babu Rash Behari Biswas, District Superintendent of Police, Faridpur, is transferred to Rangpur.

Faridpur.
Rangpur.

No. 2304A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Mr. W. A. Knyvett, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Gaya, is transferred to Shahabad, and is appointed temporarily to hold charge of the Police of that district.

Gaya.
Shahabad.

No. 2316A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Mr. R. B. Hyde, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, is appointed temporarily to act, in addition to his own duties, as Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, with effect from the 15th August 1903.

Darjeeling.

No. 2319A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Mr. A A. Campbell, District Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 2321A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Mr. J. A. Cave-Browne, District Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Bogra, on being relieved of his duties at Dacca.

Dacca.
Bogra

No. 2333A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Mr. H. U. Baker, Assistant Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is transferred to Muzaffarpur, and is appointed temporarily to hold charge of the Police of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. F. G. Godfrey-Faussett, or until further orders.

24-Parganas
Muzaffarpur.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 2312A.D—The 24th August 1903.*—Maulvi Muhammad Umar Khan, Rural Sub-Registrar, Jugadispur, Shahabad, is appointed to act as Special Sub-Registrar of Arrah, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Shah Mohammad Yakub, or until further orders.

Shahabad.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2221A D—The 21st August 1903.*—Babu Jatindra Chandra Guha is confirmed in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service and in his appointment as a Professor in the Dacca College, with effect from the 1st July 1903.

Dacca

No. 2223A.D.—The 21st August 1903—Babu Khagendra Nath Mitra is confirmed in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service and in his appointment as a Professor in the Krishnagar College, with effect from the 1st July 1903.

Nadia.

JAILS.—*No. 2345A.D.—The 25th August 1903.*—In modification of the order dated the 28th April 1903, Captain C. M. Goodbody, I.M.S., is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be Superintendent, Central Jail, Midnapore, with effect from the 3rd June 1903.

Midnapore

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2341A.D.—The 25th August 1903.*—Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, Magistrate and Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for twenty-six days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1903.

24-Parganas.

No. 2349A.D.—The 25th August 1903.—Babu Nobin Chandra Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinajpur, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Dinajpur

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 2225A.D.—The 21st August 1903.*—The order of the 10th August 1903, notifying the grant, by the General Officer Commanding the Presidency District, of leave of absence for eighteen months, with effect from the 1st September 1903, to Honorary Captain and Paymaster C. E. Vining, Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles, is cancelled.

POLICE.—*No. 2331A.D.—The 24th August 1903*—Mr. R. F. G. Godfrey-Faussett, District Superintendent of Police, Muzaffarpur, is allowed leave for three weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th September 1903.

Muzaffarpur.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 2310A.D.—The 24th August 1903.*—Maulvi Shah Mohammad Yakub, Special Sub-Registrar, Arrah, is allowed leave for one month, under article 262 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th July 1903.

Shahabad

RESIGNATIONS.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 2214A.D.—The 21st August 1903.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation of his commission tendered by the Revd. Father Gregory, Honorary Chaplain, St. Michael's School Cadet Corps, with effect from the 20th July 1903.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2297A.D.—The 24th August 1903.*—The Lieutenant-Governor, accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Indra Mohan Dass, Preacher of the Baptist Missionary Society at Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, of his appointment as Registrar of Marriages, Births and Deaths.

Tippera.

The following orders are republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 7264G.—The 17th August 1903.—Mr. J. Cornes, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, Dibrugarh, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Captain A. Playfair, or until further orders.

No. 7265G.—The 17th August 1903.—Privilege leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, is granted to Mr. S G. Hart, I.C.S, Assistant Commissioner, Golaghat, with effect from the 26th August 1903, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 7266G.—The 17th August 1903.—Mr F. W. Strong, I.C S., Assistant Commissioner, Jorhat, is appointed temporarily to hold charge of the Golaghat subdivision, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Mr. S. G. Hart, I.C.S., or until further orders.

No. 7344G.—The 21st August 1903—Privilege leave of absence for 20 days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, is granted to Mr. F. J. Needham, C.I.E, Assistant Political Officer, Sadiya, with effect from the 24th August 1903, or the subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

No. 7351G.—The 21st August 1903.—With effect from the 17th May 1903 :—

Mr. S. G. Hart, I.C S., Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade, sub *pro tem.*

„ J. Cornes, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem*, and Mr. J. McSwiney, I C.S., Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate in that grade.

No. 7352G.—The 21st August 1903—With effect from the 21st May 1903, the date on which Mr. T. Emerson, I.C S, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, proceeded on privilege leave :—

Mr. J. Cornes, I C.S., Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, sub *pro tem.*, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade.

„ J. McSwiney, I C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, to be sub. *pro tem.* in that grade.

„ J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd grade, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade.

No. 7353G.—The 21st August 1903.—With effect from the 23rd May 1903, the date on which Mr. D. H. Lees, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 2nd grade, proceeded on privilege leave :—

Mr B. C Allen, I.C.S, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.* (on privilege leave), and with him Mr. F. E. Jackson, I C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioners, 2nd grade.

„ T. Emerson, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade (on privilege leave), to be Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, sub *pro tem.*

„ P. E. Cammiade, I C S, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade.

„ J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*

„ H. L. Thomas, I C.S., Assistant Commissioner, 3rd grade, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade.

No. 7354G.—The 21st August 1903—With effect from the 26th May 1903, the date on which Mr. J. F. Gruning, I.C S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 2nd grade, proceeded on privilege leave :—

Mr. T. Emerson, I.C.S., Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.* (on privilege leave), and with him Mr. A. H. Cuming, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioners, 2nd grade.

„ H. C. Barnes, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade (seconded), and with him Mr. L. O. Clarke, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, to be Deputy Commissioners, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*

„ J Cornes, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade.

„ J. McSwiney, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade.

„ H. L. Thomas, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*

„ G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, 3rd grade, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade.

No. 7355G.—The 21st August 1903.—With effect from the 5th July 1903, the date on which Mr. A. Majid, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade, took charge of his duties as Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Sylhet (*vice* Mr. Newbould, on privilege leave) :—

Mr. J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade.

„ G. E. Lambourn, I.C S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*

No. 7356 J.—The 21st August 1903.—With effect from the 7th July 1903, the date on which Mr. J. F. Gruning, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 2nd grade, returned from privilege leave:—

Mr. T. Emerson, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 2nd grade (on privilege leave), to be Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, and Mr A. H. Cuming, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 2nd grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade.

„ H. C. Barnes, I.C.S., and Mr. L. O. Clarke, I.C.S., Deputy Commissioners, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate in that grade.

„ J. Cornes, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, to officiate a Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade.

„ J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*

„ G. E. Lambourn, I C.S., Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate in that grade.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1619T.R.—The 17th August 1903.—Mr. P. P. Donlea, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Bihar Agency, is granted privilege leave for twenty-seven days, with effect from the 30th July 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Bihar Agency.

No. 1635T.R.—The 18th August 1903.—Mr. C. S. Delmerick. Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Badaon, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th September 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Badaon. (Benares Agency)

Mr. L S. Graham, Assistant Opium Agent, Kachla (Badaon), is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Badaon, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. S. Delmerick.

No. 1623T.R.—The 17th August 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietor of 16-annas share of estate bearing tauzi No. 204, pargana Besmak, in the district of Patna, for a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of mauza Pachtoa, appertaining to the said estate:

Patna.

Under the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the boundaries of the aforesaid mauza.

The particulars to be recorded in the said survey and record-of-rights shall be the following, viz.:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant,

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure,

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier,

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord,

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid,

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise,

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases,

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy,

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid; and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority,

(*i*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act,

(*k*) the customary terms according to which produce-rents are paid,

(*l*) the custom of the village regulating the methods of irrigation, and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

No. 1712T.R.—The 21st August 1903.—Babu Ramapada Chatterjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, now on deputation as an Assistant Settlement Officer, North Bihar, is allowed privilege leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd August, 1903.

Bhagalpur.
Darbhanga.
Monghyr.
Purnea.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provision of section 2 of Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Rakhal Das Sarkar is appointed to be the Manager, and the management is vested in him, of the undermentioned immoveable property of Babu Panchanon Das of Naro, in pargana Patkum, in the district of Manbhum, and of any other immoveable property to which the said holder is entitled in his own right, or which he is entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by, or devolve on, him or his heirs during the continuance of such management:—

Manbhum.

Name of estate.	Name of holder.
Taraf Naro, in pargana Patkum, district Manbhum, comprising the villages of—	Babu Panchanon Das.

1. Naro.
2. Kundrilong.
3. Ghentya.
4. Ghatsila.
5. Budalong.
6. Kanre Bera.
7. Jaragara.
8. Bankati.
9. Hutu.
10. Hundi.
11. Sidhi.
12. Nadisai.
13. Kutam.
14. Agsia.
15. Deultanr.
16. Jinigada.
17. Chanriadi.

W. MAUDE, *Offg. Commissioner of Chota Nagpur.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, *the 29th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provision of section 2 of Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Krishna Chandra Ghosh, General Manager of the Encumbered Estates, in the district of Hazaribagh, is appointed to be the Manager, and the management is vested in him, of the undermentioned immoveable property of Thakur Jagat Narain Singh, of Gadi Khesmi, in the district of Hazaribagh, and of any other immoveable property to which the said holder is entitled in his own right, or which he is entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by, or devolve on, him or his heirs during the continuance of such management:—

Hazaribagh.

Name of estate.	Name of holder.
Gadi Khesmi, consisting of 46 entire villages.	Thakur Jagat Narain Singh.

W. MAUDE, *Offg. Commissioner of Chota Nagpur.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, *the 1st August 1903.*

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1400T.G.—The 21st August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor proposes to exempt all Jute Mills from the operation of the rules issued with Government Notification No. 3998, dated the 20th December 1902. The proposal will be taken into consideration after a month from the date of the publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*. Any objections to be preferred against it should be addressed to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the General Department.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1570T.F.—The 19th August 1903.—Maulvi Syed Abdus Salek, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Birbhum, *vice* Babu Harish Chandra Banerjee, and under section 4 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Birbhum.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1832T.—M.—The 20th August 1903.—Major F. A. Rogers, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Monghyr, is allowed privilege leave combined with furlough for one year ten months and two days, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th September 1903, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

Monghyr.

No. 1835T.—M.—The 20th August 1903.—Captain A. Gwyther, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon, Darbhanga, is allowed privilege leave combined with furlough for one year, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 283 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) *iv* of the Civil Service Regulations.

Darbhanga

No. 1865T.—M.—The 21st August 1903.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. J. Barratt, R.A.M.C., in charge Station Hospital, Barrackpore, is appointed, with effect from the 9th May 1903, to have charge of the civil medical duties of that station in addition to his own duties.

Barrackpore.

No. 1867T.—M.—The 21st August 1903.—Lieutenant J. Masson, I.M.S., was on general duty at the Presidency from the 11th to the 24th June 1903.

No. 1869T.—M.—The 21st August 1903.—Captain W. V. Coppinger, I.M.S, was on general duty at the Presidency from the 22nd May to the 10th June 1903.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3681A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2253A.D.—The 22nd August 1903.—Mr. S. M. Khalilur Rahman, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Saran, to be ordinarily stationed at Motihari, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Prayag Nath, or until further orders.

Saran.

No. 2323A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Babu Raj Krishna Bandopadhyaya, Munsif of Bhagalpur, is appointed to act as Additional Subordinate Judge, Monghyr, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Rajendra Coomar Bose, or until further orders.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2325A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Mr. S. Ahmad Husain Khan, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Bhagalpur, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Raj Krishna Bandopadhyaya, or until further orders.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2327A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Babu Jagat Narayan Sarkar, Munsif of Chittagong, on furlough, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Mymensingh.

Chittagong. Mymensingh.

No. 2414J.D.—The 22nd August 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Tangail, in the district of Mymensingh :—

Mymensingh

(1) Maulvi Tofazzal Hossein. | (2) Mr. Eunasul Musavi.
(3) Babu Ram Pran Gupta.

No. 2419J.D.—The 22nd August 1903.—Babu Kishori Lal Chatterji is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Municipal Bench at Gobardanga, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas

LEAVE.

No. 3677A.—The 17th August 1903.—Babu Gopal Krishna Ghose, Munsif of Contai, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 29th July 1903.

Midnapore.

No. 3678A.—The 20th August 1903.—Babu Tarapado Chatterjee, Registrar, Small Cause Court, and Munsif of Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 17th July 1903.

Dacca

No. 3679A.—The 22nd August 1903.—Babu Pryag Nath, Munsif of Motihari, in the district of Saran, is allowed leave for twenty-five days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Saran.

POWERS.

No. 2289A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—The undermentioned officers are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class:—

Backergunge.
Mymensingh.

Babu Ambica Charan Dutta, Deputy Magistrate, Backergunge.
„ Jatindra Mohun Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate, Jamalpur, Mymensingh.
„ Bhujendra Nath Mukerjee, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Mymensingh.

No. 2300A D.—The 24th August 1903.—Mr. A. W. Cook, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, Rajmahal, Sonthal Parganas, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 2367J.D —The 20th August 1903.—Babu Charu Chandra Chowdhury, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Sherpur, in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. He is also authorized to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the Subdivisional Officer.

Mymensingh.

No. 2415J.D —The 22nd August 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen, who have been appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Tangail, in the district of Mymensingh, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Mymensingh.

(1) Maulvi Tofazzal Hossein | (2) Mr. Eunasul Musavi.
(3) Babu Ram Pran Gupta.

No. 2417J.D.—The 22nd August 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers the undermentioned gentlemen, who have been appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Tangail, in the district of Mymensingh, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language :—

Mymensingh.

(1) Maulvi Tofazzal Hossein. | (2) Mr. Eunasul Musavi.
(3) Babu Ram Pran Gupta.

No. 2420J.D —The 22nd August 1903.—Babu Kishori Lal Chatterji, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Municipal Bench at Gobardanga, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

24-Parganas.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2559J.D.—The 25th August 1903.—In modification of the notifications No. 3094J., dated the 6th August 1903, and No. 3095J., dated the 6th August 1903, published at page 1076 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby directs that the changes of jurisdiction within the Patna district therein notified shall take effect from the 1st October 1903.

Patna.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2401J.D.—The 21st August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of Sub-Inspector's quarters near the police-station, Motihari, in the village of Motihari, pargana Majhaua, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Champaran.

North—By Salaran Khan's house,
South—By Ismail Khan's house,
East—By the drainage,
West—By Kadir Bux's house,

is required within the aforesaid village of Motihari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Superintendent of Police, Motihari.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[*Declaration under Section 6, Act I of 1894.*]

The 23rd August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for providing sites for residences of officers of the Assam-Bengal Railway within the limits of the Municipality of Chittagong, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 80 acres, bounded on the west by Tiger Pass road, on the north by the Cantonment road, on the east by the Railway road, and on the south by Railway land, is required within the aforesaid Municipality of Chittagong.

Chittagong.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PROCLAMATION.

No. 2558J.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Under section 15, Act V of 1861 (as amended by Act VIII of 1895), the Lieutenant-Governor declares that the conduct of the inhabitants of the villages of Mursanda, Maheshpur (1), Salehpur, Maheshpur (2), Musapur, Chandwa, Sripur, Tekapatti, Kodi, and Potia, in the jurisdiction of the Gondwara police-station; the villages of Rupospur-Khagha, Sukhasan, Khagha, Khedlichak (Barehkona), and Lakhimpur-Lohjar, in the jurisdiction of the Dhamdaha police-station; and villages Kalianpur (Majra Raghoonandan), Bakrikol and Baignadhanpat, in the jurisdiction of the Sadar police-station, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Purnea, has rendered it expedient to increase the number of the police force by the appointment of an additional force to be quartered therein at the cost of the inhabitants of the aforesaid villages. This proclamation shall remain in force for a period of two months.

Purnea.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 21st August 1903.

No. 120.—Mr. C. B. Lines, Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, was, on being relieved of his duties as Assistant Secretary, attached to the office of the Chief Engineer, Bengal, from the forenoon of the 15th to the forenoon of the 21st August 1903.

No. 121.—Mr. C. B. Lines, Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, to the Orissa Circle, and is posted to the Mahanadi Division.

The 24th August 1903.

No. 122.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following promotions and reversion in the Engineer Establishment with effect from the dates specified:—

Name.	From—	To—	With effect from—	Nature of promotion.
Bishan Swarup ...	Assistant Engineer, 1st grade.	Executive Engineer, 3rd grade.	25th July 1903	Temporary.
Cross, L. D. ...	Executive Engineer, 3rd grade, temporary rank.	Assistant Engineer, 1st grade.	29th „ „	Reversion.
Ralph, J. B. ...	Assistant Engineer, 1st grade	Executive Engineer, 3rd grade.	29th „ „	Temporary.
Hodgson, R. C. ..	Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade	22nd Aug. „	Permanent.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MILITARY.

The 25th August 1903.

No. 177M.—Corrigendum.—In Declaration No. 166M., dated 11th August 1903, published at page 1078, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 12th idem *for* the word "Fultah" *read* "Pultah."

No. 180M.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a rifle range for the East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles at Sahebgunge, in the village of Kalabari, pargana Talliagarhi, zilla Sonthal Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 62 bighas 17 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by jote lands of Bokhari Mandal, Sital Mandal, Gujroo Dhangar, and Puran Dhangar, on the south by jote lands of Aghnoo Dhangar, Puran Dhangar, Bokhari Mandal, Mozahar Mia, Nankoo Dhangar, and *patit* land, on the east by jote lands of Nankoo Dhangar, Sitanga Dhangar, Mahubul Sheikh, Aintoo Momin, Choita Dhangar, Behari Dhangar, Bariati Dhangar, Ramjoo Momin, Sital Mandal, Choto Damri Coormi, Shiboo Dhangar, Puran Dhangar, Sitoo Dhangar, Elahi Mia, Jhori Dome, and Bokhari Mandal, and on the west by jote lands of Behari Momin, Mozahar Mia, Aintoo Momin, Soniohor Dhangar, Bhikoo Dhangar, Ramjoo Momin, Choto Damri Coormi, Nepal Dhangar, Aghnoo Dhangar, Gujroo Dhangar, Thakuri Moodi, Bariati Dhangar, Sitai Dhangar, Bhupal Hazam, Bhojoo Dhangar, Bokhari Mandal, and road, is required within the aforesaid village of Kalabari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Rajmahal.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 25th August 1903.

No. 181L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Hooghly for a District Board road from Aidha to Guptipara, in the village of Aidha, pargana Raipur, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 cottahs 1½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and south by the District Board road, and on the east and west by the garden lands of Bhabani Churn Sen and Prosanna Kumar Sen, is required within the aforesaid village of Aidha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 25th August 1903.

No. 178R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for an Assisted Siding for the Jamooni Coal Company off Katras-Khanoodih Extension, East Indian Railway, in the villages of Mizra, Pandoovita, Beneedih, and Sheedpookee, pargana Nowagar, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 146 bighas 16 cottahs 8·21 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 48 acres 2 roods 5·99 poles), bounded on the north by the East Indian Railway Company's land and danga land belonging to Raja Bonowari Lall Singh, on the south by the paddy lands of Bhiku Majhi, Rama Burru, and Dukhee Majhi and danga lands belonging to Raja Bonowari Lall Singh, on the east by the paddy land of Hari Ram Mahata, and on the west by the paddy land of Bhiku Majhi, is required within the aforesaid villages of Mizra, Pandoovita, Beneedih, and Sheedpookee.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

No. 179R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a new bund near the Bengali River on the Brahmaputra-Sultanpur Branch Railway, in the village of Khariabadah, pargana Fuladassi, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs 15½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Brahmaputra-Sultanpur Branch Railway land, and on the south, east and west by the land of Baharali, tenant of Kakina Raj, is required within the aforesaid village of Khariabadah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land is available for inspection in the office of Executive Engineer, Saidpur district, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 24th August 1903.

No. 105Marine.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in Broach in the Bombay Presidency, it is hereby notified for general information that Broach is declared an infected port, and that the regulations issued by the Government for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea will be enforced in the ports of Orissa and in the port of Chittagong against vessels arriving from Broach.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 24th August 1903.

No. 106Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to exempt, under section 44 of the Chittagong Port Commissioners Act, 1887, vessels which are not registered under Act X of 1841, or under a similar Foreign Act, from the operation of section 33A of the Chittagong Port Commissioners (Amendment) Act, 1903.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3682A.

No. 2265A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—The following confirmations and promotions are sanctioned in the grades of Sub-Deputy Collectors :—

Confirmed in the first grade.

Babu Taruk Chunder Ganguli.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the first grade.*

Babu Nisi Kanta Chatterjee.
„ Amrita Lal Gupta.
„ Kali Mohan Sen.

Confirmed in the second grade.

Maulvi Afzalur Rahaman.
Babu Rameshwar Prosad.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the second grade.*

Babu Debendra Nath Bose, but seconded while on deputation.
„ Jogindra Nath Sarkar.
„ Sarat Chunder Mukerjee, but seconded while on deputation.
„ Ramesh Chandra Sinha.
Maulvi Syud Izahar Hossain.
Babu Akhil Kumar Chatterjee.
„ Saroda Nunda Das.

Confirmed in the third grade.

Babu Sarat Chunder Chatterjee.
„ Mathura Nath Banerjee.
„ Bhavani Prasada.

Confirmed in the fourth grade.

Babu Jageshwar Nath Mattey.
„ Baij Nath Sahai.
„ Hiranya Kumar Das Gupta.

No. 2289 A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Babu Surjya Kumar Guha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class

Faridpur.

No. 2306 A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Maulvi Abdul Bari, Sub-Deputy Collector, Contai, Midnapore, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th August 1903.

Midnapore

No. 2308 A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Babu Boloram Moitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Tamluk, Midnapore, is transferred temporarily to the Contai subdivision of that district.

Midnapore.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

No. 2314 A.D.—The 24th August 1903.—Maulvi Raza Karim is appointed to act as Rural Sub-Registrar of Jagadispur, Shahabad, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Muhammad Umar Khan, or until further orders.

Shahabad.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8207, dated Calcutta, the 19th August 1903.—Major D. M. Moir, I.M.S., made over charge of the Hooghly Jail to Captain R. P. Wilson, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 5th August 1903.

No. 8246, dated Calcutta, the 19th August 1903.—Captain S. Anderson, I.M.S., made over charge of the Buxar Central Jail to Mr. C. H. C. Sevenoaks on the forenoon of the 20th July 1903.

No. 8423, dated Calcutta, the 19th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Moti Lal Mukherjee, made over charge of the Rangpur Jail to Major N. P. Sinha, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 8th August 1903.

No. 8458, dated Calcutta, the 20th August 1903.—Civil Surgeon Kumar Bhobendra Narayan made over charge of the Pabna Jail to Assistant Surgeon Debendra Nath Dey on the afternoon of the 2nd July 1903.

No. 8589, dated Calcutta, the 25th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Bepin Behary Sen Gupta made over charge of the Khulna Jail to Senior Assistant Surgeon Moti Lal Mukherjee on the forenoon of the 15th August 1903.

R. J. MACNAMARA, MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 8586, dated the 17th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Tripura Charan Guha is appointed to act at the Raniganj Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Burdwan district, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Rash Behary Moitra, or until further orders.

R. D. MURRAY, M B., LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
for *Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.*

No. 2199D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Sasi Bhusan Mukerjee, of the Tamluk Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Midnapore district, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 1st June 1903.

No. 2202D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Suresh Chandra Mittra is appointed to act at the Tamluk Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Midnapore district, with effect from the 2nd June 1903, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Sasi Bhusan Mukerjee, or until further orders.

No. 2208D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Bepin Behari Sen Gupta did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the forenoon of the 5th to the afternoon of the 21st March 1903, and from the forenoon of the 27th March to the forenoon of the 25th April 1903.

No. 2211D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Bepin Behari Sen Gupta was employed on special duty at the Howrah Railway Station from the 22nd to the 25th March 1903, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Sarat Chandra Sur.

No. 2214D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Bepin Behari Sen Gupta was employed at Golokegunge on the Dhubri-Gauhati extension, Eastern Bengal State Railway, from the 1st May to the 3rd June 1903, both days inclusive, during the absence of Assistant Surgeon Basanta Kumar Bhowmik to give evidence at the High Court Sessions, Calcutta.

No. 2217D, dated Darjeeling, the 21st August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Bepin Behari Sen Gupta did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the forenoon of the 12th June to the afternoon of the 4th July 1903.

No. 2220D., dated Darjeeling, the 22nd August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Posupati Mitra is appointed to do supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the 3rd August 1903.

S. H. BROWNE, M.D., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MAULVI MUHAMMAD LATIF ALAM has been placed in charge of the Bhagalpur Treasury, and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

SAKHAWAT HOSSEIN, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 14th August 1903.*

BABU MAKUNDA DEB MUKERJI, Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Patna Treasury, and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 22nd August 1903.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MR. ATUL KRISHNA ROY has been placed in charge of the Manbhum Treasury, with effect from the 31st July 1903, and has been authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

F. A. SLACKE, *Commissioner.*

RANCHI, *the 18th August 1903.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 19th August 1903.—Consequent on the death of Babu Kanti Chandra Ghosh Hazra, B A., Assistant Head Master of the Malda Zilla School, the following arrangements are sanctioned:—

(1) Babu Abinash Chandra Banerjea, B A., an Assistant Master in the Malda Zilla School (substantive *pro tempore* in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service), to be Assistant Head Master of the same institution, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Kanti Chandra Ghosh Hazra, deceased

(2) Babu Sasanka Sekhar Banerjea, M A, Officiating Assistant Head Master in the Uttarpara Government School (officiating in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service), to be an Assistant Master in the Malda Zilla School, on probation for six months, and to be substantively *pro tempore* in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Abinash Chandra Banerjea.

The following arrangements are sanctioned consequent on the retirement, with effect from the 15th August 1903, of Babu Jogeshur Mookherjea, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah:—

(1) Babu Sripati Mukherjea, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Shahabad, on leave (Class III), to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah, *vice* Babu Jogeshur Mookherjea.

(2) Babu Aswini Kumar Das, M.A., Head Master, Northbrook School, Darbhangat, now under training at the Kurseong Training College (Class V), to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Shahabad, *vice* Babu Sripati Mukherjea.

(3) Babu Mangal Dayal Singh, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Patna, and now Officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Shahabad (Class V), will continue to act in the latter appointment, until relieved by Babu Aswini Kumar Das after the end of his training at Kurseong.

(4) Babu Dwijendra Nath Neogi, B.A., to be Head Master of the Northbrook School, Darbhanga, on probation for six months, *vice* Babu Aswini Kumar Das.

Babu Dwijendra Nath Neogi is also appointed substantively *pro tempore* to Class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service in the resulting vacancy consequent on the retirement of Babu Jogeshur Mookherjea.

The following arrangements are sanctioned consequent on the retirement, on the 28th August 1903, of Babu Ram Prakas Lal, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Gaya:—

(1) Babu Giriwardhari Lal, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Darbhanga (Class IV), to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Gaya, *vice* Babu Ram Prakas Lal.

(2) Babu Rajendra Prasad. Assistant Master, Patna Training School, and now officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Patna (Class VI), to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Darbhanga, *vice* Babu Giriwardhari Lal.

(3) Babu Sarat Chandra Brahmachari, M.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Champaran, and now Officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bankura (Class IV), to be Assistant Head Master of the Patna Training School, *vice* Babu Rajendra Prasad.

(4) Babu Trisuldhari Singh, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum (Class IV), to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Champaran, *vice* Babu Sarat Chandra Brahmachari.

(5) Babu Harabans Sahai, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Monghyr (Class III), to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum, *vice* Babu Trisuldhari Singh.

(6) Babu Kishun Sahay, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Saran, and now Officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Champaran (Class VI), to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Monghyr, *vice* Babu Harabans Sahai.

The 25th August 1903.—Babu Jadu Nath Banerji, an Assistant Master in the Rajshahi Collegiate School (Class VIII), was absent on leave for three weeks, under article 271 (1) of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 31st July 1903.

Babu Nanda Lal Gupta, an Assistant Master in the Rajshahi Collegiate School, on a salary of Rs. 45 a month, acted in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jadu Nath Banerji.

A. PEDLER,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

1. In supersession of the previous notification, the following text-book in Telugu Poetry has been prescribed for the Entrance Examination in 1904 and the two following years:—

Bhaskarasatakamu—The whole.

2. The following text-books in Gujrathi have been prescribed for the Entrance Examination in 1904 and two following years:—

Prose.

Navalaram—Navala Granthavali, Volume I, pages 1—220.

Poetry.

Kabi Premananda—Nalákhyán.

3. In supersession of the Syllabus announced on pages 211-212 of the Calcutta University Calendar for 1903, the following revised syllabus in Practical Histology has been prescribed for the B.Sc. Examination, Pass and Honours, in 1905:—

Pass Course.

Haliburton	...	Essentials of Chemical Physiology, Elementary Course. Blood, Milk, Albumen, Digestive Juices, Urine (normal) and Glycogen.
Stirling	...	Outlines of Practical Physiology, 4th Edition. *Experimental Physiology.*—The Frog's Heart,—Beating of the Heart,—Effect of Heat and Cold,—Section of the Heart, pages 360—363; Stannius's Experiment, pages 376-377;—The Laryngoscope—Vowels, page 481; Reflex Action—Action of Poisons—Knee-jerk in Man, pages 492—496;—Eye—Formation of Image, pages 509—514—Touch, Smell, Taste, Hearing, pages 565—568 and 580-581, omitting small print.
Stirling	...	Practical Histology, 2nd edition—Preparation of fresh tissues from a Frog, omitting 1, 3, 4, 8 (*b*), 10, 13, 17—23.

Honour Course.

Haliburton	...	Essentials of Chemical Physiology, Elementary Course.—(i) The Proteids; (ii) Blood, Hæmoglobin; (iii) Digestion—Salivary, Gastric, Pancreatic, Glycogen in the Liver; (iv) Urine—Volumetric Analysis for Urea; Sugar in Urine, Qualitative and Quantitative.
Stirling	...	Outlines of Practical Physiology,—4th Edition. *Experimental Physiology.*—(i) Nerve-muscle Preparation—Stimulation of Nerve—Mechanical, Chemical and Thermal Stimuli, pages 219—225 and 243—251, omitting small print; (ii) The Frog's Heart—Stannius's Experiment, pages 360—364 and 376-377; (iii) The Laryngoscope—Vowels, page 481; (iv) Reflex Action—Action of Poisons—Knee-jerk in Man, pages 492—496; (v) The Eye—Formation of an Image, &c., pages 509—514; (vi) The Ophthalmoscope, pages 560-561; (vii) Touch, Smell, Taste, Hearing, pages 565—568 and 580-581, omitting small print.
Stirling	...	Practical Histology, 2nd Edition—Preparation of fresh tissues from a Frog, omitting 1, 3, 4, 8 (*b*), 10, 13, 17, 23.

4. In the list of text-books for B.A. Honour English in 1905 (Calendar, 1903, page 195) under "*Permanent subjects*," for "Shaw—Outlines of English Literature" has been substituted "Smith—Students' English Literature, being a History of English Literature by Thomas B. Shaw, edited by William Smith."

5. In the list of text-books in English prescribed for the M.A Examination in 1905 (Calendar, 1903, page 215) after "Hooker—Ecclesiastical Polity, Book I (Clarendon Press series)," the following has been added—

"More ... Utopia."

6. The following changes in the Regulations of the University adopted by the Senate at their meeting held on the 23rd August 1902 have been approved by His Excellency the Governor-General of India in Council:—

(*i*) Paragraph 2 of the Regulations for the Examination for Honours in Medicine (Calendar for 1903, page 72) has been altered as follows:—

"2. The Examination shall take place annually at such time as the Syndicate may, from time to time, appoint, and shall be conducted by means of written papers and practical tests."

The above change will come into operation at and from the Examination in 1904.

(*ii*) In the form of application for admission to the Entrance Examination on page 94, Calendar, 1903, after the heading "Entrance Examination," the following words have been added:—

"*Form of application to be used only by candidates who appear as students of a High School recognised by the Calcutta University.*"

(*iii*) Paragraph 2 of the Regulations for the First Examination in Engineering (page 74, Calendar, 1903) has been modified as follows:—

"Any undergraduate of the University may be admitted to this Examination, provided he has prosecuted a regular course of study in a School of Engineering affiliated to the University for five years after passing the Entrance Examination, or for three years after passing the F.A. Examination."

(*iv*) The following sentence has been omitted from paragraph 2 of the above Regulations:—

"A student who has passed the B.A. Examination in the B Course shall be admitted to the F.E. Examination after two years' study in a School of Engineering affiliated to the University."

(*v*) Paragraph 2 of the Regulations for Licence in Engineering (page 79, Calendar, 1903) has been altered as follows:—

"Any undergraduate of the University may be admitted to this Examination on producing a certificate from the Head of an Institution affiliated up to the L E. standard in Engineering showing that he has prosecuted a regular course of study for one year after passing the First Examination in Engineering."

(*vi*) Paragraph 2 of the B.E. Regulations (page 85, Calendar, 1903) has been altered as follows:—

"Any candidate who has passed the First Examination in Arts may be admitted to this Examination, provided he produces a certificate from the Head of an Institution affiliated up to the B.E. standard in Engineering showing that he has prosecuted a regular course of study for one year after passing the First Examination in Engineering."

(*vii*) The following revised Syllabus in Mathematics has been substituted for the one given in paragraph 5 of the F.E. Regulations under heading "I—Mathematics" (pages 74-75, Calendar, 1903):—

I.—MATHEMATICS.

FIRST PAPER.

Computations and Mensuration.

(*a*) Practical applications of Arithmetic with special reference to contracted methods.

The theory of logarithms; application of logarithms to arithmetical and trigonometrical calculations, including the solution of triangles and the determination of heights and distances.

(*b*) Mensuration of plane and solid figures, including the application of Simpson's rules, the prismoidal formula and Guldin's theorems, and not excluding proofs of the formulæ in use.

N.B.—Books of logarithmic tables will be provided for the use of candidates during the examination.

SECOND PAPER.

Algebra, Trigonometry and Plane Analytical Geometry.

(*a*) Summation of arithmetic and geometric series, and of series in which the n-th term is an integral function of n.

Binomial, exponential and logarithmic series with easy examples.

Partial Fractions.

(*b*) Geometrical representation of complex quantities: addition and multiplication of complex quantities; De Moivre's theorem; derived trigonometrical formulæ, including the ordinary formulæ of Elementary Trigonometry.

The expansions and exponential values of $\cos\theta$ and $\sin\theta$; the hyperbolic functions.

Summation of a series of sines and cosines of angles in arithmetical progression, and of other simple trigonometrical series.

(*c*) Rectangular Cartesian co-ordinates and polar co-ordinates; the analytical geometry of the straight line; equations representing two or more straight lines.

The special forms of the equations of the circle, parabola, ellipse and hyperbola without reference to the general equation of the second degree.

Determination of the asymptotes of a conic given by any equation of the second degree; their use in discriminating the character of the curve.

N.B.—The methods of pure Geometry and of the Differential Calculus will not be disallowed.

THIRD PAPER.

Statics and Dynamics.

(*a*) Uniform and uniformly accelerated motion. Composition of velocities and accelerations. Relative velocities and accelerations. Projectiles. The laws of motion with simple illustrations, such as the motion of a particle on an inclined plane, motion of two particles connected by a string, uniform circular motion of a particle.

(*b*) Composition of concurrent and parallel forces acting on a rigid body. Centre of parallel forces; centres of mass. Reduction of any system of coplanar forces acting on a rigid body to a single resultant force or couple; properties of resultant; conditions of equilibrium; statically equivalent system of forces; problems on equilibrium. Friction. Machines.

(*c*) Impulse of a force; principle of linear momentum for a single particle and for a system of particles; simple cases of impact, including the impact of two spheres whose centres move in the same plane.

Work of a force; principle of energy for a single particle and for a system of particles; application of the principle to the solution of problems.

FOURTH PAPER.

Differential and Integral Calculus.

(*a*) Differentiation in general, including Leibnitz's theorem, partial differentiation, and differentiation of implicit functions.

Orders of smallness; infinitesimals and differentials. Elementary proofs of Taylor's and Maclaurin's Theorems. Expansions of functions of a single variable.

Evaluation of undetermined forms.

Tangents and normals of curves.

Maximum and minimum values of a function of one independent variable.

(*b*) Integration regarded as a process of a summation, and as the inverse of differentiation. The standard integrals. Integration by substitution and by parts.

Integration of rational functions. Simple integrals involving trigonometrical functions.

Application of the Integral Calculus to the determination of lengths of curves, areas, volumes; centres of mass and moments of inertia.

N.B.—Special importance will be attached to the performance and the applications of quite simple differentiations and integrations.

(*viii*) The following revised Syllabuses in Chemistry and Physics have been substituted for those prescribed for the F.E. Examination on pages 75—78 of the Calendar, 1903, under heading "II.—Natural Science."

II.—NATURAL SCIENCE.

CHEMISTRY.

I.—General properties and changes of matter in simple common cases. Relation of chemical changes to physical and mechanical changes.

Experimental proofs of the indestructibility of matter.

Elementary forms of matter; compounds and distinction of compounds from mixtures.

Experimental deduction of the principal fundamental laws of Chemistry: equivalents.

Dalton's atomic theory.

Experimental determination of the properties of gases with regard to heat and pressure; Boyle's and Charles' laws.

Experimental determination of the volume relations of reacting gases; law of gaseous volumes.

Deduction from above laws of the probable physical composition of matter; Avogadro's hypothesis.

Distinction between the molecule and molecular weight.

Density, relative density, vapour density, and specific gravity of substances.

Relation between relative density of gases and molecular weights.

Determination of relative density of gases by direct weighing and of vapour density of volatine substances by Dumas' method; deduction of molecular weights.

Relation between atoms and molecules.

Distinction between atoms and atomic weights.

Deduction of the maximum value of atomic weights of elements from the molecular weights of their volatile compounds.

Relation between atomic weights and equivalents; valency.

Dulong and Petit's law of atomic heats; its use as subsidiary method of determining atomic weights.

Chemical symbols and formulæ; representation of chemical changes by equations. Quantitative meaning of symbols; calculations.

General types of chemical action as illustrated by the experimental work previously done.

II.—Occurrence, preparation, and properties of the elements listed below, and of their simpler compounds:—Hydrogen, Chlorine, Bromine, Iodine, Fluorine, Potassium, Sodium, Ammonium, Copper, Silver, Gold, Calcium, Strontium, Barium, Magnesium, Zinc, Mercury, Boron, Aluminium, Carbon, Titanium, Silicon, Tin, Lead, Nitrogen, Phosphorus, Arsenic, Antimony, Bismuth, Oxygen, Chromium, Manganese, Tungsten, Sulphur, Iron, Nickel, Cobalt, Platinum—considered generally.

A more detailed study of the preparation, properties and determination of the composition of the typical compounds—Hydrogen, Chloride, Water, Ammonia, and Methane.

Salts, bases, acids, and other compounds; their nature, behaviour on solution and relationship with each other.

General methods for the preparation of Haloides, Oxides, Hydroxides, Sulphides, Sulphates, Nitrates, Phosphates, Carbonates, Carbides, Nitrites, and Hydrides.

The Peroxides and their relation to Ozone and Hydrogen Peroxide.

Double salts, crystallization, water of crystallization.

Isomorphism and its use in controlling atomic weights.

Systematization of Chemical data: the Periodic law, its uses and consequences.

III.—The Phenomena of combustion, explosions, reversible reaction; dissociation Phenomena.

Thermo-chemical methods of investigation

Calorimetry—Heat of combustion, heat of formation, heat of neutralisation, heat of solution.

Exothermal and endothermal reactions.

Allotropy and the Allotropic modifications of the elements, allotropy of metals.

Applications of the principles of thermo-chemistry to the solution of technical problems.

The Ionic theory of solution; deduction of the laws of dilute solutions from thermodynamical data; derived methods of determining molecular weights; explanations of chemical reactions based on the Ionic theory, and foundations of Analytical Chemistry.

IV.—Chemical Technology.

Natural waters: their composition, analysis, and determination of suitability for various purposes. Purification of waters on the large scale.

Preparation on the large scale of (Chemistry of the)—

(1) Chlorine, hydrochloric acid, bleaching powder.
(2) Oxygen, red lead.
(3) Quick-lime.
(4) Hydraulic lime, Portland cement, glass, soluble glass, porcelain, pottery, bricks.
(5) Plaster of Paris, alums.
(6) Sulphuric acid, sodium carbonate, caustic soda.
(7) White lead, permanent white.
(8) Tin plate, galvanized iron.
(9) The setting and hardening of Mortars and Cements.

V.—PRACTICAL CHEMISTRY.

Preparation and demonstration of the properties of the common gases, such as Hydrogen, Oxygen, Nitrogen, Carbon Dioxide, Nitric Oxide, Nitrogen Monoxide, Hydrogen Sulphide, Hydrogen Chloride, Ammonia.

Preparation of the commoner acids, bases, oxides and salts, *e.g.*, Nitric Acid, Calcium Oxide, Calcium Hydrate, Copper Oxide, Ferrous Sulphate, Copper Sulphate, Zinc Sulphate, Sodium Chloride, Ammonium Chloride.

Determination of the relative density and molecular weight of soluble gases.

Determination of approximate equivalents of metallic radicles in the most simple cases, *e.g.*, Copper, Lead, Iron.

Detection of the commoner substances by their physical characteristics.

Qualitative analysis (including blow-pipe analysis) of mixtures containing not more than two acid and two basic constituents (excluding phosphates insoluble in water) from the following list:—

Hydrogen, Potassium, Sodium, Ammonium, Magnesium, Calcium, Strontium, Barium, Zinc, Manganese, Iron, Aluminium, Chromium, Arsenic, Antimony, Tin, Mercury, Lead, Copper, Silver, Carbon, Sulphur, Hydrochloric Acid, Hydrofluoric Acid, Nitrous Acid, Nitric Acid, Carbonic Acid, Silica, Silicic Acid, Sulphuric Acid, Phosphoric Acid.

Qualitative analysis of substances, such as Iron, Brass, Bronze, Solders, Iron Ores, Boiler Scale, Lime-stones, Lime, Cement, Clay, Brick, Paints and Colour washes (for commoner inorganic constituents only).

Simple gravimetric estimations of Calcium, Zinc, Iron, Copper, Silver, Hydrochloric Acid, Carbonic Acid, Sulphuric Acid, and Silica, Commercial analysis of Lime, Lime-stone, and Brass.

PHYSICS.

I.—HEAT.

Expansion of solids, liquids, and gases. Regnault's experiments on the absolute expansion of Mercury and the expansion of gases. Charles' law. Principles of Thermometers. Temperature as measured by the expansion of solids, liquids, and gases. Mercurial thermometers; air thermometers. Thermometers for various purposes. Density of solids, liquids

and gases. Absolute temperature. Calorimetry. Correction for radiation. Specific heats of solids and liquids: method of mixture; Bunsen's Ice Calorimeter. Specific heat of gases—at constant pressure, Regnault; at constant volume, Rontgen. Dulong and Petit's law. Changes of state of aggregation. Regulation. Critical temperature; continuity of state. Measurement of heat of fusion and vaporization. Influence of pressure on melting and boiling points. Methods of liquifying gases. Maximum pressure of vapours, Regnault; pressure of saturated steam below and above 100°C. Vapour densities; Dumas', Hoffman's *vs.* Meyer's methods Hygrometry. Conduction; variable and permanent stages; simple cases of steady flow across a plate and along a bar; Wiedemann and Franz' experiments. Convection. First law of thermo-dynamics. Joule's experiments. Van der Wahl's Theory. Adiabatic transformations. Second law of thermo-dynamics. Cooling of gases by expansion.

II.—STATICAL ELECTRICITY.

Electrification by friction. Electroscopes. Ice-pail experiments. Induction. Electrophorus. Voss and Wimhurst's Influence machine. Electric work and energy. Indicator diagram of electric work. Exploration of electric field. Potential at any point of the field. Lines and tubes of force. Equipotential surfaces; lines of induction. Measurement of electricity. Attracted disc electrometer; quadrant electrometer. Dimensions. Electrostatic units: Capacity, Condensers; two concentric spheres; Leyden Jar. Specific inductive capacity. Absolute measurement of capacity; statical comparison of capacities; measurement of specific inductive capacity; standard air condenser.

III.—CURRENT ELECTRICITY.

Chemical and thermal methods of producing currents: Daniell; Grove, Bunsen, Leclanche, Lahande; thermopile; thermo-electric battery. Electrolytic conduction. Electrolysis of fused compounds and of saline solutions. Faraday's laws. The voltameter. Metallic conduction.

Ohm's law. Kirchhoff's laws. Units of resistance. Resistance coils. Wheatstone's bridge. Resistance of battery. Resistance of galvanometer. Electromotive force. Standard cells—Latimer Clerk. Determination of electromotive force; statical method. Poggendorff's compensation method. Relation of electricity to heat; Joule's law. Gaseous conduction. Disruptive discharge. Flow of electricity and flow of electrical energy. Phenomena attendant on the starting, stopping, and varying of a current. Oscillating discharges.

IV.—MAGNETISM.

Fundamental experiments. Magnetic field. Magnetic elements. Declination theodolite; dip circle; magnetometer. Methods of magnetization.

Relation of magnetism to electricity. Oersted's experiment. Tangent galvanometer; Thomson's reflecting galvanometer: Wiedmann's two-coiled galvanometer. Electro-dynamic experiments; the Solenoid. Electro-magnets; types. Permeability and methods of measuring it. Magnetic hysteresis. Magnetic flux, Magneto-motive force, reluctance. The law of traction. Induction of currents; Lenz's law. Self-induction. Ruhmkorff's coil. Electro-magnetic units.

V.—RADIANT ENERGY.

Laws of vibrating particle. Harmonic vibrations. Transverse and longitudinal waves. Interference of waves travelling in the same and in opposite directions. Stationary waves. Composition of undulations; eliptical, circular, and rectilinear vibrations. Huyghen, principle. Reflection and refraction of thermal, luminous, and electric waves. Velocity of propagation; Foucault and Fizeau's experiments. Plane and spherical mirrors. Refraction. Prisms, minimum deviation. Determination of refractive indices of solids and liquids. Lenses; cardinal points; systems of lenses. Melloni's experiments on radiant heat. Hertz's experiments on electrical radiations. Röntgen rays. Wireless telegraphy. Dispersion. Spectroscope and spectra. Absorption of ethereal waves; diathermancy and athermancy; coloured bodies. Structure of the human eye.

VI.—APPLIED PHYSICS.

1. *Heat.*—Electric pyrometers. Outlines of construction of the double-acting steam-engine. Otto's gas-engine, petroleum engines, and modern ice-making machinery.

2. *Light.*—The sextant; photometry; telescopes; modern field-glasses; microscopes. Principles of photography.

3. *Electricity and Magnetism.*—Telegraphy. Batteries in common use; signals; sounder; Siemens' inkwriter; Siemens' relay. Lightning-conductors. Terminals, single and multiple points; earth connection, its importance; the conductor proper; material; form; joints; clips and brackets; ridge circuits; incidental connections; space protected; protection of dwelling-houses, magazines, chimneys, periodical inspection and testing. The telephone and microphone; electric bells and indicators. Dynamo-electrical machinery. Efficiency, causes of loss of energy. Types of armatures. Armature coils and cores. Field-magnets, Pole-pieces, Field-magnet coils. Commutators, Collectors, Brushes, brush-holders. Curves of potentials and induction. Reaction of armature and field. Lead of brushes. Methods of exciting field-magnets. Classification of dynamos. Examples.

Transmission of electric energy. Accumulators. Transformers, Airlines, insulators, testing; modes of attaching the wire, material for wires, joints, lightning-protectors. Underground conduits. The three-wire system. Comparison with other methods of transmitting energy.

Motors: construction and application. Electric lighting. Incandescent lamps; arc lamps. Electric welding. Electric measurements and measuring apparatus. The volt. Amperemeters and voltmeters; construction and calibration. Ampere balances The balistic galvanometer. The Ohm; resistance coils; the shunts box; Ohmmeters. The Farad and micro-farad. The Watt.

VII.—PRACTICAL EXERCISES.

Measurement of the thickness of plates by the wire-gauge, micrometer, micrometer calliper, cover-glass tester, spherometer.

Determination of the radius of curvature of lenses by the spherometer.

The cathetometer; constructional details; adjustments; measurement of differences in heights; verification of Boyle's law; coefficient of tentional elasticity.

The longitudinal dividing machine: construction; manipulation, its use as a comparator; calibration of thermometer tubes.

The circular dividing machine: construction; manipulation.

The balance: adjustment; weighing by the method of vibration; comparison and calibration of weights; specific gravity of solids; cross-section of wires.

Moments of inertia.

The barometer: readings and corrections.

Themometer: comparison; verification of fixed points. Coefficients of expansion.

Hygrometry: absorption hygrometer; dewpoint hygrometers; the psychrometer; comparison of results.

Calorimetry: correction for loss of heat; specific heat of solids; heat of evaporation; heat of combustion.

Melting and boiling points; distillation.

Study of magnetic fields.

Faraday's Ice-pail experiments; exercises with quadrant electrometer.

Setting up and reading of galvanometers. Ohm's law; Wheatstone's bridge The meter bridge; insulation resistance by deflection method; resistance of wires by Kelvin's apparatus.

The potentiometer: current and voltage measurements.

Kelvin's balance; current; voltage; wattage.

The balastic galvanometer; determination of constant, dip and intensity of earth's magnetic field by the earth inductor.

Electrolysis: electrolytic current measurements.

Secondary batteries: constructional details and management.

Thermo-electrical experiments.

Exercises at the spectroscope. Photometric experiments. Focal distances of mirrors and lenses.

(*ix*) The following revised Syllabus in Mathematics has been adopted for the one given in paragraph 5 of the L.E. and B.E. Regulations (pages 79-80, Calendar, 1903):—

I.—MATHEMATICS.

FIRST PAPER.

Statics and Dynamics.

(*a*) Principle of virtual work. Analytical conditions of equilibrium.

Solution of problems in Statics by resolving and taking moments, by the principle of virtual work and by graphic methods.

Bending moments. The funicular polygon. The Catenary. Equilibrium of simple jointed frame-works.

(*b*) Units and dimensions.

Statical equivalence of the externally impressed forces with the effective forces in any system of bodies; the principles of linear and angular momentum; the principles of *vis viva*.

Gravitational Potential energy; potential energy of a stretched elastic string.

Motion under gravity of a particle on a smooth vertical circle and on other simple curves; simple harmonic motion; the simple and conical pendulum.

Motion of a rigid body about a fixed axis; the compound pendulum.

SECOND PAPER.

Hydrostatics.

Nature and general properties of fluid pressure.

Density and specific gravity of a homogeneous mixture.

Relations between pressure, density and force.

Thrust on a plane area. Centre of pressure.

Resultant pressure on an immersed solid on any immersed surface, particularly in the case of a homogeneous liquid at rest under gravity.

Conditions for the equilibrium and for the stability of the equilibrium of a floating body.

Hydrostatic Instruments. Determination of specific gravity. Properties of gases.

(*x*) The following revised Syllabuses in Natural Science for the L.E. and B.E. Examinations has been substituted for those given on pages 80—83, Calendar, 1903 :—

II.—NATURAL SCIENCE.

Geology.

I.—*Object of Geology.*—Its relations to other sciences. The doctrine of uniformity, its limits.

II.—*Astronomical Geology.*—Information obtained from meteorites and by the spectroscope. Probable history of the earth in its earlier stages of existence.

III.—*Geognosy.*—The globe and its envelopes. Shape and nature of globe; density; probable internal condition; evidences of pressure and internal heat. Persistence of continent ridges and abysmal depressions.

IV.—*Petrography.*—Macroscopic and Microscopic character of rocks. Microscopic elements; their importance for the study of the history of rocks. Microscopic character of quarts, orthoclase, plagioclase, augite, hornblend, olivine, calcite. Essential and accessory constituents. Classification of rocks. Characters and essential constituents of the following rocks.—Lime-stone, quartzite, amphibolite, gneiss, micaceous and chloritic schists, phyllite, granite, granophyr, quartzporphyry, syenite, trachyte, phonolite, obsidian, pumic, norite, diorite, biobase, dolerite, plagioclase-basalt, sand and gravel, sand-stones, conglomerates, breccias, shale, clay, laterite, tuffs, shellmarl, coral lime stone, chalk, peat lignite, coal, anthracite, graphite, petroleum, asphalt, clay iron-stone.

V.—*Dynamical Geology.*—Volcanic phenomena, description of volcanoes—kind, shape, description, relation to lines of weak resistance and instability. Theories of volcanicity. Hot springs. Earthquakes. Secular upheaval and depression. Geological functions of air. Geological functions of water and ice. Chemical and mechanical actions, denudation and deposition. Peculiarities of Indian rivers; glacial erosion; formation of lakes. Geological functions of plants and animals; coral islands.

VI.—*Petrogenetic Geology.*—Origin of granite, diorite, and basalt. Origin of sedimentary rocks; minerogen, phytogen and zoogen sedimentary rocks; theories on the origin of coal-beds. Origin of laterite. Origin of metamorphic rocks, theories of metamorphism, local and regional metamorphism. Origin of rock-cleavage. Ore deposits. Origin and classification.

VII.—*Architectonic Geology.*—Forms of bedding. Surface-markings. Concretions. Relative strata. Overlap. Groups of strata. Joints. Strike and dip; outcrop; monocline; syncline; anticline. Faults, origin and kinds. Intrusive phase of eruptivity; bosses, sheets, dykes, necks; inter-bedded phase of eruptivity, lavas, tuffs. Unconformability.

VIII.—*Palæontological Geology.*—Object. Conditions for the entombment of organic remains. Preservation of organic remains in mineral masses; fossilizator. Uses of fossils in Geology.

IX.—*Historical Geology*—Leading principles in stratigraphy. Equivalent strata, absence strata, and formations.

X.—*Indian Geology.*—With special reference to the Geology of the Bengal Presidency. Peninsular area. The metamorphic and crystalline series. The transition series. Lower and Upper Vindhyas; petrology; the Vindhyan basin. The Gondwana system; geological positions and characters, probable fluviatile origin; relations of Gondwana basins to existing valleys; lower and upper groups, Talchir-Karharbari, Barakar iron-stone shales, Raniganj, Rajmahal; the most important coal fields. The Deccan trap series, area and petrology. Laterite; distribution, age. Post tertiary and recent formations; older river gravels and clays; kankar. Indo-Gangetic plain; upland and alluvial soils, red soils, regur, peat. General outlines of the Geology of the Himalayan area.

XI.—*Physiographical Geology.*—Terrestrial features due to disturbance of crust, monoclival, symmetrical, unsymmetrical, reversed flexures, Alpine type of mountain structure. Features due to volcanic action. Features due to erosion. Indian examples.

XII.—*Field Geology.*—Geological surveying instruments, tracing of boundaries and faults. Sections; how to find direction and amount of dip; Dalton's construction; clinometer. Levelling. Surface, profile, datum level; benchmarks; methods of geological levelling. Lithology; practical exercises in the identification of Indian rocks.

Mineralogy.

PROVINCE OF MINERALOGY.. ITS RELATION TO OTHER SCIENCES.

I.—Properties of crystals independent of direction. Density and specific gravity. Methods of determining specific gravities; hydrostatic balance; pyknometer, Jolly's balance; floatation methods. Separation of rock-forming minerals by the floatation method.

II.—*Physical Crystallography.*—Elasticity. Relation of coefficient of elasticity to direction. Classification of crystals with reference to elasticity.

Cohesion. Cleavage, fracture, hardness: Mohs' scale.

Optical properties of minerals. Kind and degree of lustre. Double refraction and polarization. Nicol's prism. Classification of crystals according to their optical properties.

Uni-axial and bi-axial crystals. Examination of crystals in parallel and convergent polarized light. Rotation of plane of polarization. Absorption of light; idiochromatic and allochromatic minerals; pleochroism; Haidinger's dichroscope, microscope with one nicol.

Electrical properties. Pyro-electricity. Magnetic properties. Separation of rock-constituents by the electro-magnet.

III.—*Geometrical Crystallography.*—Relation of physical properties to geometrical form. Crystalline form; faces. Planes of reference, axes, parameters, indices; symbols. Law of rationality of indices. Principles of Miller's, Weiss', Naumann's notation. Fundamental form; its selection. Symmetry: planes and axes. Classes and systems. Simple forms and combinations. Closed and open forms; prismatic, tabular, and pyramidal habit. Nature of hemihedrism. The nature of tetartohedrism. Hemimorphism. Crystallographic mimicry. Isomorphism and heteromorphism. Morphotrophism and isogonism Twinning: twinning plane; twinning axes. Contact twins and penetration twins; distinctive features of hemitropes. Crystalline aggregates, druses. Pseudomorphism. Measurement of angles; contact and reflecting goniometers; relative merits.

IV.—*Chemical Mineralogy.*—Calculation of formula. Classification of minerals. Group tests.

V.—*Descriptive Mineralogy.*—A somewhat detailed description of the following minerals:—

Elements.—Diamond, gold.

Sulphides—Pyrite, marcasite, pyrhotite, galena, sphalerite, chalcopyrite.

Oxides—Corundum, hematite, spinel, magnetite, quartz, cassiterite, limonite.

Oxysalts:—

(*a*) Carbonates—Calcite, dolomite, siderite, arragonite, malachite.

(*b*) Sulphates—Anhydrite, barite, gypsum.

(*c*) Phosphates—Apatite.

(*d*) Silicates—Tourmaline, epidote, olivine, garnet, muscovite, biotite, talc, serpentine, pyroxene, amphibol, orthoclase, microcline, albite, aligoclase-labradorite, kaolinite.

Haloidsalts—Halite, flourite.

VI.—*Practical exercises.*—Determination of specific gravities. Use of the scale of hardness. Exercises at the polarization microscope. Measurement of angles by the aid of contact and reflecting goniometers. Blow-pipe analysis. Identification of Indian minerals.

Practical Metallurgy.—

Preparation of common alloys of known composition (and determination of the tensile strength of the alloys prepared).

(Mechanical testing of mortars and cements.)

Fire testing of the qualities of clays and brick earths.

Determination of ash, coke, and sulphur in fuels.

Determination of the calorific power of fuels by the Thomson and Hempel calorimeters.

Determination of furnace temperatures by some form of pyrometer.

Rough analysis of products of combustion.

Furnace gases and gases from gas-engines.

VIII.—*Mechanics of a Machinery.*—Simple practical applications of kinematics and dynamics of machinery. Elementary forms of machines. Gearing for transmitting and modifying motion.

Steam-Engine.—Heat and work. Properties of steam.

Indicators and indicator diagrams. Valve motion. Modern types of steam-engine. Details of construction. Governor's fly-wheels. Condensers, Boilers: their construction and working; boiler fittings. Piping Feed-pumps and injectors. Feedwater. Heaters and economisers

Tests of engines and boilers.

Gas and oil engines. General principles of action. Conditions of economical working.

Physics.

PRACTICAL EXERCISES.

Tracing of the B. H. course by means of Du Bois' Balance and Leonard's Bismuth Spiral. Experiments with Ewing's Curve Tracer and Ewing's Hysteresimeter. Determination of the Horizontal component of Terrestrial Magnetism by means of Kelvin's apparatus. Experiments with direct current apparatus. Constructional details of a direct-current Dynamo. Running of dynamos. Characteristics of series, shunt and compound dynamos. Armature characteristics. Magnetisation curves of dynamos. Characteristic of a Thomson-Houston arc-dynamo: efficiency of dynamos and motors with and without Dynamometers. Study of arc-lamps. Calibration of ammeters and voltmeters. Construction and testing of electricity-supply meters. Exploration of the field of a dynamo; S. P. Thomson's method; the Dynamo Indicator; Leonard's Bismuth Spiral; coefficient of magnetic leakage; power lost by Hysteresis and Foucault currents. Effects of variation of speed; variation of economic coefficient.

Experiments with alternate current apparatus. Study of alternate currents by means of the Oscillograph. Constructional details of alternate current generators. Curve of magnetisation. Exploration of the field. Coefficient of self-induction of coils; Impedance method, three-voltmeter method; variation of inductance with current. Saturation of core. Resistance in series circuits. Measurement of power; three-voltmeter method, three-amperemeter method. Effect of frequency on the angle of lag. Measurement of mutual inductance. Construction of transformers. Transformer tests. Measurement of capacity of a condenser. Comparison of capacities. Effects of capacity in alternate current circuits. Experiments with triphase generators and motors.

The above changes in the Regulations for the Examinations in Engineering will take effect at the Examinations in 1906.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 24th August 1903.

K. C. BANURJI,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

ERRATUM.

IN the orders by the Syndicate of the Calcutta University, published on page 1018, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 29th July 1903, *for* "Manindralal Bandyopadhyay" in order No. 6 *read* "Manindranath Bandyopadhyay."

SENATE HOUSE,
The 24th August 1903.

K. C. BANURJI,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

THE Senate will proceed in the month of August 1904 to the election of a Tagore Professor of Law for the term of one year, to commence on the 1st of August 1905.

The salary of the Professorship is Rs. 9,000 per annum, and the Professor will be expected to deliver a course of not less than twelve lectures on one of the following subjects:—

(1) The rules of Interpretation in Hindu Law, with special reference to the Mimánsá aphorisms as applied to Hindu Law.
(2) The Mahomedan Law of Inheritance according to the several schools, with a history of its origin, growth, and development.
(3) The Law of Specific Relief in British India.

Candidates for the Professorship are requested to forward their applications to the Registrar on or before the 1st May 1904, stating on which of the abovenamed three subjects they are prepared to lecture. Each candidate will forward with his application one hundred copies of a brief synopsis of his proposed lectures; and, if he so pleases, the same number of copies of his Introductory Lecture.

The Professor will be expected to commence his lectures in August 1905, to complete the delivery thereof in the following January, and to hold an examination of the students who have attended his lectures. He will be further required to send to the Registrar a complete manuscript copy of his lectures before the commencement of the delivery thereof, failing which his appointment shall be liable to be cancelled by the Senate on the recommendation of the Faculty of Law.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 24th August 1903.

K. C. BANURJI,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

ORDERS BY THE SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates have passed the B.E. Examination:—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

1.	Basu, Probodhchandra	C. E. College, Sibpur.
2.	Bandyopadhyay, Sailendranath	Ditto.
3.	Sen, Jatindranath	Ditto.
4.	Williamson, N. A.	Ditto.
5.	Basu, Nanibhushan	Ditto.
6.	Hui, Rasiklal	Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

1.	Raychaudhuri, Samares	C. E. College, Sibpur.
2.	Ghosh, Ramranjan	Ditto.
3.	Bhawani, Jatadhari	Ditto.
4.	Bhuyan, Arjun	Ditto.
5.	S. M. Abdul Aziz	Ditto.
6.	Bhattacharyya, Basantakumar	Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 20th August 1903.*

K. C. BANURJI, *Registrar.*

Office Memo. of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1904.

TEST-EXAMINATION OF PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. A student who does not appear from any school, or who has been transferred since the 1st September next preceding the examination, without the consent of the Inspector, to the school from which he appears, will be treated as a private student.

2. All private students are required to appear at the test-examination of a zilla school. No private student will be admitted to the test-examination unless accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to the Head Master.

3. The first day of the test-examination in all zilla schools in the Bhagalpur Division will be the 14th December 1903.

4. Each private student will have to pay a fee of Rs. 2 for permission to appear at the test-examination to the Head of the institution at which he appears. The balance of fees, after payment of expenses (stationery, &c.), will go as remuneration to the examiners.

5. Candidates for the test-examination should apply to this office not later than the 9th November 1903. They should forward the certificates granted to them under the transfer rules by the Head Master of the school in which they last read. In the case of a candidate who had failed at a previous Entrance examination and did not join a school afterwards, the Registrar's receipt, in original, will be accepted in lieu of the transfer certificate.

6. A student who had failed to pass the annual examination for promotion to the first class at the end of session 1902-1903 and then left the school cannot under any circumstances be allowed to appear at the Entrance examination that will be held on the 7th March 1904 and following days.

7. Each candidate should submit with his application a statement showing—

(1) Age.
(2) Residence.
(3) Father's name.
(4) Second language, besides English.
(5) Whether he appeared at any previous Entrance examination.

8. *Bonâ-fide* teachers employed in any of the recognised schools in the Bhagalpur Division may be admitted to the test-examination on payment of the prescribed fee, provided they can produce certificates of service and character from their employers, or from the Deputy Inspector of the district concerned.

9. The forms of application for permission to appear at the Entrance examination will be signed by the Head Master of the zilla school at which the candidates have undergone the test, and will be forwarded by him to the Inspector for countersignature.

10. Applications and fees for admission to the Entrance examination must be forwarded to the Registrar of the Calcutta University by the private candidates themselves, so as to reach his office on or before the 25th January 1904.

F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS, 1904.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools, and *bonâ fide* teachers of recognised English schools in the Bhagalpur Division of two years' standing, *i.e.*, who have served as such for full two academical sessions, or for six months in the case of those who were admitted to a former examination of the same class, will be admitted to the above examinations. These latter must have served for six months prior to the submission of their applications to the Inspector for countersignature. School-masters should produce certificates of character and length of service (with dates) from the Managers of the schools in which they are employed. Their applications must reach this office not later than the 4th January 1904.

2. Candidates for the B.A. examination must forward with the applications their F.A. certificates, and those for the F.A. examination their Entrance certificates.

3. Candidates should read carefully the certificate which this office will have to sign, and must be careful to supply all information and documents required, without which the Inspector must decline to sign it.

4. The F.A. and B.A. examinations in 1904 will be held on the 21st March 1904 and following days.

5. Applications and fees for admission to the above examinations must be forwarded to the Registrar, Calcutta University, by the candidates themselves so as to reach his office on or before the 6th February 1904.

BHAGALPUR,
The 19th August 1903.

P. CHATTERJEE,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

DACCA DIVISION.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

Private Students.

1. A student who has not attended any H. E. School recognised by the University since the 1st September next preceding the Entrance Examination or has been transferred after the 1st September to the school from which he appears without the consent of the Divisional Inspector of Schools will be treated as a private student.

2. The term "Private student" includes school-masters.

3. Private students desirous of being sent up to the ensuing University Entrance Examination must appear at the test examination of one of the undermentioned schools:—

(1) Dacca Collegiate School.	(3) Faridpur Zilla School.
(2) Mymensingh Zilla School.	(4) Barisal Zilla School.

4. The test examinations of the zilla schools will be held on the 16th December 1903 and the following days. The date of examination of the collegiate school should be ascertained from the Head Master of that school.

5. Every private candidate must submit his application to the Head Master of one of the schools named above at least three weeks before the test examination, and satisfy the following conditions:—

(*a*) that he has not failed at the test examination of any Entrance school during the current session;

(*b*) that he has not left school from any class lower than the first; and

(*c*) that he has left the school in which he last read with a transfer certificate, or (in case of a candidate who appeared at any previous examination) he is in possession of the Registrar's receipt.

A school-master is required to produce a certificate from the Secretary of the school in which he has served as a *bonâ fide* teacher for a period not less than six months, or if he has served in several schools, he must produce certificates from the Secretaries of each of them to prove that he has served as a *bonâ fide* teacher in all of them.

6. Every private candidate must pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master of the school at which he appears for examination. After payment of the necessary expenses, the balance of fees will be paid to the examiners as remuneration.

7. He must be accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to the officer conducting the examination, and satisfy him as to his character, otherwise he will not be admitted to the test examination.

8. The Head Masters of the schools named above are requested to send to this office a statement showing the marks gained by each private candidate in each subject at the test examination within a fortnight from the date of the said examination, and are authorised to sign the application forms of eligible candidates, which should be forwarded to this office for countersignature and transmission to the Registrar of the University of Calcutta in due time.

9. Private candidates should arrange to remit their examination fees, together with the application forms direct to the Registrar.

F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools, and *bonâ fide* teachers of recognised English schools will be admitted to the F.A. and B.A. Examinations as private candidates, provided they have served in their respective capacities for a period of two academical years.

Bonâ fide teachers are those who hold paid appointments in English schools teaching at least the Middle English standard.

2. Exceptions to the above rule will be made in case of those candidates who, after failure at a previous examination, have served for six months since the date of the examination. If, however, a candidate does not complete six months' service at the time of submitting his application, he must satisfy this office that he will stick to the post till he completes six months' service before the examination.

3. School-masters should submit, with their applications, certificates of character and length of service from the Secretaries of their respective schools, and also the University certificates, in proof of their having passed the Entrance or F.A. Examination, as the case may be. Candidates who were admitted to a previous examination should produce the Registrar's receipt in addition.

4. Applications must reach this office on or before the 9th January 1904.

5. Fees should be remitted by the candidates direct to the Registrar of the University of Calcutta, together with the application forms countersigned by the Inspector of Schools, so as to reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 6th February 1904.

DACCA,
The 3rd August 1903.

MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM,
Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.

List of candidates who have passed the Central Examination of the Bengal Madrasahs held in March 1903.

	Calcutta Madrasah (arranged in order of merit).	Division.
	Senior Fourth-year class.	
1	Siddíq Ahmad	1st
2	Masúd Áli	,,
3	Sayyid Wasí-ud-Din	,,
4	Hafiz Áli	,,
5	Ábdul Bári	,,
6	Hatim Áhmad	,,
7	Abdur Raúf	,,
8	Wahid Bakhsh	,,
9	Hafiz Abdur Razzáq	,,
10	Abdul Jabbár	2nd
11	Núr Ahmad	,,
12	Abdus Samad	3rd
13	Jamal Khan	,,
14	Qamar-ud-Din	,,
	Senior Third-year class.	
1	Muhammad Ruhul Amin	1st
2	Muhammad Shafiqul Haq	,,
3	Abdul Musawwir	,,
4	Ahmad Gul	,,
5	Azizur Rahman (II)	,,
6	Muhammad Nurulláh	,,
7	Muhammad Áli Imdad	3rd
8	Mukhlisur Ráhmán	,,
	Senior Second-year class.	
1	Ajmal Áli	1st
2	Muhammad Yáqúb (II)	,,
3	Muhammad Abdur Rahman (II)	,,
4	Abul Mahásin Muhammad Anwárulláh ...	,,
5	Abdul Bárí	,,
6	Abdul Áziz	,,
7	Muhammad Yáqúb (III)	,,
8	Muhammad Obaidul Háq	,,
9	Hasan Áli	2nd
10	Nazimud-Din	,,
11	Abdus Sobhan	,,
12	Amir Ali	3rd
	Senior First-year class.	
1	Muhammad Ábdul Ghaní	1st
2	Ráshid Áli	,,
3	Muhammad Ziya-ul-Haq	,,
4	Irfan Áli	,,
5	Abdul Wahháb	,,
6	Muhammad Ábdulláh	,,
7	Muhammad Serájul-Haq	,,
8	Muhammad Husain	.
9	Muhammad Isháq	3rd
10	Hafiz Tawakkul Áli	,,
11	Muhammad Elahi Bakhsh	,,
12	Muhammad Hàmid	,,

	Chittagong Madrasah (arranged in order of merit).	Division.
	Senior Fourth-year class.	
1	Mukhlisar Rahmun	1st
2	Ahmad-ul-Haq	,,
3	Muhammad Isháq (II)	,,
4	Ján Áli	2nd
5	Abdul Hakim (I)	,,
6	Hafizur Rahman	3rd
7	Muhammad Sadiq	,,
8	Abdul Hagy (II)	,,
	Senior Third-year class.	
1	Muhammad Yáhyá	3rd
	Senior Second-year class.	
1	Usmán Áli	1st
2	Eláhí Bakhsh	,,
3	Tafazzulur Rahman	2nd
4	Abdul-Wajid	3rd
	Senior First-year class.	
1	Muhammad Isháq	1st
2	Muníruzzamán	,,
3	Ahmad	2nd
4	Ruhul Amin	,,
5	Azam Ulláh	,,
6	Abdur Rahman	,,
7	Muhammad Yusuf	,,
8	Mustafizur Rahman	3rd
9	Muhammad Yáqub	,,
10	Ziya-ul-Háq	,,

Dacca Madrasah (arranged in order of merit).

	Senior Fourth-year class.	
1	Ábdul Latif	1st
2	Abdus Subhan	,,
3	Mutíur Rahman	,,
4	Amin-ud-Din	2nd
5	Gholam Mawlá	,,
6	Ambar Áli	,,
7	Ahmadullah	3rd
	Senior Third-year class.	
1	Ansarud-Din	1st
2	Habibulláh	,,
3	Amin-ud-Din	2nd
4	Mahí-ud-Din	3rd
	Senior Second-year class.	
1	Munirud-Din	1st
2	Abdul Ghani (Kishorganj)	,,
3	Raushan Áli	,,
4	Muhammad Abdul Ghani (Sylhet) ...	,,
5	Abul Khair Muhammad Abdul Wahid ...	2nd
6	Tabarak Áli	,,
7	Muhammad Yásín	3rd

	Dacca Madrasah—*concluded* (arranged in order of merit).	Division.
	Senior First-year class.	
1	Tayyab Áh	1st
2	Afsar-ud-Din	,,
3	Zainul Ábedín	,,
4	Sayyid Muhammad Ismaíl	,,
5	Abdul Majíd	,,
6	Núrulláh	2nd
7	Abdul Ghafúr	3rd
8	Mufizud-Din Ahmad	,,
9	Muhammad Sálik	,,
10	Wali Ulláh	,,
11	Mufazzal Husain	,,
12	Abdus Salám	,,
	Hooghly Madrasah (arranged in order of merit).	
	Senior Fourth-year class.	
1	Abdul Majid	1st
2	Sayyid Qanáát Husáin	,,
3	Khairul Anam	2nd
4	Muhammad Munir	3rd
	Senior Third-year class.	
1	Qurbán Áli	1st
2	Waris-ud-Din Ahmad	,,
	Senior Second-year class.	
1	Muniruzzaman	1st
2	Muhammad Habibur Rahman	,,
3	Abdul Hádé	,,
	Senior First-year class.	
1	Abdur Nasír	1st
	Comillah Husamiah Madrasah (arranged in order of merit).	
	Senior Fourth-year class.	
1	Abdul Jabbar	2nd
2	Bazlur Rahmán	3rd
3	Ziya-ud-Din	,,
	Senior Third-year class.	
1	Muhammad Ayyúb	2nd
	Senior Second-year class.	
1	Muhammad Isháq	3rd
2	Azim-ud-Din	,,
	Senior First-year class.	
1	Abdul Hamid	2nd
	Sassaram Madrasah (arranged in order of merit).	
	Senior Fourth-year class.	
1	Muhammad Táhir	3rd
2	Muhammad Abdus Sobhán	,,

	Sitakund Madrasah (arranged in order of merit).	Division.
	Senior Fourth-year class.	
1	Mubarak Áli	2nd
	Senior Second-year class.	
1	Sadáqat ulláh	1st
2	Barakatulláh	2nd
	Senior First-year class.	
1	Muhammad Yáqúb	2nd
2	Muhammad Zaki-ud-Din ...	,,
	Noakhali Ahmadiya Madrasah (arranged in order of merit).	
	Senior Third-year class.	
1	Anwár-ullah	3rd
	Senior First-year class.	
1	Azízur Rahman	2nd
2	Shajá-át Áli	3rd
3	Abdul Hamid	,,
	Dacca Ahsaniya Madrasah (arranged in order of merit).	
	Senior First-year class.	
1	Sana Ullah	3rd
	Sirajganj Madrasah (arranged in order of merit).	
	Senior First-year class.	
1	Sirájul Haq	3rd
2	Akhbar Husain	,,

H. E. STAPLETON,

Offg. Principal, Calcutta Madrasah and Registrar,
Central Examination of Bengal Madrasahs.

Statement showing the quantity of Salt (Private Property) in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the River Hooghly on the 15th day of August 1903, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th August 1903.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH AUGUST 1903, INCLUSIVE.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the Port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	... ..	6,38,135	7,05,714	14,43,849	17,458	15,01,307	1,00,048	2,20,884	70,150	1,22,299
Other European countries—										
Hamburg salt	.....	1,01,025	73,744	2,62,769	7,235	2,71,004	24,703	1,10,735	23,425	6,058
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	.....	1,38,981	.....	1,38 981	1,138	1,40,119	56,790	2,01,444	69,350	4,832
Sahl salt	.....	92,310	... ..	92,310	.	92,310	24,650	716	...	33,400
Salif rock salt ...	... ..	21,539	...	21,539		21,539	1,150		..	800
Rawayah salt	.. ..	92,471	14,005	1,06,476	1,42,896	2,50,302	24,424	1,90,556	22,600	14,254
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Rock salt.	.....	3,620	.....	3,620	.....	3,620	500	... .	.. ..	.....
British India—										
Bombay salt	... .	31,919	...	31,919	..	31,919	14,250*	8,285	1,650	21,650
Cocanada salt	.				. ....	. ...		2,400	2,400	..
Total .	....	12,80,300	8,82,463	21,62,763	1,69,637	23,12,420	8,06,715	7,34,990	1,98,575	2,03,293

* This quantity passed free of duty, duty having been paid at Bombay.

Errata.—In statement ending on the 31st July 1903, read against Salif salt and Salif Rock salt as follows :—

	Column 6.	Column 7.	Column 9.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Salif Salt	12,(14	1,12,344	1,45,639
Salif Rock Salt	1,045	21,684	6,905

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

L. F. MORSHEAD, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 25th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6572B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Wednesday, the 2nd September 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of ...	2,000
Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of ...	2,000
Total ...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th September 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 17th September 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory, about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory ; about chests.	Total, about chests.
On or about Monday, 12th October 1903...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 2nd November „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	6,000	6,000	12,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th July 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on Monday, the 13th July 1903, Maulvi Mohamed Wasir Khan, zamindar, was duly elected a Commissioner in Ward No. V of the Sasaram Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, *vice* Shah Moizuddin Ahmed, resigned.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 20th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that the following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Committee for the management of the Raja Prasanna Nath Ray Dispensary at Rampur Boalia, in the district of Rajshahi :—

1. The District Magistrate ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Civil Surgeon, Rajshahi ... ... }
3. Babu Bhubon Mohun Moitra.
4. „ Kedareshwar Acharjee, M.B.
5. Rai Kedar Prasanna Lahiri Bahadur.
6. Babu Kumodini Kanta Banerjee.
7. „ Haran Chunder Banerjee.
8. Mr. La Marchant.
9. Babu Kishori Mohun Chaudhury, M.A., B.L.
10. Maulvi Syed Tuffazul Hossein.
11. Babu Kunja Mohun Moitra.
12. „ Shoshi Bhosan Roy.
13. „ Mohendra Kumar Sha Chowdhury.
14. „ Kali Prasanna Acharjee.
15. „ Hari Charan Moitra.
16. „ Shoshodhur Roy.
17. The Chairman of the Rampur Municipality ... *Ex-officio.*

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commissioner of Rajshahi.*

DARJEELING, *the 20th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the gentlemen named below have been appointed, under rule 21 (*b*) of the rules for the management of Hospitals and Charitable Dispensaries, to be members of the Managing Committee for the Brahmanbaria Charitable Dispensary of the District Board of Tippera, *vice* Reverend J. Takle, Babu Akshoy Kumar Sen, and Babu Devendra Prasad Bagchi, who have left the district :—

1. Babu Chandra Kumar Chatterji, Munsif, Brahmanbaria.
2. Second Deputy Magistrate, Brahmanbaria, *ex-officio*.
3. Babu Khagendra Nath Bose, Munsif, Brahmanbaria.

C. J. S. FAULDER, *Commissioner*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 18th August 1903*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 43 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, I appoint Babu Sarat Chandra Bose to be a member of the Kalia Union Committee, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Babu Manoda Prasanna Sen, resigned.

CHANDI DAS GHOSE, *Personal Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr., on tour*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th August 1903*.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 1903.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 21st August 1903.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Bihar Light Horse.

No. 870.—Captain John Barclay resigns his commission, with effect from the 6th July 1903.

Hugh Blackmore, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, with effect from the 1st August 1903, *vice* Hare, transferred to the supernumerary list.

3rd (Cadet) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 872.—Second-Lieutenant John James Meikle to be Captain, with effect from the 1st July 1903, *vice* Clark, transferred to the supernumerary list.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1792T.M.—The 20th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the Commissioners of the Noakhali Municipality of Babu Bagala Prasanna Majumdar to be the Chairman of the Noakhali Municipality.

Noakhali.

No. 1794T.M.—The 19th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Ramjibanpore Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, of Babu Ram Moy Ganguli to be their Chairman.

Midnapore.

No. 1796T.M.—The 19th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Upendra Nath Mitra to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 1798T.M.—The 18th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Tamluk Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, of Babu Durga Ram Bose to be their Chairman.

Midnapore.

No. 1800T.M.—The 20th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the North Dum-Dum Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Jadu Nath Roy Choudhury to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 1802T.M.—The 18th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Basirhat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Gholam Quassim to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

Darbhanga.

No. 1804T.M.—The 18th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the District Magistrate of Darbhanga to be the Chairman of the Darbhanga Municipality.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 1830T.M.—The 19th August 1903.—Under section 15 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the following statement showing the number and boundaries of wards into which the Deoghur Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, will be divided for the purposes of election under section 14, and the number of Commissioners to be elected for each ward, is published for general information in modification of Government notification dated the 13th October 1884, published in the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, pages 2011 to 2021:—

Number of ward.	BOUNDARIES.	Number of Commissioners to be elected for each ward.
I	*North.*—A line along the Jalsair embankment from its junction with Jalsair Road to the south-west corner of the Mansingha tank and along its southern bank, Williams's Road, to south-west corner of the Sivaganga tank, Jones's Road to its junction with the Trunk Road, and thence on the Bilasi Bridge. *East.*—The eastern boundary of the Deoghur Municipality from the Bilasi Bridge to Dumka Road. *South.*—From the junction of the eastern boundary with Dumka Road; to the north-east corner of the Bhairab Talao, the northern and western embankment of the Bhairab Talao, and from the south-west corner of the tank; to Udit Narayan Lane, and Nizabat Hossein Road up to its junction with Station Road. *West.*—From the above point on the Station Road to its junction with the Trunk Road, along Trunk Road to junction with Jalsair Road, Jalsair Road to Jalsair embankment. [This area comprises the town proper of Deoghur.]	Four.
II	*North.*—A line running from the Jamunajore along Roe Street and Station Road to its junction with Nizabat Hossein Road; Nizabat Hossein Road, Udit Narayan Lane, to south-west corner of the Bhairab Talao and along the western and northern bank of the Bhairab Talao to its north-east corner; then to the junction of the Dumka Road with the eastern boundary of the Municipality. *East.*—Eastern boundary of the Municipality ... ... *South.*—Southern boundary of the Municipality ... *West.*—Jamunajore to north-west corner of this ward ... [This area comprises Carstairs' town, a part of Shyamganj and Jhamgari.]	Three.
III	*North.*—Northern boundary of Municipality ... ... *East.*—From source of Jamunajore adjoining northern boundary along the jore. *South.*—Southern boundary of the Municipality lying west of the Jamunajore. *West.*—Western boundary of Municipality	Two.

Number of ward.	Boundaries.	Number of Commissioners to be elected for each ward.
IV	*North.*—A line from north-east corner of Ward III along the northern boundary of the Municipality. *East.*—Eastern boundary of the Municipality up to Bilasi Bridge. *South.*—From Bilasi Bridge along Trunk Road to its junction with Jones's Road and thence Jones's Road, Williams's Road, southern bank of Mansingha tank and from south-west corner of this tank to Jalsair (southern) embankment to its junction with Jalsair Road, and then along Jalsair Road to Trunk Road; to its junction with Station Road, Station Road, Roe Street to Jamunajore. *West.*—Jamunajore to north-east corner of Ward No. III ... [This area comprises Williams's town and part of Shyamganj.]	One.

No. 1838T.M.—The 21st August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 6 (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to establish the new public ferry named in the margin, which is situated in the district of Faridpur.

Faridpur

Horai ferry across the River Horai, with a subsidiary one on its branch, the Gasirgara Channel, at the crossing of Madabdtola and Horai-Baharpur Local Board roads.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased, in the exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 35 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, to direct that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Faridpur, and that all the proceeds thereof and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be credited to the Faridpur District Fund, with effect from the date of this notification.

No. 1840T.M.—The 20th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Syed Izhar Hossain to be a member of the Madhubani Local Board, in the district of Darbhanga, *vice* Babu Jugeswar Nath Mattey, resigned.

Darbhanga.

No. 1844T.M.—The 20th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Maulvi Khondkar Azizal Haq has been elected by the members of the Kandi Local Board, in the district of Murshidabad, to be a member of the Murshidabad District Board, *vice* Babu Purnendu Narayan Roy, resigned.

Murshidabad.

No. 1846T.M.—The 20th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. H. C. Fraser to be a member of the District Board of Murshidabad, *vice* Mr. G. W. A. Coxon, resigned.

Murshidabad.

No. 1848T.M.—The 21st August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 6 (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to establish the new public ferry named in the margin, which is situated in the district of Faridpur.

Faridpur.

Gobindopur ferry across the Gobindopur khal at the terminus of the embanked portion of the fair-weather road from Gobindopur to Goalundo, near the municipal burning ghat.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased, in the exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 35 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, to direct that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Faridpur, and that all the proceeds thereof and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be credited to the Faridpur District Fund, with effect from the date of this notification.

No. 1850T.M.—The 20th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Nalchitti Municipality, in the district of Backergunge, of Babu Banamali Roy to be their Chairman.

Backergunge.

No. 1857T.M.—The 21st August 1903.—Whereas a notification, No. 951M., dated the 26th February 1903, was published at page 45, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to sanction the levy by the Commissioners of the Dumka Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, of a tax under section 131 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, on carriages and on horses and other animals specified in the fifth schedule of the Act, at rates not exceeding those mentioned in the said schedule; and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 86 (*a*) of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Dumka Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 1859T.M.—The 21st August 1903.—Whereas a notification, No. 953M., dated the 26th February 1903, was published at page 46, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to sanction, under section 86 (*b*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the levy by the Commissioners of the Dumka Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, of a fee on the registration, under section 142 of the Act, of carts which are kept or are used in the ordinary course of business within, or which are let for hire within or without the Municipality and are used in the ordinary course of business within the Municipality, at rates not exceeding those mentioned in section 143 of the Act; and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 86 (*b*) of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Dumka Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 1861T.M.—The 21st August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Panihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Tran Nath Banerji to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 1871T.M.—The 21st August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the North Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Surendranath Banerji to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 1884T.M.—The 22nd August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended by Bengal Acts IV of 1894 and II of 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Comilla Municipality, in the district of Tippera, of Raj Kumar Navadvip Chandra Deb Barman to be their Chairman.

Tippera.

No. 1886T.M.—The 22nd August 1903.—Whereas a notification, No. 596T.—M., dated the 16th May 1903, was published at page 95, Part IB, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th May 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of clause (2) of section 252 and section 276 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to the Bihar Municipality, in the district of Patna; and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Bihar Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said Municipality.

Patna.

2. In accordance with the provisos to sections 252 and 276 of the Act, it is hereby further notified for general information that the provisions of the Act referred to in the foregoing paragraph shall come into operation within the limits of the Bihar Municipality after the expiration of a period of six months from the date of the publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

No. 1921T.M.—The 24th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Kishun Sahay, has been elected by the members of the Siwan Local Board, in the district of Saran, to be a member of the Saran District Board, *vice* Mr. R. Macdonald.

Saran.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 1863T.M.—The 21st August 1903.—In Government Notification No. 1911M., dated 20th July 1903, published at page 166, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, regarding the election of Chairman of the Bansberia Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, *for* "Babu Satindra Deb Rai Mohasay" *read* "Satindra Deb Rai Mohasay."

Hooghly.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1817T.M.—The 19th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for Suburban Drainage Main Sewer No. 2 in Chuckerbere Road. North, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose pieces of land, Nos. 14-15 Puddopukur Road, and 44, 46-1, 48-3 Chuckerbere Road, North, in Calcutta, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 6 cottas 3 chittaks and 8 square feet, are required. The boundaries of the lands are as follow:—

24-Parganas.

PLOT A.

North—The remaining portions of premises No. 14 Puddopukur Road and 46-1 Chuckerbere Road, North.
East—Chuckerbere Road, North.
South—Chuckerbere Road, North, and Puddopukur Road.
West—Puddopukur Road.

PLOT B.

North—Chuckerbere Road, North.
East—Remaining portion of premises No. 15 Puddopukur Road.
South—Puddopukur Road.
West—Chuckerbere Road and Puddopukur Road.

PLOT C.

North—Chuckerbere Road, North.
East—Premises No. 43-1 Chuckerbere Road, North.
South—Premises No. 45 „ „ „
West—Chuckerbere Road, North.

PLOT D.

North—Premises No. 1 Balaram Bose's 1st Lane.
East—Chuckerbere Road, North.
South—Common passage.
West—Premises No. 1 Balaram Bose's 1st Lane and No. 12 Puddopukur Road.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Commissioners.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1916T.M.—The 24th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dacca for a public purpose, viz., for a dispensary, in the village of Bankhuri, pargana Makimpur, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 11 cottahs 10 dhoors of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north by Radha Krishna Mazumdar's *khamar* land, on the south by Sukha Khal and Rup Chand's house, on the east by Ram Chandra Mazumdar's *khamar* land and Alimaddi's *jote* land, and on the west by the Bankhuri Bazar and khal.

Dacca.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chairman of the District Board of Dacca.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at Berhampur for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
233	Pardesar taraf, pargana Rajpur.	Rs. A. P. 965 15 1	Whole ...	.....	Dharma Dass Mustafi and others of Shubharia, thana Balagar, district Hooghly.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 0 3 9	Rs. A. P. .....

Berhampur, the 5th August 1903.

A. C. MACKERTICH, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
26	Sribatabanda taluq, pargana Gunasandi.	Rs. A. P. 1,233 11 7	Whole ...	..	Srish Chandra Banerjee and others.	Rs. A. P. ..	Rs. A. P. 19 2 3	Rs. A. P. .....

Tippera Collectorate, the 4th August 1903.

N. C. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 1st Asvin 1310 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1533	Taluk Krishna Prosad Guha, pargana Rajirgomedpur.	Rs. A. P. 3,900 15 8	Whole estate.	.....	Brojo Lal Rai Chowdhury and others.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P. 32, 1 6½	Rs. A. P.
1720	Zamindari pargana Chandradvip Rs. 11g. 2c. 2k1. share, pargana Chandradvip.	44,537 13 6	.. ...	Separate account No. 6, share 14g. 3c. 1k1. 7t. 3ch.	Raj Kumar Rai Chowdhuri	3,837 7 10½	.....	392 4 11½
1764	Zamindari, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur, 3a. 1g. 3c. 1k1. share, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur.	8,543 6 8	Whole estate.	.....	Ananda Chandra Rai ...		820 7 5½	
1907	Taluk Fate Mahamad, pargana Khanja Bahadurnagar.	738 3 9	Ditto ...	.....	Kusum Kumari Debi Chowdhurani.	.... .	92 4 7½	.....
3843	Zamindari pargana Selimabad, 18x., pargana Selimabad.	3,599 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Nabin Chandra Sen Chowdhuri and others.	.....	223 11 11	. . .
3844	Ditto ...	3,599 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Sareda Prosad Sen Chowdhuri and others		312 5 4	...
4534	Char Sarikal, pargana Zasira.	3,441 11 3	Ditto ...	. .	Rahimunnessa Khatun and others.	.	2,041 11 3	.

Barisal, the 24th July 1903.

D. WESTON, Offg. Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the Collector's Office of that district on 7th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
4415	Pargana Haveli, taraf Mahamudpur, mahal Salehpur.	Rs A. P. 1,017 0 0	Whole ...	.... .	Probhat Chandra Chatopadhya.	..	Rs A. P. 282 0 0	. .

Faridpur, the 30th July 1903.

F. W. WARD, Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of the district on 10th September 1903 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
839	Sothgaman, pargana Bhala.	Rs. A. P. 503 13 1	The whole		Pun Nath Jha, guardian of Kamla Nath Jha and Mussamat Gun lata Dai.	.	Rs. A. P. 56 9 11	.

Darbhanga Collectorate, the 25th July 1903.

W. B. HEYCOCK, Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 28th August 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of Land Revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares are excluded from sale.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	2	Magura Kaugauluria and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,828 15 2½	Whole ...	...	Surendra Nath Deb and others.	.	Rs. A. P. 329 0 1½	.. ..

Alipore, the 27th July 1903 R. C. GHOSH, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
4	Senbhum, pargana Senbhum, thana Bolpur.	Rs. A. P. 41,236 7 8		Residuary share, excepting separate accounts Nos. 1, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rajabalika Goswamini and others.	Rs A. P. 1,326 15 11	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P 34 7 7
17	Kagas, pargana Moureswar Sabek, thana Labpur.	17,182 13 0		Separate account No. V . All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Mukherjee and others.	4,645 4 0		36 10 11
145	Bagdola, pargana Akbarshahi, thana Suri.	1,033 7 0	.....	Residuary share amounting to 12 annas' share, excepting separate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale	Gnanendra Chandra Mukherjee and others.	775 1 3		17 9 0

Birbhum Collectorate, Suri, the 27th July 1903. A. AHMAD, Collector.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th September 1903 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Elahabad zamindari, pargana Elahabad.	Rs. A. P.	Share ..	Residuary share 8 annas.	Latifannessa Choudhurain, Golaprose Choudhurain.	Rs. A. P. 852 8 4	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P. Land revenue— 132 12 3 Road cess— 115 12 0 248 8 3

B. C. SEN, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2035	Kristobati Chur, pargana Kaipur.	Rs. A. P. 632 13 9	Entire ...	.	Rajendra Nath Rai, Receiver to the estate of Hrindabon Chunder Thacoor.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 60 4 9	Rs. A. P. ..

Hooghly, the 8th August 1903.

A. W. BOTHAM, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 15th September 1903, corresponding with 9th Asin 1311 F.S., at midday, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
808 R.S.	Amwa-Kalan-Newazan, pargana Bahra, Champaran.	Rs. A. P. 3,000 12 9	.....	Residuary share, 5 as. 7p. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Babu Iswri Prosad and others.	Rs. A. P. 698 2 9	Rs. A. P. .	Rs. A. P. 7 11 5
1153	Masodha, pargana ditto.	618 10 8	Entire estate	.....	Musammat Bachoo Kuner.	.....	116 15 6	. ...

Muzaffarpur Collectorate, the 5th August 1903.

SHEO N. L. ROY, *for* Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the Collector's office of that district on 17th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
14	Pargana Bandarkhole, His. Muhammad Reja.	Rs. A. P. 1,670 14 10½		Residuary	Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury.	Rs. A. P. 916 10 · 2½	Rs. A. P. . ..	Rs. A. P. 13 5 11½
193	Pargana Rajnagar, His. Raj Krishna Sen Khajah Pitros Marsal.	688 5 4½	16 annas.	..	Rani Bilsamoni Debi and others.	..	33 1 0½	.....
6878	Pargana Nasti, kismat Allgunge	561 9 10	Ditto ...	.....	Kumar Satya Sankar Ghosal and others.		106 0 0	.....
9702	Pargana Bardakhal, char Delwarpur.	4,196 0 0	Ditto ...	... .	Krishna Chandra Saha Sarder and others.	.....	648 0 0	.. ...

Dacca Collectorate, the 5th August 1903.

. R. EDWARDS, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Northern Bengal State Railway, in the district of Rangpur, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on the 31st of August 1903, corresponding with the 14th Bhadra 1310 (B.S.) at Nilphamari.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sales.

Name of district.	Parsana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.	Remarks.
				B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9	10
Rangpur	Halhalia and Jorabari, pargana Kasirhat.	147	East	12 6 14	4 0 11	Halhalia sold to proprietor.	2 0 11	Commences from mile-post 147 and terminates at mile-post 148.	*West.*—A class land ... ... *East*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	Including a brick-field in Jorabari.
Ditto	Ditto ...	147	West	8 10 12	3 3 11	Ditto	2 0 11	Ditto ...	*East*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *North and South*—B class land.	
Ditto ...	Haroa, pargana Kasirhat.	130	East ...	1 4 8	0 1 24	.....	.....	Commences at mauza Khalisha Kukhapara and terminates at mile-post 130.	*West*—A class land. *East*—Private land. *North.*—B class land *South.* B class land in mauza Khalisha Kukhapara.	
Ditto ...	Ditto	130	West ..	0 15 4	0 1 2	.....	.....	Commences at mauza Itakhola and terminates at mile-post 131.	*East.*—A class land. *West*—Private land. *North*—B class land. *South.*—B class land in mauza Itakhola.	
Ditto ..	Haroa and Pirpal Perkunusha, pargana Kasirhat.	131	East ...	8 8 10	2 3 6	..	.....	Commences from mile-post 131 and terminates at 132.	*West.*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	131	West .	8 8 10	2 3 6	.....	.....	Ditto ...	*East.*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
Ditto .	Haroa, pargana Kasirhat.	132	East ..	5 19 2	1 3 35	Half a mile south of Nilphamari Station.	1 2 31	Commences from mile-post 132 and terminates at the Nilphamari Station.	*West*—A class land. *East*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	132	West ...	5 19 2	1 3 35	Ditto ...	1 2 31	Ditto ...	*East*—A class land. *West*—Private land. *North and South.*—B class land.	
Ditto ..	Ditto ..	133	East	6 17 4	2 1 3	Half a mile north of Nilphamari Station.	1 2 3	Commences from mile-post 133 and terminates at Nilphamari village.	*West*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *South.*—B class land. *North*—B class land in village Nilphamari.	
Ditto	Ditto ...	133	West .	6 17 4	2 1 3	Ditto ...	1 2 3	Ditto ...	*East*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *South*—B class land. *North.*—B class land in village Nilphamari.	
Ditto ...	Ditto ..	134	East ..	4 8 18	1 1 22			Commences at village Bamandanga and terminates at mile-post 135.	*West*—A class land ... *East*—Private land. *North.*—B class land. *South.*—B class land in village Bamandanga.	Including a brick-field.
Ditto ..	Ditto ..	134	West ...	1 1 8	0 1 17	. ..	.....	Commences at village Nilphamari and terminates at mile-post 135.	*East*—A class land. *West*—Private land. *North*—B class land *South.*—B class land in village Nilphamari.	
Ditto	Ditto ...	135	East ...	1 19 11	0 2 25	....		Commences from mile-post 135 and terminates at village Hamat Kanaikata.	*West*—A class land. *East.*—Private land. *South.*—B class land, *North.*—B class land in village Hamat Kanaikata.	
Ditto ..	Ditto ...	135	West	1 19 11	0 2 25	.... ..	...	Ditto ...	*East*—A class land. *West.*—Private land. *South.*—B class land. *North.*—B class land in village Hamat Kanaikata.	

Rangpur Collectorate, the 4th August 1903.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Names of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
62	Ramjangal, pargana Mondolghat.	Rs. A. P. 19,342 4 9	.....	Residuary share consisting of 7 annas 5 gandas share of the estate.	Rajendro Narain Ghose and others.	Rs. A. P. 8,760 9 8	.....	Rs. A. P. 4,044 4 10

The 14th August 1903.

L. E. B. CORDEN-RAMSAY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 14, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
47	Pargana Amarshi, mahal Palpara.	Rs. A. P. 800 0 2	Entire, i.e., residuary, and 8 A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.	.....	Ram Charan Dey and others.	Rs. A. P. ..	Rs. A. P. 69 14 6*	Up to Mar. 1903.
1340	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Sridharpore.	989 14 2	Entire, i.e., residuary, and 8 A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.	.....	Abdul Ohed Khan and others.	.....	28 14 0†	

* Balance of separate account No. V.
† Ditto ditto No. IV.

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th October 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1903 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
473	Pargana Chandrakona, mahal Kuldaha.	Rs. A. P. 10,784 7 2	Nil ...	8 A. No. 1	Paran Chandra Ray and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,675 15 8	Rs. A. P. ..	Rs A. P 238 1 3	Rs A P Land Revenue 238 4 3 Road Cess 57 10 0

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs A. P	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.
154	Pargana Bajarpore, mahal Panchbazari.	650 10 8	Entire ..	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	.	71 2 6 up to June 1903.	.... .
275	Pargana tappa Balsita, mahal Bhitarbinode.	1,658 14 9	. ..	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	1,105 15 8		121 0 1
277	Pargana tappa Balsita, mahal Bhitarbinode, 6 annas' share.	2,396 13 0	Entire .	.	Ditto ditto ...		264 5 1	
382	Pargana Bhuniamutha, mahal Khajurari *alias* Kuchaidighi.	3,276 1 5	..	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ditto ditto ..	1,638 0 9		174 9 5
688	Pargana Dakhinmal, mahal Haripore.	6,769 1 5	... ..	S. A. No. II	Hari Priya Debi	3,384 5 9		740 0 9
696	Pargana Danthamutha, mahal Danthamutha *alias* Erenda	1,021 5 3	Entire ...	.....	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	..	102 10 0	.
739	Pargana Egrachore, mahal Bhatda.	3,613 6 4	.. ...	Residuary share, excluding S A Nos. 3, 4, 10 to 23.	Ditto ditto ...	1,370 1 9	.	109 14 6 up to June 1903.
803	Pargana Gaganeswar, mahal Kanpore.	702 9 0	Entire ...		Panchanan Malik and others.		6 2 6 up to June 1903.	
921	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Chakdaha *alias* Radhaballav Chak.	9,185 8 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 to 6.	Radhika Nath Banerjee ...	2,583 7 0, including police.	..	286 11 9, including police.
921	Ditto ditto ...	9,185 8 0	.....	S. A No. I	Ditto ditto ...	717 9 10, including police.	.....	78 8 0, including police
921	Ditto ditto ...	.....	.....	S. A. No. V	Ditto ditto ..	1,148 3 0, including police.	... ..	125 10 9
937	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Garr Purusuttumpore *alias* Chaitanyapore	738 10 8	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Ganga Naran Maity and others.	380 14 8	.....	37 7 3
944	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Gumaikpota.	3,185 0 0	.. ...	S. A. No. I	Manmohan Ray ...	1,892 8 0, including police.	. ..	174 8 0, including police.
972	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Kasore Chak	1,450 14 1	Entire ..	. ..	Devendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	.	141 9 0	. ..
1051	Pargana Kasijora, kismat maha. Keespat.	800 6 2	Do. ...	.. ..	Dwarika Nath Sen ...	.....	85 3 2	
1066	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Palsyutter.	2,039 1 2	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 to 4	Amar Nath Ghose and others.	53* 5 2, including police.	... ..	59 5 2, including police.
1113	Pargana Kurulchoro, mahal Paulma.	740 8 4	.....	Residuary share, excluding S A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	026 7 1	....	17 8 4
1467	Pargana Khandar, mahal Banugerya *alias* Saharda.	2,098 8 6	.....	Residuary share, excluding S A. Nos. 4, 5, 6, 8 to 16.	Bisseswar Banerjee, Receiver of estate, Jaanujoy Mallik and others.	975 12 4	.	16 5 4
1731	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Ankhapurba.	1,001 7 2	... .	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ganga Naran Maity ..	500 11 7	.....	53 4 6
1815	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Putputya.	2,718 2 9	Entire ..		Indra Naran Maity and others.	.....	297 0 0	
1884	Pargana Majnamutha, mahal Nankartaseapti	2,130 9 0	...	Residuary share excluding S A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7.	Abinash Chandra Deb ...	746 13 2	.. .	163 5 1
1884	Ditto ditto	.. .	.....	S. A. No. I	Ditto ...	703 12 5	.... .	154 9 9
2031	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Nunkarganlpore.	3,398 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Gopendra Nandan Das Mohapatra.		368 6 7	.....
2047	Pargana Sabong, mahal Mohat.	1,445 9 0	Do. ...	... ..	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	....	186 9 0	
2309	Pargana Sabong, mahal Rambhudrapore.	736 0 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra	452 0 0	... ..	99 11 10
2474	Pargana Sahapore, mahal Nurambati.	638 0 5, including police.	Entire ...		Mathuralal Bhakat and others.	.....	89 12 0, including police.	
				Part II.—Temporarily-settled estates.				
2717	Pargana Jalamutha, mahal Keoramal Krench, Bisnan, Baindabazar jaipal	3,360 14 2	Entire ..	.....	Sreemati Hari Priya Debi	.....	367 9 5	.....
2734	Pargana Khalisabhogial, mahal Paharport, jaipal Khaspatia	1,470 9 7	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	162 5 4	.
2864	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mangalpore	2,491 0 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. II.	Upendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	2,016 2 6	.....	220 8
2886	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mansraj	1,037 0 0	Entire ...	... .	Radha Gobinda Das Mahapatra.	.....	99 0 8	.. .

Midnapore, the 14th August 1903.

L. BIRLEY, Covtd. Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 18, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		Ijmali—		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
				As.				
394	Benut, pargana Bal	883 15 8	.....	Benut ... ... 3 Madhan Tola ... ... 12 Rampur ... ... 16 Birtimehdar Bhadaur 8 All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Harihar Prasad and others.	543 13 8	.....	76 10 5
414	Bhachopur Fatehpur Dhurlar or Bharhopur, pargana Bal.	1,954 13 6	.....	Separate account No. 3— Bharhopur Fatehpur Dhurlar, 6a. 4p. 16k. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Musamat Ramdeni Kuar.	731 15 0		156 12 9
2165	Goppur, pargana Bara	746 10 8	Entire ...		Pardip Singh, Subedar Mahard others.	... .	3 7 7	
2181	Hossanpur, Kutubpur, Rampur, Sadowa or Hossanpur, Kutubpur, Rampur, pargana Dungal.	624 5 1	Do. ...	...	Musamat Rani Ram Kamal Kuar and others.	...	39 9 4	
2762	Rampur Majho, pargana Goa.	1,031 15 3	Do. ...	...	Musamat Bahuria Devapatti Kuar and Musamat Son Mukhi Kuar.		0 13 9	.. .
3176	Salehpur Darsnkoh, pargana Kasmar.	849 0 0	Do. ...	...	Jamuna Prosad, auction-purchaser.	..	365 1 0	
3177	Ditto	648 1 11	...	Ijmali— As. Chonderbhonpur . . 16 Salehpur Darsnkoh .. ... 16 Chak Cohster Madhukar ... 16 All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Gunga Bishnu Singh, auction-purchaser.	0 3 1 11	..	3.19 4 2
3417	Kasba Mokair, pargana Mokair.	1,021 5 7	..	Ijmali— Kasba Makor Main Patti Latif, 16a. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Mir Syed Hussain and others.	804 1 7		14 2 3
3613	Manjhi Khas Bhat Khurd, pargana Manjhi.	1,808 1 9		Ijmali— Manjhi Khas Bhat Khurd, 10a 8p. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sat Narain Lall and others.	872 0 10	..	1 13 9
3696	Narhan, pargana Narhan.	3,038 5 0	....	Ijmali— As. P. Narhan ... ... 5 4 Pa'ti Kakulat ... ... 5 4 Moti Chak ... ... 5 4 Muzapur Khas ... ... 5 4 Salempur ... ... 5 4 Allahdadpur ... ... 5 4 Harpur ... ... 5 4 Bankat Main Chak . 5 4 Phoh Chak ... . 5 4 Basatpur .. .. 5 4 Kansardh .. ... 5 4 Bharthipatti Basadh 5 4 Panjuar khas . ... 5 4 Idalpura ... ... 5 4 Sitalpur ... . 5 4 Chandi ... ... 5 4 Rampur Dakhli Panjuar .. 5 4 Murarpatti ... ... 5 4 Dhanowti appertaining to Nawada 5 4 Rampur Belbhadar . 5 4 Baralpur . .. .. 5 4 Mirzapur appertaining to Basatpur 5 4 Nawada .. ... 5 4 Karahra Dhani . ... 5 4 Juropar . . .. 5 4 Budakpur . .. ... 5 4 Dawonpura ... . 5 4 Deora Bhaw Singh... ... 5 4 Ambara Salempur ... 5 4 Rajpur ... .. 5 4 Dhanowti appertaining to Basatpur. 5 4 All other shares besides that specified will be exempted from sale.	Babu Debi Prosad, Babu Kanta Nand and others.	1,309 7 0		409 0 6
3773	Chhan, paragana Pachlakh.	518 13 6	Entire ..		Mohendra Narain, Utru Sahai and others.	.....	109 5 0	.....
5510	Harihona Tala Sultan Hussain, pargana Bara.	876 11 10	Do. ...		Sultan Hussain and others.	.....	0 5 3	

Saran Collectorate, the 17th August 1903.

ILLEGIBLE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
631, share No. 2.	Dihi Gangail, pargana Chapila.	Rs. A. 755 4	Whole estate.	.. ..	Bhabani Charan Majumdar and others.	...	Rs. A. 13 11	..

Rajshahi Collectorate, Rampur Boalia, the 5th August 1903.

A. GARRETT, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2824	Dhraundh, pargana Jarra.	Rs. A. P. 892 13 0	The whole	... ..	Nawab Saiyad Mahammad Akbar Ali Khan *alias* Chottey Nawab and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 26 8 0	Rs. A. P. .....
2737	Simra Salempore, Bazidpore nisf, pargana Kabar.	960 9 0	... .	The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. 1. Simra Salempore 12 2. Bazidpore nisf 12	Thakur Prasad Singh and others.	720 7 0	... ..	73 3 0
4149	Bishunpore Vagairah, pargana Pachrukhi.	1,736 13 0		The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. D. 1. Bishunpore ... 3 10 2. Gobindpore ... 3 10 3. Madhopore ... 12 5 4. Dhanpuri ... 12 5 5. Mahbara ... 16 0 6. Dalwa Bagaria 16 0	Lari Prosad and others .	1,317 3 0	.....	15 3 0
4548	Gurua taluqa, pargana Sherghati.	15,997 14 0	The whole		Sheikh Mosaheb Ali and others	.....	2,223 11 10	.....
4579	Jaipore Dumrawan, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	.. ..	The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. 1. Jaipore Dumrawan 8 2. Akhari Khap ... 8 3. Pindra ... ... 8 4. Zari Khap ... ... 8 5. Doudpore *alias* Punoul. 8 6. Deoghar Khap ... 4 7. Ibrahimpore .. 8 8. Hardia ... ... 8 9. Kolua ... ... 8 10. Loki Khap ... ... 8 11. Makhdompore ... 8 12. Manjhar ... ... 8 13. Basir Khap 4	Durga Prasad and others.	1,066 8 0	.	259 4
4979	Jaipore Dumrawan, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	.....	Separate account No. 1, consisting of the following villages, will be sold— A. P. 1. Jaipore Dumrawan 5 4 2. Alahdadpore *alias* Punoul. 5 4 3. Ambadih ... 5 4 4. Bagha Khap ... 5 4 5. Badar Khap ... 5 4 6. Zari Khap . 5 4 7. Doudpore *alias* Punoul. 5 4 8. Deoghar Khap .. 5 4 9 Ibrahimpore ... 5 4 10. Hardia ... 5 4 11. Kolhua ... 5 4 12. Loki Khap ... 5 4 13. Makhdumpore ... 5 4 14. Sugaria ... 5 4 15. Sadheo Khap ... 5 4 16. Basir Khap ... 5 4	Khaje Ubaidullah *alias* Nanhe Nawab.	642 10 0	.....	10 2 0
4612	Komal Khap, pargana Sherghatti.	573 14 0	The whole		Mussamat Bibi Tauhidan and others.	.....	5 12 6	.....
6940	Addopore, pargana Kabar.	1,196 0 0	Ditto	.....	Bhekha Singh and others.	.	130 1 0	.....

Gaya Collectorate, the 22nd August 1903.

F. W. DUKE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1903 at noon for arrears of revenue due for the kist ending 28th June 1903, and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
17	Chak Durga, pargana Ranihati.	9,939 2 11	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Syedani Aymana Bibi ...	.....	1,206 1 6	.. ...

Burdwan Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

A. J. CHOTZNER, Collector.

APPENDIX XXX.

[See Chapter III, Rule 9.]

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the district of Gaya, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Friday, the 18th September 1903, corresponding with the 12th Asin 1311 Fusli, at the Gaya Collector's Court.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of the original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive No.	Name of district.	Parsana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH PLOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Gaya ...	Pargana Sirish, mauza Pahborcha.	2 (c) ...	East of the main line, Bengal Duars Railway.	3 16 5	1 1 1·513	Nil		Nil	*North*—Mogulsarai-Gaya Railway. *South*—Land of mauza Karandih. *East*—Land of mauza Pahborcha. *West*—Ditto ditto.

Gaya, the 18th August 1903.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTTA, *for* Collector.

In the Court of the 2nd Munsif, Rangpur.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 676 OF 1903.

Nibaran Chandra Bhattacharjea, Secretary to the Loan Office, Limited, Kurigram, decree-holder, *versus* Mohamed Toira Mia, judgment-debtor.

PRESENT:

Babu Baman Das Mukerjea, Munsif, 2nd Court, Rangpur.

TO be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Rangpur, in the ordinary sale place at 12 o'clock noon on the 6th day of September 1903 for the right, title, and interest of the judgment-debtor :—

Serial No.	Description of properties.	Tauzi No.	Sadar jama.	Approximate value stated by the decree-holder.
1	Sixteen annas' share of mahal Muda Madan and others, situated in mauzas Baboea, Charoo Chandra, Biroo, Ramchandrapur, kismat Dahaband, hishya 7 annas, Upanchaki Ram Bhadro Godadhor, Kartik, kismat Kamal Lochan, kismat Mohespur, kismat Ramchandrapur, and kismat Upanchaki Bhabani Prasad.	541	Rs. a. 671 1	

BAMAN DAS MUKERJEA, Munsif.

Rangpur, 2nd Munsif's Court, the 10th August 1903. (910—3)

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 18th August 1903.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 64,36,969 0 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 83,73,402 13 6	1,48,10,371	14	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	8,33,32,670	13	8
Bank Post Bills, &c.	3,14,977	15	5
Sundries	16,87,855	12	2
Rupees	13,22,96,076	7	7

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,86,49,552	0	0
Other authorised investments	38,54,629	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	2,59,80,934	4	7
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto	1,71,80,944	15	10
Bills discounted and purchased	1,79,41,947	10	0
Balances with other Banks	14,94,743	1	8
Bullion	1,263	9	7
Dead Stock	18,09,150	0	11
Stamps	11,736	8	1
Sundries	10,40,414	7	8
	8,79,65,315	9	6
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 2,31,38,565 12 6			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† „ 2,11,92,195 1 7	4,43,30,760	14	1
Rupees	13,22,96,076	7	7

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,91,063 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 1,96,291 8 0
Rs. 3,87,347 8 0

H. F. FRESHWATER,
Offg. Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 44·26.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 20th August 1903. (949—1)

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th August 1903.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent of 1896-97.	2½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—				GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1893-94.	Of 1900-1901.	Total.	Of 1826-28.	Of 1826-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1879.		Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 31st July 1903	1,24,07,000	1,70,99,400	11,34,98,300	2,49,23,700	1,27,31,700	100	21,00,600	17,03,23,800	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,36,32,234
ADD—																				
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 8th August 1903 ...	.....	.....	700	... ..	.....	.....	.....	700	.....	.... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	700
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 8th August 1903	2,02,100	.....	50,000	17,000	.....	.....	3,000	70,000	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	2,72,100
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th August 1903 ...	.....	17,900	3,01,200	11,600	4,500	.....	5,000	3,40,200	.....	.....	.....		.....	. ..	. ..	... ..	...	.....	.....	3,40,200
	1,26,09,100	1,71,17,300	11,38,20,200	2,49,52,300	1,27,36,200	100	21,08,600	17,07,04,700	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,36,52,234
DEDUCT—																				
Amount written off in the London registers ...	34,000	1,92,900	10,36,100	30,206	1,54,600	.....	.....	13,30,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	...	.....	.....	13,64,800
Balance on 15th August 1903	1,25,75,100	1,70,07,400	11,27,84,100	2,49,22,100	1,25,81,600	100	21,08,600	16,94,03,900	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,20,87,434

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th June 1903—Enfaced from India 11,191 lakhs; retransferred from London 10,692 lakhs.

,,	16th	,,	1903	,,	30th	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	1 lakh	,,	,,	,,	6	,,
,,	1st July	,,	,,	15th July	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	4 lakhs	,,	,,	,,	15	,,
,,	16th	,,	,,	,,	31st	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	6	,,	,,	,,	,,	15	,,
,,	1st Aug.	,,	,,	15th Aug.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	6	,,	,,	,,	,,	13	,,
										11,206	,,				10,741	,,
										10,741	,,					
									Balance against India	467	,,					

E. HILDRETH,
Superintendent.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(944—1)

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL.

Calcutta, the 17th August 1903.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 565 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, it is hereby declared that the General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta intend to submit the following draft bye-laws for the consideration of the Corporation

Any person having any objection to the bye-laws should submit it in writing to the Chairman of the Corporation before the 25th September 1903.

Bye-laws under Section 559 (4) prescribing the procedure to be followed by owners or occupiers desiring a water-supply.

1. The owner or occupier of any masonry building in Calcutta who requires a supply of filtered or unfiltered water for use within such building, and any person who required such a supply for the purpose of any business or trade or other object, shall send to the Chairman a written application on a printed form (to be supplied by the Chairman free of charge).

2. Such application shall specify the name of the licensed plumber who is to be employed on the work, and shall be signed by the applicant or an agent duly authorised on his behalf.

Bye-laws under Section 559 (5) prescribing a schedule of charges of water supplied for other than domestic purposes.

Every person who is supplied with unfiltered water within Calcutta under section 254 of the Act for any purpose other than a domestic purpose shall pay for the same at the rate of four annas for every 1,000 gallons, or at such other rate or rates as may be fixed by the General Committee from time to time. Such rate shall be payable in addition to any rent which may be payable for a meter provided under section 254 or 270 of the Act.

Every person who is supplied with filtered water within Calcutta under section 254 of the Act for any purpose other than a domestic purpose shall pay for the same at the rate of six annas for every 1,000 gallons, except when water is required for the manufacture of articles for consumption by human beings, when the charge shall be three annas per 1,000 gallons, or at such other rate or rates as may be fixed by the General Committee from time to time; such rate shall be payable in addition to any rent which may be payable for a meter provided under section 254 or 270 of the Act.

Bye-laws under Section 559 (8) of the Act regulating in any particular not specifically provided for in the Act (i) The construction and maintenance of water-pipes, taps and fittings. (ii) All matters and things connected with the supply and use of water, the control of the water-supply and the administration of Chapter XX of the Act.

1. No person other than a licensed plumber shall execute any work connected with the supply of water to any premises in Calcutta.

2. No stop-cocks, taps, ferrules, cisterns or other fittings shall be used in connection with the water-supply unless they have been previously submitted to and stamped by an officer of the Corporation duly authorised by the Chairman in that behalf with a special die to indicate that they have been approved under section 260 of the Act.

3. After the application referred to in bye-law under section 559 (4) of the Act has been sanctioned, the licensed plumber in charge of the work shall send to the District Engineer a further written application on a printed form (to be supplied by the Corporation free of charge) for an order authorising him to open the street within which the water main is situated, to enable him to lay the service-pipe connecting such main with the premises in respect whereof the work is being carried on. Such application shall be accompanied by a separate written application for an order directing the shutting off of the water in the main.

Such applications shall be made not later than 2 P.M. on the day previous to that on which the proposed connection is to be made, and shall be accompanied by a fee of Rs. 1-12 in respect of every new connection, shifting connection or re-connection.

If the licensed plumber in charge of the work proposes to lay any pipes or to make any connection under the rails of any tramway or railway, the applications referred to in the preceding paragraph hereof shall be made at least 48 hours before the work is to be commenced.

4. No connection between a service-pipe and a main shall be permitted to be made otherwise than in the presence of the licensed plumber in charge of the work, or of some responsible and qualified person acting on his behalf and of a Municipal Officer authorised in that behalf.

If any excavation made in a street by a licensed plumber is not filled up by him in a proper and workmanlike manner and to the satisfaction of the Municipal Officer hereinbefore referred to, or if the street is not restored to its former condition, or if the street subsides within three months after such excavation has been filled up, the District Engineer may, at the expense of such licensed plumber, carry out such work as may appear to him to be necessary for the purpose of filling up such excavation and restoring such street to its former condition.

5. The service-pipes laid down by a person for the purpose of connecting his premises with the mains of the Corporation must be of galvanised-iron tubing or of lead. Such pipes

must be capable of withstanding a pressure equal to that of a column of water 200 feet in height.

6. Lead pipes must be at least of the following weights:—

½ inch bore	...	... 2½ lbs. per yard.
¾ " "	...	... 3½ " " "
1 " "	...	... 4½ " " "
1¼ " "	...	... 5½ " " "
1½ " "	...	... 6 " " "
1 " "	...	... 8½ " " "

All joints are to be wiped-joints.

Galvanised-iron pipes must be at least of the following thicknesses:—

½ inch diameter	...	... One-eighth of an inch.
¾ " "	...	... Three-sixteenths of an inch.
1 " "	...	... Seven-thirty-seconds of an inch.

7. Only such bends or elbows as are in the opinion of the Engineer absolutely necessary will be allowed in any service-pipes.

8. If for the purpose of connecting any premises with the Corporation mains any trench or excavation has to be made or the pavement or surface of any street has to be opened or broken up, the licensed plumber in charge of the work shall cause the place to be properly fenced and guarded and to be sufficiently lighted during the night, and shall with all convenient speed and in a proper and workmanlike manner complete the work, fill in such trench or excavation after watering and ramming the same, and restore the surface of the road to its former condition, and carry away the earth and rubbish occasioned by such work to such place as may be required by the District Engineer.

9. A brass stop-cock of a pattern to be prescribed by the Chairman must be fitted to every service-pipe; such stop-cock must be placed outside the premises to which it belongs in such position as the Engineer may direct and must be covered with a cast-iron cover for the purpose of affording access to it and indicating its position.

The covers must be of a pattern approved by the Engineer.

10. All taps must be made of brass and must be of the screw-down loose valve type or of such other type approved by the Engineer as to obviate all risk of concussion in the pipes owing to the tap being closed too rapidly. Taps shall not be of the plug or barrel type or of any similar pattern. They must be of the best and most approved kind, and the name of the maker must in each case be stamped upon them.

11. All taps on filtered water pipes in or about a courtyard, compound, stable, cattle-shed, cow-house, out-office of any premises, and tenanted land must be fixed not less than 3 feet above ground level. No tap, whether erected before or after the passing of these bye-laws, shall be allowed to project *outside any premises or* in such a position as to be available for use by the public.

12. No tap may be altered or moved and no alteration or addition may be made in any existing pipe or work without the written consent of the Engineer.

13. Service-pipes must be laid at a depth of not less than 2 feet below the surface of the ground.

14. Whenever a service-pipe is laid, whether before or after the passing of these bye-laws, across a sewer or open drain, or in any place where, in the opinion of the Engineer, it is liable to injury, such pipe must be passed through an iron pipe of sufficient length and strength to afford due protection to it, and at such level as the Engineer may direct. If any dispute arises regarding the size or quality of the iron pipe, the matter shall be referred to the Engineer, whose decision shall be final

15. No service-pipe shall be laid along or through or adjacent to any drain or water-course or in any place where, in the opinion of the Engineer, there is a risk or likelihood of the water in such service-pipe becoming contaminated.

16. No pipe shall be laid through or across any drain or water-course in such a manner as in the opinion of the Engineer is likely to cause an obstruction in such drain or water-course

17. Every cistern and reserve tank must be absolutely watertight and must be provided with a ball-valve and with a tell-tale or warning pipe made of galvanized-iron and with proper means of access and inspection

18 No cistern or reserve tank containing or intended to contain filtered water shall be placed immediately over or in the same room as a privy.

19. No service-pipe will be allowed under any circumstance to communicate directly or indirectly with the basin or the trap otherwise than through the cistern or reserve tank of a water-closet, connected privy or urinal.

20. No water-closet, connected privy or urinal shall be flushed otherwise than by a supply of water discharged direct from the cistern or reserve tank hereinbefore referred to.

21. No premises shall be furnished with more than one service-pipe either from the Municipal main or from any other premises without the written sanction of the Engineer.

PENALTY CLAUSE.

Whoever contravenes any provision of any of the foregoing bye-laws under section 559-4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of the Act, or who fails to comply with any direction lawfully given

to him or any requisition lawfully made upon him under any of the said bye-laws, shall be liable—

(*a*) to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of a continuing breach of any of the provisions of any said bye-laws, to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which such breach continues after conviction for the first breach; or,

(*b*) in cases where a notice can be issued, to a fine which may extend to Rs 20, and for every day during which the breach continues Rs. 10.

Bye-laws under section 559 (11) specifying the materials to be used in the construction of drains.

1. All materials made use of in connection with the external or internal drainage of any premises must be of the best quality and shall be subject to approval or rejection by the District Engineer or other officer appointed for that purpose by the General Committee. If any question arises as to whether any material is of the best quality, the matter shall be referred to the Engineer of the Corporation, whose decision shall be final

2. All masonry will consist of first class bricks set in mortar consisting of two parts clean sharp Mugra sand and one part of fresh pure Portland cement of approved brand.

3. All plastering shall be done with mortar as specified in preceding bye-law.

4. The cast-iron covers for pits of all bends shall be of the standard pattern to be seen at the District Engineer's Office.

5. All stoneware pipes to be salt-glazed, true in section, of equal thickness throughout and be perfectly sound in all respects, and to be jointed with pure cement.

PENALTY CLAUSE.

6 Any person who shall be guilty of a breach of any of the provisions of the foregoing bye-laws under section 559 (9), (10) and (11) shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of a continuing breach of any such provisions, to a further fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

Bye-laws under section 559 (12) regulating the construction and cleaning of privies and urinals.

1. Every connected privy and water-closet must, if required by the Chairman, be provided with a reserve tank of not less than *80 gallons* in capacity for every seat. Every such tank shall be of galvanized or wrought-iron of 14 gauge.

2. Every connected privy and every water-closet must be provided with a flushing cistern of not less than 3 gallons capacity with the pan; such flush-pipe must not be less than 1¼ inches in diameter.

3. Every syphon trap of a connected privy or water-closet shall be proof against syphonage, and in all cases where connected privies or water-closets are more than one storey high, an anti-syphonage pipe shall be provided having a sectional area of not less than one-fourth the sectional area of the soil pipe.

4. No inlet for the admission of pure air to the master-trap of any premises shall be fixed within ten feet of a door, window, ventilating grating or chimney of any building unless such inlet is provided with a mica or aluminum valve.

5. Every urinal shall be provided with a syphon-trap which must be proof against syphonage.

PENALTY CLAUSE.

6. Any person who shall be guilty of a breach of any of the provisions of the foregoing bye-laws under section 559 (9), (10) and (11) shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of a continuing breach of any such provisions, to a further fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

Bye-laws under section 559 (16) for the provision, maintenance and lighting of hoards or fences in public streets when building work is carried on.

Re-erect means "re-erect" as defined in section 3 (39) of the Act—

1. Whenever any building is to be erected, re-erected, altered, repaired or added to in the neighbourhood of or abutting upon a public street, and such public street is likely to be obstructed on account of such work, the owner of the premises or the person in charge of the work (which term shall include the builder and his servants and agents and every other person engaged upon the work) shall, after obtaining the permission in writing of the Engineer, cause sufficient hoards or fences to be erected to the satisfaction of the Engineer before beginning the work.

The Chairman may by written notice require any such owner or the person in charge of the works who has not erected such hoards or fences, or who has erected hoards or fences

which are in the opinion of the Chairman inadequate, or who has removed any hoards or fences, to erect such hoards or fences as may appear to the Chairman to be necessary, and any person who fails to comply with such notice shall be liable to a daily fine which may extend to Rs. 10 per diem for every day (after the date of service of the notice) during which he shall continue to fail to comply with the same within 48 hours.

2 Every such hoard or fence provided under the foregoing bye-law shall be maintained by the owner of the premises or the person in charge of the works in good condition to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

3. Every hoard or fence shall be sufficiently lighted by the owner of the premises or the person in charge of the works at night to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

4. No person shall erect any hoard, fence or similar contrivance without the written permission of the Engineer.

Such permission shall specify the time during which such hoard, fence or similar contrivance shall be allowed to stand, and such hoard, fence or similar contrivance shall, on the completion of the works, be removed by the owner of the premises or the person in charge of the works, on the completion of the works or on the expiry of the time mentioned in the written permission of the Engineer, whichsoever shall first happen, unless the time shall be extended by the Engineer in writing. A week's notice of the intention to remove a hoard or fence shall be given to the Engineer in writing.

5. Every permission to erect a hoard or fence on any public street shall be granted on such terms and conditions as to payment of rent, and provision of a footpath for passengers and generally upon such terms and conditions as the Chairman may require.

6. If any hoard or fence shall not be removed as provided in bye-law 4 hereof, the Engineer may cause a written notice to be served upon the party concerned requiring him to remove the same at once, and after the issue of such notice in case of non-compliance the Engineer himself may cause it to be removed.

7. If any person shall commit a breach of any of the provisions of bye-laws 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 hereof, he shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of a continuing breach, to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

Bye-laws under Section 559 (17) for regulating the making of holes and the depositing of materials in a public street.

1. If in any case, which is not otherwise provided for in any bye law drawn under the Act, any person is desirous of opening or making an excavation or trench in any public street, he shall make a written application to the Engineer for leave to proceed with the work, specifying the reason for such opening, excavation or trench, and the Engineer shall in his discretion either refuse permission or grant permission on such terms as he may think fit.

2. After receipt of permission in writing from the Engineer and not less than 48 hours before the opening, excavation, or trench shall be begun, such person shall send to the Engineer a written notice specifying the date and hour upon which it is proposed to commence the work.

3. No person shall commence or carry on any such work until he has complied with the provisions of the two foregoing bye-laws.

4. The person to whom permission shall be granted to make an opening, excavation or trench in a public street or the person in charge of such work, shall cause any opening, excavation or trench made in a public street to be at all times fenced and guarded and in addition at night sufficiently lighted to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

5. The person to whom the written permission shall be granted under bye-law 1 of these bye-laws or the person in charge of the work shall complete it with all convenient speed and shall fill up any opening, excavation or trench and restore the surface of the street to its former condition and maintain it in such a condition for a period of three months and carry away all earth and rubbish occasioned by the work as quickly as possible, and in default the Engineer may cause a written notice to be served upon the party concerned requiring him to carry out such work to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

6. Any person who shall commit a breach of any of the provisions of the foregoing bye-laws shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of a continuing breach, to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

Bye-law under Section 559 (19) for the provision and maintenance of gutters and pipes for carrying and discharging water from buildings in public streets.

When any person has, whether before or after the passing of this bye-law, fixed, attached or connected any gutter or spout upon, to or with any building in such a manner as to project over any public street or in such a manner that the water which passes through such gutter, or which is discharged from such spout, falls upon a public street, the Chairman may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of the building to which such gutter or spout belongs to remove such gutter or spout or to carry out such alterations as may appear

to the Chairman to be necessary, and any person who fails to comply with such notice shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10, for every day after the date of the service of the notice during which such person shall continue to fail to comply with the same.

Bye-laws under Section 559 (26) specifying the manner in which stables, cattle-sheds and cow-houses kept for profit are to be constructed and connected with the Municipal drains.

1. Every stable, cattle-shed and cow-house kept for profit which, after the date when this bye-law comes into force, may be constructed, extended or materially altered, or the roof whereof may, after the date aforesaid, be removed, shall conform to standard type plans approved by the General Committee, copies of which can be had on application at the Municipal Office, or the district office of the district within which any such stable, cattle-shed or cow-house is situated, and on payment of a fee of rupee one.

2. Every stable, cattle-shed and cow-house shall be well paved by the owner with asphalt, stone, brick-on-edge with cement-pointing, flag-stones set in cement, or, with the approval of the Chairman, some other suitable impervious material, and the floor shall incline to a channel or gutter sloping towards and emptying directly into a gully, or in the unsewered area, a cesspool situated immediately outside the stable, cattle-shed or cow-house and the contents whereof shall be removable to a Municipal sewer, either by hand or by flow after filtration.

3. In the unsewered area such cess-pool shall be constructed of bricks set in cement and cement-plastered, or, with the approval of the Chairman, some other suitable impervious material and so constructed as not to admit of rain water.

4. Every stable, cattle-shed and cow-house shall be properly lighted and ventilated; an open space of not less than one foot in width below the junction of the eaves and the wall of the building shall be kept open on all sides for light and ventilation in addition to such other openings as may be required by the Chairman.

5. Every stable, cattle-shed and cow-house shall be provided by the owner with an adequate supply of filtered water for the cattle to drink and for washing utensils used for milk; an adequate supply of unfiltered water shall also be provided by the owner for flushing purposes, except in the case of cow-houses referred to in section 254 (1) of the Act.

6. No well shall be allowed on the premises occupied by a stable, cattle-shed or cow-house.

7. The owner of every stable, cattle-shed or cow-house shall provide in connection with the same a suitable receptacle protected from the rain, for dung, manure, soil, filth or other offensive or noxious matter which may from time to time be produced in such premises. He shall cause such receptacle to be constructed so that the bottom or floor thereof shall not in any case be lower than the surface of the ground adjoining such receptacle. He shall also cause such receptacle to be constructed in such a manner and of such materials and to be maintained at all times in such a condition as to prevent any escape of the contents thereof or any soakage therefrom into the ground or into the wall of any building. He shall, once at least every day, remove or cause to be removed all dung, manure, soil, filth or other offensive or noxious matter produced in or upon such stable, cattle-shed or cow-house and deposit it in such receptacle.

8. No person shall keep any horse or cattle or deposit the dung of any horse or cattle in such a situation or in such a manner as to pollute any water supplied for use, or used, or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes or for manufacturing ice or drinks for the use of man, or any water used or likely to be used in any dairy.

9. In case of the erection or material alteration of a stable, cattle-shed or cow-house, or in case of the removal of the roof, the total area covered by the whole of such stable, cattle-shed or cow-house shall not exceed two-thirds of the total area of the site. The remaining one-third of the site shall be kept open to the sky, and shall be paved throughout with impermeable material to be approved by the Chairman and shall be provided with a drain, such drain being constructed of brick masonry or concrete plastered with Portland cement or of natural or artificial stone or of glazed half round pipes, and being connected with a Municipal sewer through trapped inlets in the manner prescribed by the Act.

10. If on any site more than one range of stables, cattle-sheds or cow-houses be constructed, or materially altered, or if the roof of any such stables, cattle-sheds or cow-houses be removed, such stables, cattle-sheds or cow-houses shall be disposed so as to form three sides of a parallelogram, the fourth side being left open and the interior of the parallelogram being occupied by an open court-yard.

11. On every cow-house premises for keeping milch-cows or buffaloes, a separate shed or place shall be provided for the temporary storage of milk and the keeping of milk vessels, and no such shed or place shall communicate with a cow-house.

12. The Chairman, if he considers it necessary, may by written notice require the owner of any stable, cattle-shed or cow-house, abutting upon or within fifty feet of any open drain or footpath, to construct and maintain a crossing over such drain or footpath of such description and of such materials and of such dimensions as the Chairman may direct, and

any person who fails to comply with such notice shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and in the case of a continuing breach shall be liable to a daily fine which may extend to Rs. 10 per diem for every day during which the breach continues after conviction.

13. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing bye-laws shall be liable for every such offence to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of a continuing breach, to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

Bye-laws under Section 559 (55) for the purpose of carrying out the provisions and intentions of Section 14 (2) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899.

1. The Chairman may prescribe during what hours any Municipal square or garden shall be open to the public, and when any Municipal square or garden is not left open by day and by night, a notice or notices shall be affixed at one or more of the entrances to such Municipal square or garden, stating at what hour the same will be opened and at what hour it will be closed.

No person other than an officer or servant of the Corporation, or a person or servant of a person employed by the Corporation in or about any work in connection with the laying out, planting, improvement or maintenance of a Municipal square or garden, shall on any day enter a Municipal square or garden before the time appointed for the opening thereof, or enter a Municipal square or garden or remain therein after the time appointed for the closing thereof.

2. No person shall enter or quit any Municipal square or garden otherwise than through some one of the gates, wickets, passages or openings appointed by the Corporation as the authorised means of entrance to or egress from the Municipal square or garden.

3. No person shall wilfully or improperly resume or displace any board, plate or tablet, or any support, fastening or fitting of any board, plate or tablet used or constructed or adapted to be used for the exhibition of any bye-law or notice and fixed or set up by the Corporation in any part of a Municipal square or garden, or in or upon any building or structure therein, or at or near to any one of the appointed means of entrance to or egress from a Municipal square or garden, or in or on any wall or fence enclosing a Municipal square or garden.

4. No person shall deface, injure or destroy any part of any wall or fence in or enclosing a Municipal square or garden, or any part of any building, barrier or railing, or of any fixed or moveable seat, or of any other structure or erection in a Municipal square or garden.

5. No person shall remove or displace any barrier, railing or post or any fixed or moveable seat, or any part of any building, structure or erection, or any monument, work of art, ornament, or decoration, or any implement, utensil, apparatus, appliance or article provided for use or used or adapted to be used in the laying out, planting, improvement or maintenance of any Municipal square or garden, or in the case of cultivation, or protection of any tree, sapling, shrub, underwood, fern, herb, or plant in a Municipal square or garden, or in a street or other public place.

6. No person other than an officer or servant of the Corporation, or a person or a servant of a person employed by the Corporation in or about any work in connection with the laying out, planting, improvement or maintenance of a public square or garden shall at any time ride, drive or bring or cause or suffer to be ridden, driven, or brought into a Municipal square or garden any beast of draught or burden.

7. No person shall drive or bring, or cause to be driven or brought into any Municipal square or garden, any bullock or cow, heifer, steer, calf, sheep, lamb, goat, hog, pig or sow, unless, in pursuance of an agreement with the Corporation, or otherwise in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege, such person shall be authorised to drive or bring any such animal or cause any such animal to be driven or brought into a Municipal square or garden for pasturage or any other lawful purpose.

8. No person other than an officer or servant of the Corporation, or a person or a servant of a person employed by the Corporation in or about any work in connection with the laying out, planting, improvement, or maintenance of a Municipal square or garden, shall at any time drive or wheel, or cause or suffer to be driven or wheeled into a Municipal square or garden, any barrow, truck, tricycle, bicycle or any vehicle of any kind whatever other than a vehicle propelled by hand and used for the conveyance of infants.

9. No person other than an officer or servant of the Corporation, or a person acting in pursuance of their directions in that behalf, shall affix, or post any bill, placard or notice to or upon any wall or fence in or enclosing a Municipal square or garden, or to or upon any part of any building, barrier or railing, or of any fixed or moveable seat, or of any other structure or erection in a Municipal square or garden, or to or upon any tree in a Municipal square or garden, or in a street or other public place.

10. No person, other than an officer or servant of the Corporation, or a person or a servant of a person employed by the Corporation in or about any work in connection with the laying out, planting, improvement or maintenance of a Municipal square or garden, or street or other public place shall at any time, in any part of a Municipal square or garden, or in any street or other public place, remove or disturb any part of the soil of any

flower-bed, or any soil under or about any tree, sapling, shrub, underwood, fern or plant, or any soil in course of preparation or cultivation as a flower-bed, or for the reception or growth of any tree, shrub, underwood, fern or plant.

11. No person other than an officer or servant of the Corporation, or a person or servant of a person employed by the Corporation in or about any work in connection with the laying out, planting, improvement or maintenance of a Municipal square or garden, shall at any time, in any part of a Municipal square or garden, walk or run over, or stand, sit or lie upon any part of any flower-bed, or any shrub, underwood, fern or plant, or any ground in course of preparation or cultivation as a flower-bed, or for the reception or growth of any shrub, underwood, fern or plant.

12. No person other than an officer or servant of the Corporation, or a person or a servant of a person employed by the Corporation in or about any work in connection with the laying out, planting, improvement, or maintenance of a Municipal square or garden or a street, or other public place, shall at any time, in any part of a Municipal square or garden, or in a street or other public place, cut or displace any turf, or uproot or displace any tree, sapling, shrub, underwood, fern, or plant.

13. No person shall at any time, in any part of a Municipal square or garden, or in any street or other public place, pluck any bud, blossom, flower or leaf of any tree, sapling, shrub, underwood, fern, or plant.

14. No person shall soil or defile any part of any wall, or fence in or enclosing a Municipal square or garden, or any part of any building, barrier or railing, or any fixed or moveable seat, or of any monument, work of art, ornament or decoration, or of any other structure or erection in a Municipal square or garden, or throw or deposit any filth, rubbish or refuse, or cause or suffer any filth, rubbish, refuse to fall, or to be thrown, or deposit upon any part of a Municipal square or garden.

15. No person shall throw or discharge in a Municipal square or garden any stone or other missile to the damage or danger of any person.

16. No person shall climb any wall or fence in or enclosing a Municipal square or garden or any tree in a Municipal square or garden, or in any street or other public place or any barrier, railing, or post in or enclosing a Municipal square or garden.

17. No person shall bathe, wade or wash in any tank, pond or other ornamental water in a Municipal square or garden, or wash clothes in, foul or pollute any such water, or take, injure or destroy, or attempt to take, injure or destroy, or disturb any fish in any such water.

18. No person shall cause or suffer any dog belonging to him or in his charge to enter or remain in a Municipal square or garden.

19. No person shall play or take part in any game in or fly kites in any Municipal square or garden without the permission of the Chairman.

20. No person shall drink, or bring or cause or suffer to be brought any intoxicating liquor in a Municipal square or garden.

21. No person other than an officer or servant of the Corporation, or a person or a servant of a person employed by the Corporation, in or about any work in connection with the laying out, planting, improvement or maintenance of a public square or garden, shall, except as is hereinafter provided, erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building or other structure in any part of a Municipal square or garden: provided that the foregoing prohibition shall not apply in any case whereupon an application to the Chairman for permission to erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building or other structure in any part of a Municipal square or garden, upon such occasion and for such purpose as shall be specified in such application, the Chairman may grant, subject to compliance with such conditions as he may prescribe, permission to any person to erect such post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building or other structure.

22. No person shall in any part of a Municipal square or garden beat, shake, sweep, brush or cleanse any carpet, drugget, rug, mat or any other fabric retaining dust or dirt.

23. No person shall in any part of a Municipal square or garden hang, spread or deposit any linen or other fabric for the purpose of drying or bleaching.

24. No person shall deliver any public address in any part of a Municipal square or garden without the sanction of the Chairman.

25. No person shall, in any part of a Municipal square or garden, sell or offer, or expose for sale, or let to hire, or offer or expose for letting to hire any commodity or article unless, in pursuance of an agreement with the Corporation, or otherwise in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege, such person may be duly authorised to sell, or let to hire in a Municipal square or garden such commodity or article.

26. No person shall in any part of a Municipal square or garden wilfully obstruct, disturb, interrupt or annoy any other person in the proper use of a public square or garden, or wilfully obstruct, disturb or interrupt any officer or servant of the Corporation in the proper execution of his duty, or any person or servant of any person employed by the Corporation in the proper execution of any work in connection with the laying out, planting, improvement, or maintenance of a Municipal square or garden.

27. No person shall commit a nuisance in a Municipal square or garden.

28. Every person who shall commit a breach of any of the foregoing bye-laws shall be punishable with fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of a continuing breach, with fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE;
The 18th August 1903.

W. W. CUNNINGHAM,
Offg. Secretary to the Corporation.

(953—1)

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION.

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1	Pound	tin	Rs.	16,	or,	post	free,	Rs. 16-8.
½	,,	,,	,,	8	,,	,,	,,	8-6.
¼	,,	,,	,,	4	,,	,,	,,	4-6.

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans. 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight-ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

NOTICE.

WANTED 12 Bengali-knowing Inspectors on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 each and 80 Bengali-knowing amins, on a monthly salary of Rs. 20 to Rs. 25 each, for survey and settlement work in the Sundarbans during the ensuing cold weather.

Applicants must either have served in the Survey of India Department or have certificates of their acquaintance with offset cadastral survey work. They should also be able to prepare the necessary settlement records.

WANTED also 4 clerks on Rs. 25 each and 8 muharrirs on Rs. 20 each per mensem for settlement work. Only men who have experience in such work need apply.

Applicants should state their age and send their applications with copies of testimonials to the undersigned not later than the 30th October 1903.

D. SUNDER, Commissioner in the Sundarbans.

Sundarbans Commissioner's Office, Alipur, the 7th August 1903.

WANTED at once by the District Board, Ranchi, a Sub-Overseer-draftsman on a pay of Rs. 35 *plus* Rs. 10 as horse allowance per mensem. In addition to the qualifications mentioned in Rule 7 (3) (*a*) and (*b*) of the Bengal Government Notification No 3334L S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, the candidate must be well up in drawing. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 31st August 1903. The vacancy will be filled up subject to one year's lien of the late incumbent on the post.

G. C BANERJI,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Ranchi.
(925—2)

J. W. CHIPPENDALE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.
(948—4—767)

RATAN CHAND BARAL, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.
(956—4—769)

Wanted

BY the District Board of Jessore an Overseer to be in charge of one of the subdivisions in the district on a monthly salary of Rs. 45, rising by annual increment of Rs. 3 to Rs. 60, *plus* an allowance of Rs. 5 for the supervision of Government buildings, which will be paid as long as the said buildings are under the control of the District Board, Jessore, *plus* a fixed conveyance allowance of Rs. 30. None need apply who is not qualified according to Rule 7 (*1*) of the Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901.

Applications with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned, will be received by the undersigned up to the 30th August 1903. The successful candidate will remain on probation for six months, and he will have to furnish a security of Rs. 500 in cash or Government Promissory note. Applicants must state their age, and will have to undergo a medical examination of fitness.

R. C. DUTT, *for* Chairman.
District Board, Jessore, the 10th August 1903.
(905—3)

WANTED permanently an Overseer and Sub-Overseer for the Rajshahi District Board on a monthly salary of Rs. 60—5—85 and Rs. 40 respectively, *plus* a monthly consolidated travelling allowance of Rs. 15 each. None need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st August 1903.

A. GARRETT, Chairman.
Rampur Boalia, the 7th August 1903. (868—2)

WANTED a District Engineer for the District Board of Murshidabad on a salary of Rs. 300 rising to Rs. 400 by biennial increment of Rs. 20 and travelling allowance according to rules. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules. Applications will be received by the Magistrate and Chairman, Murshidabad District Board, up to 31st August 1903.

J. J BARNIVILLE, *for* Chairman.
Dated Berhampore, the 17th August 1903. (938—2)

Notice.

WANTED two Daftaris for the Deputy Commissioner's Office at Dhubri on a salary of Rs 10 per mensem each with extra remuneration for binding books. Applicants are to state in their respective applications if they can bind books. None need apply who have no experience in the work of a Daftari in a District Office. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th September 1903.

A. H. CUMING,
Offg. Depy. Commr., Goalpara.
Dhubri, the 21st August 1903.

Notice.

WANTED a Gomasta on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem for the estate of the late Raja Tenduk Pulger under the Court of Wards in the district of Darjeeling. The Gomasta when appointed will be required to give a security of Rs. 250 in cash or in Government Promissory Note.

None need apply who has no previous experience in the Wards Department, and who does not possess a thorough knowledge of Hindi also.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 6th September 1903.

J. H. E. GARRETT, Deputy Commissioner.
Deputy Commissioner's Office, Darjeeling, the 18th August 1903. (950—2)

Notice

IS hereby given that a 2nd Master for the Dhenkanal High English School on a salary of Rs. 50 a month is wanted.

Preference will be given to one who has experience in teaching and is a graduate of the Calcutta University and will stick to the post for at least two years. Applications with testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st instant.

S. C. BOSE, Manager.

Manager's Office, Dhenkanal, the 6th August 1903.

(907—3)

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of Charles Scholvin, a bachelor and a member of the firm of Messrs. F. Ad. Assmann & Co. of Calcutta and of the firm of Messrs Scholvin & Co. of Hamburg, who is at present residing at Hamburg aforesaid and is a British subject, shortly to marry at Lubeck in Germany, in accordance with the laws there prevailing, one Fraulein Frieda Bohnhoff of Lubeck aforesaid, spinster. If any person has any opposition to offer against the proposed marriage or just cause or impediment to show why it should not take place he should forthwith communicate the same to the Standesamt at Lubeck aforesaid.

Calcutta, the 18th August 1903. (946—1—766)

Notice.

THE Public are hereby informed that the services of Babu Kunjo Behary Sircar having been dispensed with from our firm of Ramdhan Khan, Rameswar Khan, the power of attorney executed by us and dated the 15th August 1900, has been cancelled so far as the said Kunjo Behary Sircar is concerned on and from the 10th August 1903, but it stands good as regards the other attorneys therein appointed.

KANAI LAL KHAN.
BOLODEB KHAN.
ROMON LAL KHAN.
BANWARI LAL KHAN.
MANI LAL KHAN.

Calcutta, the 18th August 1903. (939—1 768)

The Bengal Stone Company, Limited.

A GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office, No. 100 Clive Street, Calcutta, on Friday next, the 28th instant, at 3 P.M., in pursuance of section 75 of the Indian Companies Act of 1882, to transact such business as may be brought before the Meeting.

For Shampore Coal Company, Limited,
GEO. HENDERSON & Co.,
Managing Directors and Secretaries.

(952—1—787)

Shampore Coal Company, Limited.

A GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Registered Office, No. 100 Clive Street, Calcutta, on Friday next, the 28th instant, at 3 P.M., in pursuance of section 75 of the Indian Companies Act of 1882, to transact such business as may be brought by the Meeting.

For Shampore Coal Company, Limited,
GEO. HENDERSON & Co.,
Managing Directors and Secretaries.

(951—1—788)

Notice.

SAILESWAR SEN, M.A., B.L., of 10 and 11, Sarbessur Sen's Lane, Calcutta, intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel, High Court, Calcutta. (957—4—786)

Caution.

LOST OR STOLEN.

THE Government Promissory Notes—

No.		Rs.
079425 of the	3½ per cent. loan of 1842-43 for	1,000
079426 „	3½ „ „ 1842-43 for	500

originally standing in the name of Girish Chunder Mitter, deceased, and last endorsed by him to Behary Loll Mitter, his minor son, the proprietor by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

And the Government Promissory notes—

No.		Rs.
135976 of the	3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for	1,000
135975 „	3½ „ „ 1865 for	2,000

originally standing in the name of the said Girish Chunder Mitter, deceased, the proprietor by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of Proprietor—PROSONNO KUMAR MITTER, guardian of Behary Loll Mitter.

Residence—Sarangabad, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas.

(931—3—762)

Wanted Population.

A LARGE area of culturable land is lying uncultivated in Bhilsa and Esagarh districts of the Gwalior State for want of sufficient population; most of the land is black *mar*, which is without irrigation, fit for wheat growing in years of ordinary rainfall; in some districts the land is either *padua*, *dumat* or *rankad*; but it is fit for growing wheat by means of irrigation.

The cultivators who come to settle from outside and cultivate the land will be given the following concessions:—

(1) That the cultivator who cultivates 100 bighas of land will be given occupancy right in the land, and he will have to pay rent one anna less in the rupee than the rent ordinarily paid by other tenants.

(2) That the cultivators who cultivate more than 100 bighas of land will be given zamindari *hug* in the land, i.e., he will have to pay rent according to the settlement rates which will be fixed at the time of the settlement.

(3) That the cultivator who populates a village and cultivates 1,000 bighas of land will be given zamindari *hug* in the village, and that a well for drinking purposes in the village will be sunk, if necessary, by the Durbar at its own cost.

(4) That any cultivator who desires to populate one or more depopulated villages may apply for special concessions which will be granted by the Durbar.

(5) That the cultivator who takes *patta* of the land is bound to bring ¼ of the land under cultivation within the first three years; ½ within the six years; and the whole of it, excepting the land under houses and that reserved for grazing, within ten years from the date of the *patta*.

(6) That the cultivator shall be charged nothing for the land which he brings under cultivation for the first six years; that one-half rent will be charged for the next three years; and that full rent will be charged thereafter.

(7) That the cultivator will be charged nothing for timber which he takes from the forest for building houses and making implements for cultivation; that the new settlers will be charged no *sayar* taxes on timber for six years; after that ½ anna *sayar* tax per cart of timber will be charged.

(8) For any further particulars application may be made to the Subha of the districts of Bhilsa and Esagarh or to the Secretary, Board of Revenue.

D. H. KUNTE, Secretary, Board of Revenue.

(945—1)

WANTED immediately for the District Board of Murshidabad—

(1) One passed Accountant, having experience in District Board and Public Works Department accounts, on a salary of Rs. 50—2—60 (annual increment). Security for Rs. 500 necessary.

(2) One Head Clerk on a salary of Rs. 40—2—50. A graduate with previous experience preferred.

(3) One Clerk for the District Engineer's office. Salary Rs. 30—2—40. Previous experience indispensible.

The selected candidates will be required to join not later than the close of the Puja holidays, and will be on probation for one year.

C. K. MAJUMDAR, Vice-Chairman.

Murshidabad District Board, Berhampore, the 22nd August 1903. (963—2

Notice of Revocation of Power.

IT is hereby announced and notified that by two General Powers-of-Attorney in Bengali, dated, respectively, the 6th January, 1902 and 11th July 1902, we appointed, with two other persons, Shama Churn Bose, son of Mahesh Chandra Bose, deceased, of village Teghuria, parganah Shaha Ujial, district, sub-district, and thana Jessore, one of our attorneys, but the services of the said Shama Churn Bose having been dispensed with by us on the 21st July 1903 last, his power was revoked and he ceased to be our attorney from that date.

Doorga Churn Law, Joy Gobind Law, Chundy Churn Law, Kristo Dass Law, Reshee Case Law.

Calcutta, the 24th August 1903. (961—3—792)

Sale of valuable taluqs at Muzaffarpur and house at Barrabazar, Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION OF SALE.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court, Calcutta, in his sale-room in the said Court, on Saturday, the 29th August 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the orders of the said Court, made in suit No 102 of 1899 (Baboo Rajaram and another *versus* Bissonath Prosad Mahata, Ramessur Narain Mahata and Parmessurnarain Mahata), and dated, respectively, the 18th November 1902 and 12th June 1903 and 25th July 1903, the undermentioned immoveable properties belonging to the defendants:—

Lot No. 1.—All that lakhraj or revenue-free taluqs known as Baryarpore, Baryarpore Rudder Atmapore, Bhuthua, Bazidpore, Pholadpore, together with all dependencies, appertaining to mahal Sunkersa, tappa Bhatsala, pargana Bisara, registration district Muzaffarpur and sub-district Muzaffarpur and Paru, thana Muzaffarpur and Paru, and being No. 619C in the lakhraj register of the Collector. The area is stated in the decree in this suit to be 8,295 acres 3 roods and 16 poles.

Lot No. 2.—No. 66 Banstolla Street in Calcutta, being a three-storied, brick-built dwelling-house with a piece of land on part whereof the same is erected or built, containing by estimation 15 cottahs 11 chitaks and 35 square feet, more or less, being holding No. 64, block No. XVIII, North Division, paying an annual rent of Rs. 2-15-3 to the Collector of Calcutta, and bounded on the south by Banstolla Street, on the east partly by the premises No. 64 Banstolla Street and partly by the Temple of Pareshnathji, on the north by a narrow lane, and on the west by the premises No. 66 Banstolla Street.

Lot No. 2 is subject to a prior mortgage, particulars of which are given in the abstract of title.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of Messrs. Fox and Mandal, Solicitors for the plaintiffs, at No. 12 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, and will be produced at the sale.

Further particulars as to the properties may be had on application to Messrs. Fox and Mandal.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Fox and Mandal, plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, the 18th August 1903.

(943—1—786)

Notification.

Re MURALI ENDOWMENT FUND.

UNDER the orders of the District Judge of Jessore, dated the 14th July 1903, Babu Mohendra Nath Sen, pleader of Jessore, is appointed to be a member of the Murali Endowment Fund Committee in place of Ray Jadu Lal, resigned. He will act in concert with the other two members—Babu Kiron Lal Mitra and Babu Sital Chandra Dhor.

H. F. SAMMAN, District Judge of Jessore,

Dated Jessore, the 4th August 1903. (852—3)

IT is notified for general information that there are in the district of Chittagong many commissions under section 392 of the Criminal Procedure Code waiting to be executed, and that there is therefore employment for a few pleaders who have passed the requisite Survey examination. Applications with the necessary certificate should be made to the District Judge of Chittagong.

Notification.

IN supersession of the notification dated the 8th August 1891, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, the following certificate of the mode in which copies of Judicial records of the Cooch Behar Courts are certified as correct copies is published for general information:—

"I do hereby certify that the different modes in which copies of Judicial records of the Cooch Behar Courts are certified as correct copies are as follows:—

A copy of a document being made, the words 'certified to be a true copy' are written at the foot of the copy. It bears the seal of the Court, and is signed in full—if not by the presiding officer, then by the officer hereinafter named, viz.—

At the Sadar.

1. Copies made in the State Council by the Registrar of the State Council.

2. Copies made in any other Civil or Rent Courts (including Small Cause Court) by the Sarishtadar of the Civil Judge's Court.

3. Copies made in any Revenue Court other than the State Council and those made in the Court of the Settlement Naib Ahilkar by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Dewan.

4. Copies made in the State Superintendent's Court by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Superintendent of the State.

5. Copies made in the Court of the Sessions Judge by the Sarishtadar of the Sessions Judge.

6. Copies made in any other Criminal Court by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Fouadari Ahilkar.

At Subdivisional Courts.

All copies by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Court.

In every such case the Certifying Officer appends to his signature the words 'authorised under section 76, Act I of 1872.'

The words

Certified to be a true copy Authorised under section 76, Act I of 1872

may be impressed by means of a stamp."

H. C. WILLIAMS, Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division, and Political Agent for the Cooch Behar State.

Darjeeling, the 1st August 1903.

Stolen

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 008311, 008312, 008314, of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97, for Rs. 500 each, originally standing in the name of Koonja Lal Addy, and last endorsed to Nogendra Bala Deby, the proprietress, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietress.

Name of Advertiser—KOONJA LAL BANERJEE.

Residence—Jansi, district Hooghly. (960—3—791)

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of the Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that, on or about the 18th July 1902, treasure, consisting of the articles noted below, valued at Rs. 123-8, was found in the wall of an old house of Golla Chendrappa in Yerraguntapalli village, Dharmavaram taluk, Anantapur district, by one Thimmagadu, a cooly engaged by the said Chendrappa—

Description of articles.	No. of articles.	Value.	Remarks.
		Rs. A.	
One pot alleged to have contained the treasure.	1	...	
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1845.	42	42 0	Rupees 50 recovered in one batch and kept in a sealed bag.
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1862.	8	8 0	
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1840.	38	38 0	Rupees 46-8 recovered in one batch and kept in a sealed bag.
Half rupees (Queen's coins) of 1840.	1	0 8	
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1862.	5	5 0	
Whole rupee (Queen's coin) of 1891.	1	1 0	
Whole rupee (Queen's coin) of 1884.	1	1 0	
Whole rupee (Queen's coin) of 1887.	1	1 0	
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1840.	2	2 0	Rupees 27 recovered in one batch and kept in a sealed bag.
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1862.	7	7 0	
Whole rupee (Queen's coin) of 1875.	1	1 0	
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1877.	5	5 0	
Whole rupee (Queen's coin) of 1880.	1	1 0	
Whole rupee (Queen's coin) of 1885.	1	1 0	
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1887.	2	2 0	
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1888.	2	2 0	
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1890.	2	2 0	
Whole rupee (Queen's coin) of 1890.	1	1 0	
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1892.	2	2 0	
Whole rupees (Queen's coins) of 1893.	1	1 0	
Total ...	135	123 8	

2. All persons claiming the above treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by Agent before the Collector of Anantapur at Anantapur on the 18th January 1904 in view to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

M. AZIZ-UD-DIN, Acting Collector.

Collector's Office, Anantapur, the 11th August 1903.

Lost or Stolen

THE Government Promissory Notes—

No.			Rs.
135625, 8½	per cent.,	1865 ...	500
135626	ditto,	„ ...	1,000
014666	ditto,	1900-1901 ...	1,000

originally standing in the name of Abinash Chunder Ghose, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest and for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of the proprietor—AMARKRISTA ROY.

Residence—Sugandha, district Hooghly

(916—3—757)

Lost.

THE lower half of the Government Promissory Note No. 078595 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1842-43 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to Jnanendra Chandra Bagchi, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor after six months from the date of last advertisement.

JNANENDRA CHANDRA BAGCHI.

3 and 4 Hare Street, Calcutta, the 10th August 1903.

(871—3—751)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 469, dated 3rd August 1903, and granted by Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Port Trust Debentures. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the debentures :—

P. T. Debenture No.	Loan.	Rs.	Holder's name.
4890	of 1886	100	Nara Narayan Chandra.
4891	ditto	100	
4892	ditto	100	
4893	ditto	100	
4894	ditto	100	

Name of proprietor—NARA NARAYAN CHANDRA.

Residence—111-1, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.

(858—1—790)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif of Bangaon, 1st Court.

RENT EXECUTION CASE No. 541 OF 1903.

Hari Charan Bose, decree-holder, *versus* Panchanan Datta and others, judgment-debtors.

THE undermentioned property of the judgment-debtors will be sold at public auction on the 7th day of September 1903 by the Nazir of the Court in the Court-house of Bangaon for realisation of Rs 1,105-11-3, the decretal amount, with costs :—

The jama in arrear, comprising 804 bighas of land in *mudafat* Tarak Datta, under 16-annas patni of the decree-holder, situated in Dihi Krishnapur at mauza Sibnagar *alias* village Padma Pukuria, pargana Halda, thana Bangaon, district Jessore, for which Rs. 265-11 is payable annually to the patnidar decree-holder. The approximate value whereof is Rs 100.

HARI P. MUKERJI, Munsif.

The 21st August 1903. (964—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Nadia.

PRESENT :

Babu Bhuban Mohan Ghose, Rai Bahadur, Subordinate Judge of Nadia.

TITLE SUIT No. 48 OF 1902 (MORTGAGE).

1. Gopi Mohan Mozumdar, (2) Kishory Mohan Mozumdar, decree-holders, *versus* (1) Basanta Kumar Biswas, (2) Hari Das Biswas, judgment-debtors.

THE following property (mortgaged) of the judgment-debtor No. 1 shall be sold for the recovery of Rs. 2,620-3-9 by the Nazir of the District Judge, Nadia, at the sale-room of the said District Judge at or about 12 noon of the 8th September 1903 —

Five annas six gundas two keras and two krantis out of sixteen annas' share of mauza Sahebnagar, pargana Plassey, bearing tauzi No. 1401 of the Nadia Collectorate. The annual sixteen annas' rent for the above is Rs. 1,300, payable to the Maharaja Bahadur of Nadia under a *patni*. The value of the property as stated by the decree-holders is Rs. 1,500.

BHUBAN MOHAN GHOSE, Subordinate Judge, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 22nd August 1903. (962—1)

In the 2nd Court of the Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas.

PRESENT:

Babu Bhugobutty Charan Mitter, Rai Bahadur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 137 OF 1903.

Raja Sri Nath Roy and others, decree-holders, *versus* Preo Nath Mitter, judgment-debtor.

WILL be sold at public auction on the 14th day of September 1903 in the Court-house at Alipore by the Nazir of the Court, for the realization of Rs. 6,03,297-1-9, due to the decree-holders, the following mortgaged properties of the judgment-debtor:—

Schedule of Properties.

1. (*a*) Three bighas 1½ cottahs of mourasi land at mauza Khasbag Chitpore, division 1, subdivision 5, holding No. 186, thana Chitpore, district 24-Parganas, for which Rs. 184-8 is payable annually to Nabab Syed Ahmed Ali, Khan Bahadur, of Chitpore.

(*b*) One and-a-half bighas of mourasi land at ditto for which Rs. 90 is payable annually to ditto.

(*c*) Five-and-a-quarter cottahs of mourasi land at ditto for which Rs. 15-12 is payable annually to the late Bhagaban Chandra Basu.

(*d*) Four bighas 6 cottahs of mourasi land at ditto, division, subdivision, and holding ditto, for which Rs. 172 is payable annually to Nabab Syed Ahmed Ali Khan.

(*e*) Ten cottahs of mourasi land at ditto for which Rs. 10 is payable annually to ditto.

(*f*) Five cottahs of mourasi land at ditto for which Rs. 5 is payable annually to one Fatema Begum.

The above six parcels of land enumerated in clauses (*a*) to (*f*) now comprise the screw-house of the land Kirti Chunder Mitter, together with all presses and screws called Ashcroft Presses, with all houses, godowns and other erections therein built and standing, and also all those five pairs set of screws and box complete and all other machineries, implements, stock and plant now being or which shall be hereafter bought on and upon the said premises and used therein for the business of jute screwing now carried on thereout. The said several pieces of land, together with godown and screw-houses, containing 10 bighas 7 cottahs and odd land and enclosed on all sides by a range of pucka godowns and pucka walls, being premises No 13 Nababpatty Street, *alias* Nababpatty 1st Lane, Chitpore.

2. All that piece or parcel of rent-free tenanted land No. 20-1 Manik Bose's Ghat Street, in the town of Calcutta, containing about 3 cottahs of land.

3. All that piece or parcel of rent-free tenanted land No. 237-1 Upper Chitpore Road, in Calcutta, containing about 2½ cottahs.

4. All that upper-roomed, two-storied, brick-built messuage or tenanted house, together with piece of rent-free land, containing about 3 cottahs, being premises No. 34 Durga Charan Mukerjea's Street, in Calcutta.

5. Four bighas and odd rent-free land, being No. 60 Lockgate Road, division 1, subdivision 5, holding No 82, under thana Chitpore, together with three blocks of pucka godowns and tenanted land.

6. All that partly four-storied and partly three-storied, brick-built house and premises Nos 71, 72, 73 known as Ashcroft Hall, being Rajbullabh Street, in Calcutta, containing about 8 cottahs of rent-free land.

7. All that tenanted piece of rent-free land, containing about 2 cottahs, being No. 61 Rajbullabh's Street in Calcutta.

8. All that two-storied building, being at No. 60-1 Rajbullabh's Street, containing about 4 cottahs of land.

9. All that piece of tenanted land, being at No. 61-1 Rajbullabh's Street in Calcutta, containing about 4 cottahs of rent-free land.

10. All that brick-built house, containing about 12 chitaks of rent-free land at No. 11 Rajbullabh's Street in Calcutta.

11. All that partly two-storied and partly three-storied, brick-built house, containing about 3 cottahs of land (rent-free) at No. 12 Rajbullabh Street in Calcutta

12. All that piece of rent-free land, containing about 1 cottah of land at No. 7 Radha Madhab Goswami's Lane in Calcutta.

13. All that piece of land, containing about 1 cottah of land at No. 9 Radha Madhub Goswami's Lane.

14. All that brick-built stable-house and godowns at Nos. 192 and 193 Upper Circular Road, containing 9 cottahs of land (rent-free).

15. All that brick-built dwelling-house, containing about 4 cottahs of rent-free land at No. 72 Shampookur Street, in Calcutta.

16. Fifteen bighas of land at Belgachia, thana Ultadinghi, division 2, subdivision 7, holding No. 14, out of this 7 bighas and 14 cottahs are garden land, the remaining is Railway surplus land, together with two-storied building and out-offices, etc.

17. All that partly one-storied and partly two-storied brick-built house and premises No. 134 Shambazar Street, containing about 8 cottahs and 6 chitaks of land.

18. Eight plots of separate lands, containing about 79 bighas and 13 cottahs situated at mauza Dakhindari, thana Dum-Dum, of which 40 bighas and 2 cottahs are rent-free and for the remaining 39½ bighas Rs. 46-1-5 is payable annually to the Alipore Collectorate. Out of this entire land 7 bighas 8 cottahs and odd have been acquired by the Eastern Bengal State Railway and the remaining 72 bighas and odd with tank and trees will be sold.

19. One bigha 2 cottahs of garden land at mauza Dakhindari, thana Dum-Dum, for which Re. 1-4-3 is payable annually to the Collectorate at Alipore.

20. Fifty-seven bighas and 9 cottahs of land at Dakhindari, thana Dum-Dum, for which Rs. 61-15-11 is payable annually to the Alipore Collectorate.

BHUGOBUTTY CHURN MITTER, Subordinate Judge.

Alipore, the 14th August 1903. (919—1)

In the Court of Munsif of 4th Court, Chapra.

EXECUTION CASE No. 152 OF 1903.

Babu Ashotosh Mukerjea, Babu Prabodh Chandra Mukerjea, Babu Bijoy Krishna Mukerjea, Babu Amolya Nath Mukerjea, decree-holders, *versus* (1) Babu Ram Khelawan Singh, (2) Ram Lal Singh, (3) Sanker Bhagat, (4) Shah Mohammad Ibrahim himself and manager on behalf of (5) Shah Mohammad Yaqoob, (6) Mohammad Suleyman, (7) Naimunnisa, (8) Ekramunnisa, (9) Ashraffunnisa, (10) Anjamunnisa, (11) Mohammad Khalil, (12) Raimunnisa, (13) Aimunnisa, (14) Hazira, (15) Razia, (16) Shaira, (17) Mohammad Abdul Barkat, (18) Abdul Darjat, (19) Meva Lal Mahto, (20) Mooni Lal Sah, (21) Bishvanath Mahto, (22) Bhagbat Prashad Mahto, (23) Sheosagar Mahto, (24) Khoob Lal Mahto, (25) Achai Lal Mahto, (26) Mukh Lal Mahto, (27) Chuni Mahto, (28) Gopal Mahto, (29) Madan Gopal Dass, judgment-debtors.

PRESENT:

Babu Syama Charan Ukil, Munsif.

TO be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Saran, at the ordinary sale place at 12 o'clock noon on the 7th September 1903 for the satisfaction of Rs. 277-9-10, due under the above decree—

[Shares of Ram Khelawan Singh and Ram Lal Singh, judgment-debtors Nos. (1) and (2).]

1. Nine pies share in mauza Kachnar, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 678, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the annual revenue of which is Rs 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 18*m*, the approximate value of which is Rs. 25.

[Shares of Shankar Bhagat, judgment-debtor No. (3).]

1. Four pies 10 karants share in mauzi Kachnar, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 18*m*., and the approximate value is Rs. 5.

2. Four pies 10 karants share in mauza Kopra, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 18*m*., and the approximate value is Rs. 10.

[Shares of Shah Mohammad Ibrahim himself and manager on behalf of Shah Mohammad Yaqoob, Mohammad Suleyman, Naimunnisa, Ekramunnisa, Ashraffunnisa, Anjamunnisa, Mohammad Khalil, Raimunnisa, Naimunnisa, Hazira, Razia, Shaira, Mohammad Abdul Barkat, Mohammad Abdul Darjat, judgment-debtors Nos. (5) to (18).]

1. Three annas 6 karants 10 masants shares in mauza Kachnar, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 18*m*., and the approximate value of which is Rs. 25.

[Shares of Meva Lal Mahto, judgment-debtor No. (19).]

1. Seven pies share in mauza Bangra, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the annual revenue of which is Rs 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 8*m*., and the approximate value is Rs. 10.

2. Seven pies share in mauza Batarha, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 18*m*., and the approximate value is Rs. 10.

[Shares of Muni Lal Mahto, judgment-debtor No (20).]

1. Seven pies share in mauza Bangra, appertaining to mahar Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 8*m*., and the approximate value of which is Rs. 10.

[Shares of Bishva Nath Mahto, judgment-debtor No. (21).]

1. One pie 10 karants share in mauza Bangra, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 8*m*., and the approximate value of which is Rs 5.

[Shares of Bhagwat Pershad Mahto, judgment-debtor No. (22).]

1. Seven pies share in mauza Bhatarha, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 8*m*., and the approximate value of which is Rs. 5.

[Shares of Sheosagar Mahto, judgment-debtor No. (23).]

1. Three pies share in mauza Kopra, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the Government annual revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 18*m*., and the approximate value is Rs. 4.

[Shares of Khub Lal Mahto, judgment-debtor No. (24) Achai Lal Mahto, judgment-debtor No. (25), and Mukh Lal Mahto, judgment-debtor No. (26).]

1. Three pies share in mauza Kopra, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorat tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police station Chapra, the annual Government revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 8*m*., and the approximate value of which is 5.

[Shares of Chuni Mahto, judgment-debtor No. (27).]

1. Two pies 5 krants share in mauza Kopra, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 18*m*., and the approximate value of which is Rs. 5.

[Shares of Gopal Dass, judgment-debtor No. (28).]

1. Seven pies share in mauza Kopra, appertaining to mahal Kachnar, pargana Bal, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 18*m*., and the approximate value is Rs. 4.

[Shares of Madan Gopal Dass, judgment-debtor No. (29).]

1. Three pies share in mauza Kopra, pargana Bal appertaining to mahal Kachnar, bearing Saran Collectorate tauzi No. 578, situate within the sub-registry and police-station Chapra, the annual revenue of which Rs. 715 3*a*. 8*p*. 16*k*. 18*m*., and the approximate value is Rs. 4.

SYAMA CHARAN UKIL, Munsif, Chapra.

Chapra, the 20th August 1903. (965—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of SEWNANDAN SHA and HARNANDAN SHA, insolvents.

On Friday, the 17th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Bakshit, Attorney. (934—2)

In the matter of SEW PROTAP MAHATA, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 20th day of July last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

S. K. Deb, Attorney. (935—2)

Chief Clerk's Office, the 18th day of August 1903.

In the matter of BABODA KANTA PRAMANICK, an insolvent,

and

In the matter of SIVADAGATI PRAMANICK, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 8th day of September 1901 to the

31st day of July last was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (964—1)

In the matter of SOOKDEB DASS MOTHURA DASS, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 16th day of December 1896 to the 31st day of July last was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (965—1)

In the matter of THOMAS WATSON, an insolvent.

(WATSON, SIBTHORP & Co.)

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 18th day of August 1902 to the 31st day of July last was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (966—1)

In the matter of MALLYRAM MUDDUN GOPAUL, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 17th day of June 1902 to the 31st day of July last was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (967—1)

In the matter of HAZARIMULL, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,660-10 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 4-4 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (968—1)

In the matter of ALEXANDER BRAULT, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,157-9-8 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 2-12 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (969—1)

In the matter of ARTHUR GRAHAM STROUD, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 99-0-8 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 2-4 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (970—1)

In the matter of TINCOWRIE DUTT and another, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 673-15-7 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said insolvents as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 12-8 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said insolvents and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (971—1)

In the matter of KANYE LALL AGARWALLAH, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, by an order of this Court the said insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

P. N. Sen, Attorney. (972—1)

In the matter of KALAGUBLA SURYANARAYANA, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 19th instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 31st day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid."

K. N. Mitter and Survadhicary, Attorneys.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 24th day of August 1903.

(973—1)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	27th Aug.	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	26th ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
*Australasian Colonies ...	31st ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
†Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	28th ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *Nam Sang*.
Burma	27th ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	29th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	29th ,,	,, 7 30	Ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	31st ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
South Africa (letters) ...	30th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Umzinto* from Colombo.
Ditto (parcels) ...	29th ,,	,, 5	
Port Blair	29th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Madras.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.

For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.

For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.

For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.

For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.

For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.

For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
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NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8 45 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails, *vid* Bombay, the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by sea. Foreign Mails for despatch *vid* Madras or Tuticorin are received up to 7 30 P.M., and with a late fee up to 8-45 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 25th August 1903.* } JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 21st August 1903.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water sounded.	Remarks.
		Ft. in.	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	21 0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	20 0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	18 10	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	17 10	Fadilpore.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa ..	18 0	Kedatl.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	20 0	Dadupore.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	15 9	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	15 6	Akriganj.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	15 0	Kashadanga.
	Thence to Patkabari	19 0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	18 0	Jitpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	14 0	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	14 6	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	15 0	Meghna.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	15 9	Maliparah.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	17 6	Mohesbpore.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengan; and Hanskhali ...	17 9	Ganjo.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	REMARKS.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj ..	21-8-1903	6	21·83	89·83	Falling.
	Rampur Boalia .	22-8-1903	12	19·20	61·20	Rising.
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah .	22-8-1903	7	...	71·15	Falling
	Entrance of Bhyrab Jalangi, Akriganj ...	22-8-1903	7	...	59·86	,,
	Entrance of Mathabhanga	21-8-1903	...	19·28	...	Rising.
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	22-8-1903	...	...	68·50	Falling.
	Berhampore ...	24-8-1903	10	24·16	57·91	,,
	Katwa ...	21-8-1903	6	27·30	46·46	Rising.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	21-8-1903	...	21·93	...	,,
	Saruppanj ...	22-8-1903	12	...	24·00	,,
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ...	22-8-1903	...	18 30	...	,,

S. S. PAUL, C.E.,
Exc. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 24th August 1903.

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Riyazu-s-Salatin. (English.) Fasc. 1 to 3, at 12*a*.
Prakrita-Paingalam. Fasc. 7, at 6*a*.
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Kala Viveka. Fasc. 5, at 6*a*.
Vidhana Parijata. Fasc. 1, at 6*a*.

List of Books published by the Meteorological Department during the current quarter.

Monthly Weather Review, March 1903. By W. L. Dallas (illustrated by 5 plates). Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1.

List of Books published by the Meteorological Department from 1st January to 30th June 1903.

Monthly Weather Review of India for the months of July and August 1902. By John Murray, M.A., and Lala Hem Raj (illustrated by 5 plates). Quarto. Paper cover. Re 1 per month.
Monthly Weather Review of India for the months of September 1902 to February 1903. By W. L. Dallas (illustrated by 5 plates). Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1 per month.
Annual Summary of the Monthly Weather Review, 1901. By John Murray, M.A. (illustrated by 6 plates). Quarto. Paper cover. Rs. 3.

List of new books published by the Geological Survey of India during the weeks ending 8th and 18th August 1903.

Contents and Index to Record, Volumes XXI to XXX. By the Director, Geological Survey of India. Re. 1.
Memoirs of the Geological Survey of India, Volume XXXIV, Part 3. By R. D. Oldham, A.R.C.S., F.G.S., Re. 1.
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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 279.

[First Publication]

INDIA, SOUTH—CEYLON COAST.

Batticaloa—Red buoy marking "Kandalla" rock not in position.

THE Master Attendant, Batticaloa, has given notice, dated 24th July 1903, that the Red Buoy at the Batticaloa Bar marking the Kandalla Rock will not be in position for some time, being under repair.

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Port Officer of Calcutta.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 280

[First Publication.]

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Hiro sima approach—Beacon constructing and provisional light at Nishinogoban sho.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 597 of 1903) that a beacon from which it is intended to exhibit a light is now in course of construction on a 2¾ fathoms patch, named Nishinogoban sho, situated about 14 cables S. 45° W from the south-western point of Kurahasi sima, in the approach to Hiro sima.

Approximate position, lat 34° 4′ N., long. 132° 26½′ E.

During the construction of the beacon a provisional *red fixed* light, elevated 15 feet above high water, will be exhibited on a pole near the base of the projected beacon. This light will be unwatched and therefore unreliable.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

Further Notice will be given when the beacon is completed and the light established.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Inland sea, No. 2875; Misima nada and Iyo nada, No. 83: Also, List of Lights, part IV, 1903, page 170; China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 413; and Supplement, 1898, page 23.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 281.

[First Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Port Nicholson entrance—Falcon shoals in fairway.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 601 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned shoal heads in the fairway into port Nicholson, now named Falcon shoals, and of a shoal in Lyall bay:—

(1) A shoal, with a depth of 24 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 30° E., distant 9 cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 65° W.

(2) A shoal, with a depth of 24 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 34° E., distant 10¾ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 59° W. This shoal is within the sector of white light shown from Somes island light.

(3) A shoal, with a depth of 23 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 39° E., distant 11¾ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 54° W.

(4) A shoal, with a depth of 26 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 44° E., distant 14½ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 40° W.

(5) A shoal, with a depth of 27 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island bearing N. 17° E, distant 11½ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 58° W.

(6) A shoal, with a depth of 18 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 2° E, distant 11½ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 61° W.

(7) Hope shoal, 5 cables S. 41° W., from the northern extremity of Ward island, has a depth of 5 feet, at low-water springs, and not 10 feet, as shown on the Chart.

(8) There are several patches of from 7 to 10 feet between Hope shoal and Ward island.

(9) The depths in the passage eastward of Ward island between it and Robinson bay have decreased to 10 feet in places.

Lyall bay:—

A shoal, with a depth of 16 feet over it at low water, exists in Lyall bay, 4½ miles south-westward of Ward island, situated with the signal station bearing N. 46° E, distant 17 cables, and mount Albert N. 49° W. Foul ground, with depths of from 21 to 27 feet over it, extends for a distance of 1½ cables S.S.E. from this shoal.

Approximate position, northern extremity of Ward island, lat. 41° 17½′ S., long. 174° 52½′ E.

(*Variation 15° Easterly in 1903.*)

NOTE.—A new edition of Chart No. 1423 will be issued.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 167 to 170; and Supplement, 1903, page 22.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 282

[First Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—North Island, West coast.

Kawhia harbour—Leading beacons and lights.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 611 of 1903) that a beacon, 35 feet high, has been erected on the south-western extremity of Te Motu, and another, 26 feet high, on the rising ground 1¾ miles S. 62° E. from it. These beacons in line S. 62° E. lead over the bar in a depth of 12 feet at low-water ordinary springs.

On and after 1st July 1903, when vessels are expected or leaving the harbour, a *white fixed* lantern light, elevated 13 feet above high water, will be exhibited from the front beacon, and a *white fixed* lantern light, elevated 60 above high water, from the rear beacon. These lights should be visible 2 miles outside the bar.

The former beacon on Te Motu and that on the rock off South head have been removed.

Approximate position, lat. 38° 4¼′ S., long. 174° 49′ E.

Caution.—The Kawhia harbour bar is subject to change, so that, although these leading marks are available now, it is possible that they may not be so hereafter.

(Variation 14° Easterly in 1903.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kawhia harbour, No. 2524: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 261.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 283.

[First Publication.]

AUSTRALIA—Torres strait.

Normanby sound—Discontinuance of leading lights.

With reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 323, dated 7th November 1902, issued by this office, the Port Master, Brisbane, has given further notice (No. 6 of 1903) that, on and after the 1st August, the Leading Lights in Normanby Sound, Port Kennedy, will be discontinued.

Charts affected—Nos. 347 and 691; Australia Directory, Vol. II.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 284.

[First Publication.]

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST COAST—Persian gulf.

Bahrein harbour—Colour of buoys.

The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 76 of 1903) that information has been received from the Agent, B. I. S. N. Company, dated 10th August 1903, that the buoys

in Bahrein Harbour will be painted in accordance with the Uniform System of Buoyage, viz.:—Starboard Hand buoys red and Port Hand buoys black. Thus—Outer, Inner and West Spit red and Ras Khaseifa black.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bahrein Harbour, No. 20, and Persian Gulf (Western Sheet) No. 2837b: Also, Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 138.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 273.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—AMOY, INNER HARBOUR.

Impérieuse rock—Marked by a buoy.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 5, dated 9th January 1903, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 567 of 1903) that the Impérieuse rock is now marked by a black conical buoy with staff and cage.

Approximate position, lat 24° 26′ N., long. 118° 4¼′ E.

CAUTION.—Mariners are warned that a rock, with a depth of 20 feet over it, and foul ground around it, exists between the above buoy and the line for clearing Impérieuse rock, namely Kang Sim Tak and Chiotah beacons, in transit.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Amoy harbour, Nos. 1767, 1764: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 177; and Supplement, 1898, page 15.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 274.

[Second Publication.]

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, EAST COAST.

Edi Rajut light—Character altered.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 373, dated 20th December 1902, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 568 of 1903) that the character of Edi Rajut light has been altered from white fixed to a *white group flashing* light showing *two flashes* in quick succession *every ten seconds*; it is elevated 65 feet above high water, visible in clear weather from a distance of 13 miles, and shown from a white framework iron tower having a white dwelling with red roof at its base in the same position as the former light.

The light is of the 5th order.

Approximate position, lat. 4° 58¼′ N., long. 97° 46¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Malacca strait, No. 1355, Diamond point to Pulo Berhala, No. 1353; plan of Edi Rajut on Chart No 219: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 391; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 68.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 275.

[Second Publication.]

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—FLORES SEA.

Ombai or Alor island—Non-existence of rock to the eastward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 582 of 1903) that a careful but unsuccessful search for three days has been made by the Captain of the Netherlands Government S.S. *Pelikaan* for the shoal shown on the Charts, and marked E D., about 10 miles East from the north-east point of Ombai or Alor island. Previous investigations having given the same result, it is considered that this shoal does not exist, and it has consequently been expunged from the Charts.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 8′ S., long. 125° 17′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a : Also, Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1893, page 270.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 276.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—KYAU CHAU APPROACH.

Tcha lien tau and Iltis peninsula—Provisional Fog signals established.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 585 of 1903) that, on 16th May 1903, fog explosives, which during thick or foggy weather will give *one report every ten minutes*, would be provisionally established on Tcha lien tau, and on the southern extremity of Iltis peninsula.

Approximate position, Tcha lien tau, lat. 35° 53½′ N., long. 120° 53′ E.

Approximate position, Iltis peninsula, lat. 36° 2½′ N., long. 120° 22′ E.

At Iltis peninsula station, if the fog signals of vessels under way are heard, the charge will be fired *every five minutes* until the vessels have passed.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Shantung promontory, No. 1255 ; Kyau Chau bay, No. 857 : Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 792, page 148 ; and China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 522.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 277.

[Second Publication.]

PERSIAN GULF ENTRANCE—BASIDU APPROACH.

Mariner rock—Decreased depth over.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 591 of 1903) that the Captain of the Russian S.S. *Truvor* reports having obtained a sounding of 4 fathoms, shells, on the Mariner shoal at a distance of 8 miles N. 28° E. from Jezirat Nabiyu Tanb.

Approximate position, lat. 26° 27′ N., long. 55° 13′ E.

The depth over this shoal appears to be decreasing.

(*Variation Nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Persian gulf, No. 2837a : entrance to Persian gulf, No. 763 : Also, Persian Gulf Pilot, 1893, page 228.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 278.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Simonoseki strait—Rock on northern side of Kita Suido.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 593 of 1903) of the existence of a rock about 16 yards in extent, with a depth of 5 feet over it at low-water springs, on the northern side of Kita Suido (North channel), eastern entrance to Simonoseki strait; it is situated with Kanabuse beacon bearing South, distant 3$\frac{6}{10}$ cables, and Danno ura l ghthouse S. 67° W.

Approximate position, lat. 33° 58¼′ N, long. 130° 58¾′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Simonoseki strait to Maruyama, No. 3225; Simonoseki strait, Nos. 532, 1578: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 428, and Supplement, 1898, page 24.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 265

[Third Publication.]

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CARIMATA STRAIT.

Discovery East Bank—Light established.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 304, dated 18th October 1902, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 543 of 1903) that a *white group flashing* light, showing groups of *two short flashes every ten seconds*, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 14 miles, has been established in a screw pile structure erected on Discovery East Bank, Carimata strait.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 35′ S., long. 109° 11′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China Sea, No. 1263; Eastern Archipelago, No. 941a; Carimata strait, No. 2160: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 534a; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 478.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 266.

[Third Publication.]

KOREA—CHEMULPHO APPROACH.

Flying Fish channel—Non-existence of shoal heads.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 43, dated 29th February 1892, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 545 of 1903) that an unsuccessful search for the undermentioned shoal heads reported by a Chinese officer and published in the above notice has been made:—

(*a*) A depth of 13 fathoms, fine sand, was obtained on the reported position of the one fathom rock, situated with Simpson island summit, bearing N. 76° E., distant 19½ cables, and the eastern extremity of Pirie island N. 8° E.

(*b*) Depths of from 5½ to 7 fathoms were obtained on the reported position of the 2¾-fathom shoal, situated with Simpson island summit, bearing N. 62° E., distant 22$\frac{3}{10}$ cables, and the eastern extremity of Pirie island N. 8° E.

Approximate position of Simpson island, lat. 37° 11′ N., long. 126° 14′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Approaches to Seoul, No. 1258, Chemulpho anchorage, No. 1270, Also China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 57; and Supplement, 1898, page 3.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 267.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA SEA—GULF OF SIAM.

Pulo Obi—Shoal soundings to the westward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 547 of 1903) that information has been received from Lieutenant and Commander T. D. Pratt, H.M.S. *Britomart*, that on 19th December, when his vessel was in a position from which the north point of Pulo Obi bore S. 81° E., distant 6 miles, and Cambodia Point N. 12° W., a depth of 5 fathoms was obtained, and that the depths varied from 5 to 5½ fathoms on a S. 52° E. course until the south point of Pulo Obi was abeam, after which bottom was not reached with 10 fathoms of line.

NOTE.—As the vessel was proceeding at a speed of 9 knots when these depths were obtained, they cannot be implicitly relied on.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 28′ N., long. 104° 43′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Siam, No. 2414; Bay island to Pulo Obi, No. 2723: Also China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, page 343.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 268.

[Third Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND, SOUTH COAST.

Dog island—Rock.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 548 of 1903) of the existence of a rock with a depth of 18 feet over it at low-water springs, situated with Dog island light-house, which lies in the approach to Awarua or Bluff harbour, bearing S. 78° W., distant $2\frac{4}{10}$ miles.

Approximate position, lat. 46° 39½′ S., long. 168° 29½′ E.

(*Variation 16° Easterly in 1903.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Foveaux strait, &c., No. 2553; Awarua harbour, No. 2540: Also New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 311; and Supplement, 1903, page 26.

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AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—RED SEA, SOUTHERN PART.

Jebel Teir, Zebayir, Abu Ail, and Mok'a—Characters of intended lights.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 556 of 1903) that the character of the lights to be exhibited at the undermentioned places in the southern part of the Red Sea will be as follows:—

(1) Jebel Teir—A *white flashing* light *every five seconds*, the duration of each flash being under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 531 feet above the sea.

Approximate position, lat. 15° 32½′ N., long. 41° 49½′ E.

(2) Zebayir islands, Centre Peak island—A *white group flashing* light showing groups of *three flashes every ten seconds*, the duration of each flash being under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 633 feet above the sea.

Approximate position, lat. 15° 1½′ N., long. 42° 9½′ E.

(3) Abu Ail, Quoin island—A *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two flashes every ten seconds*, the duration of each flash being under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 384 feet above the sea.

Approximate position, lat. 14° 44′ N., long. 42° 49′ E.

(4) Mokha, on the south fort—A *white flashing* light *every five seconds*, the duration of each flash being under one-tenth of a second; it will be elevated 171 feet above the level of the sea.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 18½′ N., long. 43° 13¼′ E.

Further notice will be given when these lights are exhibited, which it is understood will be not long hence, as the lanterns are in place and everything points to an early illumination.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Jebel Tair to Perim island, No. 143: Also List of Lights, 1903, part V, Nos. 1356, 1357, 1358, 1359; part VI, Nos. 148, 149, 150, 151, and Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, pages 72, 74, 79, 339.

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JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—GULF OF TOKIO APPROACH.

Nosima or Nojima saki—Fog signal established.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 561 of 1903) that on 10th June 1903 a fog explosive, which will give during thick or foggy weather *one report every fifteen minutes*, would be established at Nosima or Nojima saki light-house, on the eastern side of the entrance to the gulf of Tokyo.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 54′ N., long. 139° 53′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kii channel to Tokyo, No. 996; Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo, No. 2657: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 921; and China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 312.

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PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—BASILAN.

Port Isabela approach—Depth on Pamelukan bank—Beacons erected.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 565 of 1903) that the depth over Pamélukan bank is 6 feet and not 13 feet, as at present shown on the charts. This shoal has been marked by an iron tripod beacon 20 feet high, surmounted by a drum and white flag, in a position 35 yards south-westward of the shoal head and in a depth of 25 feet. From it the north-western point of Lampinigan island bears S. 50° W., distant 2½ miles, and the eastern extremity of Matanaye island S. 16° E.

Approximate position, lat. 6° 43′ N., long. 121° 54′ E.

Also, that an iron pipe, surmounted by a flag, has been erected off the south side of Malamaui island, situated with the south-western point of Malamaui, bearing N. 51° W., distant 4 cables, and the northern end of Matanaye island S. 44° W.

Also that an iron tripod beacon, 35 feet high, has been erected on the summit of Lampinigan island.

Approximate position, lat. 6° 41¼′ N., long. 121° 52′ E.

(Variation 1° Easterly in 1903.)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Basilan strait, No. 961: Also Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 103.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 272.

[Third Publication.]

PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, NORTH COAST.

Katadman (Catarman)—Shoal in approach.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 566 of 1902) that Captain J. W. Scott, U.S.A.T. *Wright*, reports having passed over a shoal about one mile in diameter, in the approach to Katadman (Catarman), situated with the warehouse at Katadman, bearing S. 6° W., distant 10 miles, and Bulusan volcano N. 80° W.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 41′ N, long. 124° 38½′ E.

The least water obtained on this shoal was 6 fathoms, but appearances indicated less.

(*Variation Nil in 1903.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 943; St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2577: Also Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 352.

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REPORT ON THE WORKING OF THE SHIPPING OFFICES IN CALCUTTA AND IN THE OUT PORTS OF BENGAL FOR 1902-1903.

No. 1397Marine.

Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 22nd August 1903.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

Letter No. 6314B., dated 20th July 1903, from the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, submitting the report on the working of the Shipping Offices at Calcutta Chittagong and the Orissa Ports during the year 1902-1903.

THE receipts of the Shipping Office, Calcutta, amounted, during the year under review, to Rs. 71,668, showing an increase of Rs. 2,602 over those of the previous year. This is due mainly to an increase in the income derived from the shipping and discharging fees. There was a decrease of Rs. 868 in the sale of discharge certificates, as fewer certificates were issued during the year, the majority of Indian seamen having previously provided themselves with them.

The new Branch Shipping Office at Kidderpore will, it is hoped, be completed during the current year.

2. The expenditure aggregated Rs. 27,339, which is slightly more than in the previous year.

3. The Trust Funds showed an increase of Rs. 36,316 in the receipts during the year, the large portion of this increase being due to the Shipping Master insisting, before sanctioning the discharge of European seamen, on deposits being made by them to prevent their becoming a source of expense to the State. A sum of Rs. 1,171 lapsed to the State, and the undisbursed balance at the close of the year amounted to Rs. 12,643.

4. The number of seamen shipped and discharged were—

Shipped	...	...	36,724
Discharged	..	...	32,584

There was an increase of 134 in the number of seamen shipped under European Articles, while there was a decrease of 792 in the number shipped under Indian Articles. The numbers vary according to the requirements of the trade; 121 Eurasians were shipped and 273 discharged, against 134 and 281 in the previous year. A larger number and a better class of men are offering themselves as ordinary seamen, but it is difficult to find them suitable employment, as the demand is for able-bodied seamen.

Besides the above, 42 seamen were shipped and 59 discharged by Foreign Consuls.

5. The value of the money-orders sent by European seamen, which fell from Rs. 16,634 in 1900-1901 to Rs. 7,622 in 1901-1902, rose again to Rs. 16,154 during the year under review.

6. Forty-six men were sent home as distressed seamen, against 18 in the year before.

7. At the request of the Vice-Consul for Spain, the Shipping Master sanctioned the discharge of a Spanish lad from the S.S. *Battersea Bridge* on the ground of ill-treatment on board. The Consul took charge of the lad, but found him incorrigible, and the Shipping Master had to ship him again.

In his last report the Shipping Master expressed the opinion that Indian crews would gradually displace their European rivals. The present report, however, shows slightly in favour of the Europeans. The Shipping Master states that this is in some measure due to the fact that he required the payment of the passage of the European crew back to the United Kingdom before consenting to their discharge in India.

8. At the port of Chittagong the number of seamen shipped and discharged were 32 and 366, against 161 and 539 during 1901-1902, and 45 and 43, respectively, in the year 1900-1901.

Chittagong.

The receipts amounted to Rs. 690 against Rs. 1,314 in the previous year, the decrease being due partly to the smaller number of men engaged and discharged during the year and partly to a reduction in the receipts credited as overtime fees.

The disbursements represent three-fourths of the overtime fees paid to the Shipping Officers. Out of the fees thus earned, viz., Rs. 160, only a sum of Rs. 12 was paid in September 1902. The disposal of the balance has been postponed pending settlement of the general question of the distribution of these fees in accordance with the recent orders of the Government of India on the subject.

9. The receipts from Trust Funds, consisting of deposits on account of the balance of wages of seamen discharged, amounted to Rs. 25,130: the whole of this was disbursed.

10. At the Orissa Ports no seaman was discharged during the year, while one British seaman was shipped at False Point. The Shipping Master inspected nine vessels at False Point, but received no complaints nor discovered any defects.

Orissa Ports.

One lascar died at False Point: the balance of his wages was forwarded to the Shipping Master, Calcutta.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. A. INGLIS,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE EXCISE DEPARTMENT IN THE LOWER PROVINCES, BENGAL, DURING THE YEAR 1902-1903.

The 25th August 1903.—The following extracts from the Report of the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, on the Administration of the Excise Department in the Lower Provinces of Bengal during the year 1902-1903 as well as the letter from the Board of Revenue reviewing the report are published for general information.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 6807½B., dated Calcutta, the 1st August 1903.

From—H. WHEELER, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I AM directed by the Board of Revenue to submit the report received from the Commissioner of Excise, Bengal, upon the administration of the Excise Department during the year 1902-1903. The review for the most part deals completely with the different features of interest during the year, and the comments which the Board have to make are few.

Member in charge:
THE HON'BLE MR. C. E. BUCKLAND, C.I.E.

2. *Paragraph 17 of the Report.*—It appears that the large increase said to have been gained at the new triennial settlements in Calcutta, as reported in the preceding year, was subsequently discounted to some extent by the surrender and cancellation of licenses. There still, however, remained a substantial balance to the good. The increase of revenue obtained at the new settlements for 1903-1904 in Manbhum, would appear to have been quite abnormal, and the Board will make further enquiry as to the reason. The information so far furnished is somewhat general in form, namely, that the fees ruled higher, more especially in the case of outstills.

3. *Paragraphs 24—26 of the Report.*—The consumption of distillery liquor in Burdwan remained practically stationary; in Bankura, Midnapore and Hooghly, there was some increase recorded. In Bankura and Midnapore, the detective establishments seem to have been more active, though the same can scarcely be said of Hooghly, where a recent inspection by the Commissioner of Excise has demonstrated the need for closer supervision. In Burdwan the Raina thana still maintained a discreditable notoriety for the prevalence of the offence of illicit distillation, and the measures so far adopted seem to have had little result. The Board will enquire what further action can be taken, and will suggest to the Excise Commissioner that the co-operation of the local *zamindars* should be sought, or, in default, that their responsibilities under the law should be enforced. It is observed that in the district of Ranchi (*paragraph 54 of the Report*) useful assistance was thus derived from a proprietor of certain villages concerned in this illicit traffic.

Paragraphs 31 and 32 of the Report.—It is noted that the patrol establishments in Jalpaiguri for the prevention of the smuggling of liquor from Bhutan and Kuch Bihar are alleged to have effected good results. It is true that the revenue from license fees showed an improvement, but the consumption was practically stationary, while the number of prosecutions instituted for the illegal possession of foreign exciseable articles actually declined. The same also was the case in Darjeeling, though both consumption and revenue there showed a substantial advance. It is observed that in the district of Jalpaiguri the incidence of taxation per proof gallon of country liquor is the third highest in the Province. The Excise Commissioner will be asked to consider whether, under the circumstances, this is not excessive.

Paragraphs 45 and 46 of the Report.—The Board have already separately given their opinion that the success so far achieved in the Sonthal Parganas by the measures taken to check illicit distillation by improved facilities for the supply of licit liquor, is decidedly hopeful.

4. *Paragraphs 57—62 of the Report.*—The figures regarding the consumption of country rum continue to be somewhat difficult to understand, but there was some recovery in the revenue. The closure of the Albion Distillery (Howrah), preceded by the failure of that at Sakri (Darbhanga), does not seem to indicate a successful prospect for the trade, at any rate in Bengal.

5. *Paragraph 65 of the Report.*—It is noticeable that the districts of Burdwan, Khulna, Backergunge and Tippera, all show an increase in the license fees for imported liquor shops. It was observed in the preceding year that the taste for such brands appeared to be spreading in Eastern Bengal.

6. *Paragraphs 83 and 84 of the Report.*—The figures are interesting as illustrating the violent fluctuations in the area under *ganja* with its attendant produce and resultant prices. As the result of the bumper crop of 1901-1902, prices ruled much lower. The effect of the orders of the Government of India, restricting the cultivation to a maximum of 976 acres, has yet to be seen.

7. *Paragraph 99 of the Report.*—The Board will address the Commissioner of the Chota Nagpur Division regarding the introduction of the Kuch Bihar system of *ganja*-supply into the Tributary States of that Division.

8. *Paragraphs 115 and 116 of the Report.*—The results which have followed in the district of Chittagong from the abolition of the system of restricted sales of opium to individual shops, will form the subject of special enquiry by the Commissioner of Excise. The decline under the head of license fees was very marked, and the detective establishments seem unable to check the smuggling of the drug to Burma.

9. *Paragraph 122 of the Report.*—The Board are somewhat apprehensive regarding the large increase in the issue of licenses for the sale of cocaine. They note that the matter has the attention of the Commissioner of Excise, but the restriction of the abuse of cocaine cannot be satisfactorily enforced until the Excise Law is amended.

10. *Paragraphs 125 and 127 of the Report.*—The Board agree with the Commissioner of Excise that the detective work of Excise officers leaves much room for improvement, which can only be ensured by closer supervision being exercised by Collectors and Excise Deputy Collectors Mr. Badshah is giving special attention to the point in the course of his own district inspections.

There would seem to have been some want of discretion in the institution of numerous prosecutions in respect of the unlicensed manufacture and possession of *pachwai* in Dinajpur. The Excise Commissioner has recently brought it to the notice of the Board that the excise administration in this district has not been altogether satisfactory.

11. *Paragraphs 143 and 144 of the Report.*—The attention of the Commissioners of the Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions and of the Collectors of the districts marginally noted, will be drawn to the omission in respect of the inspection of their subordinate Excise offices.

Murshidabad. | Pabna.
Rajshahi. | Noakhali.
Patna.

12. Mr. Inglis officiated as Commissioner of Excise throughout the year. The thanks of the Board are due to him for his administration of the Department and to his successor, Mr. Badshah, for his present report.

No. 102E., dated 2, Bankshall Street, Calcutta, the 15th July 1903.

From—K. J. BADSHAH, Esq., I.C.S., Offg. Commr. of Excise and Salt, Bengal,
To—The Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.

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SECTION III.—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

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Total revenue and charges.

10. The excise revenue and charges of the province for the last five years are shown below :—

PERIOD.	Revenue.	Charges.	Net revenue.	Percentage of charges.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1898-99	1,34,27,290	6,74,503	1,27,52,787	5·02
1899-1900	1,39,65,984	6,85,984	1,32,80,000	4·91
1900-1901	1,46,48,409	6,73,358	1,39,75,051	4·59
1901-1902	1,50,25,817*	6,76,318	1,43,49,499*	4·49
1902-1903	1,57,87,729	7,72,606	1,50,15,123	4·89
Difference of the past two years ...	+ 7,62,412	+ 96,788	+ 6,65,624	+ ·4

* Revised figures.

The net revenue shows an increase of Rs. 6,65,624, or 4·6 per cent., over that of the previous year, and is the largest on record.

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Excise charges.

14. The charges show an increase of Rs. 96,788. The increase of Rs. 75,223 under the head "Establishments" is due to the entertainment of new officers and their peons under the orders of the Secretary of State sanctioning the reinforcement and re-organisation of the Excise Preventive establishments in Bengal. The increase of Rs. 18,385 under the head "Travelling allowance" is attributed partly to increased establishments and partly to greater activity on the part of the inspecting and detective staff. The increase of Rs. 3,101 under the head "Supplies and Services" is partly due to the charges on account of uniforms supplied to jamadars and peons appointed recently and partly to the increased payments of rewards in consequence of the detection of important cases. The small increase of Rs. 79 under the head "Contingencies" is due to ordinary fluctuations. In Calcutta the entire cost of the establishment, whether employed in the Land Revenue, Stamps, or other departments, including the pay of the Superintendent of Excise Revenue and the Deputy Collector of Calcutta is charged to "Excise" under special orders.

SECTION IV.—DEMAND AND COLLECTION OF REVENUE.

Revenue under different heads.

15. The total revenue under the different heads of exciseable articles was Rs. 1,57,87,729 as against Rs. 1,50,25,317, in the previous year; showing an increase of Rs. 7,62,412, or 4·8 per cent. The increase was common to all but three districts. The largest increase (Rs. 1,82,305) took place in Calcutta. The increase was also considerable in Hazaribagh (Rs. 42,523), Sonthal Parganas (Rs. 36,927), Purnea (Rs. 35,888), Champaran (Rs. 33,957), Muzaffarpur (Rs. 32,283), and Ranchi (Rs. 30,089). On the other hand, the decrease was heavy in Gaya (Rs. 13,428). There was an increase under every head except miscellaneous, methylated spirit and beer. The largest increase occurred as in the previous year under the head "Country spirits," being Rs. 4,36,860. Ganja comes next with an increase of Rs. 1,74,466, followed by imported wines, pachwai, and opium which yielded an increase of Rs. 36,651, Rs 35,457 and Rs. 31,876 respectively. The largest decrease (Rs. 2,820) occurred under the head "Miscellaneous." The fluctuations in the revenue under the several heads of exciseable articles are discussed in the sections devoted to them.

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SECTION V.—COUNTRY SPIRIT.

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Licenses.

21. The number of outstills settled was 2,134, as against 2,128 in the previous year, showing an increase of six licenses. There was an increase of 10 in eight districts, and a decrease of four in as many districts. The number of licenses issued for the sale of distillery liquor was 1,237, as against 1,221 in the previous year, showing an increase of 16 licenses. There was an increase of 18 licenses in seven districts, and a decrease of two in as many districts.

Consumption of distillery liquor.

22. The consumption of distillery liquor in L. P. gallons rose from 610,354 to 652,009; there was thus an increase of 41,655 gallons. Of the 31 districts in which the distillery system is in force, there was an increase of 46,706 gallons in 20, and a decrease of 5,051 gallons in the remaining 11. The most noticeable increase took place in the Sonthal Parganas (12,590 gallons), Calcutta (10,862 gallons), Patna (10,507 gallons), Gaya (3,591 gallons), Hooghly (1,749 gallons), Puri (1,543 gallons), the 24-Parganas (1,357 gallons), Hazaribagh (1,088 gallons) and Howrah (1,040 gallons). The decrease was heavy in Monghyr (1,401 gallons) and Shahabad (1,278 gallons).

Revenue from outstill and distillery liquor.

23. The receipts from outstills rose from Rs. 35,68,589 to Rs. 37,26,567, showing an increase of Rs. 1,57,978. The increase was large in Hazaribagh (Rs. 33,250), Ranchi (Rs. 24,722), Purnea (Rs. 21,206), Muzaffarpur (Rs. 15,751), Manbhum (Rs. 10,674), Champaran (Rs. 10,576), and Darjeeling (Rs. 19,015). On the other hand, there was a heavy decline in Patna (Rs. 25,254) and Gaya (Rs. 22,023). Of the 30 districts in which the outstill system is in force, there was an increase of Rs. 2,07,924 in 26 districts, and a decrease of Rs. 49,946 in the remaining four. The revenue from distillery liquor increased from Rs. 34,53,138 to Rs. 37,32,020, showing an increase of Rs. 2,78,882. The increase is marked in Calcutta (Rs. 1,61,219), Patna (Rs. 45,614), the Sonthal Parganas (Rs. 21,261), Hooghly (Rs. 11,033) and the 24-Parganas (Rs. 10,577). Of the 31 districts in which the distillery system is in force, there was an increase of Rs. 2,87,469 in 21, and a decrease of Rs. 8,587 in the remaining ten. The total receipts from outstill and distillery liquor amounted to Rs. 74,58,587 as against Rs. 70,21,727 in the previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 4,36,860.

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SECTION VI.—COUNTRY RUM.

Licenses.

57. Eleven licenses for the retail sale of rum only were taken out, of which ten were issued in Calcutta and one in Darjeeling, as in previous years. Rum is also sold under licenses for the sale of distillery spirit and imported liquors.

License fees.

58. The receipts from license fees amounted to Rs. 24,737 against Rs. 26,160 in the previous year, showing a decrease of Rs. 1,423. The decrease in Calcutta was Rs. 1,263 and was due to one of the shops having remained unsettled for a part of the year. The decrease of Rs. 160 in Darjeeling was due to the settlement of the shop at reduced fees in the absence of competition.

Source of supply.

59. Rum was supplied from the Albion Distillery at Sibpur in the district of Howrah, from the Rosa Distillery in the district of Shahjahanpur in the United Provinces, and from several distilleries in the Madras Presidency. The Albion Distillery at Sibpur has not been a paying concern for some time past, owing as it is reported to the large importation of country rum from Shahjahanpur and Madras, which is placed in the market at rates lower than those charged for the Albion rum. The proprietors, Messrs Abmuty and Co., are therefore winding up their business, and the distillery will be closed as soon as the liquor in stock is cleared.

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SECTION VII.—IMPORTED LIQUOR.

General.

63. The following statement shows the total number of licenses, and the revenue derived from them, during the last three years:—

Year.	Wholesale	Retail.						Total wholesale and retail licenses	Revenue.
		Hotel.	Railway Refreshment Room.	Dining Car.	Steamer.	General	Dák Bungalow.		
									Rs.
1900-1901 ...	119	75	33	4	39	348	28	646	3,30,146
1901-1902 ...	119	75	36	4	30	353	30	646	3,37,434
1902-1903 ...	119	76	36	4	26	360	25	645	3,74,075

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SECTION XII.—GANJA.

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Statistics.

83. Statistics of the cultivation of ganja for the last five years are given below:—

Year.	Number of licenses issued.	Quantity of land estimated to have been cultivated.	Produce.	Average produce per bigha.
		B. c.	Mds s.	Mds. s. ch.
1898-99 ...	1,023	1,530 11	5,417 13	3 21 9
1899-1900 ...	1,603	2,733 0	7 551 23	2 30 8
1900-1901 ...	2,621	5,164 18	7,824 12	1 20 9
1901-1902 ...	2,413	4,416 12	11,324 32	2 22 9
1902-1903 ...	1,594	2,354 5	5,040 20	2 5 10

As there was a very large outturn in the preceding year, cultivation was restricted to a limited area, which was calculated to produce the estimated quantity of ganja required. The Supreme Government has been in favour of restricting cultivation, and orders were received during the year that only a limited area, not exceeding 976 acres, should be placed under ganja cultivation each season, and that this limit should not be exceeded without the previous sanction of the Government of India. The average outturn shows a decrease which is attributed to the ravages of insects before the crop was cut.

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Total revenue.

93. The total receipts amounted to Rs. 32,62,120, as against Rs. 30,87,654 in the year 1901-1902, the net increase being Rs. 1,74,466. The increase was most marked in the districts of Calcutta (Rs. 26,441), Champaran (Rs. 22,228), Monghyr (Rs. 15,346), Muzaffarpur (Rs. 12,004), Purnea (Rs. 8,825), and Sonthal Parganas (Rs. 8,022). The increase in all these districts is both in license fees and duty, and in the district of Champaran it is mainly in duty.

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SECTION XVI.—OPIUM.

Licenses for retail sale.

112. The total number of licenses issued for the retail vend of opium was 1,697 as against 1,651 in the previous year, showing an increase of 46. There was an increase of 51 shops in 16 districts, due to the opening of new shops in order to meet ascertained local demands and to check illicit practices, while there was a decrease of 5 shops in 3 districts in consequence of the closure of shops which appeared unnecessary. In the opium-producing districts of Gaya, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, and Monghyr, 54 additional shops were opened for nominal fees in order to bring the licit drug within the easy reach of the consumers. In Bhagalpur two new shops were opened so as to check the smuggling of opium from Nepal.

Druggists' permits.

113. The number of permits issued was 2,060 against 2,058 in the previous year. The increase is most marked in Nadia (40), Rangpur (24), the 24-Parganas (18), Monghyr (18), and Birbhum (16). The increase in Rangpur is attributed to steps being taken in time for the settlement of these licenses. In Monghyr the increase was due to the activity displayed by the Excise staff in enforcing the rules. There was a large decrease in Khulna (49), Noakhali (30), Mymensing (28), Jessore (22), Dinajpur (18), and Midnapore (15). The decrease in each case is attributed to the fact that several medical practitioners refused to renew their licenses on the ground that they did not use raw opium

for medicinal purposes. Under the rules, only medical practitioners are exempted from taking out permits for the sale of medicinal preparations containing opium imported from Europe. But, in practice, druggists are allowed to sell these preparations without a license except in the districts of Dacca and Jessore. The question of amending the rule is now under the consideration of the Board.

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Consumption and duty.

116. The quantity of opium sold increased from 2321 maunds, 17 seers, 9 chitaks to 2,351 maunds, 20 seers, 15 chitaks and the receipts from duty from Rs. 19,11,280 to Rs. 19,30,050, showing an increase of 30 maunds, 3 seers, 6 chitaks in the quantity sold, and of Rs. 18,770 in duty. The largest increase (52 maunds, 26 seers), took place in Chittagong, and was due to the abolition of the restrictive system. The Collector of Chittagong, Mr. Geake, writes as follows:—

"It is evident that most of the opium shewn as consumed found its way somehow or other to Burma. The Excise Preventive Staff of the district was increased by the addition of two Deputy Inspectors, 20 peons and 4 jamadars. One Deputy Inspector, 18 peons, and 4 jamadars were posted to Cox's Bazar and chiefly employed for detection and preventive work. There has been an increase of 52 maunds, 26 seers in the sale of opium over last year. Previous to the abolition of the restrictive issue of opium to shops, opium used to be transported from Backergunge, French Chandernagore and Calcutta by smugglers here for sale to Arracanese. Now owing to the abolition of the restrictive system smugglers get free supply from our licensed vendors who readily share in the smuggling business.

In Cuttack there was an increase of 16 maunds, 19 seers which is attributed to the fact that, in consequence of the introduction of a few new vendors, there was an unhealthy competition during the first half of the year The increase of 6 maunds, 32 seers in Patna was due to the abolition of the restrictive system. In Malda the rise in consumption amounting to 6 maunds, 7 seers is attributed to brisk competition and the consequent lowering of the retail price. The increase in Manbhum (5 maunds, 13 seers) was due to the increased supply of opium taken by the Tributary States, and to increased consumption within the district in consequence of the increase in the number of labourers in the coal mines. The decrease was heavy in Calcutta (83 maunds, 4 seers) which is attributed to the withdrawal of the restrictive system in Chittagong. The Superintendent of Excise Revenue, Calcutta, reports that it is well known that a considerable portion of the opium annually issued from the treasury represented the quantity smuggled to Arracan and other places and that the decrease was due to the fact that the smugglers had shifted their business to Chittagong. There is also a growing suspicion that cocaine is to a certain extent displacing opium in Calcutta. In Balasore there was a decrease of 9 maunds, 8 seers, which was due partly to the fact that some retail vendors raised the selling price of opium owing to an increase in license fees and partly to insufficient crops in parts of the district. Of the 47 districts, there was an increase of 129 maunds, 4 seers, 6 chitaks in 38 districts and a decrease of 99 maunds, 1 seer, in 8 districts. In Noakhali the consumption was stationary.

Total receipts.

117. The total receipts amounted to Rs 26,52,154, as against Rs 26,20,278 in the previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 31,876. Of this increase a sum of Rs 13,106 was contributed by license fees and Rs. 18,770 by duty.

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WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 24th August 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·40, Kalna 2·10, Katwa 1·23, Raniganj ·56. Weather gloomy. Transplantation of *aman* continues. Condition of sugarcane, *aus*, jute, and indigo fair. Fodder sufficient. Water still insufficient in parts of thanas Katwa and Mangalkot. Condition of cattle good. More rain urgently wanted. Common rice sells at 10 seers per rupee.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·61, Rampur Hât 0·86. Weather seasonable. Paddy seedlings are transplanted. More rain is wanted. Sugarcane crop is in good condition. Rice sells at 11 seers 14 chitaks a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·45, Vishnupur ·26. Transplantation going on. Rice sells at 10¼ seers a rupee. More rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·94, Contai 2·84, Tamluk 1·66, Ghatal 1·52. Transplantation of paddy continues. Prospects improved, but more rain needed. All other crops thriving. Scarcity of steeping water delays jute harvest. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Contai	12	0	
Tamluk	10	10	
Ghatal	11	0	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·66, Serampore 2·25, Arambagh 1·12. The rainfall has done much good to the standing crops in the Arambagh and Serampore subdivisions. More rain, however, is wanted for the *aman* crops, specially in the Sadar subdivision. Jute being out, prospects of *aus* good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Serampore	10	1⅓	
Arambagh	9	14	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·03. Weather cloudy. Condition of standing crops good. Transplantation of *aman* paddy is nearly over. Sowing of jute over. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice is selling at 10¾ seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·56, Barasat 1·85, Basirhat 1·64, Diamond Harbour 3·14. Weather cloudy. Rainfall insufficient in the Sadar, Basirhat and Diamond Harbour subdivisions. *Aus*, jute and sugarcane doing well, as also *aman* sown broadcast on *bil* lands. Prospect of *aus* and jute good, but that of *aman* not favourable. Jute being out and steeped. Transplantation of *aman* in fair progress everywhere, excepting in Basirhat, where it has been affected more or less by scanty rainfall. Common rice sells at 11¼ seers per rupee, except at Barasat and Diamond Harbour, where it sells at 10 seers per rupee. Condition of cattle good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·36, Kushtia 0·81, Meherpur 1·10, Chuadanga 0·43, Ranaghat 0·05. Prospects of standing crops improved by recent rain except in Karimpur and Kushtia police-stations. More rain wanted. Harvesting of early *bhadoi* paddy commenced in places. Transplantation of *aman* still going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kushtia	11	0	
Meherpur	10	10	
Chuadanga	11	0	
Ranaghat	11	0	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar ·97, Kandi ·75, Jangipur 1·08, Lalbagh ·95. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* going on, but more rain wanted. Standing crops doing well now. *Bhadoi* on *dearah* or low lands being harvested, and that on high lands ripening in Jangipur subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kandi	11	0	
Jangipur	12	0	
Lalbagh	11	4	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·05, Jhenida 2·68, Magura 0·26, Narail 0·52, Bangaon 0·24. Weather cloudy. Prospect of *aman* paddy greatly improved by recent rains. Its transplantation still going on. More rain wanted, especially for the Sadar and Bangaon subdivisions. Harvesting of *aus* going on. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0 (New *aus*)	per rupee.
Jhenida	12	0	
Magura	12	0	
Narail	12	5	
Bangaon	12	5	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·00, Bagerhat 3·27, Satkhira 0·84. Weather seasonable, but more rain is still urgently wanted, specially in the Satkhira subdivision. Transplantation of winter rice is still estimated at 65 per cent. Paddy plants are withering in some places for insufficient rainfall, but prospects generally somewhat improved by recent rains. *Til* sowing estimated at 80 per cent. Cattle-disease reported from Khulna, Dumuria, Kaligunge, and Budhatta. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Bagerhat	12	0	
Satkhira	10	8	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·38, Nator 0·65, Naugaon 0·51. Prospects of *aus* paddy better. Harvesting and steeping of jute continue. Transplantation of winter rice in progress. More rain wanted badly. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling on an average at 13 seers per rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·61. Fall in the district general, varying from 3·60 to ·40. Weather seasonable. Standing crops fair. More rain badly wanted. Steeping of jute and transplantation of winter rice going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at 13 seers per rupee.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·78, Alipur Duars ·23. Weather cloudy and hot with occasional showers. Transplantation of winter rice continues. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy going on. Cutting of jute commenced. Commonr ice sells at 11 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·91. Weather wet. *Hills—Bhutta*, potatoes, *bara* and *chota marua*, *bhadoi*, and winter rice progressing well. *Terai*—Transplantation of winter rice and reaping of jute going on. Prospects good. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Hills	9	0	per rupee.
Terai	12	0	

Maize sells at Darjeeling at 14 seers and at Kalimpong at 12 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·48, Gaibanda ·06, Kurigram ·68, Nilphamari 6·01. Weather hot. Prospects of crops fair. Transplantation of *aman* and harvesting of *bhadoi* going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Nilphamari	11	0	
Kurigram	12	0	
Gaibanda	12	0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar ·02. Slight fall throughout the district. Weather hot. Transplantation of winter rice still going on, but more rain wanted for its completion. Cutting of *aus* and jute continues. Fodder and water ample. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·89, Sirajganj 0·66. Weather cloudy and rainy. Prospects of standing crops fair. General rain throughout. *Aus* paddy and jute are being harvested. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-pox within the local limits of Sujanagar outpost. Common rice sells at 12 seers a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·54. Fall general. Prospects of crops fair. Weather cloudy. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·63, Jamalpur ·75, Kishorganj 2·12, Netrokona 2·17, Tangail 2·93. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Transplantation of

winter rice, harvesting of *aus*, and steeping of jute continue. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	13 0	per rupee.
Jamalpur	14 8	
Kishorganj	13 0	
Netrokona	13 11	
Tangail	11 0	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·83, Goalundo 0·33, Madaripur 4·47. Weather seasonable. Prospects of the jute crops fair. *Aus* paddy is still being harvested. Prospects of *aman* paddy improved. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sell at 13 seers a rupee.

Backergunge.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·95. Fall general. Prospects of *aus* and jute good. Weather seasonable. Fodder sufficient. Cattle-disease decreasing. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Aman	12 8	per rupee.
Aus	13 8	

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·34, Brahmanbaria 3·63, Chandpur 1·60. Weather seasonable. Prospects good. Harvesting of *aus* and jute and transplantation of *aman* paddy going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease in Kotwali thana. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	15 0	per rupee.
Brahmanbaria	16 0	
Chandpur	13 0	

Noakhali.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·29, Feni 1·73. Weather showery. More rain wanted. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers 2 chitaks and at Feni at 16 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·78, Cox's Bazar 4·43. Transplantation of *aman* and reaping of *aus* crops going on. Cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Rainfall 1·63. Weather hot. *Joom* crops doing well. Transplantation of *aman* paddy in rapid progress. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 11 seers a rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·09, Barh 0·14, Bihar 0·99, Dinapore 1·25, Hilsa nil, Asthawan 0·71, Bikram 1·89, Islampur 1·86. Weather—At present raining. Rainfall during the week light. Last night it rained heavily, and more rain seems probable. *Makai* prospects are somewhat improved, but the paddy crop is not expected to yield more than two annas. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of common rice as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	12 0	per rupee.
Barh	12 12	
Bihar	9 8	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·04, Nawadah 0·16, Jahanabad 0·30, Aurangabad 0·66. Weather rainy. *Bhadoi* crops doing well. More rain urgently wanted for transplantation of the paddy crops in areas depending on direct rainfall. Transplantation in other areas is also retarded. However, good rain has again recommenced. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Average price of common rice 11 seers 14 chitaks per rupee.

Shahabad.—Rainfall at Arrah 1·46, Buxar 2·68, Bhabhua 1·19, Sasaram 2·06, Dehri 2·80. More rain wanted for transplantation in area not irrigated by canal. Sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers per rupee.

Saran.—Rainfall at Chapra 2·15, Siwan 4·49, Gopalganj 2·70. Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Standing crops doing well. Transplantation of winter rice continues recently. Gandak flood has caused damage to crops. More rain wanted in some parts of Siwan and Chapra subdivisions. A few cases of cattle-disease reported from thanas Parsa and Manjha. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 and maize at 21 seers per rupee at Chapra.

Champaran.—Rain at Motihari 2·34. Transplantation of winter rice and weeding of Indian-corn going on. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy commenced. Prospects good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15½ and maize 22½ seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·83, Hajipur ·65, and Sitamarhi ·68. Transplantation of paddy in progress. More rain wanted. Prospects fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 12 and maize at 20 seers a rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·29, Samastipur 0·46, Madhubani 1·73. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of paddy nearly completed in Sadar and Madhubani subdivisions. More rain is wanted for transplantation of paddy in Samastipur. *Makai* and *marua* are in ears. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	12	per rupee
Samastipur	14	0	
Madhubani	13	0	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar ·49, Begusarai ·42, Jamui 1·40. Weather hot and cloudy. *Bhadoi* and paddy sowing going on everywhere. Rain has done much good to them. *Makai* being harvested at Begusarai and Jamui subdivisions. Sugarcane doing well, but more rain badly required. Prospect of paddy being still very poor. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Begusarai	12	0	
Jamui	11	0	

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 9·44, Banka 6·94, Madhipura ·65, Supaul 2·74. Weather hot and cloudy. Standing crops doing well in Supaul and Madhipura. Flood reported from South Madhipura, but no danger appeared. At present condition in Sadar and Banka unchanged. Transplantation of paddy has only been done in irrigated tracts, in the rest transplantation can yet be done if heavy rain is received next ten days; otherwise paddy crops in those parts will be a failure. Water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Supaul. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	10	per rupee.
Banka	11	0	
Madhipura	15	0	
Supaul	15	0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·61, Kishanganj 7·64, Araria 2·11. Fall not well distributed. Weather hot and sultry. More rain wanted at Sadar and Araria subdivisions. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease reported from thana Forbesganj. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	12	0	
Araria	13	0	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar ·79, Chanchal ·62, Gazole ·62, Shibganj 1·10. Fall general. Weather hot and cloudy. *Bhadoi* is ripening and is being cut in places. Transplantation of winter rice in progress, but more rain is urgently wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-pox reported from Khorba thana. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Santhal Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·70, Deoghar 3·93, Godda 0·60, Jamtara 3·80, Pakaur 0·85, Rajmahal 0·79. Weather hot. Transplantation of winter rice going on in all the subdivisions except at Rajmahal, where it has almost stopped for insufficient rain. Prospects of *bhadoi* good. New Indian-corn in the market. More rain generally needed for standing crops and for high land transplantation. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 11 seers per rupee at Dumka.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·32. Fall general. *Beali* getting maturity and at places in ears. Weeding and transplantation of *sarad* still in progress. Prospect good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers 7 chitaks per rupee at Cuttack.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar ·83. Fall general except in a small tract in the north. *Beali* in ears and at places ripening. Transplanting and weeding of *sarad* continues. Miscellaneous crops thriving. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 14 seers per rupee both at Sadar and Bhadrak.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·32, Bisipara 1·14. Weather seasonable. Weeding of paddy and harvesting of millets in progress. Cultivation for *birhi* and *rasi* commenced. Common rice sells at 14 and 13½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals respectively.

Puri.—Rainfall 0·64 inches. Weather rainy, cloudy, and hot. Puddling, transplanting, and weeding of winter-rice paddy continues. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Sugarcane leaves are being tied up. *Beali* is maturing. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·82, Giridih 2·35. Weather hot. There was some rain in almost all parts of the district during the week, although not sufficient for transplantation of paddy, which is being retarded. *Bhadoi* crops promise well. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·13. Weather cloudy. State of standing crops fair. Harvesting of *gundli* in progress. Cattle-disease reported from five thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12½ seers and at Gumla 16 seers per rupee.

Palamau.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·56. Weather seasonable. Moderate rain fell all over the district except in Testeeganj and Ker outpost, where transplantation of winter rice has been stopped. It continues slowly elsewhere. Rain urgently wanted. No estimate of winter crops can be formed now. Recent rains improved prospects of *makai* and *marua*. A ten-anna *bhadoi* crop is expected. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at Sadar at 11¼ seers, and maize at 16 seers 14 chitaks per rupee.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·94, Gobindpur 1·21. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops fair. Transplantation of paddy is still going. More rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease not reported. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers and at Gobindpur at 10 seers per rupee.

Singhbhum.—Rain 0·84. Very little rain during the week. *Bhadoi* rice must now be a very short grow, and without good rain *bera* rice will be a partial failure. Fodder sufficient. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

General Summary.—Rain fell during the week in every district, but the fall was generally light and in some districts insufficient. The recent rain has further improved the prospects of the *bhadoi* crop in the districts of Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Saran, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Sonthal Parganas, Hazaribagh, and Palamau, but more rain is urgently needed for the winter rice crop. More rain is required almost everywhere except in East Bengal and Orissa. Harvesting of early rice and jute continues. Sugarcane doing well. Transplantation of winter rice going on, but somewhat retarded by insufficient rain. Prospects generally have improved. Some damage to crops has been caused by flood in Saran. Cattle-disease reported from ten districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in 7 districts, has fallen in 12, and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 25th August, 1903.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Barley. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, common. Present return.	Rice, common. Next preceding return.	Rice, common. Corresponding return of last year.	Jowar or Cholum (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Present return.	Jowar or Cholum (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Next preceding return.	Jowar or Cholum (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Burdwan Division.													
1	Burdwan ...	12 12	12 8	13 0	...	...	...	9 4	11 0	10 8	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	11 4	13 8	12 0	...	...	...	10 8	13 8	12 0	...	...	...
3	Bankura ...	12 0	12 8	12 0	...	...	...	10 12	11 8	12 0	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	11 8	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	9 4	...	...	...
6	Howrah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 6	11 0	...	...	...
Presidency Division.													
7	24-Parganas ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	10 4	...	...	...
8	Calcutta ...	11 13	12 4	10 10	16 0	16 0	16 0	9 0	9 6	10 0	16 0	16 0	13 5
9	Nadia ...	12 12	14 9	15 8	20 0	...	20 0	10 10	11 10	11 0	...	...	...
10	Murshidabad ...	15 0	15 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	...	...	...
11	Jessore ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	10 10	11 8	13 0	12 14	...	...	...
12	Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	14 3	12 12	...	...	...
Rajshahi Division.													
13	Rajshahi ...	15 0	15 0	16 8	22 8	24 0	22 8	12 0	12 12	11 10	...	...	...
14	Dinajpur ...	12 4	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	13 3	13 3	12 9	...	...	...
15	Jalpaiguri ...	10 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 4	11 0	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	9 8	...	...	...
17	Rangpur ...	12 0	12 0	10 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	10 8	...	...	...
18	Bogra ...	13 8	13 8	10 8	...	...	...	14 4	14 4	11 4	...	...	...
19	Pabna ...	16 8	17 4	15 12	27 8	27 8	26 0	12 0	12 12	12 6	...	...	...
Dacca Division.													
20	Dacca ...	18 0	18 0	12 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	14 8	15 0	13 0	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	12 0	12 0	11 0	11 8	11 0	12 8	14 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...
22	Faridpur ...	17 0	19 0	16 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...
23	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8 Aus. 13 8	12 8 Aus. ...	10 8 Aus. 12 0	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kalna 11 seers 4 chitaks; Katwa 13 seers 2 chitaks; Raniganj 12 seers.

B. At Rampur Hát the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.

C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 14½ seers per rupee.

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Contai 13 seers; Tamluk 11 seers; Ghatal 13½ seers.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 12 seers 13 chitaks; Arambagh 12 seers 13 chitaks.

F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 13 seers 14½ chitaks per rupee.

G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 13 seers 15 chitaks; Baraset 13 seers 5 chitaks; Baduria 13 seers 15 chitaks; Moraghat 10 seers 10½ chitaks.

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 13½ seers; Chuadanga 13 seers (pangs); Meherpur 12 seers; Ranaghat 14 seers 8 chitaks (crushed).

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Lalbagh 12 seers; Kandi 11½ seers; Jangipur 12 seers.

quarters Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 15th August 1903.

Indian-corn or Maize. (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Tuur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.			Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.						Districts.	Number.	
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.			Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	BENGAL.		
...	...	...	9 4	11 8	12 0	A 14 4	13 4	11 4	2	12	0	2	14 0	3	4 0	Burdwan.	1	Burdwan Division.
...	...	...	15 0	17 4	15 0	B 12 8	12 8	11 6	3	2	6	3	2 9	3	8 0	Birbhum.	2	
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	C 12 8	12 8	11 0 Panga.	3	1	0	3	0 0	3	10 0	Bankura.	3	
...	...	...	9 0	16 0	...	D 12 0	12 0	10 8 Panga.	2	13	0	2	14 0	3	8 0	Midnapore.	4	
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	8 0	E 13 0	13 0	10 8	3	0	0	3	0 0	3	12 0	Hooghly.	5	
...	...	...	11 6	11 6	11 8	F 12 6	12 5	10 8	3	2	0	3	4 0	3	12 0	Howrah.	6	
...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 12	G 13 5	13 0	10 10	2	13	0	2	14 0	3	4 9	24-Parganas.	7	Presidency Division.
16 0	16 13	16 13	9 0	9 0	9 6	11 0	11 0	11 0 Panga.	2	10	0	2	10 0	3	6 0	Calcutta.	8	
...	...	...	9 6	11 7	11 4	H 12 12	14 9	11 13	3	2	0	2	12 0	3	5 0	Nadia.	9	
...	...	...	11 0	12 0	12 0	I 13 4	11 12	11 0	3	0	0	3	6 0	3	6 6	Murshidabad.	10	
...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 0	J 12 0	12 0	10 0	3	2	0	3	2 0	3	12 0	Jessore.	11	
...	...	...	10 0	9 1	10 0	K 11 2	11 2	10 0 Panga.	3	8	0	3	8 0	3	12 0	Khulna.	12	
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 12	L 12 0	12 0	10 5 Panga.	3	2	8	3	2 8	3	13 4	Rajshahi.	13	Rajshahi Division.
...	...	...	12 0	11 6	10 12	M 13 0	13 0	10 8 Panga.	3	0	0	3	0 0	3	12 0	Dinajpur.	14	
...	...	...	8 0	8 0	...	N 12 0	11 8	10 0 Panga.	3	2	0	3	2 0	3	11 0	Jalpaiguri.	15	
16 0	12 0	22 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	O { 10 0	10 0	8 8 Rora.	4	0	0	4	0 0	4	10 0	Darjeeling.	16	
						{ 10 0	10 0	8 4 Panga.	4	0	0	4	0 0	4	11 0			
18 0	18 0	18 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	P 11 0	11 0	10 8	3	0	0	3	0 0	3	12 0	Rangpur.	17	
...	...	...	16 2	16 2	13 8	13 2	13 2	10 8	3	1	4	3	1 4	3	10 8	Bogra.	18	
...	...	...	9 0	10 4	9 0	Q 12 10	12 10	10 8	3	2	0	3	2 0	3	12 0	Pabna.	19	
...	...	...	16 0	16 0	10 0	R 11 0	11 0	11 0 Panga.	3	8	0	3	8 0	3	10 0	Dacca.	20	Dacca Division.
...	...	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	S 10 0	10 0	10 0 Panga.	3	12	0	3	12 0	3	12 0	Mymensingh.	21	
...	...	...	8 0	...	13 0	T 13 0	13 0	10 10	3	0	0	3	0 0	3	12 0	Faridpur.	22	
...	...	...	...	...	...	U 13 0	13 0	10 0 Panga.	3	0	0	3	0 0	3	10 0	Backergunge.	23	

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 12 seers ; Magura 13 seers ; Bangaon return not received ; Narail 12 seers.
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 13 seers ; Satkhira 13 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Nator 13 seers ; Naugaon 12 seers.
M. No report from subdivision.
N. At Alipur Duars the retail price of salt is 10 seers per rupee.
O. At Kurseong and Siliguri the retail prices of salt per rupee are 8 seers and 10 seers, respectively.
P. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gaibanda 12 seers ; Kurigram 8 seers ; Nilphamari 12 seers.
Q. At Sirajganj the retail price of salt is 13 seers 9 chittaks per rupee.
R. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Madanganj 12 seers 4 chittaks ; Manikganj return not received ; Mirkadim 14 seers 9 chittaks.
S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishorganj 13 seers 12 chittaks ; Jamalpur 12 seers 4 chittaks ; Tangail 10 seers 10 chittaks ; Netrokona 9½ seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Goalundo 12 seers 1 chittak ; Madaripur 13 seers (crushed), Pirojpur 11 seers ; Patuakhali 13 seers ; Bhola 10½ seers
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Pirojpur 11 seers ; Patuakhali 13 seers ; Bhola 10½ seers

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN											
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
BENGAL—*concluded.*		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 24	Tippera ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	14 8	12 0	...	...	...
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 25	Noakhali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	14 6	11 0	...	...	...
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 26	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	12 12	12 14	...	...	...
BIHAR.													
PATNA DIVISION. 27	Patna ...	*White* 15 0 *Raksa* 17 8	16 8	14 8	*White* 21 0 *Raksa* 22 0	23 0	19 12	13 0	13 0	11 0	*White* 16 0 *Raksa* 24 0	*White* 19 0 *Raksa* 23 0	*White.* ... *Raksa.* 19 12
PATNA DIVISION. 28	Gaya ...	14 8	14 8	13 4	18 0	18 0	17 0	11 0	11 0	10 12	20 0	17 0	15 0
PATNA DIVISION. 29	Shahabad ..	14 0	13 0	13 0	20 0	19 0	18 0	13 0	13 0	11 0	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 30	Saran ...	15 10	14 12	14 4	22 0	21 0	19 0	13 12	13 8	11 8	...	18 0	...
PATNA DIVISION. 31	Champaran ...	15 0 to 16 0	16 0	13 0	23 0	28 0	22 0 to 24 0	15 8	15 0	14 0	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 32	Muzaffarpur ...	14 0	13 0	14 0	20 0	23 0	19 0	12 0	14 0	11 8	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 33	Darbhanga ...	17 10	16 8	14 4	22 0	22 0	19 12	13 12	13 4	12 9	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 34	Monghyr ...	14 0	13 0	14 8	21 0	20 0	21 0	10 12	9 8	10 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 35	Bhagalpur ...	13 14	13 0	13 14	14 0	16 8	19 0	12 0	9 8	12 6	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 36	Purnea ...	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	10 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 37	Malda ...	14 8	16 8	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 12	11 8	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 38	Santhal Parganas.	12 0	11 8	11 8	15 0	17 0	15 0	11 12	11 4	12 0	...	...	...
ORISSA.													
ORISSA DIVISION. 39	Cuttack ...	12 7	11 13	11 13	...	...	...	14 7	15 1	13 2	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 40	Balasore ...	13 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	14 0	...	13 8	14 0	13 0	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 41	Angul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 9	14 0	12 0	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 42	Puri ...	12 7	12 7	11 0	7 14	7 14	8 6	15 0	15 0	14 7	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR.													
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 43	Hazaribagh ...	11 0	11 8	10 12	16 0	15 8	14 8	10 8	11 8	11 8	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 44	Ranchi ...	8 8 to 10 8	9 0 to 11 8	7 4 to 10 8	15 0	14 0	14 0	11 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 45	Palamau ...	11 13	14 1	10 11	18 0	20 4	13 8	11 4	12 6	10 2	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 46	Manbhum ...	12 0	13 0	12 8	16 0	...	16 0	10 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 47	Singhbhum ..	12 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chandpur 10 seers 10 chittaks ; Brahmanbaria 10 seers 10 chittaks.
W. At Feni Hát the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
X. Return from Cox's Bazar not received.
Y. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 13 seers; Dinapore return not received; Bihar 12 seers.
Z. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 10 seers; Nawada 12 seers ; Aurangabad 12 seers.
a. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 12 seers; Bhabua 11½ seers ; Sasaram 12 seers.
b. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 12 seers 9 chittaks ; Gopalganj 12 seers 9 chittaks.
c. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Hajipur 12 seers ; Sitamarhi 11 seers.
e In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 11 seers; Madhubani 11 seers 2 chittaks.
f. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 11 seers ; Jamui 12 seers.
g. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 11½ seers ; Madhipura 10 seers ; Supaul 11 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 24th August 1903.

Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 15th August 1903—concld.

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar dal or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*)			Salt.			Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt			District	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
												BENGAL—concluded	
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 10 V	10 10	9 0	Panga. 3 2 0	3 2 0	3 12 0	Tippera.	24
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12 W	12 12	8 8	3 0 0	2 12 9	4 4 0	Noakhali.	25
...	...	...	10 0	9 12	8 0	12 0 X	12 0	10 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	3 6 0	Chittagong	26
												BIHAR.	
21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	22 0	18 0	10 8 Y	10 8	10 12	Panga. 3 3 0	3 3 0	3 10 0	Patna.	27
20 0	19 0	18 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	12 12 Z	12 8	11 4	3 2 6	3 3 0	3 9 0	Gaya	28
...	...	...	13 0	13 8	14 0	13 0 a	12 8	10 0	3 1 3	3 3 3	4 0 0	Shahabad	29
20 0	20 0	20 0	14 0	15 0	14 0	12 12 b	12 4	11 0	Panga. 3 1 6	3 2 0	3 10 0	Saran *	30
25 0 to 26 0	25 0	22 0	23 0	24 0	22 0	12 0 c	12 0	10 8	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 13 0	Champaran.	31
20 0	24 0	20 0	14 0	15 0	14 0	12 0 d	12 0	10 0	Panga. 3 3 0	3 3 0	4 0 0	Muzaffarpur	32
22 0	22 0	22 0	14 4	14 4	14 4	12 1 e	12 1	11 0	3 3 2	3 3 2	3 10 0	Darbhanga	33
15 0	18 0	20 0	17 0	20 0	11 0	12 0 f	12 0	10 8	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 14 6	Monghyr	34
19 0	14 4	19 0	12 10	11 12	12 10	12 8 g	12 8	10 12	Panga. 12 13 9	2 14 3	3 10 0	Bhagalpur.	35
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	10 0	11 0 h	10 10	10 0	Panga. 13 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	Purnea.	36
...	..	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	12 0 i	11 0	10 0	Panga. 3 3 0	3 3 0	3 14 0	Malda.	37
						11 0	10 0	9 8	Karkatch. 3 7 0	3 12 0	4 0 0		
19 0	19 0	...	17 8	17 0	19 0	11 0 j	11 0	10 8	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 10 0	Santhal Parganas.	38
												ORISSA.	
...	...	...	15 6	15 12	14 12	14 0 k	14 0	11 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	Cuttack	39
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	13 0 l	13 0	11 4	Panga. 2 15 0	2 15 6	3 7 0	Balasore.	40
...	..	...	14 0	14 0	14 8	8 0 m	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	Angul.	41
...	.	...	9 13	9 13	9 3	15 8 n	15 4	13 0	2 9 0	2 9 6	3 1 0	Puri	42
												CHOTA NAGPUR.	
15 8	16 8	14 8	9 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	Panga. 4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	Hazaribagh.	43
...	19 0	..	7 8	7 12	5 8 to 6 8	10 8 o	10 0	9 12	Panga. 3 9 0	3 10 0	4 2 0	Ranchi.	44
16 14	19 2	12 15	12 6	11 4	11 4	12 6	11 13	9 9	...	...	...	Palamau.	45
...	...	...	11 0	12 0	12 0	12 0 p	12 0	10 12	Panga. 3 2 0	3 0 0	3 9 0	Manbhum.	46
..	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	9 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 4 0	Singhbhum.	47

Chittagong Division. Patna Division. Bhagalpur Division. Orissa Division. Chota Nagpur Division.

h In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 11 seers; Araria 9 seers.
i. At Baha Nawabganj the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
j. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Deoghur 13 seers (panga); Godda 10 seers, Jamtara 11 seers, Pakaur 13 seers; Rajmahal 12 seers.
k. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jajpur return not received; Kendrapara return not received.
l. At Bhadrak the retail price of salt is 10½ seers per rupee.
m. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 9 seers; Bisnpara 9 seers.
n. At Khurda the retail price of salt is 14 seers per rupee.
o. At Gumla the retail price of salt is 8 seers per rupee.
p. At Gobindpur the retail price of salt is 13¼ seers per rupee.

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A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.,

Number.	Mants.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 6 0
2	Burdwan ...	5 4 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Pabna ...	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	3 5 3	3 2 1½	3 8 6	2 6 9	2 5 0	2 8 6	...	...	...
5	Rangpur ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 13 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	...	...	...
6	Dacca ...	3 8 0	3 6 0	4 2 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	3 4 0	2 0 0	1 14 0	2 0 0
7	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Patna ...	3 0 0	3 7 6	3 12 6	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	2 5 0	2 6 6	2 12 0	1 13 0	1 11 0	2 0 0
9	Muzaffarpur ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 3 0	2 12 0	3 5 3	2 12 0	2 13 9	2 12 0	1 14 6	1 10 6	2 0 0
10	Bhagalpur ...	3 15 0	3 12 0	4 3 0	3 3 1	4 3 5	3 3 0	2 14 0	3 1 0	2 10 0	2 0 6	2 11 3	2 0 6
11	Cuttack ...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 4 0	2 3 0	2 3 0	2 13 0	3 0 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	...	...	...
12	Ranchi ...	4 11 6	4 3 0	4 10 9	3 5 4	3 1 0	2 13 6	3 13 0 to 4 11 3	3 3 0 to 4 7 0	3 13 0 to 5 3 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 13 6

CALCUTTA,

The 24th August 1903.

Juar or Cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 5 0	2 7 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0 to 3 2 0	2 7 0 to 2 14 0	2 10 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 5 9	2 5 9	2 10 6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	4 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 4 0
White. 2 7 0 Rakas. 1 10 0	White. 2 1 0 Rakas. 1 11 0	... Rakas. 2 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 1 0	2 0 6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 13 0	1 14 6	1 13 6	2 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 6	2 10 0	2 4 0
										Biri or kalai.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 1 0	2 0 0	2 7 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 0	3 15 3	3 1 0

INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR DAL OR THUR—CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			LINSEED.			MUSTARD AND RAPESEED.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 6 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	6 12 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 12 0
...	...	...	4 4 0	3 6 0	3 3 0	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 12 0
...	...	...	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	6 8 0	Black mustard. 4 4 0 / Rapeseed. 3 12 0	4 4 0	4 10 0 to 4 12 0 / 4 14 0
...	...	...	3 5 9	3 14 9	4 5 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	6 4 0
2 6 0	2 6 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 8 0
...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0
1 14 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 13 0	2 3 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	5 12 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	4 3 0
1 14 6	1 9 6	1 15 8	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 0 6	2 13 0	2 0 6	3 2 2	...	3 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	3 5 0 / Mustard. 3 15 0	Rapeseed. 3 7 0 / 3 15 0	4 6 0 / 4 0 0
...	...	...	2 7 0	2 6 3	2 10 0	...	...	...	3 12 9	3 12 9	4 4 9
...	...	...	5 5 4	5 2 9	6 2 6 to 7 4 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	3 10 0 to 4 4 0	5 0 0

40 STANDARD SEERS.

Til or Jinjili seed.			Sugar (raw).			Cotton (cleaned).			Jute.		
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year
39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	17 0 0	16 0 0	15 0 0	5 6 0	5 10 0	5 4 0
...	...	...	4 6 0	4 1 0	3 12 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	5 4 0 to 5 10 0	5 4 0	3 4 0 to 3 8 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 8 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	21 0 0	5 7 6	5 7 6	4 14 0
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 0 0
...	...	...	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 8 0
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	16 0 0	15 8 0	14 8 0	...	...	...
3 15 0	4 0 0	5 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	2 8 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 8 0	4 8 0 to 5 12 0	4 6 0
...	...	...	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 5 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 8 0	4 9 3	4 1 0	19 8 2	20 0 0	19 0 0	...	...	...
3 7 0	3 7 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	3 10 0 to 4 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...

Ghi (clarified butter).			Tobacco Leaf.			Hides (cow).			Grass.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
						Per 100 pieces.					
39 0 0	39 0 0	39 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	9 0 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	1 2 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
32 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Madhukhali.			Uncleaned hides per piece.					
33 0 0	32 0 0 to 32 8 0	30 8 0	7 0 0 to 10 0 0	7 0 0 to 10 0 0	5 8 0 to 6 8 0	0 12 0 to 2 12 0	0 12 0 to 2 12 0	1 9 0 to 2 8 0	...	...	...
			Pulta			Cleaned hides per piece.					
						1 0 0 to 3 0 0	1 0 0 to 3 0 0	1 4 0 to 2 12 0			
53 0 0	53 0 0	53 0 0	11 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 0 0	30 0 0	36 9 9	9 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	...	...	...	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 6
						Per maund.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 2 6	0 3 0	0 3 0
						Per maund.					
33 0 0	33 0 0	33 0 0	11 4 0	11 0 0	10 0 0	17 6 0	17 4 0	16 8 0	...	...	...
30 0 0	29 0 0	30 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	0 4 0	0 6 0	0 4 0
27 13 0	27 13 0	29 1 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 8 0	30 0 0	32 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
						Per maund.					
34 8 0	34 8 0	33 12 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 6	0 7 0
						Per piece.					
30 7 6 to 35 8 10	29 8 0 to 34 0 0	32 0 0 to 37 8 10	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 0 0 to 2 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0

in the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 15th August 1903.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.									MARTS.
						IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 12 0	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 10 0	Panga. 2 10 0	3 6 0	1. Calcutta.
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 7 0	0 6 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	3 4 0	2. Burdwan.
1 4 0	1 4 0	0 4 8	...	...	...	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 12 0 to 4 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 13 0	Panga. 2 14 0	3 8 0	3. Midnapore.
0 14 0	0 14 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 10 0	3 2 0	Panga. 3 2 0	3 12 0	4. Pabna.
0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 12 0	5. Rangpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 3	3 3 0	Panga. 3 3 0	3 10 0	6. Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	Panga. 2 11 0	3 6 0	7. Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 7 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 10 0	8. Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	5 11 6	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 0	3 3 0	Panga. 3 3 0	4 0 0	9. Muzaffarpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 5 9	2 13 9	2 14 3	3 10 0	10. Bhagalpur.
0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 11 0	0 4 6	0 4 6	0 4 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	3 0 0	11. Cuttack.
0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 6 0 to 0 10 0	...	...	...	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 10 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 9 0	Panga. 3 10 0	4 2 0	12. Ranchi.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 22nd August 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 22nd August 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 23rd August 1902.		
	Number of boats	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	197	49,375	770	548	83,350	991
Jute	24	6,100*	83	65	15,550†	236
Firewood	92	63,050	968	69	36,575	556
Other articles	446	1,16,575	1,364	671	1,29,987	1,394
Total ...	759	2,35,100	3,185	1,353	2,66,462	3,177

* Weight by canal measurement, 7,025 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 16,412 „

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 16th to 22nd August 1903

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr	Temperature				Hygrometry				Wind.		Rain	Weather.
					Mean	Maximum	Range	Minimum	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension	Dew point	Humidity.	Prevailing direction	Miles recorded		
1903.		°		Inches	°		°			Inch.		%			Inches.	
Aug.	16th	141·1	0 6	29·645	81·3	85·9	8·.	77·5	79 2	0·972	78 4	91	ENE and E by N	29	0·26	Chiefly cloudy, o, p.
„	17th	151·8	6 8	·586	83·3	89·7	12·2	77·5	79·6	·964	78·1	85	E by N and ESE	67	1·04	Partially cloudy.
„	18th	148·9	5 0	603	82 9	89·0	11·1	77·9	80·1	·993	79·0	88	ESE and SE ...	60	Nil	Partially cloudy, o, g, p, t.
„	19th	154·1	6·1	·626	83 2	89·6	11·2	78 4	80·3	·999	79·2	88	SE, E by S and SE by S.	86	0 44	Partially cloudy, d, t.
„	20th	149·9	5 9	·626	83·5	89 0	10·0	78 1	79·1	·936	77 2	81	SE by S and ESE	87	0·10	Partially cloudy, p.
„	21st	150 0	4·6	·623	83·5	88 9	10·8	78·1	79·4	·950	77·7	83	SE by S, SW by S and S by E.	75	0·67	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
„	22nd	150 4	3·2	·611	84·4	89·4	10 5	78·9	79·8	·957	77 9	81	S by E and SSW	87	0 24	Chiefly cloudy, o.

The mean pressure of the seven days	Inches.	29·621
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·590
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	Hours.	32·2
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		89·6
The mean temperature of the seven days	°	83·2
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·1
The extreme variation of temperature		12·2
The maximum temperature		89·7
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	Miles.	8
The mean relative humidity	%	85
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		87
The total fall of rain from 16th to 22nd August 1903	Inches.	2·75
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		3·46
The total fall from 1st January to 22nd August 1903		30·16
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		45·15

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86 formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

[Rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.]

o, overcast; g, gloomy; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder; d, drizzling rain.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 24th August 1903.

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for *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.*

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of May 1903 as compared with the same month of the previous year.

No.	Staples.	1903.	1902.	Increase in 1903.	Decrease in 1903.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	25	35		10	
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	20,067	20,872	.....	805	
3	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	88	191	.....	103	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European	230	237	.....	7	
	(b) Ditto, Indian	329	184	145	.....	
	(c) Piece-goods, European	1,954	1,596	58		
	(d) Ditto, Indian	372	55	317	.....	
	(e) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	54	30	24	.....	
5	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium	19	59	.....	40	
	(2) Non-intoxicating—				8	
	(a) Medicinal preparations	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Others	38	68	.....	30	
6	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Cutch	11	17	.....	6	
	(4) Indigo	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(5) Myrabolams	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(6) Tanning barks	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(7) Turmeric	486	674	.....	188	
	(8) Others	11	8	3	.....	
7	Fodder—					
	(1) Oilcake	514	1,099	.....	585	
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	2,535	1,863	672	.....	
8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh	739	431	308	.....	
9	Grain and pulse—					
	(1) Gram and pulse	4,898	8,144	.....	3,252	
	(2) Jawar and bajra	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Rice in the husk	5,169	6,163	.....	994	
	(4) Do. not in the husk	5,065	3,779	1,286	.....	
	(5) Wheat	384	1,419	.....	1,035	
	(6) Do. flour	534	396	138	.....	
	(7) Others	118	137	.....	19	
10	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	1,482	799	683	.....	
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	113	64	49	.....	
11	Horns	15	13	2	.....	
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	594	180	414	.....	
13	Jute—					
	(1) Raw	3,647	16,885	.....	13,238	
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	1,508	1,499	9	.....	
14	Lac	14	10	4	.....	
15	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	.....	.....	.....	.....	
16	Liquors—					
	(1) Ale and beer	46	21	25	.....	
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	79	63	16	.....	
	(3) Wine	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.					
17	Metals—					
	(1) Brass, unwrought	16	31	.....	15	
	(2) Do., wrought	127	120	7	.....	
	(3) Copper, unwrought	13	10	3		
	(4) Do., wrought	20	2	18	.....	
	(5) Iron and steel—					
	(a) Cast	124	41	83	.....	
	(b) Unwrought	..	..	.....	.....	
	(c) Wrought	1,447	1,100	347	.....	
	(d) Manufactures	270	268	2	.....	
	(6) Others	127	136	.....	9	
18	Oils—					
	(1) Kerosine	9,922	8,523	1,405	.....	
	(2) Castor	33	13	20	.....	
	(3) Cocoanut	131	126	5	.....	
	(4) Mustard and rape	334	192	142	.....	
	(5) Others	47	33	14	.....	
19	Oilseeds—					
	(1) Castor	10	15	.....	5	
	(2) Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Linseed	2,146	4,713	.....	2,567	
	(4) Poppy	6	..	6	.....	
	(5) Rape and mustard	2,163	6,349	.....	4,186	
	(6) Til or jinjili	..	12	.....	12	
	(7) Others	25	62	.....	37	
20	Opium	6	3	3	.....	
21	Paper and pasteboard	539	674	.....	135	
22	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	.....	3	.....	3	
	(2) Ghee	67	48	19	.....	
	(3) Others	1,209	1,135	74	.....	

No.	Staples.	1903.	1902.	Increase in 1903.	Decrease in 1903.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
23	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof	50	59	.....	..	
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	441	.....	441	.....	
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	.....	100		100	
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	537	305	232	.....	
	(c) Others	762	203	559	.....	
24	Salt	7,321	5,712	1,609	.....	
25	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	4	4	...	.....	
	(2) Other saline substances	125	93	33	.....	
26	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	8	56	..	48	
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	1	.....	1	.....	
27	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	727	955	...	188	
	(2) Cardamoms	87	20	67	.....	
	(3) Chillies	638	213	425	.....	
	(4) Ginger	105	108	57		
	(5) Pepper	27	27	. .	.. ...	
	(6) Others	303	126	177	.....	
28	Stone and lime	2,218	1,898	320	....	
29	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallized, including sugar-candy	1,134	544	590	.....	
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	654	501	153	.....	
	(b) Gur, *rab*, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	2,058	797	1,261	.....	
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Indian	461	1,231	.....	770	
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	3,701	4,450	.....	749	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars	5	...	5	...	
	(b) Other sorts	19	28	.....	9	
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	429	711	.....	282	
	(2) Manufactures	179	157	22	.....	
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw	293	97	196	.....	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs					
	(b) Piece-goods, European	.....	3	.....	3	
	(c) Ditto, Indian					
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures ..					
34	All other articles of merchandise	8,698	6,838	1,860	...	
	Total ..	100,674	115,495	14,589	29,410	

HARPRASAD DAR,

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd August 1903* for *Examiner of Accounts, E. B. S. Railway.*

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of March 1903 compared with the corresponding period in 1902

Description of Goods.	1902		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	46	497	65	744	19	247			
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	13,403	28,165	7,670	17,347		.....	5,733	10,818	Less demand for brick burning.
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	37	381	27	421	.....	.....	10	10	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) } Twist and yarn. { European	23	176	20	323	4	147	.....	.....	
(b) } { Indian .	381	4,205	286	3,481	.. ...	...	43	314	
(c) } Piece-goods { European	1,171	11,128	1 518	13,618	347	2,320	... ..	... ..	
(d) } { Indian ...	749	6,657	378	3 403	... .	.....	371	3,314	
(e) Others	9	75	29	430	20	355	....	...	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	27	220	61	351	34	131			
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	6	149	12	66	6	.....	.....	83	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	2	20	3	55	1	35	.....	.....	
(b) Others	361	3,313	1,458	7,839	891	4,598	.....	.....	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia)		.....	2	24	2	24	.....	.....	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	4	45	3	34	.....	.....	1	11	
3. Cutch	20	199	14	109	... ..	.....	6	90	
4. Indigo	66	421	35	328	.....	.....	31	93	
5. Myrabolams ...	7	53	7	103	.....	50	...	... ..	
6. Tanning barks	332	178	73	273	. ....	95	159	...	
7. Turmeric	944	6,754	484	3,556	.	.....	520	3,198	
8. Others	232	2,215	101	827	.....	.....	187	1,388	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	667	1,612	667	2,451	.....	839	20	.... .	
2. Hay, straw, and grass .	1,123	6,616	439	3,223		.....	684	3,393	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	178	602	719	2,012	541	1,410	.....	.....	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse ...	3,988	17,898	3,307	13,312	.....	.....	681	4,586	
2. Jawar and bajra ...	1,119	5,280	130	671	... .	.....	989	4,609	
3. } Rice { in the husk ...	3,728	15,959	3,995	18,812	267	.. ..	.....	.....	3,147
4. } { not in the husk	11,766	67,257	21,441	91,892	9,655	23,635	.....	.....	Improved crops in Tirhut.
5. Wheat	1,140	6,477	745	3,027	.....	.....	395	3,450	
6. Wheat-flour	194	1,042	137	1,196	.....	.....	57	416	
7. Makai	7,904	43,119	10,024	66,826	2,120	23,707	.....	.....	} Good crops.
8. Others	2,041	9,218	2,992	13,186	951	3,973	.	.....	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Raw .. .	706	4,812	721	4,505	15	..	.....	307	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	3	18	3	18	.....	.....	
(b) Raw	134	759	277	2,000	143	1,241	.....	.....	
XI.—Horns	28	232	4	37	.....	... .	24	195	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	1,258	4,329	754	2,744	...	..	504	1,582	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	84	629	159	1,080	75	451	.....	.....	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,396	7,013	1,790	12,086	394	5,073	.....	.....	
XIV.—Lac	153	481	90	536	.....	55	63	.....	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	.	.....	.....	. ... .	....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	2	20	9	54	7	34	.....	.....	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	4	26	6	50	2	24	.....	.....	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.	3	34	12	169	9	135		.....	
3. Wine	17	214		. .		... ..	17	214	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	30	273	11	93	.....	.....	19	181	
2. ,, wrought ...	166	1,194	182	1,173	..	..	84	19	
3. Copper, unwrought ..	1	13	3	30	2	3	.....	.....	
4. ,, wrought ...	15	133	10	91	.....	.....	5	42	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	319	160	52	338	.....	169	267	.....	
(b) Unwrought ...	1	2	17	89	16	87	... ..		
(c) Wrought	594	5,522	713	5,630	119	297	.....	... .	
(d) Manufactures ...	323	2,166	296	2,339	.....	173	27	.....	
6. Others	255	1,509	174	1,268	.....		81	243	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	1,078	4,198	1,088	4,354	10	154	.....	.....	
2. Castor	9	59	36	218	27	159		.....	
3. Cocoanut	13	77	14	108	2	31	.....	.....	
4. Mustard and rape ...	9	101	86	644	77	543	.....	.....	
5. Others	19	224	53	224	14	.....	... .	.....	

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	293	1,907	1,467	10,454	1,174	8,537	.....	.....	
2. Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Good crops.
3. Linseed	883	3,378	628	2,037	.....	.....	255	1,341	
4. Poppy	4	35	5	53	1	18	.....	.....	
5. Rape and mustard	9,388	42,098	8,283	50,912	.....	8,814	1,105	.....	
6. Til or jinjili	29	116	95	455	66	339	.....	.....	
7. Others	378	2,105	592	2,692	214	587	.....	.....	
XX.—Opium	25	886	609	7,870	584	6,984	.....	.....	
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	58	634	225	1,029	167	396	.....	.....	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts	104	1,094	168	2,025	64	931	.....	.....	
2. Ghee	455	3,916	401	3,752	.....	.....	54	164	
3. Others	2,805	9,218	2,837	8,964	32	.....	.....	254	
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	6	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	10	
(c) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXIV.—Salt	10,920	40,787	7,429	30,871	.....	.....	3,491	9,916	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	1,539	5,481	1,581	6,175	42	694	.....	.....	
2. Other saline substances	78	340	311	1,414	233	1,074	.....	.....	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	1	4	1	15	.....	11	.....	.....	
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	254	1,963	250	2,233	5	270	.....	.....	
2. Cardamoms	84	819	14	153	.....	.....	70	666	
3. Chillies	1,263	9,455	1,440	7,609	186	.....	.....	1,844	
4. Ginger	40	260	173	1,687	133	1,427	.....	.....	
5. Pepper	41	364	39	372	.....	8	2	.....	
6. Others	508	3,074	127	1,831	.....	.....	171	1,243	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	1,384	3,018	1,282	3,352	.....	334	102	.....	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	3,402	23,554	2,181	15,065	.....	.....	1,221	8,789	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	1,274	9,707	1,938	14,344	664	4,447	.....	.....	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	13,570	63,207	10,574	55,331	.....	.....	1,996	7,876	Less demand. Demand for jaggery.
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Indian	38	179	8	29	.....	.....	30	150	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	1,037	7,618	697	4,322	.....	.....	340	3,296	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	6	80	5	89	.....	9	1	.....	
(b) Other sorts	90	1,013	26	104	.....	.....	64	909	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought	1,088	3,119	1,337	2,540	249	.....	.....	579	
2. Logs	1,183	2,694	1,158	5,239	.....	2,545	25	.....	
3. Poles	28	83	10	28	.....	.....	18	55	
4. Manufactures	241	1,294	266	2,267	25	973	.....	.....	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	4	21	20	159	25	138	.....	.....	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs	1	5	21	44	20	39	.....	.....	
(b) } Piece-goods { European	.....	.....	1	11	1	11	.....	.....	
(c) } { Indian	6	52	1	11	.....	.....	5	41	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	1	9	23	27	22	18	.....	.....	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	1,082	7,043	321	1,070	.....	.....	771	5,972	
2. Firewood	2,523	3,589	2,064	3,564	.....	.....	459	25	
3. Others not specified above.	5,417	30,005	8,317	43,705	2,900	7,695	.....	.....	
Total	1,18,728	5,63,221	1,10,296	6,03,549	22,600	1,25,610	21,032	83,282	

Gorakhpur, *the 17th August 1903.*

J. Lightfoot,
Chief Auditor.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of March 1903, compared with the corresponding period in 1902.

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	12	3	53	2	41	...	...	1	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	9,415	123	1,540	10	...	...	7,866	113	Less demand for brick-burning.
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	220	26	255	18	35	...	...	8	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) (b) Twist and yarn. European	2	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	
(a) (b) Twist and yarn. Indian ...	930	87	1,025	42	95	...	...	15	
(c) (d) Piece-goods European	1,319	118	1,218	46	...	...	101	69	
(c) (d) Piece-goods Indian ...	1,353	90	425	62	...	...	928	28	
(e) Others	36	4	109	5	73	...	...	1	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	...	...	16	1	16	1	...	...	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Others	39	1	20	1	...	...	19	...	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Cutch	11	1	...	...	...	...	11	1	
4. Indigo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Myrabolams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
6. Tanning barks	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
7. Turmeric	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
8. Others	70	6	19	1	...	...	51	5	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Hay, straw and grass ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh ...	98	3	3,561	101	3,463	98	...	...	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse	762	18	148	4	...	...	614	14	
2. Jawar and bajra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. 4. Rice in the husk	4,378	81	26,233	605	21,855	524	...	...	
3. 4. Rice not in the husk...	5,012	73	7,964	205	2,952	132	...	...	
5. Wheat	3	1	11	1	8	...	...	...	Good crops and demand.
6. Wheat-flour	37	1	66	1	29	...	...	...	
7. Makai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
8. Others	20	1	2,440	28	2,420	27	...	...	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Raw	305	5	108	3	...	...	197	2	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Raw	29	1	238	8	209	7	...	...	
XI.—Horns	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	6	1	...	...	...	...	6	1	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	6	1	...	...	...	...	6	1	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth ...	408	19	485	14	77	...	...	5	
XIV.—Lac	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	10	1	...	...	...	...	10	1	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Wine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	8	1	137	5	129	4	...	...	
2. ,, wrought ...	106	11	213	9	107	...	...	2	
3. Copper, unwrought ...	...	...	34	1	34	1	...	...	
4. ,, wrought ...	4	1	104	2	100	1	...	...	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	302	6	104	5	...	...	198	1	
(b) Unwrought ...	23	1	...	...	...	...	23	1	
(c) Wrought... ...	361	13	1,351	27	990	14	...	...	
(d) Manufactures ...	774	27	597	20	...	...	177	7	
6. Others	94	10	54	6	...	...	40	4	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	4,790	60	4,115	43	...	...	675	26	
2. Castor	20	1	...	...	...	...	20	1	
3. Cocoanut	8	1	121	3	113	2	...	...	
4. Mustard and rape ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Others	143	9	32	2	...	...	111	7	

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Earthnuts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Linseed	13	2	...	...	...	...	13	2	
4. Poppy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Rape and mustard	440	13	...	...	...	...	440	13	
6. Til or jinjili	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
7. Others	486	12	2,037	40	1,551	28	...	...	
XX.—Opium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	2	1	14	1	12	...	...	...	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts	58	3	72	3	14	...	...	...	
2. Ghee	...	...	26	1	26	1	...	...	
3. Others	39	1	214	9	175	8	...	...	
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXIV.—Salt	5,476	66	3,462	52	...	...	1,904	14	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Other saline substances	355	6	...	...	...	...	355	6	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	212	14	220	9	68	...	...	5	
2. Cardamoms	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Chillies	81	1	144	4	63	3	...	...	
4. Ginger	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Pepper	84	6	31	1	...	...	53	5	
6. Others	363	18	635	11	272	...	...	7	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	...	...	313	6	313	6	...	...	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	1,380	10	1,038	25	...	15	342	...	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	63	5	...	...	...	...	63	5	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	8	1	91	2	83	1	...	...	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	737	16	238	15	...	...	499	1	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	123	15	...	...	...	...	123	15	
(b) Other sorts	9	1	...	...	...	...	9	1	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought	3,419	57	1,088	13	...	...	2,331	44	Less output from Nepal.
2. Logs	9,603	147	326	5	...	...	9,277	142	
3. Poles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Manufactures	170	18	52	2	...	...	118	16	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	2	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs	9	2	...	...	...	...	9	2	
(b) (c) Piece-goods { European / Indian	30	2	...	...	...	...	30	2	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Firewood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Others not specified above.	2,393	154	2,337	92	644	...	...	62	
Total	56,674	1,260	66,123	1,870	20,168	573	26,719	663	

GORAKHPUR, *the 20th August 1903.*

J. LIGHTFOOT,
Chief Auditor.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th August 1903 on 1,926·13 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	398,178	3,88,286 0 0	44,93,560 0	7,34,844 0 0	28,287 0 0	11,51,417 0 0	113,309	164,684	278,993
Or per mile of railway	...	201 9 5	...	381 8 2	14 11 0	597 12 7	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year.	1,838,898	16,78,300 0 0	2,04,07,660 0	34,60,373 0 0	1,33,802 0 0	52,73,475 0 0	515,484	738,057	1,253,541
Total for 5½ weeks ..	2,237 076	20 06 586 0 0	2,49,01,220 0	41,95,217 0 0	1 62,089 0 0	64,23,892 0 0	627,793	902,741	1,530,534
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	353,308	3,26,067 12 3	46,08,069 0	7,34,710 8 0	27,920 3 5	10,81,198 7 3	111,076	166,517	277,593
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	170 14 4	.....	379 13 2	14 6 2	563 1 8	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 5½ weeks of previous year.	2,227,041	20,01,124 8 8	2,75,37,050 30	44,36,831 12 3	1,21,405 0 3	66,26,361 5 2	627,462	1,012,727	1,640,189

(a) The increase is due to the movements of pilgrims and labourers.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,926·13	11 days of July	705,575	5,06,640	65,12,885	11,56,402	45,553	17,08,596	934	416,486	4 5 1
1,926·13	Week ended 18th ,,	384,365	3,57 547	44,21,112	7,48,067	28,087	11,34,601	589	277,459	4 1 5
1,926·13	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	371,689	3,70,293	47,23,383	7,78,890	30,403	11,79,546	612	277,344	4 4 1
1,926·13	,, ,, 1st Aug. .	367,269	3,53,980	48,10,284	7,77,014	28,859	11,59,733	602	282,213	4 1 9
1,926·13	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	398,178	3,88,286	44,93,560	7,34,844	28,287	11,51,417	598	276,993	4 2 6
	Totals up to date ..	2,237,076	20,06,886	2,49,01,220	41,95,217	1,62,089	64,23,892	599	1,530,534	4 3 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,913·28	12 days of July ..	716,603	5,65,787	56,38,942	14,64,289	31,611	21,60,087	1,129	509,575	4 3 10
1,913·28	Week ended 17th ,, ...	441,136	3 78,481	47,42,891	8,02,446	16,686	11,97,613	626	286,530	4 2 5
1,913·28	,, ,, 25th ,, .	370,267	3,75,806	45,66,617	7,07,443	16,816	11,00,075	575	279,083	3 15 1
1,913·28	,, ,, 1nd Aug.	345,725	3 21,083	40,81,101	7,36,433	28,973	10,86,789	568	286,468	3 12 11
1,913·28	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	353,308	3,26,968	46,08,069	7,20,710	27,920	10,81,198	565	277,593	3 14 4
	Totals up to date ..	2,227,041	20,68,125	2,75,37,050	44,36,831	1,21,405	66,26,361	606	1,640,189	4 0 5

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th August 1903 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	21,386	5,597 0 0	7,920 0	316 0 0	6 0 0	5,919 0 0	1,026	103	1,129
Or per mile of railway	...	251 12 5	.....	14 3 5	0 4 4	266 4 2	.....	.....	...
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year	110,109	26,919 0 0	44,103 0	1,812 0 0	30 0 0	28,761 0 0	4,946	554	5,500
Total for 5½ weeks ..	131,497	32,516 0 0	52,023 0	2,128 0 0	36 0 0	34,680 0 0	6,032	656	6,629
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	19,403	4,745 13 0	7,567 20	359 4 8	4 9 6	5,109 10 6	1,114	74	1,189
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	213 7 10	.....	23 10 4	0 3 4	252 5 6	.....	.....	...
Total for corresponding 5½ weeks of previous year	130,953	30,311 7 0	1,18,797 20	3,674 6 0	42 0 0	34,527 13 0	6,257	607	6,864

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	11 days of July ...	47,000	13,039	14,677	631	12	13,712	573	1,936	6 9 1
22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	23,750	5,510	9,164	414	7	5,931	207	1,188	4 15 10
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,023	4,839	10,847	457	5	5,281	238	1,188	4 7 1
22·23	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	19,718	4,501	9,415	330	6	4,837	218	1,188	4 1 3
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	21,395	5,507	7,920	316	6	5,910	266	1,188	4 15 9
	Totals up to date ...	131,497	32,516	52,023	2,128	36	34,680	280	6,688	5 3 0

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	12 days of July ...	40,051	10,020	73,607	1,574	10	11,604	522	2,068	5 9 9
22·23	Week ended 19th ,, ...	21,087	6,929	10,087	403	10	7,342	330	1,782	5 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	22,846	5,357	19,055	504	6	5,867	264	1,188	4 15 0
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	16,686	3,760	8,681	334	11	4,105	185	1,188	3 7 3
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,483	4,716	7,568	350	5	5,610	253	1,188	4 11 7
	Totals up to date ...	130,953	30,813	1,18,796	3,674	42	34,528	272	6,864	5 0 6

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th August 1903 on 162·24 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	24,547	19,725 0 0	53,533 0	7,806 0 0	35 0 0	27,566 0 0	9,416	3,533	12,961
Or per mile of railway	.....	121 9 3	.....	48 1 10	0 3 5	169 14 6	... ...	... ...	... ...
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year	102,445	90,454 0 0	3,72,635 0	44,212 0 0	171 0 0	1,34,837 0 0	43,560	16,009	59,[illegible]
Total for 54 weeks ...	126,992	1,10,179 0 0	3,86,168 0	52,018 0 0	206 0 0	1,62,403 0 0	52,976	19,542	72,5[illegible]
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	21,716	17,113 2 3	93,516 10	7,444 11 7	58 2 9	24,615 0 6	8,770	4,040	12,[illegible]
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	105 7 7	.....	45 14 2	0 5 9	151 11 6	.....	... ...	...
Total for corresponding 54 weeks of previous year.	131,675	1,06,197 3 10	10,06,505 30	58,908 15 1	206 1 3	1,64,432 4 2	49,330	27,030	76,[illegible]

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	11 days of July ...	25,731	20,852	1,06,755	14,236	61	35,439	219	20,717	1 11 1
162·24	Week ended 18th ,, ...	21,700	19,807	67,923	13,312	43	31,931	197	13,226	2 6 3
162·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	22,267	20,338	75,339	9,367	34	29,659	183	12,648	2 5 6
162·24	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	22,747	19,787	62,019	8,017	34	27,808	171	12,978	2 2 3
162·24	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	24,547	19,725	53,533	7,806	35	27,566	170	12,951	2 2 1
	Totals up to date ...	126,992	1,10,179	3,86,168	52,018	206	1,62,403	179	72,520	2 3 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	12 days of July ...	40,898	32,090	1,46,494	19,647	94	51,831	319	22,783	2 4 5
162·24	Week ended 19th ,, ...	22,411	17,962	5,64,416	15,368	43	33,373	205	13,707	2 6 10
162·24	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	26,206	23,107	1,02,087	8,894	33	31,033	191	13,778	2 4 6
162·24	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	20,154	15,926	1,00,992	7,715	40	23,681	146	13,472	1 13 1
162·24	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	21,710	17,113	93,516	7,445	33	24,615	158	13,810	1 11 9
	Totals up to date ...	131,475	1,05,197	10,06,505	58,069	203	1,64,433	177	76,550	2 2 0

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th August 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	11,778	6,135 0 0	37,298 0	2,868 0 0	30 0 0	9,033 0 0	1,626	792	2,618
Or per mile of railway	.....	77 14 4	.....	36 6 8	0 6 1	114 11 1	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year	57,139	30,644 0 0	1,58,210 0	10,719 0 0	158 0 0	41,521 0 0	8,358	3,583	11,941
Total for 5½ weeks	68,917	36,779 0 0	1,95,498 0	13,587 0 0	188 0 0	50,554 0 0	10,184	4,375	14,559
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	10,079	5,312 0 8	28,573 10	2,008 10 0	18 2 3	7,338 13 11	2,005	831	2,914
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	67 7 2	.....	25 8 0	0 3 8	93 2 10	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 5½ weeks of previous year ...	70,543	36,978 11 8	2,27,874 30	14,278 8 0	86 9 0	50,303 13 8	11,008	5,125	16,223

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	11 days of July ...	21,410	11,990	50,022	2,896	39	14,875	189	4,243	3 8 1
78·76	Week ended 18th ,, ...	12,731	7,239	49,840	2,740	35	10,014	127	2,753	3 10 2
78·76	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	11,517	5,983	29,933	2,397	33	8,403	107	2,441	3 7 1
78·76	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	11,481	5,502	37,413	2,098	31	8,239	104	2,501	3 4 8
78·76	,, ,, 8th ,, ..	11,778	6,135	37,298	2,868	30	9,033	115	2,618	3 7 2
	Totals up to date ...	68,917	36,779	1,95,498	13,587	188	50,554	115	14,559	3 7 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P.
78·76	12 days of July ...	23,554	12,211	70,897	4,577	40	16,828	214	4,961	3 6 3
78·76	Week ended 19th ,, ..	12,310	6,881	33,421	2,135	8	8,794	111	2,678	3 4 1
78·76	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	11,735	5,894	41,404	2,348	9	8,251	105	2,835	2 14 7
78·76	,, ,, 2nd Aug.	12,264	6,091	53,575	3,200	11	9,321	117	2,835	3 4 0
78·76	,, ,, 9th ,, .	10,679	5,313	28,578	2,009	18	7,339	93	2,914	2 8 4
	Totals up to date ...	70,543	36,990	2,27,875	14,278	86	50,303	112	16,223	3 1 8

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th August 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	50,574	14,894 0 0	1,24,812 0	15,065 0 0	180 0 0	29,869 0 0	4,042	5,010	9,052
Or per mile of railway	367	113 0 0*	898 0	109 0 0	1 0 0	223 0 0	..	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	182,113	68,153 0 0	2,49,027 0	28,732 0 0	1,277 0 0	92,182 0 0	22,720	12,011	34,740
Total for 6 weeks ...	232,684	83,747 0 0	3,73,839 0	37,847 0 0	1,457 0 0	1,22,051 0 0	27,671	17,021	44,692
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	41,080	13,407 0 0	71,782 0	8,907 0 0	128 0 0	22,502 0 0	3,300	3,262	6,562
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	323	103 0 0*	516 0	65 0 0	1 0 0	169 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	218,339	81,374 0 0	3,64,323 0	25,046 0 0	2,588 0 0	1,10,010 0 0	19,083	15,407	35,090

* Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING N. B., K.-D., DACCA, AND ASSAM-BEHAR SECTIONS.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th August 1903 on 898 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
al traffic for the week ...	255,770	1,00,080 0 0	11,26,400 0	2,09,740 0 0	11,060 0 0	3,25,840 0 0	41,526	41,102	82,628
per mile of railway	285	118 0 0	1,256 0	233 0 0	1 0 0*	338 0 0*	...	...	...
previous 5 weeks of half-ear	1,130,810	5,19,220 0 0	42,15,530 0	6,37,602 0 0	72,880 0 0	12,20,760 0 0	186,555	169 980	355,545
Total for 6 weeks ..	1,386,580	6,25,300 0 0	53,41,930 0	8,46,400 0 0	83,940 0 0	15,55,640 0 0	228,081	210,141	438,233
COMPARISON.									
al for corresponding week previous year	241,026	1,02,854 0 0	10,08,294 0	1,84,095 0 0	10,055 0 0	2,07,004 0 0	37,901	40,977	78,878
mile of railway correspond-g week of previous year 61 miles)	280	119 0 0	1,241 0	214 0 0	1 0 0	334 0 0	...	...	...
al to corresponding date of evious year	1,311,727	6,11,508 0 0	50,80,825 0	8,19,907 0 0	85,541 0 0	15,17,016 0 0	218,639	202,353	421,192

* Excluding ferry earnings Rs. 10,180.

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th August 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
l traffic for the week ..	7,050	2,360 0 0	38,710 0	3,040 0 0	40 0 0	5,440 0 0	1,240	800	
er mile of railway ...	134	40 0 0	653 0	51 0 0	1 0 0	92 0 0	...	...	
previous 5 weeks of half-ear	34,870	10,250 0 0	84,050 0	7,300 0 0	740 0 0	17,000 0 0	5,198	2,082	3,040
Total for 6 weeks ...	42,520	12,610 0 0	1,23,060 0	10,340 0 0	180 0 0	23,130 0 0	6,346	3,732	10,080
COMPARISON.									
tal for corresponding week of previous year	7,017	1,926 0 0	46,121 0	4,275 0 0	17 0 0	6,218 0 0	1,010	1,500	
er mile of railway correspond-ing week of previous year ...	118	33 0 0	777 0	72 0 0		105 0 0	...	...	
otal to corresponding date of previous year	30,380	11,410 0 0	1,20,843 0	12,226 0 0	156 0 0	24,802 0 0	6,402	7,680	

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th August 1903 on 58·14 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
otal traffic for the week .	9,340	2,570 0 0	38,400 0	1,780 0 0	20 0 0	4,370 0 0	1,326	433	1,7
r per mile of railway ...	170	48 0 0	723 0	34 0 0	...	82 0 0	...	...	...
for previous 5 weeks of half-year	34,480	9,980 0 0	64,100 0	3,330 0 0	90 0 0	13,400 0 0	5,410	1,316	6,726
Total for 6 weeks	47,820	12,550 0 0	1,01,500 0	5,110 0 0	110 0 0	17,770 0 0	6,736	1,747	8,483
COMPARISON.									
tal for corresponding week of previous year	5,203	2,040 0 0	22,000 0	952 0 0	23 0 0	3,023 0 0	1,066	449	1,515
r mile of railway correspond-ing week of previous year .	155	38 0 0	425 0	18 0 0	.....	56 0 0	...	...	...
tal to corresponding date of revious year	47,104	12,788 0 0	53,900 0	3,340 0 0	115 0 0	16,243 0 0	6,787	3,241	10,028

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th August 1903 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	27,330	8,350 0 0	41,020 0	3,000 0 0	180 0 0	11,530 0 0	2,088	1,532	4,530
Or per mile of railway	318	97 0 0	457 0	35 0 0	2 0 0	134 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	134,220	38,000 0 0	82,020 0	6,480 0 0	790 0 0	45,270 0 0	14,406	6,456	20,862
Total for 6 weeks ...	161,550	46,350 0 0	123,040 0	9,480 0 0	970 0 0	56,800 0 0	17,494	8,018	25,502
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	25,212	6,903 0 0	16,090 0	1,566 0 0	136 0 0	8,605 0 0	2,664	1,598	4,262
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	293	80 0 0	187 0	18 0 0	2 0 0	100 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	156,679	44,110 0 0	89,783 0	8,199 0 0	1,493 0 0	53,802 0 0	15,784	10,926	26,710

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th August 1903 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	2,740	980 0 0	7,520 0	1,000 0 0	30 0 0	2,010 0 0	474	1,278*	1,752
Or per mile of railway ...	82	29 0 0	224 0	30 0 0	1 0 0	60 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	12,880	4,760 0 0	36,180 0	4,420 0 0	170 0 0	9,350 0 0	2,134	6,296	8,430
Total for 6 weeks ...	15,620	5,740 0 0	43,700 0	5,420 0 0	200 0 0	11,360 0 0	2,608	7,574	10,182
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	2,483	849 0 0	6,606 0	947 0 0	38 0 0	1,834 0 0	274	839	1,113
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	74	25 0 0	197 0	28 0 0	1 0 0	54 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	13,788	4,698 0 0	2,49,354 0	7,075 0 0	139 0 0	12,512 0 0	1,576	4,895	6,471

* Ballast train-miles 900.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 8th August 1903 on 628 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and on additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	29,485	17,748 0 0	1,82,307 0	19,025 0 0	2,839 0 0	39,607 0 0	7,043	8,296	15,341
Or per mile of railway	47·40	28·53	293·53	30 59	4 42	63 54	11·32	13 21	24·53
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	142,724	85,901 0 0	9,04,030 0	93,568 0 0	14,362 0 0	1,93,831 0 0	31,904	43,529	74,433
Total for 6 weeks ...	172,209	1,03,644 0 0	11,46,337 0	1,01,613 0 0	17,201 0 0	2,23,438 0 0	38,947	50,827	89,774
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	25,840	15,017 0 0	1,14,672 0	12 056 0 0	1,349 0 0	29,322 0 0	6,455	7,020	13,475
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	46·31	26·53	194·60	20·47	2·29	51·29	11·57	11·92	23 49
Total to corresponding date of previous year	162 905	90,684 0 0	8,00,366 0	84,677 0 0	8,833 0 0	1,93,216 0 0	37,374	45,918	83,192

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 8th August 1903.			Receipts for week ending 9th August 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 8th August 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 9th August 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	39,607	62·54	589	20,323	51·29	643	7,34,943	...	589	6,70,308	...	64,634	.....

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 15th August 1903 on 1,331 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,331 miles open	310,070	87,410	6,54,330	(a)81,930	14,070	(a)1,83,410	41,040	(b)32,004	73,043
Or per mile of railway	127·63	65 67	491·61	61·56	10·57	137·80	.....	... ...	... ...
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	1,296,220	5,33,010	43,64,640	4,83,270	1,30,630	11,36,910	230,606	176,972	407,578
Total for 6½ weeks ...	1,606,290	6,20,420	49,18,970	5,64,200	1,34,700	13,19,320	271,653	208,977	480,631
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,261 miles open	213,916	85,654	4,85,481	49,884	14,723	1,50,230	41,834	(c)42,912	83,746
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	169 84	67·93	384·93	39·54	11·67	119·14	... ...	... ...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,301,081	5,13,922	36,89,807	4,03,627	1,19,455	;10,36,004	284,755	198,856	483,611

Note.—34 miles from Rai Bhoja to Katarnian Ghat closed for all description of traffic from 15th August 1903. Line breached by floods.
(a) Increase occurred mainly in local goods.
(b) Includes 4,810 miles of ballast trains.
(c) Ditto 19,306 miles of ditto.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 15th August 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	1,034	154	15,733	220	19	393	273	120	393
Or per mile of railway	56·89	7·44	873·50	12·72	1·06	21·22	.....	.....	... ...
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	7,202	1,098	61,501	1,242	73	2,412	2,060	748	2,808
Total for 6½ weeks ...	8,236	1,252	77,234	1,471	91	2,794	2,333	868	3,201
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	1,442	135	4,712	125	10	270	943	81	214
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	80·11	7·50	261·78	6·94	0·56	15·00	... ...	... ...	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	13,269	1,326	60,304	1,312	43	2,682	2,486	688	3,174

Note.—The line closed for all description of traffic from 15th August 1903 owing to floods.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 15th August 1903...	Coaching ...	4,011 0 0	9,142 0 0
	Goods ...	5,010 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	121 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	3,534 0 0	8,991 0 0
	Goods ...	5,329 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	128 0 0	
	Increase ...		151 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 15th August 1903	...	...	179 4 1
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902	...	...	176 4 8
	Increase ...		2 15 5
Receipts from 1st July to 15th August 1903	...	...	96,938 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902	...	...	95,550 0 0
	Increase ...		1,388 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3683A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2352A.D.—The 25th August 1903.*—Mr. J. A. Ezechiel, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Backergunge, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge of Jessore-Khulna and Backergunge, with effect from the 20th September 1903, *vice* Mr. F. S. Hamilton, on deputation.

Jessore-Khulna. Backergunge.

No. 2357A.D.—The 25th August 1903.—Mr. D. H. Kingsford, Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca and Mymensingh, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Jessore-Khulna, during the Civil Court vacation of September and October 1903. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. J. A. Ezechiel and H. F. Samman.

Dacca Mymensingh. Jessore-Khulna.

No. 2425A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Jyotischandra Acharyya, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Purnea, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Araria subdivision of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Grish Chunder Nag, or until further orders.

Purnea.

No. 2450A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—The Hon'ble Mr. L. Hare, C.I.E., Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, is appointed to act as a Member of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, with effect from the 23rd August 1903, during the absence, on leave, of the Hon'ble Mr. C. W. Bolton, C.S.I., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 2455A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—The following Probationary Deputy Collectors are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Babu Satis Chandra Ghose, B.A.	24-Parganas.
„ Jamini Mohan Mitter, M.A.	Midnapore.
„ Arun Kumar Bose, B.A.	Howrah.
Maulvi Abul Mozuffar Ahmed, B.A.	Mymensingh.
Babu Baidya Nath Misra, B.A.	Cuttack.

No. 2473A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Mr. H. L. Fell, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rangpur, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Monghyr district.

Rangpur.
Monghyr.

No. 2476A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Surja Kumar Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Faridpur district.

Faridpur.

No. 2493A D.—The 31st August 1903.—Mr. Ambika Charan Sen, District and Sessions Judge, Bankura, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Murshidabad, during the Civil Court vacation of September and October 1903. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. J. E. Webster.

Bankura.
Murshidabad.
Burdwan.

Mr. Ambika Charan Sen, who has, under the order of the 3rd August 1903, been appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Burdwan also, is authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Burdwan for the disposal of cases arising within the district of Murshidabad.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 2394A.D.—The 27th August 1903.*—Babu Gobinda Chandra Datta, Rural Sub-Registrar of Diamond Harbour, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act as Special Sub-Registrar, Alipore, in that district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bepin Mohan Sehanavis.

24-Parganas.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2400A.D.—The 28th August 1903.*—Babu Sures Chandra Gupta, Assistant Head Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack (class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Head Master of that School, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Mohini Mohan Chaudhuri, or until further orders.

Cuttack.

JAILS.—*No. 2556A.D.—The 1st September 1903.*—Mr. G. A. Davis, Superintendent of Jail Manufactures, Bengal, on leave, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Superintendent of the Presidency Jail, during the absence, on leave, of Captain J. Mulvany, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2423A.D.—The 29th August 1903.*—Babu Grish Chunder Nag, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Araria, Purnea, is allowed leave for five weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th September 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Purnea.

No. 2427A.D.—The 27th August 1903.—Babu Juggut Durlabh Bysack, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th September 1903.

Faridpur.

No. 2451A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—In modification of the order of the 7th August 1903, Mr. W. Maude, Deputy Commissioner, Ranchi, is allowed leave for one month and eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th August 1903.

Ranchi.

No. 2478A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Haripada Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is allowed leave up to the 25th September 1903, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Faridpur.

POLICE.—*No. 2391A.D.—The 27th August 1903.*—Mr. H. W. Boileau, District Superintendent of Police, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India a further extension of extraordinary leave without allowances for three months.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 2392A.D.—The 27th August 1903.*—Babu Bepin Mohan Sehanavis, Special Sub-Registrar of Alipore, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for one month, under article 262 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

24-Parganas.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2398A.D.—The 24th August 1903.*—Babu Mohini Mohan Chaudhuri, Officiating Head Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack, is allowed leave for thirty-four days, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th August 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may have availed himself of it.

Cuttack

EXCISE.—*No. 2369A.D.—The 26th August 1903.*—Babu Sarat Kumar Raha, Special Excise Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for twenty-five days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1903.

Mymensingh.

JAILS.—*No. 2554A.D.—The 1st September 1903.*—Captain J. Mulvany, I.M.S., Superintendent, Presidency Jail, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Calcutta.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2379A.D.—The 27th August 1903.*—Babu Atal Behary Bose, Subdivisional Officer of Vishnupur, in the district of Bankura, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Bankura.

The following order is republished from the *Assam Gazette*:—

No. 7471G.—The 27th August 1903.—In consequence of the transfer to Bengal of Mr. T. Emerson, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, first grade, the following substantive promotions are made in the Assam Commission, with effect from the 21st August 1903:—

Mr. H. C. Barnes, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, second grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, first grade.

„ H. A. C. Colquhoun, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, third grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, second grade.

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION—No. 2463A.D.

The 29th August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the second Half-yearly Departmental Examination in 1903 of Assistant and Deputy Magistrates and Sub-Deputy Collectors in the Regulation and non-Regulation districts, of Cantonment Magistrates, and of Officers of the Police, Medical, Forest and Public Works Departments, will be held on Monday, the 16th November 1903, and the two following days.

The examination will begin at 11 A.M. on each day.

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION—No. 2495A.D.

The 31st August 1903.—In modification of the notification of this Government, No. 1952A.D., dated the 10th July 1903, it is hereby notified that the examination of candidates for recruiting the staff of the Superior Police Officers in Bengal and Assam will be held at the Bengal Secretariat, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, on the dates and at the hours mentioned below:—

12th October 1903.		13th October 1903.		14th October 1903.		15th October 1903.		16th October 1903.	
10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M.	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M.	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M.	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M.	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
English Composition.	Arithmetic and Euclid	Algebra ...	Trigonometry and Mensuration.	English History.	English Literature.	Indian History.	Geography	First language.	Second language.

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No 1830T.R.—The 23th August 1903.—Mr. J. L. Baker, Assistant Conservator of Forests, 2nd grade, Officiating as Deputy Conservator of Forests, 4th grade, is appointed to be Assistant Conservator of Forests, 1st grade, substantive *pro tempore*, with effect from the 14th August 1903, *vice* Mr. E. R. Stevens, transferred to the United Provinces. Mr. Baker will continue to officiate as Deputy Conservator of Forests, 4th grade.

Birbhum.

No. 1744T.R.—The 24th August 1903.—Babu Charu Chandra Chaudhuri, Sub-Deputy Collector, is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer in the district of Birbhum under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue Officers. He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Rule I, Chapter VI of the Government Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Jessore.

No. 1777T.R.—The 25th August 1903.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorise Maulvi Shafiuddin Ahmed, Sub-Deputy Collector, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer in respect of the estates and tenures, mentioned below, in the district of Jessore under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers.

2. He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act:—

1. Patni estate Fazilpur, tauzi No. 76.
2. Ditto Panishara, „ „ 5110.
3. Patni mahal Berbary, lot No. 22 (comprised in villages Berbary, Teshkidanga, Chanchra and Mangalgati).
4. Patni tenure Gopinathpur, tauzi No. 4707.
5. Estate Bishoykhali, „ „ 3555.
6. Estate Mahamudpur, „ „ 188.

Bhagalpur.

No. 1778T.R.—The 25th August 1903.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorise Mr. G. J. Monahan, I.C.S., to perform the functions of a Revenue Officer in the Bhagalpur district under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers.

Mr. Monahan is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Rule I, Chapter VI of the Government Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Ranchi.

No. 1808T.R.—The 28th August 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the Manager of the Chorea Encumbered Estate, in the district of Ranchi, for a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands situated in mauza Chorea, thana Mandur, and whereas he has agreed to deposit the cost of the operations:

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (1) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, and extended to the Chota Nagpur Division (except the district of Manbhum) under Government Notification No. 721L.R., dated the 9th February 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the external boundaries of the said mauza in the district of Ranchi.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and records-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, under-raiyat or other tenant; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.

(*e*) The money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that produce-rent is paid.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid; and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

(*j*) The name of each landlord, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the lands cultivated by each landlord.

No. 1809T.R.—The 28th August 1903.—Mr. E. Lister, I.C.S., is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act as extended to the Chota Nagpur Division and so far as they relate to Revenue Officers for the purpose of carrying out the survey and record-of-rights in the Ranchi district. He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act. This notification will have effect from the 9th February 1903.

Ranchi.

No. 1810T.R.—The 28th August 1903.—The undermentioned officers are authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act as extended to the Chota Nagpur Division and so far as they relate to Revenue Officers for the purpose of carrying out the survey and record-of-rights in the Ranchi district. They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter V. of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act. This notification will have effect from the 9th February 1903:—

Ranchi.

(1) Mr. C. W. E Connolly, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Collector.

(2) Babu Nirad Krishna Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector.

(3) „ Jogendra Nath Pal, ditto.

(4) „ Upendra Nath Roy, Kanungo.

No. 1817T.R.—The 28th August 1903.—Under the powers conferred upon him by section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, and in modification of Government Notification No. 1520L R., dated the 19th March 1901, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made in respect of all lands of the following villages, in the district of Monghyr, which were surveyed as portions of the Srinagar and Bansilly Raj Estate:—

Monghyr.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Pargana.	Revenue Survey No.	Thana.
1	Rajdhan Barari	Prorkia ...	4	Gogri.
2	Sharnia Barari	Do. .	7	Do.

No. 1841T.R.—The 31st August 1903.—With reference to Notification No. 2430A.D., dated the 29th August 1903, appointing the Hon'ble Mr L. Hare, C.I.E., Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, to act as a Member of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, during the absence, on leave, of the Hon'ble Mr. C. W. Bolton, C.S.I., or until further orders, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under section 5, Regulation III of 1822, as amended by section 2 (2) and Schedule II of the Obsolete Enactments Act, XII of 1891, to authorise the Hon'ble Mr. L Hare, from the date of taking over charge from the Hon'ble Mr. Bolton, to exercise generally throughout the territories subject to the control of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, all the duties, powers, and authority which are vested in the Board collectively in respect of the Department of Land Revenue. This includes Land Revenue, Survey and Settlement, Land Registration, Land Improvements, the sale or lease of waste land and Government estates, the management of Wards' and Attached estates, the collection of cesses, the realisation of arrears of revenue and the recovery of public demands, rent suits, embankments, pensions, the examination, enrolment, &c., of Revenue Agents, patni sales, and the supply of provisions for troops.

2. In the absence of one Member of the Board hereafter, the other Member is authorised to exercise, in the Departments specially allotted to the absent Member, any of the powers vested in the Board collectively.

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1504T.G.—The 28th August 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 4 of Act V (B.C.) of 1881, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. A. E. Silk, Officiating Chairman of the Corporation for the Town of Calcutta, to act as Chairman of the Christian Burial Board for the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. T. Greer, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 1517T.G.—The 31st August 1903.—In notification No. 2169, dated the 18th August, 1903, published at page 1097, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, *for* "30th January 1902" *read* "16th February 1902."

No. 2227.—The 1st September 1903.—The following is published for general information:—

No. 2831—42.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department (Public), under date Calcutta, the 8th December 1899.

RESOLUTION.

THE Secretary of State for India has brought to the notice of the Government of India that it not infrequently happens that natives of India, students or others who have proceeded to England, desire to obtain passports to enable them to travel to foreign countries in which the possession of a passport is necessary or desirable, and that difficulty often arises from want of evidence to show that the applicant is a British subject, and therefore entitled to a passport. Appeals for assistance are also frequently addressed to His Lordship by destitute Indians who desire to return to their country and by students who, owing to embarrassed circumstances, are unable to complete their course of education.

2. In order to enable the Secretary of State to deal with such cases satisfactorily, the Governor-General in Council has decided that it is necessary to press upon Indian students and others visiting England the desirability of providing themselves, before their departure from India, with an authoritative certificate of identity, in the form appended to this Resolution, signed by the head of the district (in a Presidency Town, the Commissioner of Police) in the case of residents of British India and by the Political Officer in that of residents of Native States. For a student the certificate should be signed by the head of his last school or college and countersigned by the District Officer (in a Presidency Town, the Commissioner of Police) or Political Officer, as the case may be.

* * * * * * * * *

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF IDENTITY.

1. Name of applicant_____
2. Father's name and caste_____
3. Residence _____
4. Age of applicant_____
5. *Nationality of applicant_____
6. Social and pecuniary status of father (or guardian)_____
7. Date of probable departure of applicant from India_____
8. Object of applicant's visit to England (Europe)_____

Signature of District Officer (in a Presidency Town, the Commissioner of Police), or Political Officer, or head of school or college.†

*Dated*_____

* i.e., whether a British subject by birth or by naturalisation (or a subject of a Native State).

† Countersignature of the District or Political Officer should be obtained on certificates signed by heads of schools or colleges.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1677T.F.—The 25th August 1903.—Maulvi Khondhkar Fazlal Huq, Special Excise Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Shahabad, *vice* Babu Ramapati Chatterjee, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Shahabad.

No. 1694T.F.—The 26th August 1903.—Babu Ramapati Chatterjee, Special Excise Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Patna, *vice* Babu Mohendra Chandra Sarkar, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Patna.

No. 1698T.F.—The 26th August 1903.—Babu Mohendra Chandra Sarkar, Special Excise Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Darbhanga, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Bhattacharjee, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Darbhanga.

No. 1764T.F.—The 31st August 1903.—Mr. A. P. Bonnaud, 1st Assistant Collector of Customs, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 27th July 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 1765T.F.—The 31st August 1903.—Mr. J. A. E. Burrup, 2nd Assistant Collector of Customs, Calcutta, is appointed to act as 1st Assistant Collector of Customs, Calcutta, *vice* Mr. A. P. Bonnaud, on leave.

Calcutta.

No. 1766T.F.—The 31st August 1903.—Mr. A. E. McKenna, Superintendent of the Statistical Department, Calcutta Custom House, is appointed to act as 2nd Assistant Collector of Customs, Calcutta, *vice* Mr. J. A. E. Burrup.

Calcutta.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1981T.M.—The 27th August 1903.—Captain R. H. Maddox, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon of Darjeeling, is allowed leave for ninety days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd September 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Darjeeling.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 338T.—P.—The 29th August 1903.—The following notification issued by the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan is republished for general information.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 3881, dated Quetta, the 11th August 1903.

NOTIFICATION—By the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan.

IN supersession of the Regulations published with Notification No. 1482, dated the 2nd April 1903, and in exercise of the powers conferred by Foreign Department Notification No. 809I.A., dated the 1st March 1897, and by Home Department Notification No. 302, dated the 4th February 1897, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan is pleased to make the following temporary regulations under section 2, clause (1), and under section 2, sub-section 2, clause (*b*) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897:—

I. Unless otherwise notified, the following will be the places of inspection, and, if necessary, segregation, in Baluchistan, for the period noted against each:—

(1) Sibi—15th October to 14th April, or such dates as may be notified by executive order.

(2) Hirok—15th April to 14th October, or such dates as may be notified by executive order.

II. Passengers by rail from India, except such Government and Railway servants travelling on duty as are exempted, are forbidden to alight—

(1) (When the inspection camp is at Sibi) at any station between Jhatpat and Mithri, both inclusive.

(2) (When the Camp is at Hirok) at any station between Jhatpat and Mach, both inclusive.

NOTE.—Government and Railway servants, although travelling on duty, are not exempt from this restriction, unless they are in possession of certificates signed by a British Officer of their Department, that they have not visited a plague-infected place within the previous ten days.

III. No railway tickets shall be issued, without the written authority of the Political Agent, Thal Chotiali, or of the Plague Inspecting Medical Officer, from any of the stations between Jhatpat and Mithri, both inclusive, whether the Camp be at Sibi or at Hirok, except to Sibi and beyond on the Harnai line or on the Mushkaf-Bolan line.

NOTE.—Officials of the Sibi tehsil travelling on duty who hold a certificate to this effect from the Political Agent in Thal Chotiali are exempt from the provisions of this rule, as also the officials of His Highness the Khan of Kalat when covered by a certificate from the Political Agent in Kalat.

IV. All passengers from India having tickets for Sibi or other stations on the Harnai line or on the Mushkaf-Bolan line will be required to proceed to Sibi or Hirok, as the case may be, for medical inspection, before being allowed to proceed on their journey by railway or otherwise.

V. When the camp is at Hirok, passengers from Sibi and upwards must travel in the carriages to be attached to the train at Sibi for local traffic only. These passengers are free to alight at any station up to and including Mach.

VI. The Medical Officer in charge of the Plague Camp will allow due consideration to those passengers from India who are in possession of certificates signed by a British Officer, a first class Magistrate or a commissioned Medical Officer, that they have not visited a plague-infected place within the previous ten days. Such passengers, when travelling third class, will usually be disinfected.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3684A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2433A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Behari Lal Banerjee, Subordinate Judge, Mymensingh, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas, *vice* Babu Kali Kumar Bose, about to retire.

Mymensingh.
24 Parganas

No. 2435A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Anund Nath Majumdar, Subordinate Judge, Backergunge, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Mymensingh, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Mymensingh, and with the powers conferred on District Judges under sections 344 to 359 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure, in regard to cases arising within the local limits of the Mymensingh district, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Mymensingh. He is also appointed to perform the functions of a Court under section 3, clause (*d*), of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, within the local limits of the district of Mymensingh.

Backergunge.
Mymensingh.

No. 2437A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Suresh Chandra Ghose, Subordinate Judge, Bhagalpur, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Backergunge, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Barisal Munsifi, and with the powers of a Court under section 3, clause (*d*), of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Backergunge.

Bhagalpur.
Backergunge.

No. 2439A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Rajendra Coomar Bose, Additional Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Faridpur and Mymensingh, now acting as District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Bhagalpur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Bhagalpur. He is also vested with the powers of a Court under section 3, clause (*d*), of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Bhagalpur.

Faridpur and Mymensingh.
Nadia
Bhagalpur.

No. 2444A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—The services of Babu Gobind Chandra Basak, Subordinate Judge, Backergunge, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

Backergunge.
Assam.

No. 2447A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Kali Dhan Chatterjee, Subordinate Judge, Hooghly, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Backergunge, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Barisal.

Hooghly. Backergunge.

No. 2463A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Mr. S. E. Stinton, Assistant Magistrate, Kaniganj, Burdwan, is appointed, under the provisions of section 22, Act V of 1898, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the territories under the Lieutenant-Governor's control.

Burdwan.

No. 2487A.D.—The 31st August 1903.—Maulvi Abdul Khalique, Additional Munsif of Cuttack, is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Sherpur, during the absence, on leave, of Dr. Vipina Chandra Rai, or until further orders.

Cuttack. Mymensingh.

No. 2489A.D.—The 31st August 1903.—Babu Narayan Chandra Ghose, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Goalundo, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jotindra Chandra Sen, or until further orders.

Faridpur.

No. 2600J.D.—The 27th August 1903.—Babu Lakshmi Narain Addy is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 2659J.D.—The 29th August 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Benches mentioned against their names in the district of Manbhum:—

Manbhum.

Babu Mohes Chandra Dey	...	Purulia Independent Bench.
„ Ram Chandra Chaudhury	...	Jhalda ditto ditto.
„ Beni Madhab Kundu	...	

POWERS.

No. 2453A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Chuni Lal Ray, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Manbhum, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Manbhum.

No. 2460A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Nityananda Bhar, Deputy Magistrate, Puri, is vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Puri.

No. 2475A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Surja Kumar Das, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the headquarters station of the Faridpur district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Faridpur.

No. 2514J.D.—The 25th August 1903.—Under the authority conferred on him by section 185A, sub-section 1 of the Code of Civil Procedure, the Lieutenant-Governor directs that evidence in cases in which an appeal lies shall be taken down by Babu Jogendra Nath Mitter, Subordinate Judge, Rajshahi, with his own hand in the English language.

Rajshahi.

No. 2565J.D.—The 26th August 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Jogmohan Lal, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Gaya, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Gaya.

No. 2601J.D.—The 27th August 1903.—Babu Lakshmi Narain Addy, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also authorized to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the Subdivisional Officer of Arambagh.

Hooghly.

No. 2660J.D.—The 29th August 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Benches mentioned against their names in the district of Manbhum, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Manbhum.

Babu Mohes Chandra Dey	...	Purulia Independent Bench.
„ Ram Chandra Chaudhury	...	Jhalda ditto ditto.
„ Beni Madhab Kundu	...	

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2648J.D.—The 29th August 1903.—In the exercise of the power conferred by section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889 (the Succession Certificate Act), the Lieutenant-Governor invests Babu Jagan Mohon Sarkar, Munsif of Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, with the functions of a District Court under that Act, within the local limits of the Ranaghat Munsifi.

Nadia.

No. 2649J.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Jagan Mohon Sarkar, Munsif of Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Ranaghat Munsifi.

Nadia.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2542J.D.—The 25th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the Giridih Town Police barrack, in the village of Mokutpore, pargana Khoruckdiha, zilla Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 15 cottahs and 8 dhurs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by a public road, on the east by Guru Charan Rai's tand and paddy land and Dursan Mistri's paddy field, on the south by Gudadhur Rai's paddy land, and on the west by Dursan Mistry's tand land, is required within the aforesaid village of Mokutpore.

Hazaribagh.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Giridih.

This cancels the declaration No. 4820J., dated the 27th November 1902, published in Part I, page 1666 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 3rd December 1902.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

CIVIL BUILDINGS.

The 1st September 1903.

No. 123.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for a residence for the District Superintendent of Police, in the village of Balbanwa, pargana Majhaua, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 bighas 19 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Bikrum Shukul's garden, on the east by jote lands of Booni Lal and Ramcharan Kahar, on the south by the compound of the Sub-Deputy Opium Agent's residence, and on the west by the Municipal road to Kanti Babu's garden house, is required within the aforesaid village of Balbanwa.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division.

No. 124.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a residence for the Collector of Murshidabad and improvement of the Circuit-house, in the village of Berhampur Cantonment, pargana Kulberia, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 19 cottahs 14 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the south by General Lamb's house, on the west by the Strand Road, on the north by a strip of Government patit land lying to the south of the pucca road joining the Strand and the road running by the west of the square field, and on the east by the pucca road running by the west of the square field, is required within the aforesaid village of Berhampur Cantonment.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Murshidabad.

No. 125.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for the construction of houses for the District Superintendent of Police and the Civil Surgeon at Barisal in the village of Alekanda, pargana Chandradwip, zilla Backergunge, it is

hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 55 bighas 2 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the Sagordi road,
East—By the Jail road,
South—By the riverside road, the Public Recreation ground and Tafijuddin's house and land,
West—By a drain and Ameenuddin Sikdar's land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Alekanda.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Backergunge.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 1st September 1903.

No. 184L.C.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Noakhali for the diversion of the Feni road on second mile at Dhumchar, in the village of Dhumchar, pargana Bhulua, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 14 cottahs 14 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the east and west by the Feni road, on the north by the nal land of Amratali, Ossoraddi, Mahamedali and Samadali, and on the south by the nal land of Amratali, Ossaraddi, Kalimaddi Sadagar and Soban Ali, is required within the aforesaid village of Dhumchar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Noakhali.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 1st September 1903.

No. 49.—Notification.—Under the provision of section 6 of the Bengal Irrigation Act, III (B.C.) of 1876, notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to apply the water of the river known as the Lal Buckeya in the Champaran district for the purposes of the Dhaka canal, which is at present in course of construction, from the 1st December 1903.

The Lal Buckeya river leaves Nepal in village Balua Balthari (Goabari) No. 83 and joins the Bagmati river in village Khori Paker No. 190: both the villages are in the Dhaka thana of the Champarn district.

No. 50.—Notification.—Agreeably to section II of the "Canals Act, V (B.C.) of 1864," it is hereby notified that the provisions of the said Act shall apply from the date of publication of this notification to the undermentioned navigable channels, to be called the "Alternative route" of the Eastern Canal Route, as published in notification No 230, dated 23rd July 1895:—

1. Malunchа gong from Buchra to its junction with Bamunia gong.
2. Bamunia gong from its junction with Malunchа gong to its junction with Najatar khal.
3. Najatar khal from its junction with Bamunia gong to its junction with Boyarmaree gong.
4. Boyarmaree gong to its junction with Helanchа gong.
5. Helanchа gong from its junction with Boyarmaree gong to its junction with Bhowanipore gong.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 1st September 1903.

No. 182R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for sanitary purposes and staff quarters at Sitarampur, East Indian Railway, in the village of Verrah, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the

above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 27 bighas and 5·23 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 8 acres 3 roods 28·90 poles), bounded on the north by the East Indian Railway land, on the south by the road from Sitarampur Railway station to Purulia, on the east by the Apcar & Co.'s Lochipur siding, and on the west by the bungalow compound of the Mining Association, Bengal, and the paddy lands of Nabiu Mandal and Godai Rai, is required within the aforesaid village of Verrah.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

No. 183R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for new siding and cabin, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Bhatpara, pargana Habileeshahur, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four plots of land measuring, more or less, 17 cottahs $15\frac{1}{16}$ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Plot (1).—Bounded on the north by Nundo Lal Goswami's land, on the east by Municipal road, on the south by Municipal road, and on the west by Municipal road,

Plot (2).—Bounded on the north by plot No 1, on the east by the Eastern Bengal State Railway land, on the south by Municipal road, and on the west by plot No. 1 and Municipal road,

Plot (3).—Bounded on the north by Nundo Lal Goswami's land, on the east by Municipal road, on the south by Nundo Lal Goswami's land, and on the west by Nundo Lal Goswami's land,

Plot (4).—Bounded on the north by Municipal road, on the east by the Eastern Bengal State Railway land, on the west by Municipal road, and on the south by Municipal road,

are required within the aforesaid village of Bhatpara.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land is available for inspection in the office of Executive Engineer, Calcutta district, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 20th August 1903.

No. 107Marine.—The following telegram No. 1255—74Sany., dated the 24th August 1903, from the Government of India, intimating that the port of Karachi has been declared free from plague, is published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Telegram No. 1255—74Sany., dated the 24th August 1903.

From—The Government of India, Home Department,
To—The Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

MY telegram of 23rd July 1901. Karachi free since 20th August. Last case recovered 4th August last.

The 26th August 1903.

No. 108Marine.—Under the provisions of section 10, sub-section (1) of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Civil Surgeon of Chittagong to be the officer for testing samples of petroleum landed within the Port of Chittagong in accordance with rules made under section 9 of the Act.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 1st September 1903.

No. 111 Marine.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, and in supersession of the rules sanctioned under this Government Notification No. 62Marine, dated the 21st May 1895, which was published at page 504, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to make the following rules for regulating the grant of licenses to possess and transport petroleum in the Lower Provinces of Bengal.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Preliminary.

1. The following rules shall extend to all the territories for the time being administered by the Lieutenant-Governor.

2. In these rules, including the forms annexed thereto,—

(I) "the town of Calcutta" means all places within the local limits of the original civil jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal:

(II) "the Municipality of Calcutta" means the municipal limits of Calcutta as defined in the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899:

(III) the expression "suburbs of Calcutta" means the local area for the time being excluded from the general police district of Bengal by notification under section I of the Calcutta Suburban Police Act, 1866: and

(IV) "petroleum in bulk" means petroleum in any vessel or receptacle having a capacity of 300 gallons and upwards.

Possession of Petroleum.

3. Licenses for the possession of Petroleum within the town of Calcutta shall be granted only when (1) the quantity of petroleum to be kept in one place does not exceed 50,000 gallons, and (2) the place intended to be used for the keeping of the petroleum fulfils the following conditions, namely: (*a*) if the quantity of petroleum to be kept in the place does not exceed 5,000 gallons the building itself shall be constructed of masonry with a terraced or iron roof, and the doorways and other openings of the building shall be built up to a height of not less than two feet above the level of the road or street, or the floor shall be sunk at least two feet below the level of the road or street, so that the petroleum cannot flow out of the place in case of fire; (*b*) if the quantity of petroleum to be kept in the place exceeds 5,000 gallons the building itself shall be constructed of masonry with a terraced or iron roof, and the doorways and other openings of the building shall be built up to a height of not less than three feet above the level of the road or street, or the floor shall be sunk at least three feet below the level of the road or street, so that the petroleum cannot flow out of the place in case of fire, and there shall be a clear open space of at least twenty feet round the building.

4. Licenses for the possession of petroleum *in places* outside the town of Calcutta and which are not situated within any municipal limits shall, if the quantity of petroleum to be kept in the place does not exceed 50,000 gallons, be granted on the same terms as those granted in the town of Calcutta for the possession in one place of not more than 5,000 gallons. If a license for the possession in one place of a larger quantity than 50,000 gallons be required, the license shall be granted on the same conditions as those granted in the town of Calcutta for the possession in one place of petroleum exceeding in quantity 5,000 gallons: provided that, if the place in which the petroleum is to be kept is situated within one hundred yards of the river Hooghly or Tolly's Nala or the Circular Canal, the building shall further be surrounded by a wall or earthen embankment not less than four feet high, with a trench close to, and completely surrounding, the building, of sufficient capacity to hold all the petroleum stored, and to prevent its escape beyond the limits of the trench in case of fire.

5. Licenses for the possession of petroleum are not required in places situated within municipal limits other than Calcutta.

6. Notwithstanding anything in rules 3 and 4 and subject to such conditions as may be prescribed in each case, a license may be granted for the possession of any stated quantity of petroleum in a place specially prepared for the storage of petroleum in bulk in accordance with plans and specifications approved by the Local Government. The capacity in gallons shall be conspicuously marked on every storage-tank or other receptacle in such place.

7. The District Magistrate, or in the town and suburbs of Calcutta, the Commissioner of Police, or any Police Officer of, or above the rank of head-constable appointed by the District Magistrate or the Commissioner of Police, as the case may be, in writing for this purpose, may enter any place in respect of which a license for the possession of petroleum has been granted, for the purpose of inspecting the same at any time after sunrise and before sunset.

8 The District Magistrate, Commissioner of Police or any Police Officer as aforesaid may require a sample to be delivered to him from any tank or other receptacle containing petroleum stored in any licensed premises. The procedure prescribed in sections 12 and 13 of the Act shall apply to any demand for samples made under this rule, and to the testing of such samples.

9. The following fees shall be charged for licenses for the possession of petroleum in places situated within the Municipality of Calcutta :—

Licenses for the possession of dangerous petroleum :—

	Rs.
When the quantity to be stored exceeds 40 gallons (section 5), for every 40 gallons or fraction of 40 gallons	5
When the quantity to be stored does not exceed 40 gallons (section 6)	

Licenses for the possession of other petroleum :—

	Rs.	
When the quantity to be stored exceeds 500 but does not exceed 1,000 gallons ...	12	
When the quantity to be stored exceeds 1,000 gallons but does not exceed 5,000 gallons ...	2	extra for each 1,000 gallons or part of 1,000 gallons in excess of 1,000 gallons.
When the quantity to be stored exceeds 5,000 gallons	4	for every (additional) 1,000 gallons or part of 1,000 gallons in excess of 5,000 gallons.

10. The fees for licenses for the possession of petroleum in places situated beyond the limits of the Municipality of Calcutta shall be half those prescribed in rule 9.

11. Every license for the possession of petroleum in any place shall specify the maximum quantity of petroleum which may be stored in that place.

12. Licenses for the possession of petroleum shall be in force for one year from the date of the grant of the license: provided that the Licensing Officer or the Local Government may, at any time, for good and sufficient reason, cancel a license.

13. Any premises belonging to the Commissioners of the Port of Calcutta and appertaining to the Budge-Budge Petroleum Depôt, and any premises used by the Commissioners for the temporary storage of petroleum brought into the Port of Calcutta, shall be deemed to be places in respect to which licenses for the possession of petroleum have been granted under these rules.

14. Any tank or other receptacle for the storage of petroleum in bulk that may be erected on the land belonging to the Commissioners of the Port of Calcutta, and appertaining to the Budge-Budge Petroleum Depôt, shall be deemed to be a place in respect of which a license for the possession of petroleum has been granted under rule 6.

Transport of Petroleum.

15. (1) Licenses for the transport of petroleum other than dangerous petroleum in quantities exceeding 500 gallons may be either general or special. Licenses for the transport of dangerous petroleum shall be special only. The transport of dangerous petroleum in bulk is absolutely prohibited.

(2) Licenses for the transport of petroleum, other than in bulk, shall only be granted if the petroleum to be transported is packed in air-tight tins or other vessels not easily broken or is contained in bottles securely stoppered and carefully packed so as to avoid risk of breakage or in air-tight tank carts of a pattern approved by an officer appointed by the Local Government in this behalf.

(3) Licenses for the transport of petroleum, other than dangerous petroleum in bulk, by railway may be granted, if the petroleum is contained in wagons approved by the railway administration over whose [illegible] is proposed to transport it.

(4) (*a*) Licenses for the [illegible]port of petroleum other than dangerous petroleum in bulk, by steamer or barge may be granted if the vessel is certified to be fit for the service by an officer appointed by the Local Government in this behalf.

(*b*) The vessel, if a steamer, must possess a certificate of survey granted under the provisions of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884.

(*c*) The vessel, if a barge, should be towed by a steamer.

(*d*) Vessels carrying petroleum in bulk shall not be allowed to carry other inflammable cargo at the same time, such as jute, cotton, straw, etc., nor passengers; and such vessels shall not be allowed to load any cargo after having discharged the petroleum, until the oil compartments have been thoroughly cleaned and certified by an officer of the Government to be quite free from petroleum.

(*e*) A steamer towing a barge carrying petroleum in bulk shall not be allowed to carry any such inflammable cargo, nor shall such steamer be allowed to have in tow at the same time any other vessel carrying such inflammable cargo.

(*f*) No naked lights shall be allowed on board any vessel carrying petroleum in bulk.

16. General licenses for a period of twelve months shall be issued for transport by cart only. Such licenses shall authorise the holders to transport by cart any petroleum, being their own property, without restriction as to destination or quantity.

17. The holder of a general license shall, with each consignment of petroleum conveyed under cover of this license, issue a pass in Form G appended to these rules, specifying the places from and to which the petroleum is to be conveyed and the quantity of petroleum covered by it. Each pass shall be numbered, and the number of the general license under cover of which the petroleum is transported shall be legibly marked on a conspicuous part of the last case on the cart. The person or persons in charge of the carts shall not permit them to be moved after sunset or before sunrise, or to carry any light, and shall not permit any smoking thereon.

18. Special licenses for the transport of petroleum shall be in force for such period not exceeding six months from the date of the grant of the license as may be specified in the license.

19. The Licensing Officer may, for special reasons to be reported to Government, refuse a license in any case. The reasons for refusing a license shall be communicated to the applicant, if a request to that effect is preferred by him.

20. (1) Every special license for the transport of petroleum shall specify the places from and to which, respectively, the petroleum is to be conveyed, the quantity of petroleum covered by the license, and the time for which the license is in force.

(2) Petroleum transported to Calcutta or Howrah under a license shall be conveyed by land and not by water between Garden House and Cossipore.

Explanation.—This sub-rule shall not apply to the conveyance of petroleum which is brought under a license from beyond the limits of Calcutta or Howrah, and is not intended to be landed within those limits.

21. Applications for special licenses for the transport of petroleum by rail, by cart, by boat, or by steamer, or by two or more of these modes of conveyance, shall specify the description and quality of petroleum to be transported, and the places from and to which, respectively, the petroleum is to be conveyed, and shall describe the receptacles in which it is to be contained, or, in the case of petroleum to be transported in bulk, shall state that the wagon or vessel in which it is to be carried has been approved or certified, as the case may be, as required by sub-rules (3) and (4) of rule 15. In the case of applications for licenses for the transport of dangerous petroleum under section 5 of the Act, the application shall also contain the particulars required by sub-section (2) of that section.

22. When a license has been granted under these rules for the transport of petroleum, the District Magistrate, or, in the town and suburbs of Calcutta, the Commissioner of Police, or any Police Officer of, or above, the rank of head-constable, appointed by the District Magistrate or the Commissioner of Police, as the case may be, in writing for this purpose, may, at any time after sunrise, and before sunset, and on or before the arrival of the petroleum at its place of destination, board any steamer or boat, or detain any cart, used for such transport, for the purpose of inspecting the license and seeing whether its provisions are being complied with.

23. The following fees shall be charged for licenses for the transport of petroleum under the Act:—

Licenses for the transport of dangerous petroleum:—

	Rs.
When the quantity to be transported exceeds 40 gallons (section 5), for every 40 gallons or fraction of 40 gallons	4
When the quantity to be transported exceeds 3 gallons, but does not exceed 40 gallons (section 6)	2

Special license for the transport of other petroleum:—

When the quantity to be transported exceeds 500, but does not exceed 5,000 gallons	1
For every additional 5,000 gallons or part of 5,000 gallons ...	1
General license for the transport of petroleum by cart for twelve months	100

General.

24. Licenses for the possession or transport of dangerous petroleum in quantities exceeding 40 gallons, and licenses for the possession of petroleum in bulk, will be granted, subject to the provisions of section 5 of the Act in the case of dangerous petroleum, under the signature of an Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Police, if the application for the license is made in the town and suburbs of Calcutta, or of the Commissioner of the Division, if the application is made elsewhere.

Application for such licenses should be made through the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, or the Commissioner of the Division, as the case may be.

25. Licenses for the possession or transport of dangerous petroleum in quantities not exceeding 40 gallons, and licenses for the possession or transport of other petroleum, except

the possession of petroleum in bulk, will be granted in the town and suburbs of Calcutta by the Commissioner of Police, or Deputy Commissioner of Police, at Budge-Budge, by the Superintendent of the Petroleum Wharf, and elsewhere by the District Magistrate, or by such other officer as the Local Government may, by order in writing, appoint in this behalf.

26. Subject to the restrictions contained in section 5 of the Act and rules 3 and 4, the Licensing Officer may, in his discretion, grant a license for the possession or transport of such quantity of petroleum as he thinks fit.

27. Licenses granted under these rules shall be in the forms and shall have endorsed on them the rules and conditions respectively prescribed for them in the schedule hereto annexed. Every such license shall, on the breach of any such condition, be liable to be forfeited.

28. Every application for the renewal of a license shall be made in the same manner as an application for an original license. Every such application shall be made at a date not less than fifteen days before the date on which the original license expires. The same fee shall be charged for the renewal of a license as for a new license.

SCHEDULE.

FORM A.

License to possess dangerous Petroleum to be granted under section 5 or section 6 of Act VIII of 1899.

No. Fee Rs.

LICENSE is hereby granted to for the storage, in the place described below, of gallons of dangerous petroleum, subject to the rules and conditions on the back of this license.

Description of place above referred to.

The 19 . *Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal.*

Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner of Police or District Magistrate or Superintendent of the Petroleum Wharf at Budge-Budge	When the amount of petroleum does not exceed 40 gallons.

ENDORSEMENT ON FORM A.

Rules.

[Here enter Rules 1 to 14 (inclusive) and 23 to 28 (inclusive) under section 9 of the Act.]

Conditions.

1. All petroleum in the licensed place shall be contained in vessels labelled in accordance with section 7 of the Act.

2. No goods of a combustible nature shall be stored in the licensed place.

3. No cask or other receptacle containing petroleum shall be opened, or the oil drawn off, within the building in which the petroleum is stored.

4. No smoking light or fire in any form shall be permitted at any time within such building.

5. The license-holder is prohibited from delivering any quantity of dangerous petroleum exceeding three gallons to any one who has not a license under section 5 or 6 of the Act, or any less quantity of such petroleum, except in accordance with the conditions of the proviso to section [illegible] of the Act as to the vessels in which the petroleum must be contained:

FORM B.

License to possess Petroleum other than dangerous Petroleum to be granted under section 11 of Act VIII of 1899.

No. Fee Rs.

LICENSE is hereby granted to for the storage, in the place described below, of cases containing gallons of petroleum, subject to the rules and conditions on the back of this license.

Description of the place above referred to.

The 19

Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner of Police.

District Magistrate.

Superintendent of Petroleum Wharf at Budge-Budge.

ENDORSEMENT ON FORM B.

Rules.

[Here enter Rules 1 to 14 (inclusive) and 23 to 28 (inclusive) under section 9 of the Act.]

Conditions.

1. No goods of a combustible nature shall be stored in the licensed place.

2. No cask or other receptacle containing petroleum shall be opened, or the oil drawn off, whithin the building in which the petroleum is stored.

3. No smoking, light or fire in any form shall be permitted at any time within such building.

FORM C.

License to possess Petroleum other than dangerous Petroleum in bulk to be granted under section 11 of Act VIII of 1899.

No. Fee Rs.

LICENSE is hereby granted to for the storage, in the place described below, of gallons of petroleum, subject to the rules and conditions on the back of this license.

Description of the place above referred to.

The 19 .

Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ENDORSEMENT ON FORM C.

Rules.

[Here enter Rules 1 to 14 (inclusive) and 23 to 28 (inclusive) under section 9 of the Act.]

Conditions.

[Here enter such conditions as the Local Government has prescribed under Rule 6.]

FORM D.

Special License to transport dangerous Petroleum granted under section 5 or section 6 of Act VIII of 1899.

No. Fee Rs.

LICENSE is hereby given to of to transport cases containing in all gallons of dangerous petroleum from to , subject to the rules and conditions on the back of this license, and by the following route, namely—

The amount of petroleum in each case is stated below.

This license shall continue in force till the day of 19

Under Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner of Police. District Magistrate. Superintendent of the Petroleum Wharf at Budge-Budge.	In the case of the transport of dangerous petroleum in amount, not exceeding 40 gallons.

ENDORSEMENT ON FORM D.

Rules.

[Here enter Rules 1, 2 and 15 to 28 (inclusive) under section 9 of the Act.]

Conditions.

1. The petroleum shall be contained in vessels labelled in accordance with section 7 of the Act.

2. The petroleum shall be carried (here describe mode or modes of conveyance).

3. When the petroleum is carried by steamer, it shall be stowed in such part of the steamer and in such manner as may be approved by the Licensing Officer, or any officer appointed by him in writing in this behalf.

4. When the petroleum is carried by rail it shall be subject to all the regulations which may, from time to time, be prescribed generally or specially in that behalf by the Railway Authorities of the line or lines over which it may be conveyed.

5. When the petroleum is being carried by boat, no smoking, fire or light of any description shall be allowed in the boat, so long as it is within the limits of the Port of Calcutta or of the Municipalities of Calcutta and Howrah. The boat conveying the petroleum should also, from sunrise to sunset, show at its stern a red flag, 18 inches long and 12 inches broad, having the words "Petroleum Boat" marked on it in black letters.

6. When the petroleum is carried by cart, the cart conveying the petroleum shall not move after sunset or before sunrise or carry any light.

7. The license-holder is prohibited from delivering any quantity exceeding three gallons to any one who has not a license under section 5 or 6 of the Act, or any less quantity of petroleum, except in accordance with the conditions of the proviso to section 6 of the Act as to the vessels in which the petroleum must be contained.

FORM E.

Special License to transport Petroleum other than dangerous Petroleum granted under section 11 of Act VIII of 1899.

No. Fee Rs.

LICENSE is hereby granted to to transport from to [ ] i ( ) cases containing]* gallons of petroleum, subject to the rules and conditions on the back of this license.

This license shall continue in force only till the day of 19 .

Dated the day of 19 .

Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner of Police.
District Magistrate.
Superintendent of Petroleum Wharf at Budge-Budge.

* Omit these words when petroleum is to be transported in bulk.

ENDORSEMENT ON FORM E.

Rules.

[Here enter Rules 1, 2 and 15 to 28 (inclusive) under section 9 of the Act.]

Conditions when the Petroleum is being conveyed by Steamer.

1. The petroleum shall be stowed in such part of the steamer and in such manner as may be approved by the Licensing Officer or any officer appointed by him in writing in this behalf.

Conditions when the Petroleum is being conveyed by Boat.

2. No smoking, fire or light of any description shall be allowed in the boat in which the petroleum is being carried, so long as it is within the limits of the Port of Calcutta or of the Municipalities of Calcutta and Howrah.

3. The boat conveying the petroleum shall also, from sunrise to sunset, show at its stern a red flag, 18 inches long and 12 inches broad, having the words "Petroleum Boat" marked on it in black letters.

Conditions when the Petroleum is being conveyed by Cart.

4. The carts conveying the petroleum shall not move after sunset or before sunrise, or carry any light.

Conditions when the petroleum is being conveyed by Rail.

5. The petroleum shall be subject to all the regulations which may, from time to time, be prescribed generally or specially in that behalf by the Railway Authorities of the line or lines over which it may be conveyed.

FORM F.

General License to transport Petroleum other than dangerous Petroleum by Cart to be granted under section 11 of Act VIII of 1899 (see Rule 16).

No. Fee Rs. 100.

A GENERAL LICENSE is hereby granted to to transport petroleum by carts within the Lower Provinces of Bengal, subject to the rules and conditions on the back of this license.

This license shall continue in force till the

Dated the day of 19 .

Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner of Police or District Magistrate.

ENDORSEMENT ON FORM F.

Rules.

[Here enter Rules 1, 2 and 15 to 28 (inclusive) under section 9 of the Act.]

Conditions.

1. The carts containing the petroleum shall not move after sunset or before sunrise or carry any light.

2. The number of this license shall be legibly marked on a conspicuous part of the last case on the cart.

FORM G.

Pass to be granted by the Holder of General License No. for the transport of Petroleum other than dangerous Petroleum by cart.

No.

THIS pass covers cases containing gallons of petroleum, being the property of , while in transport from to

Dated } *Holder of General*

19 . } *License No.*

ENDORSEMENT ON PASS.

THE holder of a general license shall, with each consignment of petroleum conveyed under cover of his license, issue a pass in Form G appended to these rules, specifying the places from and to which the petroleum is to be conveyed, and the quantity of petroleum covered by it. Each pass shall be numbered, and the number of the general license under cover of which the petroleum is transported shall be legibly marked on a conspicuous part of the last case on the cart. The person or persons in charge of the carts shall not permit them to be moved after sunset or before sunrise, or to carry any light.

The 27th August 1903.

No. 109 Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 6 of the Indian Ports Act, 1889, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules for the control of vessels entering the Port of Calcutta with petroleum in bulk:—

1. No fire or lights (except the galley and engine-room fires and the electric light) shall be allowed on board any bulk oil steamer within Port limits until the vessel has been cleansed inside from oil and vapour of oil.

This rule shall also apply to all vessels or boats lying alongside any vessel discharging oil.

2. When the hatches are open or oil is being discharged, no smoking shall be allowed on board .

3. When the oil has been discharged, the vessel shall be transported, immediately the tide permits, to a fixed mooring on the side of the river opposite to the oil depôt for the purpose of cleansing.

This rule does not apply to vessels which do not proceed above Budge-Budge, but leave the Port in ballast without cleaning.

4. A bulk oil steamer shall not be taken amongst other shipping or into wet or dry docks unless the Conservator of the Port is satisfied that she is in a safe condition to be so placed.

5. No vessel having bulk oil on board shall proceed above Diamond Harbour until the pumping berth or other suitable double mooring at Budge-Budge is ready to receive her.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 27th August 1903.

No. 110Marine.—Erratum.—In the sixth line of this Department Notification No. 85Marine, dated the 9th July 1903, published in page 937 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, *for* the words "1st March 1892" *read* "1st November 1892."

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3685A.

No. 2364A.D.—The 26th August 1903.—Babu Kunja Lal Ghose, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Brahmanbaria, Tippera, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Tippera

No. 2403A.D.—The 28th August 1903.—Babu Jogindra Nath Pal, Sub-Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is allowed leave up to 30th September 1903, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Ranchi.

No. 2456A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—The following Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Maulvi Ahmed Ali, B.A.	...	...	... Dacca.
„ Syed Mohammad Yakub, B.A.	...	...	... Ranchi.
Babu Braja Nath Rai, B.A.	...	...	... Hooghly.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8722, dated Calcutta, the 28th August 1903.—Captain C. R. Stevens, I.M.S., made over charge of the Muzaffarpur Jail to Captain A. F. Stevens, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 27th July 1903.

M. S. EMERSON,
for *Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.*

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2244D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Upendra Nath Baksi, of the Bhola Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Backergunge district, is allowed privilege leave for two months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1903, or any subsequent date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 2247D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Kali Das Pal is appointed to act at the Bhola Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Backergunge district, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Upendra Nath Baksi, or until further orders.

No. 2274D, dated Darjeeling, the 25th August 1903.—The undermentioned Civil Hospital Assistant passed the medico-legal examination on the 10th August 1903:—

Rakhal Das Hazra.

No. 2302D., dated the 26th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Syed Hassan did supernumerary duty at the Tikari Dispensary, Gaya, from the 14th to the 18th July 1903, both days inclusive.

No. 2358D., dated Darjeeling, the 28th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Narendra Nath Mukerjee did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the forenoon of the 8th June to the forenoon of the 3rd July 1903, and from the forenoon of the 25th July to the forenoon of the 12th August 1903.

No. 2361D, dated Darjeeling, the 28th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Narendra Nath Mukerjee held temporary charge of the Tamluk Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Midnapore district, from the 5th to the 18th July 1903, both days inclusive, during the absence of Assistant Surgeon Suresh Chandra Mitra to give evidence at the Calcutta High Court Sessions.

No. 2375D., dated Darjeeling, the 28th August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Narendra Nath Mukerjee is appointed to do supernumerary duty at the North Suburban Hospital, Cossipore, until further orders, with effect from the 12th August 1903.

S. H. BROWNE, M.D., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Campbell Medical School

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notifications Nos. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, and 337T.—M., dated 9th June 1897, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 11 A.M. on Friday, the 23rd October 1903, at the Campbell Medical School.

2. Every candidate must produce a certificate of training and a certificate of age and previous education, as required by Rule 9 (*vide* Government of Bengal Notification No. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1896, and circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Calcutta Hospitals with his Circular No. 60, dated 5th December 1896).

3. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School, at least one week before the 23rd October 1903, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charges. (No certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.)

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

5. No candidate for the Compounder's examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to Rules 9, 10 and 12 (*a*) and (*b*), and of the persons granting the certificates to Rules 11 and 14 (3) and (4), and to the Certificate, Forms C and D, in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification No. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896.

B. C. OLDHAM, MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Offg. Supdt., Campbell Medical School.

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL, CALCUTTA, *the 18th August 1903.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU BEPIN BEHARI BANERJEE has been placed in charge of the Rangpur Treasury, with effect from the forenoon of the 10th August 1903, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commissioner of Rajshahi.*

DARJEELING, *the 25th August 1903.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 19th August 1903.—The following arrangements are sanctiond consequent on the appointment of Babu Akshoy Kumar Mukerjea, B.A., Assistant Head Master of the Bhagalpur Zilla School, to act as an Assistant Master in the Dacca Training School:—

(1) Babu Mati Lal Banerjea, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Bhagalpur Zilla School (class VII), to act as Assistant Head Master of the same institution.

(2) Babu Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta, M.A., to act as an Assistant Master in the Bhagalpur Zilla School, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on a salary of Rs. 50 a month, in the resulting vacancy consequent on the absence, on deputation, of Babu Beni Madhab Das.

The 23rd August 1903.—Consequent on the absence, on deputation, of Babu Purna Chandra Bhattacharjea, Officiating Assistant Head Master of the Ranchi Zilla School, the following arrangements are sanctioned:—

(1) Babu Ashutosh Gupta, an Assistant Master in the Ranchi Zilla School (officiating in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service), to act as Assistant Head Master of the same institution, *vice* Babu Purna Chandra Bhattacharjea.

(2) Babu Nritya Gopal Pal, M.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Ranchi Zilla School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Gupta.

The 24th August 1903.—Babu Pramatha Nath Raya, Clerk of the Victoria Training College, Boys' School, and the Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong (class VI), is appointed to be a Clerk in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Banerjea, transferred.

Babu Ashutosh Banerjea, a Clerk in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (class V), is appointed to be Clerk of the Victoria Training College, Boys' School, and the Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Pramatha Nath Raya, transferred.

The 25th August 1903.—Babu Basanta Chandra Das, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Rangpur Zilla School (class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for two months, under article 271 (i) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 28th July 1903.

Babu Raj Kumar Tarkaratna, an Assistant Master (Head Pandit) in the Bhagalpur Zilla School (class VII), is allowed leave of absence for one month and-a-half, under article 271 (i) of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 26th July 1903.

The 26th August 1903.—Babu Satya Charan Ganguli, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Dumka Zilla School, and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, on a salary of Rs. 37-8 a month, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Nilmadhab Barik, or until further orders.

The 27th August 1903.—Babu Annada Prasad Chatterjea, a Sub-Inspector of Schools under the District Board of Noakhali (class VII), was granted by the Board privilege leave for 15 days in extension of that already granted to him by that body.

A. PEDLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

IT has been decided by the Syndicate that the Coates Memorial Prize is not intended for a thesis already published, but for a thesis specially prepared in view of the Prize.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 28th August 1903.

K. C. BANURJI,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

NOTIFICATION.

AN examination in the knowledge of English idiom and in pronunciation for teachers of English in native schools will be held at the office of the Inspector of European Schools, 12 Dalhousie Square, East, on Tuesday and Wednesday, 15th and 16th September 1903, at 11 A.M.

Those who intend to present themselves for examination should send (at least a week before the examination) a statement containing the following information, and should also bring with them their University certificates on the day of the examination:—

Name (in full).	Last University examination passed.
Name of father (in full).	Year of passing.
Name of native village and district.	Signature of the applicant.
Designation and full address.	

Candidates should also state whether they have sat for this examination before, and if so, how often.

CALCUTTA,
The 28th August 1903.

WILLIAM W. HORNELL,
Offg. Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

Office Memo. of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1904.

TEST-EXAMINATION OF PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. A student who does not appear from any school, or who has been transferred since the 1st September next preceding the examination, without the consent of the Inspector, to the school from which he appears, will be treated as a private student.

2. All private students are required to appear at the test-examination of a zilla school. No private student will be admitted to the test-examination unless accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to the Head Master.

3. The first day of the test-examination in all zilla schools in the Bhagalpur Division will be the 14th December 1903.

4. Each private student will have to pay a fee of Rs. 2 for permission to appear at the test-examination to the Head of the institution at which he appears. The balance of fees, after payment of expenses (stationery, &c.), will go as remuneration to the examiners.

5. Candidates for the test-examination should apply to this office not later than the 9th November 1903. They should forward the certificates granted to them under the transfer rules by the Head Master of the school in which they last read. In the case of a candidate who had failed at a previous Entrance examination and did not join a school afterwards, the Registrar's receipt, in original, will be accepted in lieu of the transfer certificate.

6. A student who had failed to pass the annual examination for promotion to the first class at the end of session 1902-1903 and then left the school cannot under any circumstances be allowed to appear at the Entrance examination that will be held on the 7th March 1904 and following days.

7. Each candidate should submit with his application a statement showing—

(1) Age.
(2) Residence.
(3) Father's name.
(4) Second language, besides English.
(5) Whether he appeared at any previous Entrance examination.

8. *Bond-fide* teachers employed in any of the recognised schools in the Bhagalpur Division may be admitted to the test-examination on payment of the prescribed fee, provided they can produce certificates of service and character from their employers, or from the Deputy Inspector of the district concerned.

9. The forms of application for permission to appear at the Entrance examination will be signed by the Head Master of the zilla school at which the candidates have undergone the test, and will be forwarded by him to the Inspector for countersignature.

10. Applications and fees for admission to the Entrance examination must be forwarded to the Registrar of the Calcutta University by the private candidates themselves, so as to reach his office on or before the 25th January 1904.

F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS, 1904.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools, and *bond fide* teachers of recognised English schools in the Bhagalpur Division of two years' standing, *i.e.*, who have served as such for full two academical sessions, or for six months in the case of those who were admitted to a former examination of the same class, will be admitted to the above examinations. These latter must have served for six months prior to the submission of their applications to the Inspector for countersignature. School-masters should produce certificates of character and length of service (with dates) from the Managers of the schools in which they are employed. Their applications must reach this office not later than the 4th January 1904

2. Candidates for the B.A. examination must forward with the applications their F.A. certificates, and those for the F.A. examination their Entrance certificates.

3. Candidates should read carefully the certificate which this office will have to sign, and must be careful to supply all information and documents required, without which the Inspector must decline to sign it.

4. The F A. and B.A. examinations in 1904 will be held on the 21st March 1904 and following days.

5. Applications and fees for admission to the above examinations must be forwarded to the Registrar, Calcutta University, by the candidates themselves so as to reach his office on or before the 6th February 1904.

BHAGALPUR,
The 19th August 1903.

P. CHATTERJEE,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 879IB.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 12th October 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Total	...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 17th and 27th October 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption

of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 17th October 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 27th October 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Monday, 2nd November 1903 ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	4,000	4,000	8,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

E. H. WALSH, for *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 31st August 1903.*

No. 6572B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Wednesday, the 2nd September 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of ...	2,000
Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of ...	2,000
Total ...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th September 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 17th September 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Monday, 12th October 1903...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Monday, 2nd November „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	6,000	6,000	12,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th July 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power delegated to Commissioners of Divisions by the Bengal Government in Notification No. 1095T.M, dated the 12th June 1903, under section 30 (2) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884, as amended, I sanction the exclusion from the operation of section 69 of that Act, so far as it relates to the repairs, maintenance, construction and improvements of roads, of that portion of the Muzaffarpur-Pusa road from the first milestone to the Opium Godown, measuring 4 furlongs and 210 yards in length, which lies within the limits of the Muzaffarpur Municipality. I also authorise the transfer to the charge of the District Board of Muzaffarpur of the portion of the road thus excluded from Municipal control.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 27th August 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER rule 26 of the rules for the election of Municipal Commissioners, it is hereby notified for general information that at a general election held on the 12th July 1903, the following gentlemen were duly elected as Commissioners of the Puri Municipality :—

Ward No. I	...	Babu Harihar Misra. „ Bhagirathy Patnayak.
„ „ II	...	Panda Narayan Khuntia. Hajuri Nilkuntha Khuntia.
„ „ III	...	Babu Harihar Ghose. „ Arat Bundhu Mahanti.
„ „ IV	...	„ Jagabundhu Patnayak. „ Maguni Das.
„ „ V	...	„ Divakar Das. „ Ram Chandra Das.

K. G. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

ORISSA COMMR.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 29th August 1903.*

ERRATUM.

IN the notification published at page 1092, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th August 1903, showing the names of the gentlemen elected to be Commissioners of the Halishahar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, at the general election held on the 18th July 1903, *for* "Babu Sailendra Nath Gupta," an elected Commissioner of Ward No. III, *read* "Babu Satyendra Nath Gupta."

CHANDIDAS GHOSE, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commr. on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed members of the Managing Committee of the Arrah Dispensary, in the district of Shahabad in addition to those previously appointed :—

1. Babu Hit Narain Singh.
2. „ Gopal Saran Singh.
3. Sheikh Abdul Rauf.
4. Babu Jawala Pershad.
5. „ Dwarka Nath Mattay.
6. „ Nund Bahadur Singh.
7. „ Raghubir Saran.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 25th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, Rai Sahib Bankim Chandra Mazumdar has been appointed a member of the Managing Committee for the Woodburn Hospital and Charitable Dispensary at Khulna, in the district of Khulna, *vice* Babu Shama Charan Mitra, deceased.

CHANDIDAS GHOSE, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 27th August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that the following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Committee for the management of the Raja Prasanna Nath Ray Dispensary at Rampur Boalia, in the district of Rajshahi:—

1. The District Magistrate ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Civil Surgeon, Rajshahi ... ... }
3. Babu Bhubon Mohun Moitra.
4. „ Kedareshwar Acharjee, M.B.
5. Rai Kedar Prasanna Lahiri Bahadur.
6. Babu Kumodini Kanta Banerjee.
7. „ Haran Chunder Banerjee.
8. Mr. La Marchant.
9. Babu Kishori Mohun Chaudhury, M.A., B.L.
10. Maulvi Syed Tuffazul Hossein.
11. Babu Kunja Mohun Moitra.
12. „ Shoshi Bhosan Roy.
13. „ Mohendra Kumar Sha Chowdhury.
14. „ Kali Prasanna Acharjee.
15. „ Hari Charan Moitra.
16. „ Shoshodhur Roy.
17. The Chairman of the Rampur Municipality ... *Ex-officio.*

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commissioner of Rajshahi.*

DARJEELING, *the 20th August 1903.*

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1903.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 25th August 1903.

No. 18.—The Governor-General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. C. W. Bolton, C.S.I., of his office of Additional Member of the Council of the Governor-General for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 27th August 1903.

No. 3005.—His Excellency the Governor-General is pleased to declare that the Consul-General for Persia, whether permanently or temporarily in office, shall, as such, have the privilege of private entrée to Government House at Calcutta.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 27th August 1903.

No. 381.—The services of the Reverend G. J. Chree, Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland on the Bengal Establishment, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces, with effect from the 15th August 1903.

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 28th August 1903.

No. 5991-P.—Mr. W. Maxwell, Postmaster-General, 2nd grade, and Deputy Director-General of the Post Office, is appointed to officiate in the 1st grade of Postmasters-General, with effect from the 3rd of September 1903, *vice* Mr. C. Stewart-Wilson, or until further orders.

E. N. BAKER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 28th August 1903.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 898.—Major Charles James Shillingford resigns his commission, with effect from the 27th June 1903.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1903.

PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1882L.S.-G.—The 22nd August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. W. Mackenzie to be a member of the Siwan Local Board, in the district of Saran, *vice* Mr. R. Macdonald, resigned.

Saran.

No. 1894T.M.—The 22nd August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Taki Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Bejoy Kali Ray Chaudhury to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No 1896T M.—The 22nd August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 139, clause 2 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor confirms the following bye-law which has been framed by the District Board of Midnapore under clause 1 of the said section of the Act:—

Midnapore.

Bye-law.

Any person obstructing or trespassing upon any road or its slopes or side-drains by means of buildings, huts or fences, or otherwise, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 10, and to a further fine not exceeding Rs. 2 for every day that the obstruction or trespass is continued after the imposition of the first fine.

No. 1898T.M.—The 24th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Cuttack:—

Cuttack.

Local Boards by which elected.	Names of Members.
Sadar	Babu Gokulanand Choudhuri. „ Mayadhur Das. „ Sudan Chandra Nayak. „ Jagamohun Lal.
Jajpur	Babu Purna Chandra Moulik. „ Naba Kishore Das. „ Krishna Chandra Nanda.
Kendrapara ...	Mr. J. S. Davidson. Munshi Sayed Mukbul Ali. Babu Jogendra Nath Mukherjee.

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board:—

The Executive Engineer ... ...
The Civil Surgeon ... ...
The Deputy Inspector of Schools ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
The Road Cess Deputy Collector ... ...
Rai J. C. Chandra Bahadur.
Rai Hurry Bulhab Bose Bahadur.
Revd. A. Young.
Babu Goury Sankar Roy.
Maulvi Abdus Samad.
Mr. M. S. Das.

No. 1924T.M.—The 25th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Khulna Municipality, in the district of Khulna, of Babu Bepin Behari Sen to be their Chairman.

Khulna.

No. 1926T.M.—The 25th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Surendra Nath Roy to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 1928T.M.—The 25th August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Taki Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of Part X of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

24-Parganas.

No. 1930T.M.—The 25th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Chapra Municipality, in the district of Saran, having at a meeting requested the Local Government, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. J. F. Graham, I.C.S., to be their Chairman.

Saran.

No. 1943T.M.—The 26th August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 6 (*b*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to take possession of the private ferry commonly called the Budhia ferry situated where the District Board village road known as 7th mile, Ratna road, to 6th mile, Dinajpur road, crosses the river Mahananda within the jurisdiction of police-station Ratna, in the district of Malda, and to declare it to be a public ferry.

Malda.

The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased, in the exercise of the power conferred on him by section 35 of the aforesaid Act, to direct that the ferry named above shall be managed by the District Board of Malda, and that all the proceeds of the ferry, and all fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof, shall be paid into the District Fund with effect from the date of this notification.

No. 1945T.M.—The 26th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. E. Dalgleish to be a member of the Begusarai Local Board, in the district of Monghyr, *vice* Maulvi Zainul Abdin, resigned.

Monghyr.

No. 1952T.M.—The 26th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Kazi Abdul Majid Balkhi to be a Commissioner of the Barh Municipality, in the district of Patna.

Patna.

No. 1954T.M.—The 25th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Revd. J. Mitchell to be a member of the District Board of Bankura, *vice* Babu Raj Narain Chandradharjya, resigned.

Bankura

No. 2022T.M.—The 28th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Monghyr Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, of Mr. L. C. Adami, I.C.S., to be their Chairman.

Monghyr.

No. 2024T.M.—The 27th August 1903.—Mr. B. Parkes, Superintending Engineer, Central Circle, is appointed to hold charge of the current duties of the office of the Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. A. E. Silk, or until further orders.

No. 2043T.M.—The 29th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Nilmoni Das to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 2047T.M.—The 29th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Baranagar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Mr. R. S. Thoms to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 2065T.M.—The 29th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Brahmanbaria Municipality, in the district of Tippera, of Maulvi Syed Waliullah to be their Chairman.

Tippera.

No. 2069T.M.—The 29th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Arrah Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, having at a meeting requested the Local Government, under section 28 (2) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. R. G. Kilby, I.C.S., to be their Chairman.

Shahabad.

No. 2071T.M.—The 29th August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under clauses (4) and (5), section 367 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confirm the following declaration prepared by the Corporation of Calcutta under clause (1) (*c*) (*iv*) of section 367 of the Act, after slightly modifying the same:—

Calcutta.

"The Corporation of Calcutta hereby declare, pursuant to section 367 (1) (*c*) (*iv*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, having previously given notice of their intention so to declare, no valid objections having been received within three months from the publication of such notice, and having received the report of the General Committee, that the erection of huts in the locality bounded by Chowringhee Road on the west, Circular Road on the east, Dhurmtolla Street on the north and Part Street on the south, will not be allowed without the special permission of the General Committee."

No. 2078T.M.—The 29th August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Dumraon Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, of Babu Siva Saran Lal to be their Chairman.

Shahabad.

No. 2086T.M.—The 29th August 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Kushtia Municipality, in the district of Nadia:—

Nadia.

The Subdivisional Officer of Kushtia—*Ex-officio.*
Mr. W. B. Renwick.
Babu Behari Lal Sen.
„ Bireswar Chatterjee.

No. 2073T.M.—The 29th August 1903.—Whereas a Notification No. 784T.M., dated the 25th May 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to revise the boundaries of the Ranchi Municipality, in the district of Ranchi, so as to include within the limits of the said Municipality the following areas, was published at page 105, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th May 1903, and whereas no objection was raised to the proposal within six weeks from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 9A of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to date, and in accordance with the

Ranchi.

recommendations of the Commissioners of the Ranchi Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal :—

Boundaries of the areas to be included.

Area.	Boundaries.
1. The taur lands of Karam Toli, Hathma village, and the taur lands lying between Mr. Irvin's compound and the Jamundhora.	*On the North.*—A line drawn from the north-west corner of the compound of the new Settlement Officer's quarters up to the Jamundhora Bridge. *On the South.*—The existing Municipal limits, viz., the Circular Road, taur lands north of Mr. Irvin's compound, and a line from thence meeting the Hazaribagh Road. *On the East.*—The Hazaribagh Road. *On the West.*—The existing limits, viz., a line drawn from the north-west of the Maharaja's bungalow to Circular Road near the dâk bungalow.
2. The new Settlement Officer's bungalow and compound and the compound of Mr. Mears.	*On the North.*—The taur lands lying to the north of the compound of the new Settlement Officer's bungalow, the taur lands of Hathma lying to the north of the compounds of the two bungalows of the Maharaja of Chota Nagpur, and that to the north of the compound of Mr. Mears' bungalow. *On the South.*—The existing limits, viz., the road between the compounds of Mr. Mears and the Judicial Commissioner's private residence and the northern limits of the Maharaja's bungalow. *On the East.*—The taur lands east of the compound of the new Settlement Officer's quarter. *On the West.*—Pretoria Road.
3. The lands to the south and south-east of Chootia Temple Road and east of the Doranda or Ranchi-Chaibassa Road up to the Doranda Bridge.	*On the North.*—The existing limits, viz., the Chootia Temple Road. *On the East.*—A line drawn from the Chootia Temple Road up to Doranda river. *On the South.*—The Doranda Bridge (existing limits). *On the West.*—The existing limits, viz., the Doranda Road or Ranchi-Chaibassa Road.

The revised boundaries of the Municipality after the inclusion of the above areas will be as follows :—

On the North.—The taur lands of the Hathma village north of the compound of Mr. Mears' bungalow and the compounds of the bungalows of the Maharaja of Chota Nagpur.

On the North-east.—The lands of village Karamtoli lying north-east of a line drawn from the north-east corner of the Maharaja's house now occupied by Mr. Lister and meeting the Jamundhora Bridge.

On the East and South-east.—Lands of Chootia.

On the South.—Doranda River.

On the West.—The lands of Ranchi village belonging to Barra Lall and the lands of Mudkum and Hasel villages.

No. 2088T.M.—The 31st August 1903.—Whereas a notification dated the 13th June 1901 was published at page 104, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, sanctioning the extension of the provisions of Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to the portions of the Satkhira Municipality, in the district of Khulna, specified below, and whereas the Municipal Commissioners did not take action to bring the provision of Part IX into operation within the said portions of the above Municipality within three months after the publication of the notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, it is therefore necessary to renew the sanction then accorded. Accordingly it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the powers vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Satkhira Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the said part of the Municipal Act to the said portions of the above Municipality, and the levy under section 80 (*f*) of fees for the cleansing of private privies and cesspools within the aforesaid Municipality:—

Khulna.

1. *Pranshire Ward.*—The whole.

2. *Portion of Sultanpur Ward.*—Bounded on the north by the road by the southern bank of the Pranshire Dighi, on the east by the Basanta Kumar Mukerjee and Joggeswar Kormakar's lodging-house compound and the road by the east side of the mango garden, on the south by Sultanpur-Kamarpara, and on the west by the Satkhira khal.

3. *Portion of Katia Ward.*—Bounded on the north by Dompara, on the east by the road from Satkhira road to Katia-Kaibortyapara, on the south by the road on the south of kutcherry compound, and on the west by the Satkhira khal.

4. *Portion of Polaspole Ward.*—Bounded on the north by Kaharpara, just on the north of Babu Jadu Nath Ghose's lodging, on the east by khal, on the south by Bankal Ward, and on the west by the Basirhat and Kalaroa District Board road.

5. *Portion of Bankal Ward.*—Bounded on the north by the Polaspole Ward, on the east by khal, on the south by Tooth Bagan, and on the west by the Basirhat District Board road.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1947T.M.—The 20th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Chandpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz, for a Municipal road, in the village of Sriramdi, pargana Purchandi, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 5 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north by a drain, on the south by the Chandpur khal, on the east by a ditch, and on the west by Nabin Chandra Mookherji and Girish Chandra Sen's land.

Tippera.

The plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1948T.M.—The 20th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Chandpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., a road and a tank, in the village of Bishnudi, pargana Purchandi, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 7 cottahs of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north by a ditch, on the south by Kali Prosono Sen's land, on the east by Kashi Chandra Chanda's land, and on the west by Baikunta Chandra Chakrabutty's land.

Tippera.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1983T.M.—The 27th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz, for rounding off the north-west corner of 56 Jeliapara Road, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land No. 56 Jeliapara Road, in Calcutta, district 24-Parganas,

24-Parganas.

measuring, more or less, 44 square feet, is required. The boundaries of the land are as follow:—

North and West.—Jeliapara Road.

South and East.—Remaining portion of premises No. 56 Jeliapara Road.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Commissioners.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

Howrah.

No. 1957T.M.—The 27th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Howrah Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for erecting a public latrine on the side of Masjid Lane, in the village of Ticaparah, Howrah, pargana Boro, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs and 32 square feet of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north by public outfall drain and busti road, on the east by public Masjid Lane, and on the south and west by lands of Nafar Chandra Nag and Raj Krisna Nag.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Howrah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Malda.

No. 2014T.M.—The 29th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the English Bazar Municipality for a public purpose, namely, for a latrine and a urinal on the west of the Municipal market, in mauza Bibigram, pargana Bhatiagopalpur, police-station English Bazar, zilla Malda, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 cottahs and 11 chitaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded as follows:- On the north by Kirti Mahaldar's house, on the south by Hatkhola Lane, on the east by Amrit Lal Saha's house, and on the west by Dhobapara Lane and Rakhal Haldar's patit land.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Commissioners of English Bazar Municipality.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUPERSESSION OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SANTIPUR MUNICIPALITY IN THE DISTRICT OF NADIA, UNDER SECTION 65 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, III OF 1884, AS AMENDED UP TO 1ST NOVEMBER 1896.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT—MUNICIPAL.

Darjeeling, the 29th August 1903.

RESOLUTION No. 2057T.—M.

READ—

Letter from the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, No. 56M, dated the 30th June 1903, and enclosures.

READ again—

Note on the inspection of the Santipur Municipality by the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, on the 5th February 1895,

Letter from the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, No. 19M., dated the 3rd May 1898.

Government Notification No. 2874M., dated the 10th May 1898.

Letter from the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, No. 63M., dated the 20th July 1898, and enclosures.

Letter to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, No. 4832M., dated the 8th August 1898.

Letter from the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, No. 102M., dated the 22nd August 1899, and enclosure.

Letter from the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, No. 13824, dated the 15th November 1899, and enclosure.

Letter to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, No. 309M., dated the 20th January 1900.

Letter from the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, No. 3827, dated the 19th March 1901, and enclosures.

Letter from the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, No 72M., dated the 2nd April 1901.

Letter from the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, No. 9169, dated the 1st September 1902, and enclosures.

Letter to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, No. 1765T.—M., dated the 16th September 1902.

So far back as February 1895 the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, after inspecting the town of Santipur, brought to notice the unsatisfactory nature of the conservancy arrangements of the municipality. He found that almost the whole of the night-soil of the inhabitents was received into well-privies, of which there were about 4,000 in the town, and that the contents of the well-privies, which at the time of his inspection were in most cases from one half to three-fourths filled with sewage, had in them the germs of many diseases which were liable to pass from them through the pores of the soil into the neighbouring sources of the supply of drinking water. This report disclosed a very serious state of things, but at the same time it was reported by the Sanitary Commissioner that the Municipal Commissioners had resolved in March 1894 that "no new privies should be allowed to be dug, and that all old ones should be filled up gradually," and also that the Commissioners had reserved Rs. 1,000 for erecting, in the most crowded parts of the town, some public latrines, of which there were none at the time.

2. Little or no effect appears to have been given to this resolution, but in April 1898 the Commissioners resolved at a special meeting to apply to Government to extend to the town of Santipur the provisions of Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, giving powers for the cleansing of private privies and cess pools. Upon this the usual preliminary notification declaring the intention of Government to enforce Part IX in the municipality was published locally and in the *Calcutta Gazette*. Objections were raised to the measure by a number of rate-payers of the town, and although, in the opinion of the District Magistrate and of the Commissioner of the Division, the objections were groundless, the Commissioners were so far influenced by them that they rescinded their original recommendation for the enforcement of Part IX, and the proposal had, therefore, to be abandoned. In communicating orders, however, Government requested the Commissioner of the Division in Mr. Risley's letter No. 4832M., dated the 8th August 1898, to impress upon the Municipal Commissioners how greatly a town like Santipur, containing 30,137 inhabitants, stood in need of the systematic conservancy which Part IX of the Act is intended to provide, and he was also desired to induce the Commissioners to reconsider their decision so far as the older and more crowded portions of the town were concerned.

3. In August 1899 the Commissioner reported that although the necessity for the introduction of Part IX had been clearly impressed on them by their official Chairman, the Municipal Commissioners had, on a formal reconsideration of the matter in the previous month, resolved to adhere to their former resolution in favour of inaction. Thereupon, under instructions from Government, the town was inspected by the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Metropolitan and Eastern Bengal Circle, who considered the arguments offered against the measure to be untenable, and strongly advocated the introduction of Part IX of the Municipal Act. He was distinctly of opinion that the well-privies contaminated the adjoining wells in private compounds which formed the main source of the water-supply of the areas situated at a distance from the river. Although, regarded from a purely hygienic point of view, there was no doubt as to the desirability of the measure, the Sanitary Commissioner so far

modified the recommendation of his subordinate as to suggest that the provisions of Part IX should be brought into force only in the three more populous centres of the municipality which are interspersed by areas of a more or less rural character When the matter was laid before the Lieutenant-Governor he noticed that the health of the town was actually less affected at the time than might have been anticipated from the sanitary defects disclosed in the report, since the rate of mortality at Santipur had been below the Provincial average during each of the three previous years. His Honour was therefore unwilling to exercise the summary powers conferred on him by the Epidemic Diseases Act to enforce the closing of the well-privies throughout the town, but nevertheless the Municipal Commissioners were invited in Government order No. 309M., dated the 20th January 1900, to the address of the Commissioner of the Division, to keep this object in view, and to take measures for the gradual introduction of proper latrines. The attention of the Commissioners was also drawn to the necessity of closing unwholesome wells under section 200 of the Act, and of providing pure sources of water-supply, and the Commissioner of the Division was at the same time asked to enforce proper action by exercising his powers of control over the budget estimates of the municipality under section 76 of the Act.

4. The floods of September 1900 were followed by an outbreak of cholera in Santipur, and immediately afterwards the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner again inspected the town. He found that the low-lying portion of the municipality, which was under water, and where the well water was consequently contaminated by admixture with the sewage from the well-privies, had suffered most from the epidemic, which carried off sixty-one persons in three weeks. The Deputy Sanitary Commissioner observed that "this mixing of sewage and drinking water is but an open example of what is secretly, but none the less surely, going on under the ground all the year round." His report disclosed the fact that no new public latrines had been constructed by the Commissioners during the previous year, and both the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Commissioner again recommended the extension of Part IX to the municipality. The Commissioner of the Division visited the town towards the beginning of 1901; he also found it in a very insanitary condition, and reported to Government in April 1901 that he had pointed out to the Commissioners that they had received warnings in the shape of a serious epidemic of cholera and in the outbreak of some cases of plague, and that they would incur very grave responsibility if they persisted any longer in refusing to introduce Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act, and failed to adopt the other sanitary measures recommended by the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner.

5. In December 1901 the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner was again deputed to inspect the municipality and to pronounce on the quality of the water of the wells in the town. After doing so he again urged the necessity for closing the well-privies, and submitted for chemical and bacteriological examination twelve samples of water obtained from different wells in proximity to well-privies. The chemical examination showed that out of the twelve samples only one was "usable" and one "usable after boiling;" the rest being all "impure" or "suspicious." The bacteriological examination also proved the presence of *bacillus coli communis* in such small quantities of water as half-a-cubic centimeter, which served to prove recent fœcal contamination of a gross nature in nine out of the twelve samples. The remaining three samples were examined a few days after receipt, and the result of the examination was not, therefore, conclusive. The Commissioner of the Division was thereupon asked in Government order No. 1765T.—M, dated 16th September 1902, to move the Commissioners to take early steps to close the well-privies and to enforce Part IX in the town under their charge.

6. The Commissioner has now reported that, disregarding repeated warnings given by himself and the Magistrate of the district, by the Sanitary experts of Government, and by Government itself, and ignoring the serious increase of mortality in the town, as evidenced by the figures quoted in the margin, the Municipal Commissioners have again resolved, at their meeting held on 11th May 1903, that Part IX cannot be enforced in the

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1898	20·6
1899	38·7
1900	42·9
1901	33·7
1902	42·6

municipality. The Commissioners have also failed to enforce the provisions of section 200 of the Act in respect of the wells the water from which has been condemned and is injurious to health, and have contented themselves with resolving that these wells should be disinfected once every three months by permanganate of potash. Taxation is low in the municipality, and although the want of funds which impedes necessary improvements is remediable, the Commissioners have failed to secure a proper assessment of the holdings of the town. The local officers of Government are satisfied that no amount of persuasion will bring about even the smallest measure of improvement, and that it is only under the operation of the powers of control vested in Government by the Bengal Municipal Act that the most elementary rules of sanitation can be enforced at Santipur.

ORDER.

7. After giving the subject his careful and anxious consideration, the Lieutenant-Governor has come to the conclusion that a serious evil exists at Santipur, for which the law prescribes a remedy: he finds that the Municipal Commissioners have persistently made default in the performance of their duties and have also proved themselves incompetent, in that, having the power to impose additional taxation and to carry out the improvements urgently needed for the health and sanitation of the town, they have deliberately failed to exercise it, and although repeatedly and earnestly advised by the authorities best able to estimate their requirements, they have persistently refused to carry out the requisite reforms.

8. They have been treated for years with great patience and consideration, but their conduct has now become a public scandal, and Government must take action. In these circumstances, the Lieutenant-Governor is constrained to declare by this Order issued under section 65 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, that the Commissioners of the Santipur Municipality are incompetent to perform and persistently make default in the performance of their duties, and he directs that they be superseded for the period of one year with effect from the date of the publication of this Resolution in the *Calcutta Gazette*. In exercise of the powers conferred by section 66 of the Act, the Lieutenant-Governor further directs that all the powers and duties of the Commissioners shall, during the period of supersession, be exercised and performed by the Subdivisional Officer of Ranaghat for the time being.

9. The Lieutenant-Governor orders also that this Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

L. P. SHIRRES,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

MUNICIPAL BYE-ELECTION FOR WARD No. 18.

UNDER Rule 4 of Schedule V of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, the name of the following candidate for election is published:—

Mr. A. J. Wilson, of 12 Chapel Road, Hastings, Voter No. 17 of Ward No. 18.

Under Rule 5 of the Schedule referred to above, Mr. A. J. Wilson, of 12 Chapel Road, Hastings, Voter No. 17 of Ward No. 18, shall be deemed to be elected, there being no other candidate for election.

A. E. SILK, *Offg. Chairman of the Corporation.*

MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 1st September 1903.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at Berhampur for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
233	Pardesi taraf, pargana Rajpur.	Rs. A. P. 665 15 1	Whole ...	.....	Dharma Dass Mustafi and others of Shubharia, thana Balagar, district Hooghly.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 0 3 9	Rs. A. P. .....

Berhampur, the 6th August 1903.

A. C. MACKENRICH, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
285	Sribatshadas talug, pargana Gunanandi.	Rs. A. P. 1,233 11 7	Whole ...	. ..	Srish Chandra Banerjee and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 19 3 3	Rs. A. P. .....

Tippera Collectorate, the 4th August 1903.

N. C. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 1st Asvin 1310 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1583	Taluk Krishna Prosad Guha, pargana Rajirgo nedpur.	3,960 15 8	Whole estate.	.....	Brojo Lal Rai Chowdhury and others.	.....	32 1 6½	. .
1720	Zamindari pargana Chandradvip 8a. 12g. 2c. 2k. share, pargana Chandradvip.	44,537 13 6	.. ...	Separate account No. 6, share 14g. 3c. 1kt. 7t. 3oh.	Raj Kumar Rai Chowdhuri	3,827 7 10½	.....	592 4 11½
1764	Zamindari, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur, 3a. 1g. 2c. 1kt. share, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur.	8,543 6 8	Whole estate.	.. ..	Ananda Chandra Rai ...	.....	820 7 5½	.....
1997	Taluk Fate Mahamad, pargana Khanja Bahadurnagar.	738 3 9	Ditto ...	.....	Kusum Kumari Debi Chowdhurani.	.....	92 4 7	.....
3843	Zamindari pargana Selimabad, 13g., pargana Selimabad.	3,599 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Nabin Chandra Sen Chowdhuri and others.	.....	222 11 11	.....
3844	Ditto ...	3,590 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Saroda Prosad Sen Chowdhuri and others.	..	312 5 4	.....
4564	Char Sarikal, pargana Zasira.	3,441 11 3	Ditto ...	.....	Rahimannessa Khatun and others.	... .	,611 11 3	.....

Barisal, the 24th July 1903. D. WESTON, Offg. Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the Collector's Office of that district on 7th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A. P.					Rs A. P.	
6418	Pargana Havili, taraf Mahamudpur, mahal Salehpur.	1,017 0 0	Whole ...	...	Probhat Chandra Chattopadhya.	.....	262 0 0	.....

Faridpur, the 30th July 1903. F. W. WARD, Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of the district on 10th September 1903 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
829	Soihgaman, pargana Bhala.	503 13 1	The whole	.....	Pun Nath Jha, guardian of Kamla Nath Jha and Mussamat Gun lata Dai.	.....	56 9 11	.....

Darbhanga Collectorate, the 25th July 1903. W. B. HEYCOCK, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1903 at noon for arrears of revenue due for the kist ending 28th June 1903, and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
17	Chak Durga, pargana Ranihati.	9,939 3 11	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Syedani Aymana Bibi ...	.....	1,298 1 4	.. ...

Burdwan Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

A. J. CHOTZNER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4	Senbhum, pargana Senbhum, thana Bolpur.	41,236 7 3	. ..	Residuary share, excepting separate accounts Nos. 1, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rajabalika Goswamini and others.	1,826 15 11		34 7 7
17	Kagas, pargana Moureswar Sabek, thana Labpur.	17,162 13 0	.....	Separate account No. V . All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Mukherjee and others.	4,645 4 0		36 10 11
145	Bagdola, pargana Akbarshahi, thana Suri.	1,033 7 0	. . .	Residuary share amounting to 12 annas' share, excepting separate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Gnanendra Chandra Mukherjee and others.	775 1 8	... .	17 9 6

Birbhum Collectorate, Suri, the 27th July 1903.

A. AHMAD, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th September 1903 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Elahabad zamindari, pargana Elahabad.	.....	Share ...	Residuary share 8 annas.	Latifannessa Choudhurain, Golapro e Choudhurain.	832 6 4	.....	Land revenue— 133 12 3 Road cess— 1[illegible]5 12 0 243 8 3

B. C. SEN, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2036	Kristobati Chur, pargana Raipur.	Rs. A. P. 632 13 9	Entire ...	.....	Rajendra Nath Rai, Receiver to the estate of Brindabon Chunder Thacoor.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 60 4 9	Rs A. P. .....

Hooghly, the 8th August 1903. A. W. BOTHAM, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 15th September 1903, corresponding with 9th Asin 1311 F.S., at midday, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
908 E.s.	Amwa-Kalan-Nowasa, pargana Babra, Champaran.	Rs. A. P. 2,000 12 9	.....	Residuary share, 5 as. 7p. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Babu Iswri Prosad and others.	Rs. A. P. 698 3 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 7 5
1122	Masodha, pargana ditto.	618 10 8	Entire estate	.....	Mussammat Bachoo Kuner.	.....	115 15 6	.....

Muzaffarpur Collectorate, the 5th August 1903. SHEO N. L. ROY, *for* Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the Collector's office of that district on 17th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
14	Pargana Bandarkhole, His. Mahammad Reja.	Rs. A. P. 1,670 14 10½	....	Residuary	Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury	Rs. A. P. 916 10 2½	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 18 8 11½
193	Pargana Rajnagar, His. Raj Krishna Sen Khajah Petros Markal.	688 5 4½	16 annas...	.....	Rani Bilasmoni Debi and others.	.....	28 1 0½	.....
8676	Pargana Nasti, kismat Aligunge	561 9 10	Ditto ...	.....	Kumar Sattya Sankar Ghosal and others.	.....	106 0 0	.....
9762	Pargana Bardakhal, char Delwarpur.	4,196 0 0	Ditto ...	.....	Krishna Chandra Saha Sarder and others.	.....	648 0 0	.....

Dacca Collectorate, the 5th August 1903. A. E. EDWARDS, Collector.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Names of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
88	Ramjangal, pargana Mondolghat.	Rs. A. P. 10,343 4 9	.....	Residuary share consisting of 7 annas 5 gandas share of the estate.	Rajendro Narain Ghose and others.	Rs. A. P. 8,760 9 8	....	Rs. A. P. 4,044 4 10

The 14th August 1903.

L. E. B. CODDEN-RAMSAY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 14, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
47	Pargana Amarshi, mahal Palpara.	Rs. A. P. 880 0 2	Entire, *i.e.*, residuary, and S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.	....	Ram Charan Dey and others.	Rs. A. P. ...	Rs. A. P. 69 14 6*	Up to Mar. 1903.
1640	Pargana Moynachoro, mahal Sridharpore.	999 14 2	Entire, *i.e.*, residuary, and S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.	.	Abdul Ohed Khan and others.	.....	98 14 0†	

* Balance of separate account No. V.
† Ditto ditto No. IV.

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th October 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1903 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
678	Pargana Chandrakona, mahal Kuldaha.	Rs. A. P. 10,784 7 2	Nil ...	S. A. No. 1	Paran Chandra Ray and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,875 13 8	Rs A P.	Rs. A. P. 258 4 2	Rs. A P Land Revenue 258 4 2 Road Cess 57 10 0

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Taus' No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
154	Pargana Bajarpore, mahal Panchbazari.	650 10 8	Entire ...	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	....	71 2 9 up to June 1903.	.....
275	Pargana tappa Balsita, mahal Bhitarbinode.	1,658 14 9	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	1,105 15 3		121 0 1
277	Pargana tappa Balsita, mahal Bhitarbinode, 6 annas' share.	2,396 13 0	Entire .		Ditto ditto ...	.....	264 5 1	.
283	Pargana Bhumiamutha, mahal Khajurali *alias* Kuchaidighi.	3,276 1 5	... ..	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ditto ditto ...	1,638 0 9		174 9 5
288	Pargana Dakhinmal, mahal Haripore.	6,720 1 5	... ..	S. A. No. II	Hari Priya Debi	3,584 5 9	.. .	740 0 9
298	Pargana Danthamutha, mahal Danthamutha *alias* Erenda.	1,021 5 3	Entire ...	... .	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	.....	102 10 0	.. ...
739	Pargana Egrachore, mahal Bhatda.	3,613 6 4	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 3, 4, 10 to 23.	Ditto ditto	1,370 1 9	... .	109 14 6 up to June 1903.
803	Pargana Gaganeswar, mahal Kanpore.	702 9 0	Entire ..	.....	Panchanan Mallik and others.	...	6 2 6 up to June 1903.	...
921	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Chakdaha *alias* Radha ballav Chak.	9,185 8 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A Nos. 1 to 6.	Radhika Nath Banerjee...	2,583 7 0, including police.	.....	282 11 8, including police.
921	Ditto ditto ..	9,185 8 0	.....	S A. No. I	Ditto ditto ...	717 9 10, including police.	.....	78 8 0, including police.
921	Ditto ditto ...	.....	.....	S. A. No. V	Ditto ditto ...	1,148 3 0, including police.	.....	125 10 9
937	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Garr Purusatumpore *alias* Chaitanyapore.	733 10 8	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Ganga Naran Maity and others.	330 14 8	.....	37 7 8
944	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Gumookpota.	3,185 0 0	.....	S. A. No. I	Manimohan Ray ...	1,392 8 0, including police.	.....	174 8 0, including police.
973	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Kesore Chak.	1,450 14 1	Entire ...	.....	Devendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	... .	141 9 0	.....
1051	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Kesapat.	800 6 2	Do. ...	.....	Dwarika Nath Sen ...	.....	55 8 2	.. ...
1066	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Palsyutter.	2,039 1 2	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos 1 to 4.	Amar Nath Ghose and others.	532 5 2, including police.	... ..	59 5 2, including police.
1113	Pargana Kurulchore, mahal Padima.	740 8 4	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	636 7 1	.....	17 3 4
1467	Pargana Khandar, mahal Bansgerya *alias* Saharda.	2,098 8 6	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 4, 5, 6, 8 to 16.	Bisseswar Banerjee, Receiver of estate, Janmajoy Mallik and others.	975 12 4	...	16 5 4
1731	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Ankhapurba.	1,001 7 2	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ganga Naran Maity ...	500 11 7	.....	53 4 6
1815	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Putputya.	2,718 2 9	Entire ...		Indra Naran Maity and others.	.....	297 0 0	...
1884	Pargana Majnamutha, mahal Nankarbazarpti.	2,130 9 0	.....	Residuary share. excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7.	Abinash Chandra Deb ...	746 13 2	.....	163 5 1
1884	Ditto ditto ...	.....	. ....	S. A. No. I	Ditto ...	703 12 5	.....	154 9 6
2031	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Nankargakulpore.	3,306 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Gopendra Nandan Das Mohapatra.	...	366 6 7	.....
2047	Pargana Sabong, mahal Mohar.	1,445 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	.....	156 9 0	.....
2309	Pargana Sabong, mahal Bambhadrapore.	736 0 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	332 0 6	.....	90 11 10
2474	Pargana Sahapore, mahal Naranbati.	538 0 5, including police.	Entire ...	.....	Mathuralal Bhakat and others.	.....	29 12 0, including police.	
				Part II.—Temporarily-settled estates.				
2717	Pargana Jalamutha, mahal Kooramal Erenda, Bisnan, Balandabazar jalpai.	3,360 14 2	Entire ...	.....	Sreemati Hari Priya Debi	.....	367 9 3	.....
2724	Pargana Khallabhogra, mahal Paharpore, jalpai Khaspatit.	1,470 9 7	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	162 5 4	...
2864	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mangalpore.	2,401 0 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. II.	Upendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	2,016 2 6	.....	220 8 6
2866	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mansraj.	1,027 0 0	Entire ...	... .	Radha Gobinda Das Mahapatra.	.....	69 0 3	.....

Midnapore, the 14th August 1903.

L. BIRLEY, Covtd. Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		Ijmali— As.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
394	Benut, pargana Bal	863 15 8	.....	Benut ... ... 8 Madhan Tola ... ... 12 Rampur ... ... 16 Birtimehdar Bhadaur ... 8 All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Harihor Prasad and others.	543 13 8	.....	76 10 5
414	Bharhopur Fatehpur Dhariar or Bharhopur, pargana Bal.	1,954 13 6	.....	Separate account No. 3— Bharhopur Fatehpur Dhuriar, 6a. 4p. 16k. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Musamat Ramdeni Kuar.	731 15 0	... ..	156 12 9
1165	Goppur, pargana Bara.	746 10 8	Entire ...	.....	Pardip Singh, Subedar Rai and others.	.....	3 7 7	.....
2181	Hossanpur, Kutubpur, Rampur, Sadowa or Hossanpur, Kutubpur, Rampur, pargana Dungsi.	634 5 1	Do. ...	.. .	Musamat Rani Ram Kamal Kuar and others.	.....	30 9 4	.....
2743	Rampur Majho, pargana Goe.	1,031 15 8	Do. ...	.....	Musamat Bahuria Deuapatti Kuar and Musamat Son Mukhi Kuar.	.....	0 13 9	.....
3176	Salehpur Darsukoh, pargana Kasmar.	649 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Jamuna Prosad, auction-purchaser.	.....	365 1 0	.....
3177	Ditto ...	646 1 11	.....	Ijmali— As. Chenderbhonpur ... ... 16 Salehpur Darasikoh ... ... 16 Chak Chhitar Madhukar ... 16 All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Ganga Bishnu Singh, auction-purchaser.	643 1 11	.....	339 4 3
3417	Kasba Mokair, pargana Mokair.	1,021 5 7	.....	Ijmali— Kasba Makor Main Patti Latif, 16a. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Mir Syed Hussain and others.	804 1 7	.....	14 2 3
3613	Manjhi Khas Bhat Khurd, pargana Manjhi.	1,808 1 2	.... .	Ijmali— Manjhi Khas Bhat Khurd, 10a. 8p. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sat Narain Lall and others.	673 0 10	.....	1 12 9
3805	Narhan, pargana Narhan.	5,028 5 0	.....	Ijmali— As. P. Narhan ... ... 5 4 Patti Kakulat ... ... 5 4 Moti Chak ... ... 5 4 Mirsapur Khas ... ... 5 4 Salempur ... ... 5 4 Allahdadpur ... ... 5 4 Harpur ... ... 5 4 Bankat Nam Chak ... 5 4 Pholi Chak ... ... 5 4 Basatpur ... ... 5 4 Kansardh ... ... 5 4 Bharthipatti Basadh ... 5 4 Panjuar khas ... ... 5 4 Idalpura ... ... 5 4 Bitalpur ... ... 5 4 Chandi ... ... 5 4 Rampur Dakhli Panjuar ... 5 4 Murarpatti ... ... 5 4 Dhanowti appertaining to Nawada. 5 4 Rampur Bolbhadar ... 5 4 Baralpur ... ... 5 4 Mirsapur appertaining to Ramtpur. 5 4 Nawada ... ... 5 4 Karahra Dhani ... 5 4 Juropar ... ... 5 4 Budakpur ... ... 5 4 Dewonpura ... ... 5 4 Deore Bhaw Singh ... ... 5 4 Ambara Salempur ... ... 5 4 Rajpur ... ... 5 4 Dhanowti appertaining to Basatpur. 5 4 All other shares besides that specified will be exempted from sale.	Babu Debi Prosad, Babu Kasila Nand and others.	1,309 7 0	....	460 6 5
78	Chhap, pargana Pachlakh.	806 13 6	Entire ...	.... .	Mohendra Narain, Utra Sahai and others.	.....	109 5 0	.....
10	Harhous Tale Sultan Hussain, pargana Bara.	676 11 10	Do. ...	.	Sultan Hussain and others.	.....	0 5 3	.....

Saran Collectorate, the 17th August 1903.

ILLEGIBLE, *for* Collector.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 18, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 1 P M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
481, share No. 8.	Dihi Gangail, pargana Chaplia.	Rs. A. 755 4	Whole estate.	.. ..	Bhabani Charan Majumdar and others.	.....	Rs. A. 12 11	..

Rajshahi Collectorate, Rampur Boalia, the 5th August 1903. A. GARRETT, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 18, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2634	Dhiraundh, pargana Jarra.	Rs. A. P. 802 13 0	The whole	.....	Nawab Saiyad Mahammad Akbar Ali Khan *alias* Chottey Nawab and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 26 8 0	Rs. A. P. .....
2737	Simra Salempore Basidpore nisf, pargana Kabar.	960 9 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. 1. Simra Salempore 12 2. Basidpore nisf 12	Thakur Prasad Singh and others.	720 7 0	.....	72 3 0
4149	Bishunpore Vasairah, pargana Pachrukhi.	1,788 13 0	....	The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. D. 1. Bishunpore ... 8 10 2. Gobindpore ... 8 10 3. Madhopore ... 12 8 4. Dhanpuri ... 12 8 5. Mahbara ... 16 0 6. Dalwa Bagaria 16 0	Iari Prosad and others ..	1,317 8 0	.....	13 3 0
4548	Gurua taluqa, pargana Sherghati.	15,997 14 0	The whole	..	Sheikh Mosaheb Ali and others	.....	2,235 11 10	.....
4579	Jaipore Dumrawan, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. 1. Jaipore Dumrawan 8 2. Akhari Khap ... 8 3. Pindra ... ... 8 4. Zari Khap ... ... 8 5. Doudpore *alias* Punoul. 8 6. Deoghar Khap ... 4 7. Ibrahimpore ... 8 8. Hardia ... ... 8 9. Kolua ... ... 8 10. Loki Khap ... ... 8 11. Mukhdompore ... 8 12. Manjhar ... ... 8 13. Basir Khap 4	Durga Prasad and others.	1,066 8 0	...	250 0 0
4579	Jaipore Dumrawan, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	.....	Separate account No. I, consisting of the following villages, will be sold— A. P. 1. Jaipore Dumrawan 5 4 2. Alahdadpore *alias* Punoul. 5 4 3. Ambadih ... 5 4 4. Bagha Khap ... 5 4 5. Badir Khap ... 5 4 6. Zari Khap . 5 4 7. Doudpore *alias* Punoul. 5 4 8. Deoghar Khap... 5 4 9 Ibrahimpore ... 5 4 10. Hardia ... 5 4 11. Kolhua ... 5 4 12. Loki Khap ... 5 4 13. Mukhdumpore ... 5 4 14. Sugaria ... ... 5 4 15. Sadheo Khap ... 5 4 16. Basir Khap . 5 4	Khaje Ubaidullah *alias* Nanhe Nawab.	848 10 0	.....	10 3 0
4612	Kowal Khap, pargana Sherghatti.	573 14 0	The whole	.....	Nassamat Bibi Tauhidan and others.	.....	8 12 6	.....
6940	Addopore, pargana Kabar.	1,196 0 0	Ditto	.....	Bhekha Singh and others.	.....	139 1 0	.....

Gaya Collectorate, the 22nd August 1903. F. W. DUKE, Collector.

APPENDIX XXX.

[See Chapter III, Rule 9.]

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the district of Gaya, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Friday, the 18th September 1903, corresponding with the 12th Asin 1311 Fusli, at the Gaya Collector's Court.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of the original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each plot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Gaya ...	Pargana Sirish, mauza Pahbercha.	2 (a) ...	East of the main line, Bengal Duars Railway.	3 16 5	1 1 1·818	Nil		Nil	*North*—Mogulsarai-Gaya Railway. *South*—Land of mauza Karandih. *East*—Land of mauza Pahbercha. *West*—Ditto ditto.

Gaya, the 18th August 1903.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTTA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
14	Anandpur Siawan and Mustafapur Siawan, pargana Beswak.	Rs. A. P. 858 13 11	Entire ...	.....	Adit Narain and Ajodhya Prasad under the guardianship of Mosamat Gulab Kuer.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 213 7 7	Rs. A. P. .....
18	Bhubanpur, Beyaspur Goberdhanpur, pargana Azimabad.	1,223 7 10	.....	8a. and 10ds. ijmali share. Besides this other shares are exempted from sale.	Pabitar Singh and others.	649 13 11	.....	44 14 9
160	Lakhenpur, pargana Azimabad.	1,330 13 1	....	Dowlotpur 2	Mosamat Piriam Bada Dasi, mother and guardian of Mohnimohon Ghosh and Rajni Mohon Ghosh.	638 2 1	...	136 15 1
				Rajpur Hasan 4	Ditto.			
				Mirzapur 2	Ditto.			
				Lakhenpur 2	Awdhesh Kumar Singh.			
				Kutubpur urf Hari 2 chak.	Ditto.			
				Kutubpur ... ... 2 Ijmali share. Besides this other shares are exempted from sale.	Ditto.			
169	Rampur Bedhna nisf, pargana Bhimpur.	996 8 0	.....	12a. 8d. 18k. 6b. 1sp. 7r. ijmali share. Besides this other shares are exempted from sale.	Kesho Lal and others ...	993 1	.....	4 13 10

Bankipore, the 23rd August 1903.

J. G. CUMMING, Collector of Patna

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th October 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2093 2100 1512	Thanas Patia, town Rauzan, Satkania and Hathazari, taraf Krishna Kishore Kanungoe.	Rs. A. P. 645 6 7	A share will be sold.	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859. Only share No. 1, Fazal Ahmed and others, will be sold.	Fazal Ahmed Choudhri and Bazal Samad Choudhuri.	Rs. A. P. 524 13 6	....	Rs. A. P. 356 0 10

The amount shown in column 9 above represents the arrears remaining unpaid on the 25th May 1903.

Chittagong, the 25th August 1903. F. P. DIXON, Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares are excluded from sale.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	1	Magura, Chetla and others.	5,422 9 3	.....	Excluding 3a. 4g. 2k. 12t., the remaining 13a. 15g. 10k. 08t. of the entire estate, and excluding 8a. share in each of the mauzas Sripur, Bagarghole and Raju Molla Chak, the remaining 8a. share.	Kali Chundra Roy Chaudhury and others.	3,926 5 3	.....	356 15 6½
2	2	Magura, Kangranberia and others.	2,623 15 2½		Excluding mauzas Chetla and Alipore and excluding 11a. 14g. 1k. 2½d. of the entire estate, the remaining 4a. 5g. 2k. 5½d. share	Surendra Nath Deb	738 11 11½	.....	46 7 11
3	3-1	Magura, Nuskerpur and others.	9,314 2 11½	.	Excluding 10a. the remaining 6a share.	Bindoo Bashini Debi and others.	3,108 11 5½	.	199 11 2½
4	86	Magura, Amgachia	984 14 7	.....	Excluding 9a. share in mauza Kantalia, the remaining 7a. share, excluding 13a. 18g. 2k. share in each of the mauzas Bahimpore and Nona, the remaining 2a 1g. 2k. and the 1da. share in other mauzas.	Hori Charan Bose ...	861 11 10	.....	86 3 3
5	314	Murugachia, Hari-narayanpur.	12,212 13 4½	.	8a. 3g. 6k. 8t 2k. 2kr. share	Trelokha Nath Biswas.	5,747 8 3	..	47 11 0½
6	314-4	Ditto .	12,212 13 4½	... .	17g. 5k. 16t.	Sarat Chandra Ghose	740 4 4½		111 12 7½
7	315-3	Murugachia, Raghunathpur.	10,239 15 6	.. ..	Excluding 13a. 11g. 2k. 2kr., the remaining 2a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. share	Gopi Kishor Mandal and others.	1,569 3 3½	.....	149 8 8½
8	315-11	Ditto ...	10,239 15 6	... .	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., the remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi	731 2 10	.....	139 5 11
9	385-4	Azimabad, Huda Rukhali.	19,434 8 0½	.	Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kr. share, the balance 15g. 1k. 1k. share.	Brojendra Nath Mandal.	998 8 7½	... .	97 4 8½
10	385-5	Ditto ...	19,434 8 0½	...	Excluding 14a. 14g. 2k., the remaining 1a. 5g. 3k. 1kr share.	Gopi Kishor Mandal and others.	1,564 6 4	.....	81 12 7
11	385-6	Ditto ...	19,434 8 0½	....	Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kr. share, the remaining 15a. 1g. 1k. share.	Kristo Prosanna Mandal.	998 8 7½	... .	97 4 8½
12	385-9	Ditto ..	19,434 8 0½		Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, the remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi	1,362 8 7½	....	142 19 5½
13	391-5	Muragacha, Gomukhi.	5,538 8 6		Excluding 13a. 11g. 2k. 2kr. share, the remaining 2a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. share.	Gopi Kishor Mandal and others.	836 8 9½		46 12 8
14	391-6	.....	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 0g. 2k. 2kr share, the remaining 1a. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share.	Sasi Bhusan Biswas and others.	573 14 11	.....	32 3 10
15	392-1	Azimabad, Huda Joy Chundipur	8,313 7 8	.. .	Excluding 12a., the remaining 4a. share.	Radha Binod Mandal and others.	2,078 5 11	. ..	149 2 4½
16	2653	Sunderban, Lot No. 16.	2,351 0 0	Whole ...	..	Meherrubbani Jamadar.	... ..	2,351 0 0	.

Alipore, the 24th August 1903. RAJENDRA CHANDRA GHOSH, Deputy Collector, *for* Collector.

Notificaton B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the date to be fixed for the sale of the estates in arrears of revenue for the kist of September 1903 for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1866/4	Badoora), Panapur, Noorjahan Begam, tuppa Bhutsala, pargana Bisara.	17,594 1 5	.....	Separate account, 2a. 8p., 8kt. 5mt. 10 4/11d.	Musamat Nanhi Begam and others.	2,794 11 6	.....	164 7 0	On account of arrears of land revenue due for kist June 1903. 164 7 0
1866/14	Ditto ...	17,594 1 5	.....	Separate account, 7p. 9kt. 9mt. 1½d.	Musamat Noor Jahan Begam *alias* Imami Begam and others.	857 13 9	.....	149 10 1	Ditto. 149 10 1
3618 Rs.	Gobindpur, Raghunandan, pargana Hajipur.	2,670 6 11	.....	Residuary share, 8 annas in each of the following villages—Gobindpur, Aspalpur Singhia, Sadullahpur, Malipur, Sohrabpur, Chuk Mohamad, Saifpur Deora, Dharampur, Panapur Daud, Gumti, Saidpur, Rajauli, Saidpur Rajauli Hissa, Ismailpur, Daulatpur, Bhadai Chuk, Gaziadam, Ibrahimpur, Karunpoora, Hurauli with Fatehpur, Gaura.	Avadh Bihari Narain Singh and others.	1,207 2 9	.....	261 8 0	Ditto. 261 8 0
				Temporarily-settled Estate.					
18906	Dumri Kalam, 4 annas, pargana Goa.	663 0 0	Entire estate.	.....	Harinundon Sahai and others.	.....	641 4 0	.....	On account of arrears of land revenue due up to kist June 1903.

Muzaffarpur Collectorate, the 22nd August 1903. E. V. LEVINGE, Collector.

In the Court of the 2nd Munsif, Rangpur.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 676 OF 1903.

Nibaran Chandra Bhattacharjea, Secretary to the Loan Office, Limited, Kurigram, decree-holder, *versus* Mohamed Toira Mia, judgment-debtor.

PRESENT:

Babu Baman Das Mukerjea, Munsif, 2nd Court, Rangpur.

TO be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Rangpur, in the ordinary sale place at 12 o'clock noon on the 5th day of September 1903 for the right, title, and interest of the judgment-debtor :—

Serial No.	Description of properties.	Tauzi No.	Sadar jama.	Approximate value stated by the decree-holder.
1	Sixteen annas' share of mahal Muda Madan and others, situated in mauzas Baboon, Charoo Chandra, Biroo, Ramchandrapur, kismat Dahaband, hishya 7 annas, Upanchaki Ram Bhadro Godadhor, Kartik, kismat Kamal Lochan, kismat Mohespur, kismat Ramchandrapur, and kismat Upanchaki Bhabani Prasad.	541	Rs. A. 671 1	

BAMAN DAS MUKERJEA, Munsif.

Rangpur, 2nd Munsif's Court, the 10th August 1903. (910—3)

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 565 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, it is hereby declared that the General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta intend to submit the following draft bye-laws for the consideration of the Corporation.

Any person having any objection to the bye-laws should submit it in writing to the Chairman of the Corporation before the 1st October 1903:—

Bye-laws, section 559 (18), prohibiting or regulating the placing of obstructions, projections, or encroachments or the depositing of materials or goods, in a public street, or in or over any drain or aqueduct in a public street or on any land vested in the Corporation.

1. When any person has, whether before or after the passing of these bye-laws, placed or allowed to be placed any wall, fence, rail, post, platform, plank, culvert or other masonry or brick-work erection (not being a fixture attached to a building within the meaning of section 341 of the Act) or any structure, in such a position as to cause a projection, encroachment, or obstruction over or on any public street or over or in any drain or aqueduct in a public street or over or on any land vested in the Corporation, the Chairman may, by written notice, require the owner of, or the person who has erected such wall, fence, rail, post, platform, plank, culvert, erection or structure to remove the same, and any person who fails to comply with the terms of such notice shall be liable to a daily fine which may extend to Rs. 10 per diem for every day after the date of service during which he shall continue to fail to comply with the same.

2. No person shall place or leave any earth, rubbish, furniture, wares, merchandise, bale, bag, lamp, cask, tub, basket, pail, bucket, grain, timber (in the form of logs or scantling), scrap metal, goods or building materials, or place or use any standing place, stool, bench, stall, or show-board in any public street or in any drain or aqueduct in a public street or on any land vested in the Corporation, or shall place any blind, shade, covering, awning or other projection over or along any such public street, drain, aqueduct, or land vested in the Corporation without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Chairman in this behalf.

3. No person shall place, hang up, or otherwise expose for sale any goods, wares, merchandise, fruit, vegetables, matter or other article whatsoever, so as to cause a projection into or over any public street, drain or aqueduct in a public street or land vested in the Corporation, or so as to obstruct or incommode the passage of any person over or along a public street without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Chairman in this behalf.

4. No person shall place any line, cord, wire, pole or plank across any public street or hang or place anything thereon or erect any archway or gate over or upon any public street, drain or aqueduct in a public street or land vested in the Corporation without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Chairman in this behalf.

5. Any person who causes any obstruction, projection or encroachment in a public street in the manner indicated in bye-laws 2, 3 and 4 hereof shall cause the same to be lighted during the night to the satisfaction of the District Engineer, and shall take such precautions as the District Engineer shall deem fit for guarding against accident.

The Chairman may, by written notice, require any such person to provide such lights and to take such precautions as may be specified in the notice, and every person who fails to comply with such notice shall be liable to a daily fine which may extend to Rs. 10 per diem for every day after the date of the service of the notice during which he shall continue to fail to comply with the same.

6. No barber shall ply his trade in or upon any "public street" in such a manner as to obstruct or incommode the passage of any person over or along the same.

7. No person shall shoe or allow to be shod any horse, pony, donkey, mule, bullock, buffalo or other four-footed animal in or upon any "public street."

8. No person shall wash any carriage, cart, utensils, clothes or animal in or upon any public street.

9. No person shall tether or allow to be tethered or allow to stray any horse, pony, donkey, mule, bullock, bull, cow, calf, goat, sheep, buffalo or other similar animal in or upon any public street.

10. No person shall leave a carriage or cart standing in a public street unattended.

11. No person shall bathe or wash himself in a public street.

12. Any person who shall commit a breach of bye-laws 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 hereof shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of continuing breach, to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10, for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

SCHEDULE A

The following fees shall be payable for licenses issued under Bye-laws 2, 3 and 4 hereof, and shall be payable in advance:—

1. Earth, rubbish, furniture, goods, wares, merchandises, bales, grain, timber, scrap iron, fruit, vegetables, building materials, standing place, stall, show-board, or any similar thing.	One anna a month per superficial foot of the area occupied. In cases where the area occupied is greater than the area provided for in the license, the excess area shall be paid for at the rate of 10 annas a month per superficial foot. A fraction of a month shall be treated as an entire month.

2. Blind, shade, covering, awning or similar contrivance.	Two annas a month for every square foot. A fraction of a month shall be treated as an entire month. In cases where the contrivance used is larger than that provided for in the license, the excess portion shall be paid for at the rate of 10 annas a month for every square foot.
3. Bale, bag, lamp, cask, tub, basket, pail, bucket, stool or bench or similar article.	Two annas a month for each separate article. A fraction of a month shall be treated as an entire month.
4. Line, cord, wire, pole or plank or similar article.	Ditto ditto.
5. Archway, gate, or similar contrivance.	Rupees 5 per diem for every archway, gate, or similar contrivance.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 24th August 1903.

W. W. CUNNINGHAM,
Offg. Secretary to the Corporation.

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District Charitable Society.

Abstract of Cash Accounts of the Central Office for the month of June 1903.

Budget for 1903.	RECEIPTS.	June 1903.	From 1st January to 30th June 1903.	Budget for 1903.	PAYMENTS.	June 1903.	From 1st January to 30th June 1903.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Subscriptions—						
16,400	From Government	1,300 0 0	7,200 0 0	11,730	Grant to District Committees	998 0 0	5,913 0 0
11,218	,, the Public	506 0 0	3,204 0 0	4,525	,, to Commissioner of Police for { Casual relief / Establishment	239 7 6	1,461 10 9
7,927	Donations and new Subscriptions .	*832 0 0	**2,435 0 0			75 0 0	450 0 0
	Allowances towards cost of establishment—			21,347	Grant to Native Committee ...	5,118 1 6	13,736 9 6
				10,080	Pensions paid through Central Office	857 0 0	5,060 0 0
3,000	From Government	250 0 0	1,500 0 0	102	Schooling fees ditto ...	32 0 0	120 0 0
...	Interest on invested General Funds ...	.....	..	2,170	Special Relief (on private orders) ...	160 12 0	960 1 6
39,805	,, on Trust Funds	1,241 12 0	19,080 15 7	3,628	Alms House—Establishment ...	317 7 3	1,912 7 3
772	Bakery proceeds	†56 4 6	††3.10 4 6	9,984	Dieting .	†351 12 9	††3,062 5 9
3,631	Workshed proceeds	§230 10 0	§§1,366 11 9	1,500	Contingencies .	85 0 0	640 0 0
985	Refund on Casual Relief Account ...	80 8 0	535 11 0	...	Boots and Shoes .	.....	.....
2,230	,, on Special ,, ,, ...	222 10 6	1,105 9 6	500	Clothing and bedding	...	...
5,000	Legacies	.....	..	766	Municipal taxes ...	.....	383 3 0
100	Miscellaneous accounts	0 2 8	1 2 1	674	Repairs ...	.....	626 15 6
...	Advances	.....	.....	2,913	Bakery	§174 7 3	§§1,149 12 3
379	Deposits	43 2 9	308 5 10	4,104	Workshed	67 5 6	1,621 7 6
400	X'mas Dinner account		..	7,374	Central Office—Establishment ...	613 8 0	3,685 8 9
...	G. P. Notes withdrawn from Bank's safe custody.		.....	405	Commission on collections	30 10 4	194 9 7
...	G. P. Notes by Corpus of Trust Funds ...	.....	.....	300	Auditing fees ...	.. ..	150 0 0
...	,, by Security Deposit .	.. ..		500	Rent (nett) ...	35 0 0	244 5 6
250	Donation to Native Committee ...	20 0 0	3,525 9 6	550	Contingencies ...	26 11 0	240 15 6
	Refund of Alms House Taxes	191 9 6	191 9 6	750	Printing and advertising.	249 4 0	514 3 9
				20	Interest on overdraft	..	... ..
				58	Bank's commission	3 3 11	28 6 4
				5	Law charges	... .	5 0 0
				480	E. I. Railway Co. for passes	78 14 6	‡151 13 0
				...	Advances	.....	... ..
				379	Deposits	16 9 10	284 8 11
				400	X'mas Dinner account ...	.	210 0 0
				...	Safe custody deposit of G. P. Note ...	... ..	..
				...	Security refunded	.....	.....
86,545	Total ...	4,631 11 11	45,584 15 3	83,474	Total ...	9,738 3 4	48,407 14 1

New subscriptions * Rs. 40 ; ** Rs. 380. | ‡ Rs. 64-4 for Casual relief ; Rs. 38-13-3 for Special relief.

Excluding cost of bread from Bakery for A. H. Dieting, † Rs. 294-10 ; †† Rs. 1,944-4, Budget being Rs. 4,730.
Excluding cost of flour from Workshed to Bakery, § Rs. 66-2 ; §§ Rs. 423-12, Budget being Rs. 1,378.

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts as above	.....	45,584 15 3	Payments as above	.....	48,407 14 1
Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 1st January 1903	4,891 4 1		Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 30th June 1903	7,108 8 2	
Opening cash balance on that date	176 5 9		Cash balance in hand on that date	143 3 10	
		5,067 9 10			7,244 11 0
Total ...		50,652 9 1	Total ..		50,652 9 1

CALCUTTA,
The 7th July 1903.

K. MALLIKA,
Accountant.

H. S. CASHMAN,
Secretary.

District Charitable Society.

Abstract of Cash Accounts of the Central Office for the month of July 1903.

Budget for 1903.	Receipts.	July 1903.	From 1st January to 31st July 1903.	Budget for 1903.	Payments.	July 1903.	From 1st January to 31st July 1903.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Subscriptions—			11,780	Grant to District Committees	968 0 0	6,880 0 0
14,400	From Government	1,200 0 0	8,400 0 0	4,525	,, to Commissioner of Police for { Casual relief / Establishment	226 8 0 / 75 0 0	1,686 2 8 / 525 0 0
11,218	,, the public	446 0 0	8,650 0 0	21,347	Grant to Native Committee	1,632 8 0	15,369 1 6
7,927	Donations and new subscriptions	*323 0 0	**2,758 0 0	10,080	Pensions paid through Central Office	845 0 0	5,914 0 0
	Allowances towards cost of establishment—			192	Schooling-fees ditto ...	16 0 0	136 0 0
3,000	From Government	250 0 0	1,750 0 0	2,170	Special Relief (on private orders)	184 0 0	1,114 1 6
...	Interest on Invested General Fund ...	... ..	.....	3,828	Alms House :—Establishment ...	319 0 0	2,231 7 9
39,303	,, on Trust Funds	96 4 0	19,177 3 7	9,984	Dieting	†565 9 6	††4,247 15 3
732	Bakery proceeds	†33 13 0	††264 1 6	1,500	Contingencies ..	80 0 0	270 0 0
2,631	Worksbed proceeds	§212 9 9	§§1,479 5 6	...	Boots and shoes ...	.....	...
985	Refund on Casual Relief account ...	84 0 0	619 11 0	500	Clothing and bedding	.....	...
2,250	,, on Special ,, ,, ...	162 8 9	1,267 15 3	766	Municipal taxes ..	.....	383 3 6
5,000	Legacies	... ..	.. ..	674	Repairs ...	.. ....	626 15 0
100	Miscellaneous accounts	10 2 8	11 4 9	2,913	Bakery	§170 1 0	§§1,312 13 3
..	Advances	.....	.. ..	4,104	Workshed	103 12 9	1,736 4 3
379	Deposits	301 9 10	609 15 8	7,374	Central Office :—Establishment ...	612 8 0	4,298 0 9
400	X'mas dinner account	.....	.....	405	Commission on collections.	35 10 6	230 4 1
...	G. P. Notes withdrawn from Bank's safe custody.	.....	... .	300	Auditing fees ...	.. ..	150 0 0
...	G. P. Notes by Corpus of Trust Funds ..	.....	.....	500	Rent (nett) ...	35 0 0	270 5 6
.	,, by Security Deposit	.....	.. .	550	Contingencies ..	33 1 3	274 8 9
250	Donation to Native Committee	.....	3,525 9 6	750	Printing and advertising.	46 12 11	560 15 0
	Refund of Alms House taxes	.....	191 9 6	20	Interest on overdraft	.....	..
				58	Bank's commission	0 5 3	38 11 7
				5	Law charges	.....	5 0 0
				420	E. I. Railway Co. for passes	... .	§181 13 0
					Advances		
				379	Deposits	177 2 9	461 11 8
				400	X'mas Dinner account	.....	210 0 0
				...	Safe custody deposit of G. P. Note ...	.....	.....
				...	Security refunded	.	.. .
86,845	Total ...	3,119 13 0	48,704 12 3	85,474	Total ...	6,094 15 0	49,502 13 1

New subscriptions * Rs. 18. ** Rs. 298. | ‡ Rs. 81-5-3 for casual relief; Rs. 59-6-9 for special relief.

Excluding cost of bread from Bakery for A. H. Dieting, † Rs. 300-5; †† Rs. 2,244-9-6 Budget being Rs. 4,720.
Excluding cost of flour from Workshed to Bakery, § Rs. 77-3; §§ Rs. 501-4, Budget being Rs. 1,275.

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts as above	.....	48,704 12 3	Payments as above	.. ...	49,502 13 1
Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 1st January 1903	4,891 4 1		Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 31st July 1903	4,089 4 8	
Opening cash balance on that date	176 5 9	5,067 9 10	Cash balance in hand on that date	189 4 9	4,269 9 0
Total		53,772 6 1	Total ...		53,772 6 1

CALCUTTA,
The 10th August 1903.

K. MALLIKA,
Accountant.

H. S. CASHMAN,
Secretary.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 25th August 1903.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office .. ... Rs. 67,66,626 6 3			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 81,56,457 2 4	1,49,23,083	8	7
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	8,31,95,538	12	10
Bank Post Bills, &c.	3,47,034	5	10
Sundries	17,47,848	2	0
Rupees ...	13,23,63,504	13	3

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	1,88,71,921	0	0
Other authorised investments	88,54,629	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	2,36,78,665	12	8
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	1,57,56,795	9	3
Bills discounted and purchased	1,64,06,038	7	3
Balances with other Banks	15,98,970	14	5
Bullion	1,263	9	7
Dead Stock	18,09,639	1	11
Stamps	11,659	14	1
Sundries	10,46,942	5	11
	8,80,36,545	11	1
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 2,68,95,469 11 3			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches† ... ,, 2,29,31,489 6 11	4,93,26,959	2	2
Rupees ...	13,23,63,504	13	3

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,45,275 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 1,49,640 0 0
Rs. 2,94,915 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 27th August 1903.

H. F. FRESHWATER, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 49·22.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

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Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION.

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1 Pound tin Rs. 16, or, post free, Rs. 16-8
½ " " " 8 " " " " 8-6.
¼ " " " 4 " " " " 4-6.

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans. 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

NOTICE.

WANTED 12 Bengali-knowing Inspectors on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 each and 80 Bengali-knowing amins, on a monthly salary of Rs. 20 to Rs. 25 each, for survey and settlement work in the Sundarbans during the ensuing cold weather.

Applicants must either have served in the Survey of India Department or have certificates of their acquaintance with offset cadastral survey work. They should also be able to prepare the necessary settlement records.

WANTED also 4 clerks on Rs. 25 each and 8 muharrirs on Rs. 20 each per mensem for settlement work. Only men who have experience in such work need apply.

Applicants should state their age and send their applications with copies of testimonials to the undersigned not later than the 30th October 1903.

D. SUNDER, Commissioner in the Sundarbans.

Sundarbans Commissioner's Office, Alipur, the 7th August 1903.

Wanted

AN experienced Amin for six months on Rs. 30 a month for work in connection with the sale of relinquished Railway lands. Preference will be given to one who knows English and can prepare maps. Applications will be received up to 14th September 1903.

J. H. LEA, Collector.

Purnea, the 27th August 1903.

J. W. CHIPPENDALE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta. (948—4—767)

RATAN CHAND BARAL, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta. (956—4—769)

Notice.

SAILESWAR SEN, M.A., B.L., of 10 and 11, Sarbessur Sen's Lane, Calcutta, intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel, High Court, Calcutta. (957—4—786)

IT is notified for general information that there are in the district of Chittagong many commissions under section 392 of the Criminal Procedure Code waiting to be executed, and that there is therefore employment for a few pleaders who have passed the requisite Survey examination. Applications with the necessary certificate should be made to the District Judge of Chittagong.

WANTED immediately for the District Board of Murshidabad—

(1) One passed Accountant, having experience in District Board and Public Works Department accounts, on a salary of Rs. 50—2—60 (annual increment). Security for Rs. 500 necessary.
(2) One Head Clerk on a salary of Rs. 40—2—50. A graduate with previous experience preferred.
(3) One Clerk for the District Engineer's office. Salary Rs. 30—2—40. Previous experience indispensible.

The selected candidates will be required to join not later than the close of the Puja holidays, and will be on probation for one year.

C. K. MAJUMDAR, Vice-Chairman.

Murshidabad District Board, Berhampore, the 22nd August 1903. (963—2)

Notice.

WANTED two Daftaris for the Deputy Commissioner's Office at Dhubri on a salary of Rs. 10 per mensem each with extra remuneration for binding books. Applicants are to state in their respective applications if they can bind books. None need apply who have no experience in the work of a Daftari in a District Office. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th September 1903.

A. H. CUMING,
Offg. Depy. Commr., Goalpara.

Dhubri, the 21st August 1903.

Notice.

WANTED a Gomasta on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem for the estate of the late Raja Tenduk Pulger under the Court of Wards in the district of Darjeeling. The Gomasta when appointed will be required to give a security of Rs. 250 in cash or in Government Promissory Note.

None need apply who has no previous experience in the Wards Department, and who does not possess a thorough knowledge of Hindi also.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 6th September 1903.

J. H. E. GARRETT, Deputy Commissioner.

Deputy Commissioner's Office, Darjeeling, the 18th August 1903. (950—2)

Notice of Revocation of Power.

IT is hereby announced and notified that by two General Powers-of-Attorney in Bengali, dated, respectively, the 6th January, 1902 and 11th July 1902, we appointed, with two other persons, Shama Churn Bose, son of Mahesh Chandra Bose, deceased, of village Teghuria, pergunah Shaha Ujial, district, sub-district, and thana Jessore, one of our attorneys, but the services of the said Shama Churn Bose having been dispensed with by us on the 21st July 1903 last, his power was revoked and he ceased to be our attorney from that date.

Doorga Churn Law, Joy Gobind Law, Chundy Churn Law, Kristo Dass Law, Reshee Case Law.

Calcutta, the 24th August 1903. (961—3—792)

Education Department, Bengal.

AS the Appointment Register of the Office of Director of Public Instruction is now under revision, the undersigned is prepared to receive applications for appointments in the Education Department. No one will be registered who has not taken the degree of M.A. or that of B.A. with honours. Candidates for employment should send in applications whether their names have been previously registered in this office or not. Full details of qualifications must be given. A printed form of application will be sent on receipt of a stamped addressed envelope. The new Appointment Register will supersede all former lists.

A. PEDLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

The 1st September 1903.

Caution.

LOST OR STOLEN.

THE Government Promissory Notes—

No.				Rs.
079425 of the 3½	per cent. loan of	1842-43	for	7,000
079426 „ 3½	„ „	1842-43	for	500

originally standing in the name of Girish Chunder Mitter, deceased, and last endorsed by him to Behary Loll Mitter, his minor son, the proprietor by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

And the Government Promissory notes—

No.				Rs.
135976 of the 3½	per cent. loan of	1865	for	1,000
135975 „ 3½	„ „	1865	for	2,000

originally standing in the name of the said Girish Chunder Mitter, deceased, the proprietor by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of Proprietor—PROSONNO KUMAR MITTER, guardian of Behary Loll Mitter.

Residence—Sarangabad, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas.

(931—3—762)

Notification.

IN supersession of the notification dated the 8th August 1891, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, the following certificate of the mode in which copies of Judicial records of the Cooch Behar Courts are certified as correct copies is published for general information:—

"I do hereby certify that the different modes in which copies of Judicial records of the Cooch Behar Courts are certified as correct copies are as follows:—

A copy of a document being made, the words 'certified to be a true copy' are written at the foot of the copy. It bears the seal of the Court, and is signed in full—if not by the presiding officer, then by the officer hereinafter named, viz.—

At the Sadar.

1. Copies made in the State Council by the Registrar of the State Council.

2. Copies made in any other Civil or Rent Courts (including Small Cause Court) by the Sarishtadar of the Civil Judge's Court.

3. Copies made in any Revenue Court other than the State Council and those made in the Court of the Settlement Naib Ahilkar by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Dewan.

4. Copies made in the State Superintendent's Court by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Superintendent of the State.

5. Copies made in the Court of the Sessions Judge by the Sarishtadar of the Sessions Judge.

6. Copies made in any other Criminal Court by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Fouzdari Ahilkar.

At Subdivisional Courts.

All copies by the Head Clerk and Sarishtadar of the Court.

In every such case the Certifying Officer appends to his signature the words 'authorized under section 76, Act I of 1872.'

The words

> Certified to be a true copy
> Authorised under section 76, Act I of 1872

may be impressed by means of a stamp."

H. C. WILLIAMS, Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division, and Political Agent for the Cooch Behar State.

Darjeeling, the 1st August 1903.

Notice.

List of unclaimed goods lying in the Custom House Wharf.

Name of vessel.	Marks and Nos.	Description of packages.	REMARKS.
S.S. "Somali"	Durnford	1 Deck chair ...	Broken.
„ "Pentakotta"	4th Punjab Infantry.	8 Guns ..	Old.
„ "Laisang"...	Nil	7 Packages sundries.	Damaged.
„ "Kumsang"	A H A G H or nil ...	1 Case gambier .	Half empty.
„ Do. ...	Ditto ...	2 Bags betelnuts	More or less damaged.
„ "Ujina" ..	G C L or nil ...	1 Cask sulphur.	
„ "C. Apcar"	Mr. D. Elias .	1 Parcel sundries.	
„ "Manora"	Nil ...	1 Wooden box ...	Broken.
„ "Carthage"	L H I	1 Case coral.	
„ Do.	Nil	1 Deck chair.	
„ "Peninsular"	F F A	1 Package unknown.	
„ Ditto	F N B	1 Deck chair.	
„ Ditto .	Mr. Fox ...	1 „ „	
„ Ditto .	Nil .	3 Chairs.	
„ Ditto ...	J Done or J D ...	1 Chair.	
„ Ditto ...	Dunstanville ...	1 „	
„ "Laisang"	A H A G H or nil ...	5 Bags betelnuts	More or less damaged.
„ "A. Apcar"	Yakub ..	1 Basket China-ware.	Broken, more or less empty
„ "India" ...	Geo. L. I. Sheffield, 3rd Officer, Poste Restante, Calcutta.	1 Box gold watch	
„ "Sumatra"	Robinson	1 Deck chair.	
„ "Palamcotta	Godor Ram ...	1 Revolver.	
„ "Wardha"	M ..	4 Bundles gunny	Loose.
„ "Ellora" ...	Barber Agra Posts	1 Case unknown.	
„ "Suisang"...	F. A. D. Ezikel .	1 Parcel sweetmeats.	
„ "Goorkha"	W. Willis ..	1 H. M. tarbine with M. tubes.	
„ "Clan Robertson."	Shipping Master	1 Package unknown.	
„ "Somali" ..	Nil or care of P & O.	1 Package unknown.	
„ "Goorkha"	Nil	8 Packets containing 500 cartridges for M tubes.	
„ "Rewa" ..	M. A. Thomson ...	2 Deck chairs.	
„ "Sirsa" ..	M N H 1..	1 Case silk.	
„ "Collegian"	717 & 17 M W	1 Case gun.	
„ "Scindia" ..	D or F	1 Case C. oil.	
„ "Bangala"	J. S. Arathoon ..	1 Package unknown.	
„ "Duplcix"	T C & S 98, 89-91	3 Cases unknown	

The above will be disposed of if not cleared on or before the 21st September 1903

L. F. MORSHEAD, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta Custom House, the 29th August 1903.

Lost or Stolen

THE Government Promissory Notes—

No.			Rs.
135625, 3½	per cent., 1865	...	500
135626	ditto, „	...	1,000
014666	ditto, 1900-1901	...	1,000

originally standing in the name of Abinash Chunder Ghose, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest and for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of the proprietor—AMARKRISTA ROY.

Residence—Sugandha, district Hooghly

(916—3—787)

Stolen

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 008311, 008312, 008314, of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97, for Rs. 500 each, originally standing in the name of Koonja Lal Addy, and last endorsed to Nogendra Bala Deby, the proprietress, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietress.

Name of Advertiser—KOONJA LAL BANERJEE.
Residence—Janai, district Hooghly. (960—3—791)

Lost.

THE lower half of the Government Promissory Note No. 078595 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1842-43 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to Jnanendra Chandra Bagchi, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor after six months from the date of last advertisement.

JNANENDRA CHANDRA BAGCHI.
3 and 4 Hare Street, Calcutta, the 10th August 1903. (871—3—751)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge, Shahabad.

EXECUTION CASE No. 224 OF 1903.

Sheonath Das, decree-holder, *versus* Sant Pershad, judgment-debtor.

THE undermentioned mortgaged property of the judgment-debtor Sant Pershad will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Shahabad, on the 7th day of September 1903, at 12 o'clock noon in the Subordinate Judge's Court-house at Arrah for satisfaction of Rs. 5,817-5-9:

1. Mavazi 8p. 10k. out of 16 annas, *asli* with *dakhli*, in mauza Babhaniaon, pargana Behea, thana Shahpur, sub-registry Jagdispur, bearing former tauzi No. 339 and present tauzi No. 836, the jama sadar being Rs. 528.

2. Mavazi five annas out of sixteen annas, mauza Kanai, *asli* with *dakhli* and *zerait*, pargana Piro, sub-registry Jagdispur, bearing former tauzi No. 387 and present tauzi No. 4417, and jama sadar Rs 960, subject to the incumbrance of judgment-debtor's Nos. 12 and 13 on annas 2, and also to that of judgment-debtor's Nos. 14 to 16 on 8 pies, worth Rs. 250.

3. Two annas out of sixteen annas, mauza Bajraan, pargana Nonaur, bearing tauzi No. 3699 and jama sadar Rs. 593-12, *asli mai dakhli* with *zerait* under the jurisdiction of the Sub-Registrar of Jagdispur.

SASI BHUSHAN CHAUDHURI, Subordinate Judge.
Arrah, the 14th August 1903. (922—1)

NOTICE.

In the First Court of the Munsif of Alipore.

EXECUTION CASE No. 919 OF 1903.

Gopal Chunder Chatterji, decree-holder, *versus* Nil Ratan Mitra, judgment-debtor.

THE following property belonging to the judgment-debtor will be sold by auction in the sale-room of the District Judge's Court on the 14th September 1903 at 12 A.M. in the execution of the decree for Rs. 364-1 5 gundas in the abovementioned case:—

The half share of 3 bighas of land in the sub-registry of Alipore, thana Bhowanipore, mauza Chakrabery, dihi 55 gram, holding No. 128, bearing annual rental of Rs. 4-11 9 to be paid to Panchannagram sharista, and one-third share of the buildings thereon consisting of six rooms in the upper and lower stories, and one-third share of the judgment-debter's ijmali *pujor dalan baitakkhana*. The premises bearing Municipal No. 27 South Chakrabery Road and its annual taxes are Rs. 36 to be paid to Calcutta Corporation. The above property was mortgaged by the judgment-debtor to Babu Ashutosh Biswas on the 26th September 1899 for Rs. 900 with interest at 12 per cent. per annum, and also bearing compound interest at the same rate if it be not paid within six months. The property is a valuable one.

BIPIN BIHARI CHATTERJI,
Munsif of Alipore, 1st Court.
Alipore, the 25th August 1903. (974—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge, Shahabad.

EXECUTION CASE No. 229 OF 1903.

Raj Bahadur, decree-holder, *versus* Ram Janam Singh, judgment-debtor.

THE undermentioned mortgaged property of the judgment-debtor, Babu Ram Janam Singh, will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court on 7th September 1903, at 12 o'clock noon in the Sub-Judge's Court-house at Arrah for satisfaction of Rs. 43,414-13-6:—

1. Two annas out of 16 annas mauza Lachhmanpur, *asli mai dakhli*, thana and sub-registry Arrah, bearing tauzi No. 383 and jama sadar Rs. 1,673-1-11.

2. Mavazi 1a. 9p. 8k 6m. 10d. out of 16 annas mahal Semaria Jeonarayen, *asli mai dakhli* with *zerait*, bearing tauzi No. 633 and jama sadar Rs. 888 8 6.

3. Mavazi 10 pies out of 16 annas mahal Sinha Bandari, *asli mai dakhli*, pargana Arrah, bearing tauzi No. 638 and jama sadar Rs 1,111-5-4.

4. Mavazi 1 anna and 2 pie out of 16 annas of mahal Sheopur Inglis, *asli mai dakhli*, bearing tauzi No. 657 and jama sadar Rs. 680-12-3.

5. Sixteen annas mauza Keharpur and Jahangirpal and Inri, *asli mai dakhli*, bearing tauzi No. 8998 and jama sadar Rs. 255-10-2, thana and sub-registry Arrah.

6. One anna and six pies out of 16 annas mahal Muzaffarpur, *asli mai dakhli*, bearing tauzi No. 6514 and jama sadar Rs. 114-11.

7. Six pies out of 16 annas of Birnaoan, *asli mai dakhli*, bearing tauzi No. 907 and jama sadar Rs. 8,487-7, sub-registry Jagdispur.

8. Nine pies out of 16 annas mauza Morata, *asli mai dakhli*, sub-registry Arrah, bearing tauzi No. 4039 and jama sadar Rs. 453-5-4.

9. Eight pies out of 16 annas mahal Sheodiari, *asli mai dakhli*, bearing tauzi No. 4597 and jama sadar Rs. 13,842.

10. One anna and four pie out of 16 annas mauza Lodipur Porha, *asli mai dakhli*, pertaining to mahal Baldá, pargana Arrah and sub-registry Arrah, bearing tauzi No. 82 and jama sadar Rs. 5,020-2-2.

SASI BHUSHAN CHAUDHURI, Subordinate Judge.
Arrah, the 14th August 1903. (924—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge, Shahabad.

EXECUTION CASE No. 208 OF 1903.

Raj Bahadur and others, decree-holders, *versus* Mussammat Gulzaro Kuar, judgment-debtor.

THE undermentioned property of the judgment-debtor Mussammat Gulzaro Kuar will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court on 7th September 1903 in the Sub-Judge's Court-house at Arrah at 12 o'clock noon for satisfaction of Rs. 14 555-4-0:—

Five annas and 4 pies out of 16 annas mauza Chela Narauni, pertaining to mahal Pawna, being former tauzi No. 647 and present tauzi No. 478, pargana Powar, thana and sub-registry Shahabad, jama sadar being Rs. 4,725-14-7.

SASI BHUSHAN CHAUDHURI, Subordinate Judge.
Arrah, the 14th August 1903. (923—1)

In the Court of the Munsif of Aurangabad.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION CASE No. 206 OF 1903.

Kuldip Singh, decree-holder, *versus* Syed Muzher Husen, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Court of the Munsif of Aurangabad in the Civil Court building at 12 o'clock noon, on the 26th day of October 1903, 4 annas and 2 pies proprietary right of the judgment-debtor in mauza Chanter, pargana Manora, district Gaya, bearing tauzi No. 3327 and jama sadar Rs. 706-11. Approximate value Rs. 100.

MIRZA BEDAR BUKHT, Munsif.
Aurangabad, the 26th August 1903. (983—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Rajshahi.

RENT SUITS Nos. 10 AND 11 OF 1903.

Nagendra Nath Mozumdar, Administrator to the estate of the late Bipineshwar Mozumdar, of Gobindpore, police-station Nattore, district Rajshahi, plaintiff, *versus* Messrs. Robert Watson and Company, Limited, and another, defendants.

YOU Messrs. Robert Watson and Company, Limited, do hereby take notice that the aforesaid plaintiff has established rent suits Nos. 10 and 11 of 1903 against you and another, for Rs. 1,269-4-9 and Rs. 1,716-5 respectively, for the arrears of rent of Darpatni Taluk of Sreerampore and Tetulia, and that the date of hearing has been fixed for the 15th September next. You are hereby required to appear on the aforesaid date at 10 A.M. before the aforesaid Court, otherwise the case will be heard in your absence *ex-parte*.

JOGENDER NATH MITTER, Subordinate Judge.
Rajshahi, the 28th August 1903. (984—1)

In the 3rd Court of the Subordinate Judge of Patna.

PRESENT:

Rai Jogendra Nath Deb Bahadur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 52 OF 1903.

Babu Thamman Lall, *alias* Bodha Babu, of mohallah Kuche Bara, in the Patna City, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Mathura Prasad Singh, Janki Prasad Singh and Ram Rachheya Prasad Singh of mauza Beshunpur Pandovi, pargana Ikkil, district Gaya, judgment-debtors.

THE following properties of the abovementioned judgment-debtors shall be sold for recovery of Rs. 10,124 1-3 by the Nazir of the District Judge of Patna in the sale-room of that Court on the 26th October 1903 at 12 o'clock noon:—

No. 1.—Twelve annas proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in mauza Shekhopur Indaut urf Mayi, pargana Beswak, district Patna, bearing tauzi No. 230 and sadar jama Rs. 1,067-11-9, valued at Rs. 10,000.

No. 2.—Fourteen annas and 2½ dams proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in mauza Shekhopur Indaut urf Kamria Begha, pargana Beswak, district Patna, bearing tauzi No. 232 and sadar jama Rs. 80-4-3 valued at Rs. 1,000.

JOGENDRA NATH DEB,
Subordinate Judge, 3rd Court, Patna.
Bankipore, the 27th August 1903. (983—1)

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1½ OF 1902.

Inatullya Sheikh, petitioner.

INATULLYA SHEIKH, son of Shonaullya Sheikh, of Barai Patal, pargana Pukharia, district Mymensingh, was declared an insolvent by this Court under section 351, Civil Procedure Code.

BEHARI LAL BANERJI, Subordinate Judge.

Mymensingh Subordinate Judge's 1st Court, the 8th August 1903. (947—1—810)

Notice.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 28 OF 1902.

In the matter of Munia Das Sardar, an insolvent.

MUNIA DAS SARDAR, son of Asharu Das Sardar, of Uttarashosh, thana Nilphamari, district Rangpur, was declared an insolvent on the 19th January 1903.

K. N. ROY, District Judge.
Rangpur Judge's Court, the 25th August 1903.
(976—1—811)

Notice.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 29 OF 1902.

In the matter of Dhunia Das Sardar, an insolvent.

DHUNIA DAS SARDAR, son of Asharu Das Sardar, of Uttarashosh, thana Nilphamari, district Rangpur, was declared an insolvent on the 29th January 1903.

K. N. ROY, District Judge.
Rangpur Judge's Court, the 25th August 1903.
(976—1—812)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	3rd Sept.	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	2nd ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	7th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	4th ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *G Apear*.
Burma	3rd ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	5th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	5th ,,	,, 7 30	Ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	7th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Port Blair	5th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.

* Although the date entered in column 4 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—
   - For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.
   - For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.
   - For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
   - For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
   - For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—
   - For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
   - For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.
   - For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
   - For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
   - For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M. } and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.
   - For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
   - For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—
   - For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
   - For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
   - For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
   - For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
   - For Midnapore, Orissa and the Madras Presidency, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8 45 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails, *vid* Bombay, the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by sea. Foreign Mails for despatch *vid* Madras or Tuticorin are received up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee up to 8-45 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., } JOHN OWENS,
The 1st September 1903. } *Presidency Postmaster.*

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 565 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, it is hereby declared that the General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta intend to submit the following draft bye-laws for the consideration of the Corpopation.

Any person having any objection to the bye-laws should submit it in writing to the Chairman of the Corporation before the 1st October 1903.

Bye-laws under section 559 (51) prescribing the conditions under which persons shall be permitted to drive registered carts.

1. Every proprietor or driver of a cart shall comply with such of the following provisions for regulating the maximum weight to be carried by carts as shall be applicable to such cart :—

For carts drawn by		2 buffaloes	... 40	maunds.
,,	,,	1 buffalo	... 20	,,
,,	,,	2 bulls or bullocks	... 20	,,
,,	,,	1 bull or bullock	... 10	,,

2. No male person under the age of 16 years, and no female person shall drive, or be in charge of a cart.

3. No person suffering from a contagious or infectious disease shall drive, or be in charge of a cart.

4. Every driver or person in charge of a cart shall drive or conduct his cart on the extreme left of the road in a line with and in rear of any other carts or cart proceeding in the same direction, and he shall not in any way make any attempt to pass the cart immediately in front of his cart.

5. No person shall load or unload a cart in a narrow street, except in such portion thereof as shall admit the passage of two carts abreast.

6. When loading or unloading a cart in a street the person in charge of the cart shall rest in parallel with the footpath with one of its wheels touching the kerb-stone, or if there is no footpath, then parallel with and immediately on the edge of the street.

7. Every driver or person in charge of a cart shall light his lamp as soon as it becomes dark, and shall obey all reasonable orders of the Police on duty.

8. All loads carried on any cart shall be properly fastened and secured so as to prevent any portion of the load from falling off the cart. Carts laden with bamboos, long iron rails or pipes or long timber must be in charge of not less than three men of whom one shall go in front to guide the load and another behind; and after dark the persons accompanying all carts so laden must each carry a light.

9. Every driver or person in charge of a cart shall give correct information about his own name, age and residence, the name and residence of the owner, the place where the cart is ordinarily kept, and such other particulars necessary to establish his own identity and that of the owner of the cart, as he may be required by the Registering Officer to state at the time of each half-yearly registration.

10. Every driver shall carry with him when plying for hire the cart license for the then current half-year and produce it for inspection, whenever required to do so, by any Municipal or Police Officer, or the hirer of the cart.

11. The proprietor and the driver or person in charge of a cart in respect of which an offence is committed against any of the above Bye-laws shall be liable for every such offence to a fine which may extend to 20 Rupees, and in the case of a continuing breach, to a fine which may extend to 10 Rupees for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 27th August 1903.

W. W. CUNNINGHAM,
Offg. Secretary to the Corporation.

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CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 565 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, it is hereby declared that the General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta intend to submit the following draft bye-laws for the consideration of the Corporation.

Any person having any objection to the bye laws should submit it in writing to the Chairman of the Corporation before the 1st October 1903.

Bye-laws under Section 559 (34) for regulating the use of Municipal Slaughter-houses.

1 Butchers and others shall have access to a slaughter-house only for the purpose of slaughtering animals intended for human food and for the resulting purposes of skinning, cutting up and cleaning carcasses of animals slaughtered therein and on the conditions hereunder specified.

2. A person desirous of having the right to slaughter animals in a slaughter-house shall apply to the Chairman for a license. No person shall without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Chairman in that behalf have the

right to slaughter animals in a slaughter-house. The granting of a license shall be discretionary.

3. The license granted by the Chairman shall have effect and continue in force from the commencement to the end of the financial year on account of which it is granted, and shall state the name of the person to whom, and the slaughter-house in respect of which, it is granted and the place or portion of such slaughter-house assigned to the licensee, and shall state that it is granted subject to the terms of section 492 of the Act. There shall be paid for each license a fee of Rs. 5.

4. A licensee shall apply to the Superintendent for a ticket for each person who is to act on his behalf or as his assistant in slaughtering animals. The ticket shall specify the name of the person in respect of whom it is issued and the place in or portion of the slaughter-house assigned to the licensee. The ticket shall be issued free of charge, and shall remain in force for the same period as the license granted to the licensee.

5. No license or ticket shall be transferable.

6. No place in or portion of a slaughter-house other than that assigned to the licensee and specified in the license shall be used by either the licensee or any assistant holding a ticket for slaughtering animals.

7. A licensee or ticket-holder shall produce his license or ticket, as the case may be, whenever he shall be required so to do by any Commissioner or by the Superintendent or other Municipal officer.

8. Animals shall be slaughtered in a slaughter-house only on such days and during such hours as shall from time to time be fixed by the Chairman by regulation made in accordance with section 488 of the Act. A notice signed by the Superintendent and countersigned by the Health Officer shall be affixed in a conspicuous place in the slaughter-house naming such days and hours.

9. None but licensees, ticket-holders, Municipal Commissioners and Municipal Officers shall have access to a slaughter-house during the hours fixed for slaughtering animals and during the process of skinning, cutting up, cleaning and stamping the carcasses.

10. Every animal brought to a slaughter-house shall be placed at such place within the premises as the Superintendent shall direct, and shall be secured in such manner as shall effectually prevent it from breaking loose or causing injury to other animals and in such a manner as to avoid causing unnecessary suffering to the animal itself.

11. No animal other than an animal which is dying from injury sustained in an accident and which is brought to the slaughter-house immediately after the accident and which shall be killed at once, shall be slaughtered until after the lapse of 24 hours from the time it is brought to the slaughter-house, and during the period an animal is confined in a slaughter-house the Superintendent shall see that it is provided during such confinement with a proper supply of wholesome water.

12. All animals brought to a slaughter-house shall be carefully examined by the Superintendent, and no animal shall be slaughtered there until it has been so examined and pronounced by the Superintendent to be free from disease.

13. No person shall bring a diseased, *dying* or dead animal to a slaughter-house.

This bye-law shall not apply in the case of an otherwise healthy animal which is *dying* from injury sustained in an accident and which is brought to the slaughter-house immediately after the accident.

14. No animal which upon examination is found to the diseased or shows symptoms of or is suspected of being diseased shall be slaughtered at a slaughter-house.

15. A special pen shall be attached to every slaughter-house premises for the segregation of animals which are found to show symptoms of or are suspected of being diseased, and every animal which upon examination is found to show symptoms of or be suspected of being diseased shall be at once removed to such special pen, and there kept under observation for such period as may be necessary to ascertain whether it is diseased or not The cost of the maintenance of any animal kept in the special pen shall be paid *by the person bringing the animal* to the slaughter-house.

16. Every animal which shall be found to be suffering from an infectious or contagious disease shall forthwith be seized by the Superintendent and removed to the Municipal Knackery, or such other place as the Chairman may from time to time appoint, to be there destroyed and disposed of in such manner as to prevent any portion of the carcass being used as human food. A report of every such case shall be made to the Chairman forthwith.

17. A dying or dead animal brought to a slaughter-house shall be treated as an animal suffering from an infectious or contagious disease, provided that an animal which is dying as the result of accident and is brought to a slaughter-house immediately after the accident, may, if upon examination it be found to be free from any disease, be allowed to be slaughtered for human food.

18. No animal that is, or is suspected to be, with young shall be slaughtered at a slaughter-house.

19. The carcass of every animal which has been slaughtered in a slaughter-house shall be immediately skinned and cleaned by the person who slaughtered it, and shall after it has been skinned be carefully examined by the Superintendent to ascertain if it is free from disease. The skin shall likewise be carefully examined by the Superintendent to ascertain if it is free from disease.

20. Every carcass which upon examination is found to be diseased shall be seized by the Superintendent and with the consent of the owner, or the person who

brought the animal to the slaughter-house, be forthwith destroyed in such manner as to prevent its being used for human food, or if in any case such consent be not obtained, then, if the carcass is, in the opinion of the Chairman, the Health Officer or District Health Officer, diseased, it may be destroyed as aforesaid. The expenses incurred in destroying such animal shall be paid by the person in whose possession it was at the time of its seizure.

In any case when either the skin or carcass shall show symptoms of a contagious disease the skin shall be destroyed by the Superintendent; in all other cases the skins shall remain the property of the owner. In the event of any dispute between the Superintendent and the owner of a carcass or skin as to whether a carcass or skin is deseasad or not, the matter shall be referred to the Health Officer whose decision shall be final.

21. All meat and offal which upon examination are found to be diseased or are unfit for human food shall be seized and dealt with in the same manner as a diseased carcass.

22. Immediately after examination, every skinned carcass, which is found to be free from disease and fit for human food, shall be stamped over the body by the Superintendent, before the carcass is quartered or cut up. Such stamping shall be done with such stamp and dye, as may be from time to time prescribed by the Health Officer, with the Chairman's approval.

23. Skinned carcasses qualified for stamping shall be divided into three classes, numbered 1, 2 and 3; according to the quality of the meat, and stamps shall be provided for each class, and every carcass shall be stamped with the stamp designating the class to which the carcass is assigned. The Superintendent shall decide to what class each carcass is to be assigned, and, in the event of any dispute, the matter shall be referred to the Health Officer, whose decision shall be final.

24. No person shall blow by insufflation or any other process, the carcass of any animal slaughtered for human food and every person assisting in this process shall be held to have committed an offence under these regulations.

25. Every animal slaughtered in a slaughter-house shall be slaughtered in such a manner as to prevent the blood of the animal from flowing over the floor.

26. The skins, entrails and offal of slaughtered animals, which have been found to be free from disease, shall be removed to a special offal room in the slaughter-house, which will be provided for the purpose, and shall be washed and cleaned there before their removal.

27. All refuse and offal rejected by the owners of slaughtered animals, shall be deposited by them or their assistance in a Municipal offal truck, which will be provided for the purpose, and shall be disposed of, as the Chairman may direct.

28. The solid contents of the entrails of slaughtered animals shall not be washed into the sewers, but shall be removed by the persons who slaughtered the animals or their assistants, and deposited in a Municipal offal truck, which will be provided for the purpose and shall be disposed of as the Chairman shall direct.

29. Every person who slaughters an animal in a slaughter-house shall cause that portion of the floor of the slaughter-house, where the animal has been slaughtered and any adjoining wall to be thoroughly washed and cleaned immediately after the slaughter of the animals, so as to prevent the absorption therein of any blood or liquid refuse or filth, which may be spilled or splashed therein or any offensive or noxious matter which may be deposited thereon or brought in contact therewith.

30. All skins, offal and entrails, etc., left at a slaughter-house after such hour as the Superintendent shall, with the sanction of the Chairman, prescribe, shall be considered to be refuse, and shall become the property of the Corporation, and shall be disposed of as the Chairman shall direct.

31. No person shall sell meat in retail on the premises of a slaughter-house. Skins and offal may be sold in the yard of a slaughter-house, but no purchaser of any skins or offal shall on any pretext enter any portion of the slaughter-house or any building forming part thereof.

32. All meat, entrails and offal, which are fit for human food and are permitted to be removed from a slaughter-house, shall be removed in covered baskets and carts, which, together with their covers, shall be at all times kept clean, and shall be produced daily to the Superintendent or his assistants, whose duty it shall be to inspect them and see that they are kept clean.

33. Every person who slaughters in a slaughter-house any animal the carcass whereof is found to be free from disease, and fit for human food, shall every day, before leaving the slaughter-house, obtain from the Superintendent a receipt stating the number and class of the animals slaughtered by him, and the date and time when they were slaughtered, and the name of the person who slaughtered the animals, and counterfoils of all such receipts shall be filed in and kept by the Superintendent.

34. No person suffering from leprosy, sores or any disease of the skin or any contagious or infectious disease, shall enter a slaughter-house or any part of the premises.

35. No dog shall be admitted into a slaughter-house. Every dog found in a slaughter-house, shall be at once made over to the police to be dealt with as a stray dog.

36. No animals other than those which the Superintendent or his Assistant has passed as fit for slaughter and which are intended for immediate slaughter, shall be brought into that portion of the slaughter-house, which shall be set apart for the slaughter of the animals.

37. All animals brought to a slaughter-house, and which are not intended for immediate slaughter, shall be kept in pens attached to the slaughter-house, until such time as they are

required, and permitted to be slaughtered, but no animal shall be so kept for more than 48 hours or such shorter period as may be necessary, subject to the provisions of Bye-law No. 11, for the purpose of preparing such cattle, by fasting or otherwise, for the process of slaughtering.

38. The owner of an animal kept in any pen for any purpose, shall bear all charges for its keep, and he shall be allowed to feed it, and to employ his own servants, if necessary, for that purpose, and shall obey all orders and directions given by the Superintendent.

39. No animals other than those which the Superintendent has passed as fit for slaughter, and which are intended for immediate slaughter, shall be brought into that portion of the slaughter-house, which shall be set apart for the slaughter of the animals.

40. No person shall make a noise, fight, or quarrel or use insulting, abusive or obscene language in a slaughter-house. Persons contravening this regulation may be summarily ejected by the Superintendent or his assistants.

41. No employé of the Corporation shall ask for or receive any gratuity in money or otherwise from any person making use of a slaughter-house.

42. No person except an employé of the Corporation appointed or other person authorised for the purpose, and placed under the control of the Health Officer, shall be permitted to perform any religious rites or duties connected with the slaughtering of animals, having regard to the views of the religious community to which he belongs.

43. The fee payable to the Corporation for the slaughtering of each animal in a slaughter-house shall be, as detailed in the following Schedule:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Cows, bullocks and buffaloes (1st class)	0	4	0
Cows, do. do. (2nd class)	0	2	0
Calves	0	1	0
Sheep	0	2	0
Goats	0	2	0
Kids	0	1	0
Pigs	0	2	0

44. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing Bye-laws, shall be liable, for every such offence, to a fine which may extend to twenty rupees, and in the case of a continuing breach, to fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

Section 559 (36) for preventing persons suffering from any loathsome disease from keeping stalls, in or being employed in preparing or selling article of food in any market, or from entering any Municipal Market or touching any article brought thereto for sale, and for authorising the expulsion of such persons from any Municipal Market.

(1) No person suffering from leprosy or any other contagious or dangerous disease shall enter or live or carry on business or be employed in or be allowed to enter or live or carry on business or be employed in any market building, market-place, market, bazar or slaughter-house.

(2) In any case where a person suffering from any such disease enters or lives in or carries on business or is employed in any such market building, market-place, market, bazar or slaughter-house, the owner, occupier, farmer or person having the control thereof shall be deemed to have allowed such person to enter or live in or carry on business or to be employed in such place as aforesaid, unless he can prove that he has taken reasonable care and precaution to prevent such breach. Any person who offends against the preceding Bye-law hereof, may be immediately ejected by any Municipal Officer or Police Officer.

(3) No person shall sell, store, manufacture or deposit or be allowed to sell, store, manufacture or deposit any articles of human food or drink or drug or keep or be allowed to keep, any utensil or article necessary for the manufacture or carriage or storage of any such food, drink or drug in any part of any market building, market-place, market, bazar or slaughter-house, in which any person suffering from leprosy or any other contagious or dangerous disease has entered or lived or carried on business or been employed, until such part has been certified by the District Health Officer to be free from infection.

If any person uses for any of the said purposes any part of any market building, market-place, market, bazar, or slaughter-house, in which any person suffering from leprosy or any other contagious or dangerous disease has entered or lived or carried on business or been employed before such part has been certified by the District Health Officer to be free from infection, the owner, occupier or person having the control thereof, shall be deemed to have allowed the use of the said part.

Penalty Section.

Any person who shall commit a breach of any of the provisions of this Bye-law, shall be liable to a fine which may extend to twenty rupees, and in the case of a continuing breach of a fine which may extend to ten rupees, for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

Bye-laws under section 559 (37) for preventing persons suffering from any infectious or contagious disease living in places where food or drugs is or are sold, stored or prepared, and for disinfecting the place when any such case has occurred.

1. No person suffering from leprosy or any other loathsome, infectious or contagious disease shall live in or remain in or be permitted to occupy any place in which food or drugs is or are sold, exposed for sale, stored or prepared.

2. No owner or other person having the control or management of any place in which food or drugs is or are sold, exposed for sale, stored or prepared shall cause or permit any person suffering from leprosy or any other lothsome, infectious or contagious disease to live therein.

3. If a case of leprosy or any other leothsome, infectious or contagious disease occurs in any place in which food or drugs is or are sold, exposed for sale, stored or prepared, the owner, occupier or other person having the control or management of such place shall, within three hours from such occurrence, give information thereof to the Health Officer or a District Health Officer, and shall permit the Health Officer, District Health Officer or other Municipal Officer to enter into every part of the said place or building, and to disinfect the same, and to take such other measures as in the opinion of the Health Officer, District Health Officer or other Municipal Officer shall be necessary or desirable to prevent the spread of such disease beyond such place.

4. No person shall sell, expose for sale, store or prepare any food or drugs in any place in which any case of leprosy or other loathsome, infectious or contagious disease has occurred, until such place is certified by the Health Officer or District Health Officer to be free from infection.

5. All food and drugs, in or about any place in which food or drugs are sold, exposed for sale, stored or prepared at the time when any case of leprosy or other loathsome, infectious or contagious disease occurs shall be deemed to be unfit for human food or for medicine.

6. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing Bye-laws shall be punishable for every such offence with fine which may extend to twenty rupees, and, in the case of a continuing breach, with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the breach continues, after conviction for the first breach.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 28th August 1903.

W. W. CUNNINGHAM,
Offg. Secretary to the Corporation.

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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber on Saturday, the 1st August, 1903.

Present:

The Hon'ble MR. J. A. BOURDILLON, C.S.I., Acting Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*.
The Hon'ble MR. L. P. PUGH, *Offg.* Advocate-General of Bengal.
The Hon'ble MR. C. E. BUCKLAND, C.I.E.
The Hon'ble MR. B. L. GUPTA.
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The Hon'ble MR. L. P. SHIRRES.
The Hon'ble MR. A. EARLE.
The Hon'ble MR. W. A. INGLIS.
The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, M.A., D.L., F.R.A.S., F.R.S.E.
The Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY.
The Hon'ble MAHARAJA MANINDRA CHANDRA NANDY, of Cossimbazar.
The Hon'ble MR. H. ELWORTHY.
The Hon'ble MR. A. A. APCAR.
The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR.
The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR.
The Hon'ble MAHARAJA SIR RAVANESHWAR PRASHAD SINGH BAHADUR, K.C.I.E., of Gidhour.
The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH, M.A., B.L.

NEW MEMBER.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH took his seat in Council.

QUESTION AND ANSWER.

MUNSIFS' RESIDENCES.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—

In paragraph 48 of the Explanatory Notes on the Bengal Financial Statement for 1902-1903, it is stated that the allotment for original works includes a grant of Rs. 40,000 for Munsifs' residences. Will the Government be pleased to inquire and state whether the whole of this sum was spent during the year 1902-1903? If not, what is the reason? Will the Government be pleased to specify the names of the places where such residences were built during the year 1902-1903 out of this grant of Rs. 40,000?

The Hon'ble MR. INGLIS replied:—

"The actual expenditure incurred during the year 1902-1903 was Rs. 39,603 on residences for Munsifs at the places named below:—

1. Gumla.
2. Cox's Bazar.
3. Chandpur.
4. Patya.
5. Perozepore.
6. Bhola.
7. Atia.
8. Bagerhat.
9. Hathazari.
10. Kishoreganj.
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12. Patuakhali.
13. Hatya.
14. Thakurgaon.
15. Kishenganj.
16. Jamalpur. "

THE CHOTA NAGPUR TENANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1903.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE moved that the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act and the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897, be taken into consideration.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that the clauses of the Bill be considered in the form recommended by the Select Committee.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 2.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that the following be inserted after clause (*g*) in clause 2 (*2*) of the Bill, namely:—

'(*h*) "Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy" means the interest of a Mundari khunt-kattidar.'

He said:—"The reason for this amendment will, I think, be obvious to the Council. In several sections of the Bill reference is made to a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, but no definition of this has been provided. It seems therefore necessary to provide for this defect, and accordingly I would suggest the adoption of this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that, in sub-clause (*h*) of clause 2 (*2*) of the Bill, the words "any Act for the time being in force for the registration of documents" be substituted for the words "the Indian Registration Act, 1877." He said:—

"This definition is given in the Bengal Tenancy Act, and I think it is more comprehensive than in the present Act, and could, with advantage, be adopted."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I have nothing to urge against the acceptance of this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, also moved that in line 5 of sub-clause (*n*) of clause 2 (*2*) the word "raiyats" be subtituted for the word "tenants." He said:—

"This was the subject of some discussion in the High Court, and I fear that the use of the word 'tenants' might create some confusion. I therefore submit that we should substitute the word 'raiyats' for the word 'tenants.'"

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am unable to support this amendment, and that for two reasons. In the first place, I am unable to satisfy myself that there is any definite ground for departing from the wording given in section 5 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, from which this was taken, and, *secondly*, because I am at a loss to understand why a tenure-holder should be deprived from creating an under-tenure, which would be the effect if this amendment were adopted. For these two reasons, I cannot recommend to the Council the acceptance of this amendment."

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, in reply, said:—"After the expression of opinion we have just heard from the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, I do not desire to press my amendment."

The Motion was then, by leave of the Council, withdrawn.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, moved that to sub-clause (*o*) of clause 2 (*2*) of the Bill the following be added, as Explanation II, the Explanation which is already attached to the sub-clause being made "Explanation I," namely:—

'*Explanation II.*—A person acquiring at the same time a right to hold land both for the purpose of cultivating it by himself or by members of his family or by hired servants or with the aid of partners, and for the purpose of collecting rents or bringing it under cultivation by establishing tenants on it, or partly for one such purpose and partly for the other, is not a "raiyat" within the meaning of this definition.'

He said:—"In moving this amendment, I must say that I do not question the correctness of the definition of 'tenure-holder' in sub-clause (*n*) or that of 'raiyat' in sub-clause (*o*), so far as they go; but what I want, and I must insist upon, is an addition by way of explanation which will enable raiyats, tenure-holders, superior landlords and the Courts that may have to deal judicially in regard to questions arising before them to understand correctly the relative rights of such raiyats, tenure-holders and superior landlords. I must say also, Sir, that it will be dangerous to leave sub-clauses (*n*) and (*o*) alone without an Explanation."

"In venturing to support the amendment I have proposed, I must place before the Council certain facts which are material for arriving at a conclusion. The raiyati right must necessarily owe its origin to a contract, expressed or implied. I hold in my hand a paper-book of the High Court in a case which went from Hazaribagh to that Court in regular appeal. There are numerous farming leases, or counterparts of such leases, in this paper-book, all of which contain conditions to the following effect:—

'The farmer or the lessee shall cultivate lands by himself and cause lands to be cultivated by others. He shall collect rents from raiyats.'

"I have another paper-book in my hand which relates to a case that came to the High Court from the district of Bhagalpur. The lease in this case contains a condition as follows:—

'The lessee shall cultivate lands by himself. He shall maintain raiyats in possession, and shall collect rents from them.'

"I here crave leave to appeal to your Honour's experience in Bihar generally for a period of upwards of 20 years to bear me out, that the system of grant of farming known as *mostajir* leases are very common in that Province. My native home is in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, and I am connected with the district of Monghyr in several ways. These districts

are next-door neighbours to the district of Hazaribagh, in the Ranchi Division. I do possess some knowledge of the habits and customs of the people of some portions of the Ranchi Division. In all these places, so far as I know, farming leases and their counterparts are systematically exchanged. The land tenures in India are well understood at the present day. But when we deal with them in legislative measures and undertake to define the rights of the holders thereof, it is desirable to give a complete, or at any rate sufficiently comprehensive, shape to the definitions to prevent difficulties and litigations in future. In the absence of an explanation of sub-clauses (*n*) and (*o*), the difficulty that I have met with in very many cases since the Bengal Tenancy Act came into operation justifies the amendment I propose. Suppose, Sir, on the expiry of the term of a farming lease, when the out-going farmer, who has succeeded in bringing under his cultivation a large area during his possession, sticks to the possession of such area and refuses to quit possession thereof, saying 'I acquired right to cultivate lands in the estate.' 'I have cultivated lands.' 'I have paid rents for the same.' 'I am legally entitled to hold on.' 'I am a raiyat with or without right of occupancy.' 'I was not a tenure-holder in respect of such lands, and I am not bound to quit possession thereof otherwise than in due course of law'.

"I submit, Sir, under these circumstances that with the definitions in sub-clauses (*n*) and (*o*), the superior landlord will find difficulty in turning him out of possession of such lands, standing alone, and at all events a wide door to serious litigation will be opened in Chota Nagpur, as has been done in places where the Bengal Tenancy Act is in force.

"It is not a difficult task for the farmers and *mostajirs* to bring under their grasp large areas by dispossessing poor raiyats in Chota Nagpur, or otherwise bringing waste lands, easy of reclamation, lying in the estates under their *khas* possession. They will make encroachments upon the village rights—rights and privileges of raiyats which were recognized during the time of the Hindus and the Muhammadan Government, and which, up to the present day, have been recognized by the British Government. Our Statutes have proceeded throughout on the lines of the ancient rights and privileges of the raiyats and the customary incidents attaching thereto. If the definition of a raiyat in the Bill be not made sufficiently comprehensive and clear, the result will be to leave the parties, their advocates and the Court to straining, turning, twisting and torturing of the words used in sub-clauses (*n*) and (*o*) without being able to arrive at any reasonable and fair conclusion."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I cannot, Sir, advise the Council to accept this amendment. In the first place, the object of the amendment is to prevent farmers of rents, *thikádár* and such like persons from acquiring, during the currency of their leases, a right of occupancy in the lands let to them under such leases. When introducing the Report of the Select Committee on this Bill, I pointed out that, owing to the absence of the necessary data, which cannot for some years be furnished by the Settlement Officer, we were now unable to deal satisfactorily with the question of occupancy right as a whole. *Secondly*, although the subject-matter of this Bill has been under discussion for a very long time, not one single zamindar has pointed out the necessity of having such a clause in the Bill. In the absence, therefore, of any such proved need, to accept this amendment would, in effect, be to abandon the principle that guided the Select Committee in dealing with the Bill. It would also be very dangerous to deal any further with the question of occupancy right when, as I have already pointed out, we lack the requisite information on the subject.

"Should, however, events occur which, in the opinion of the local officers, would require action to be taken to prevent by law farmers, etc., from acquiring occupancy rights in the lands covered by their leases and, if such need arise, before the Act as a whole could be revised, the Government can, by extending section 22 (*3*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act to Chota Nagpur, provide a sufficient remedy at once.

"I would therefore suggest that this amendment be rejected."

The Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY said:—"The amendment which is sought to be introduced by the Hon'ble Rai Tarini Pershad, Bahadur, is that in cases where one and the same person has got two functions as it were, namely, that of a raiyat and that of a tenure-holder, then so far as he cultivates land by himself or by hired labourers, he should not be deemed a raiyat within the meaning of this sub-clause (*o*). But, then, the amendment that he moves seems to be unnecessary, as will be seen if we refer to the following portion of sub-clause (*o*): 'A person shall not be deemed to be a raiyat unless he holds land either immediately under a proprietor or immediately under a tenure-holder, or immediately under a Mundari khunt-kattidar.' Let us suppose that *A* takes a lease from the proprietor of a village, and that he is also permitted to cultivate a portion of the land in the village as a raiyat. Now he cannot be a raiyat unless he holds immediately under the proprietor; but he does not hold immediately under the proprietor because the village has been leased, nor immediately under the tenure-holder because he does not hold under the tenure-holder, he being himself the tenure-holder. So such a person cannot be a raiyat because he would be holding under himself, he himself being the tenure-holder. Therefore that part of my friend's amendment seems to be covered by the paragraph that appears after the Explanation to sub-clause (*o*). He cannot be a raiyat because a raiyat has to pay rent to the zamindar or *málik*, and he cannot pay either to himself or to the *málik*, because the *málik* is the lessor of the land. Under these circumstances, the amendment seems to me to be unnecessary."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"The amendment moved involves a serious question of principle, and I do not intend to record a silent vote against it. It seems to me quite clear that, as a matter of principle, this amendment ought not to be accepted. A tenure-holder under the Act means primarily a person who acquires land not for the purpose of cultivating it himself, but for the purpose of settling tenants on it and collecting rents from them. A raiyat, on the other hand, is defined to be primarily a person who acquires land for the purpose of keeping it himself and cultivating it either by himself, or by the members of his family or by his servants, or with the aid of partners. My hon'ble and learned friend is contemplating the case of a person who acquires land for both these purposes, or partly for one of these purposes and partly for the other, and wants us to hold that his function is that of a riayat, and that he should not be regarded as a tenure-holder. I submit that this is entirely wrong on principle. Suppose a man acquires 100 bighas, and in his lease it is stated that he may either cultivate it himself or settle tenants thereon; if he cultivates the entire 100 bighas himself, I take it that the inference should be that he is a raiyat. If, on the other hand, he settles tenants on the 100 bighas, he should be regarded as a tenure-holder. My hon'ble and learned friend says: 'No, if he has a lease in which it is stated that he may use it in either way, he can never be regarded as a raiyat although he cultivates the land himself.' In the same way if he takes 50 bighas and settles tenants thereon and takes another 50 bighas for cultivating it himself, my hon'ble and learned friend says he cannot be regarded as a raiyat in respect of the one and as a tenure-holder in respect of the other. I submit this cannot possibly be a correct view of the matter."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I submit that I cannot support the amendment of my hon'ble and learned friend for two reasons. In the first place, in considering the circumstances of Chota Nagpur, it is not an urgent amendment, and, in the second place, the object contended for by my hon'ble and learned friend is very well met by another amendment which he subsequently moves and with which I have every sympathy."

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, said:—"I am also opposed to this amendment on this simple ground that, if carried, it would limit the meaning of the word 'raiyat.' I would like to see the meaning of 'raiyat' to be as wide as possible, and do not think it should be restricted in the way proposed by this amendment."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, in reply said:—"When we are defining 'tenure-holder' and 'raiyat,' we must not leave the definitions defective. I submit, Sir, for the reasons I have already given, they should be

made clear. The necessity for definition of 'raiyat' and 'tenure-holder' has arisen, and they should be defined clearly, and what I want falls clearly within the legitimate scope of the Bill. I, therefore, must say that the Council should see their way to accept the amendment I have moved."

The Motion was then put and lost.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, also moved that after sub-clause (*o*), in clause 2 (*2*) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

'(*p*) "Under-raiyat" means a tenant holding, whether immediately or mediately, under a raiyat.'

He said:—"I thought there would be some difficulty if, in the Bill as it stands, an Explanation of this sort was not inserted, but having had the benefit of a discussion with the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, and having regard to the fact that the Bill does not deal with 'under-raiyats,' I have considered it proper to withdraw this amendment, and I accordingly do so."

The Motion was then, by leave of the Council, withdrawn.

New Clauses.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, by leave of the Council withdrew the following motions, of which he had given notice, namely:—

(1) "That after clause 2 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'2A. In section 5 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, after the word "raiyat," the words "and every Mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be inserted.'

(2) "That the following be inserted, namely:—

'2B. (*1*) In section 6 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, after the words "twelve years" the words "and every Mundari khunt-kattidar who has cultivated land for a period of twelve years" shall be inserted.

'(*2*) In the same section, after the word "raiyat," in the second place in which it occurs, the words "or Mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be inserted.'

He said:—"The Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill has satisfied me that these amendments are not required, and I beg leave to withdraw them."

Clause 3.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, by leave of the Council, also withdrew the following motions, of which he had given notice, namely:—

(1) "That in the first paragraph in the new clauses in clause 3 of the Bill, after the word 'raiyat' the words 'or Mundari khunt-kattidar' be inserted."

(2) "That in the second paragraph in the new clauses in clause 3 of the Bill, after the word 'holds' the words 'and every Mundari khunt-kattidar who cultivates' be inserted."

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that the following be inserted in clause 3 of the Bill, namely:—

'The words "so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same," in section 6 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, are repealed.'

He said:—"I may remind Hon'ble Members that these words 'so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same' are to be found in Act X of 1859, but they were subsequently omitted, and I must say advisedly omitted in the Act of 1885. It appears to me, however, that these words in the clause are ambiguous and meaningless. If they are allowed to stand, a tenant who has acquired a right of occupancy by holding for 12 years may lose his right if he fails to pay rent for a year or two. I may also tell the Council that the right of ejectment was given to landlords, but in the present Act that right has been taken away. Therefore I submit that these words, 'so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same', should be omitted."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I have nothing to say against the proposed amendment."

The Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY said:—"I am afraid I must oppose this amendment. My hon'ble and learned friend says that these words find a place in Act X of 1859. I may go further and state that they were also reproduced in Act VIII of 1869. Then my hon'ble friend quotes the authority of the Bengal Tenancy Act, and says that it is not to be found there. But I do not see that anything that is to be found there or not to be found there should be our guide in legislating for the Chota Nagpur Division. Chota Nagpur, as we all know, is not so advanced as the rest of Bengal, and what would apply to Bengal proper might not apply in any way to Chota Nagpur, and hitherto this has been the law that has prevailed there without any complaint, and without anything in fact to disturb the relations between the landlord and tenant on this point. Therefore I submit that a law that has existed up to now without having given rise to any friction should not be taken away. The principle of the amendment was not recognized in the original Bill, nor is it in the revised Bill, but now my hon'ble and learned friend is seeking to amend section 6 of Act I of 1879 in this way, and I think that this is not the proper time or the proper place to change a portion of the law which has answered very well up to this time. Why then deprive the zamindar of this privilege or this benefit of section 6 that he has enjoyed so long? My hon'ble friend will bear me out that there is no justification for seeking to introduce this amendment at this stage, and I also submit that it is not required either for the exigencies of the State or for any administrative purposes."

The Hon'ble MR. GUPTA said:—"I am afraid that the Hon'ble Babu Chaturbhooj Sahay is under a slight misapprehension in opposing this amendment. It is true that these words did occur in the older Act and not in the Act that we are now going to amend. The landlord had the right of ejecting the tenant on failure to pay rent, and there was no sale of his occupancy rights. Therefore it was rightly stated there that he forfeits his occupancy rights on failure to pay rent, thereby giving the landlord the right to eject him. But in the present Bill, we take away the right of ejectment and we make the occupancy right saleable. Therefore, if we say that on failure to pay rent he loses his occupancy rights, what shall the landlord sell? If he has defaulted for two years and the landlord gets a decree for arrears of rent, and under this clause the tenant shall have forfeited his right of holding, and if he has forfeited his right, how can that right be sold? Since we are taking away the right of ejectment and giving landlords the right of selling occupancy holdings, we should make the Act consistent with that. I think that the alteration of the law that we have made by this Bill necessitates this change in order to make the Act consistent in itself."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I am strongly in favour of the amendment which will meet the position, instead of placing landlords in the worst position possible as proposed by the Hon'ble Babu Chaturbhooj Sahay. Now in this Bill we make occupancy rights saleable in execution of a decree for arrears of its own rent. Under the late Act, which we are amending, the zamindar's only remedy was by ejectment, and that right has been taken away in the case of occupancy holdings and this right substituted, and, as has been very rightly pointed out by the Hon'ble Legal Remembrancer, unless we accept the amendment, it can be very well contended that, in not paying arrears of two or three years' rent, the raiyat has lost his occupancy right, and therefore there being no right, the occupancy holding cannot be put up for sale as the Bill now provides. I therefore hope that the amendment will be carried."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I am strongly in favour of this amendment for the reasons stated by the Hon'ble Mr. Gupta."

The Motion was then put and carried.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, also moved that the words "so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same" in clause 3 of the Bill, be struck out.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I have nothing to urge against this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, moved that the following be added at the end of clause 3 of the Bill, namely:—

'Any person holding land as a farmer or other tenure-holder shall not, while so holding, acquire a right of occupancy in respect of any land comprised in his farm or tenure, even though he may have cultivated it by himself or by members of his family or by hired servants or with the aid of partners.

'*Explanation.*—A person having a right of occupancy in land does not lose it by subsequently holding the land in farm or tenure.'

He said:—"I submit that this amendment is necessary and desirable. A similar provision in the Bengal Tenancy Act is my justification for bringing forward this motion. A farmer or *mostajir* cannot acquire raiyati right by holding land while he holds the farm. If he, while holding as a farmer or *mostajir*, acquires occupancy right by purchase or other mode of transfer, he is welcome to it. A provision such as I seek by my amendment is desirable."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am unable to advise the Council to accept this amendment. The reasons which I gave with regard to item 6 in the agenda apply equally to the present amendment proposed. In the first place, it is not a matter of urgency at all. None of the zamindars, or those who have property in Chota Nagpur, have ever asked that this should be brought into the present Bill. In the second place, we are dealing with a subject, as I remarked before, about which we stand at present in a great deal of ignorance. Whenever necessity should arise, the Executive Government can by notification extend the operation of section 22 (*2*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act to Chota Nagpur or any portion thereof. This is a point which has not yet arisen. For these reasons, I cannot accept the adoption of this amendment."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I feel bound to say that I am in favour of this amendment; but if you ask whether I consider it one of extreme urgency, I say no; but this raises a question so well established that I am strongly in favour of this amendment. Whenever such cases arise in Chota Nagpur, we are obliged to look for all the cases on the subject. This point has been decided by the High Court, and this amendment does not make any change in the existing law, but its object is simply to codify the cases. That being so, I am bound to support the amendment."

The Hon'ble MR. GUPTA said:—"The reasons which have been adduced by the Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh are the very reasons for which I beg to oppose the amendment, because the law is so clearly established independent of any express provision that we do not require this express provision in the Act. This provision has been no doubt inserted in the Bengal Tenancy Act, but in so doing the Legislature only recognised the case-law as it stood then, and, as far as the cases go back, even under the Act of 1859 (Act X of 1859), it was held by the High Court that a farmer who cultivates land for himself cannot acquire the right of occupancy. I believe the reason is this,—that the right of occupancy is a right really adverse to the landlord. It is a right acquired in derogation to the proprietor's right. The right of occupancy means that the raiyat says: 'I hold this in spite of you.' Now, if a farmer holds land under himself, he cannot acquire a right adversely to himself. He cannot acquire any right in derogation of his own right. It is upon this principle that it has always been held that a farmer cannot acquire any right of occupancy in any land which he himself cultivates. That being the state of the law, what is the necessity of introducing this amendment into a simple Act of this kind, when we are dealing with a non-regulation province, where we want to make everything as

simple as possible? Of course, there are many excellent principles in the Bengal Tenancy Act, which might, with advantage, be extended to this Act, but we have not thought it proper to do so, *firstly*, because there is no necessity for it, and, *secondly*, if any necessity is proved, the Government has power to extend any provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act to Chota Nagpur. My hon'ble friend has not shown that the introduction of this principle into Chota Nagpur is necessary; but as soon as it is shown that it is necessary, the local authorities have only to move the Government in order to extend this particular provision of the Tenancy Act into Chota Nagpur. That is to say, if the Courts of Chota Nagpur pass any decision contrary to the principle, the interference of the Government will be necessary. Legislation will not be necessary. It will only be necessary to extend the provisions of the Tenancy Act into Chota Nagpur by a notification in the Government Gazette. The Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh, whose experience in Chota Nagpur has been very long, does not say that the Courts of Chota Nagpur have ever given a decision that is contrary to the case-law on the subject. Therefore, if the case-law on the subject is clear and there is no necessity for this amendment, I think we ought to leave it alone."

The Hon'ble MR. PUGH said :—"I also think that the amendment ought not to be accepted. I think it is extremely undesirable to put in any clauses from the Bengal Tenancy Act into this Act for which there is no sufficient reason made out. Although the Bengal Tenancy Act says that a tenure-holder cannot acquire a right of occupancy under certain circumstances, I venture to think it is unnecessary to insert such a provision here.

"There is another objection from my point of view, and that is the wrong use of the word 'farmer' here. You speak correctly in saying a farmer of taxes or a farmer of leases, but when you speak of a man as a farmer of land, it means one who farms land, that is to say, a cultivator. That is the meaning of the word in the English language, but here it means only a person who is a farmer of land. A man who holds land as a cultivator is a farmer, and a farmer in that sense of the word is not a tenure-holder.

"But apart from that objection which is a mere matter of language, I think the amendment ought not to be accepted as it is unnecessary."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said :—"I cannot support the amendment. No doubt it is right in principle, but the principle is so firmly established that nobody can question it. It was laid down by the High Court so far back as 1864, and it was confirmed by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council in the case of Messrs. Jardine, Skinner & Co. in 1878. Consequently it seems to be absolutely unnecessary to accept this amendment. Besides, if Hon'ble Members will compare it with section 22 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, they will find that the two are identical, with this difference only that the Hon'ble Member has not incorporated the Explanation to that section: 'A person having a right of occupancy in land does not lose it by subsequently becoming jointly interested in the land as proprietor or permanent tenure-holder or by subsequently holding the land in *ijara* or farm.' If we accept the amendment, the question might arise as to what was to happen in the case of a person who had a right of occupancy and subsequently held in *ijara*. I think that section 22, clause (*3*), might be introduced into the Chota Nagpur Act, but then that is not really necessary having regard to the case-law on the subject."

The Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY said :—"I am afraid I cannot give my vote in favour of the amendment. It is said that there is a provision in the Bengal Tenancy Act, and this salutary provision ought to be put into this Act. This is no reason why we should accept this amendment or incorporate this principle of law into the Chota Nagpur Act. It is admitted that the Chota Nagpur Act is very different in many respects and at present a great many changes are not desirable, and we were told in the Select Committee that it was limited in its scope, and that no new principle should be introduced unless an urgent case was made out. We should not alter the law unnecessarily. The case-law on the subject establishes beyond all possible doubt that a farmer

or *ijaradar* cannot have rights of occupancy in any land comprised within his lease, so whether we borrow this section from the Tenancy Act or not, it is all the same, and it does not affect the well-recognised principle of law that an *ijaradar* cannot acquire rights of occupancy. Therefore, unless we are prepared to borrow or incorporate other sections of the Bengal Tenancy Act, there is no use of adopting this one."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, in reply said:—"Notwithstanding what has been said, I would press my amendment."

The Motion was then put and lost.

New clause.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE moved that after clause 3 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'3A. In section 7 of the said Act, before the words "the last preceding section" the words "the first two paragraphs of" shall be inserted.'

He said:—"By this Bill we have added two new paragraphs to section 6. Previous to that addition there was no reason to alter the wording of section 7 of Act I of 1879, but owing to the addition of these two paragraphs, it has become necessary to insert these words. Unless this be done then the effect will be that contracts can be entered into which in effect will deprive raiyats of the rights conferred on them by the two new paragraphs which the Bill proposes to add to section 6 of the Act. To allow such to occur would be highly inadvisible, and for this reason I would ask the Council to accept this amendment."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I am in some difficulty about this amendment, but I take it, it has been rendered necessary by the addition of two new paragraphs to section 6. Section 7 now says: 'Nothing contained in the last preceding section shall be held to affect the terms of any writtten contract for the cultivation of land entered into between a landholder and a raiyat when it contains any express stipulation contrary thereto.' No doubt this was applicable to section 6, to which two new paragraphs have since been added, and the effect of the amendment proposed would be to make the exception in section 7 inapplicable to the new paragraphs. If this is the intention, I do not see any objection to the amendment."

[At this stage, with the leave of the President, the Member in charge conferred with the Hon'ble Dr. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya on this point, with the result that the latter expressed himself satisfied.]

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 4 (section 10A).

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, moved that for proviso (*b*) in section 10A, in clause 4 of the Bill, the following be substituted, namely:—

'(*b*) Nothing in this section shall affect the right to execute a decree for sale of a holding passed, or the terms or conditions of any contract registered, before the first day of January, 1903.'

He said:—"I submit that nothing can be put forward by way of objection with regard to the principle which underlies the provision here. What I submit for the consideration of the Council is, that sub-clause (*b*) ought to be amended so as to include any decree which has already been passed for sale of a holding. That is my object. The Bill already provides that nothing in this section shall affect the terms or conditions of any contract registered before the first day of January, 1903. Evidently that refers to contracts like simple mortgages which authorise the mortgagee to sell the property. Speaking here of decrees, which have already been passed, it may be said that the provision already made in respect of contracts registered before the 1st January will protect decrees which have been already passed upon mortgages executed

before the 1st of January, 1903; but I submit that, having regard to the provisions of the Registration Act, there are cases in which mortgages are as valid and as good as registered mortgages, provided the value of the mortgage security on land does not exceed Rs. 100. Therefore, it is quite possible to see that there might be decrees already passed, based upon mortgages of Rs. 100 or less, which ought to be protected on the same ground as contracts registered before the 1st January, 1903."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I have nothing to say against the proposal."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 4 (section 10B).

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that sub-section (2) in section 10B in clause 4 of the Bill be struck out. He said:—

"I submit that section 10B gives no right of transfer to a tenant except a very limited right and for a limited period, namely, that a tenant has no right to transfer his holding or tenure except this, that he may lease or mortgage for a term not exceeding five years. But that limited right under this section is made subject to the consent in writing of the zamindar. If the sub-clause (2) be allowed to remain as it is, the result will be that this right to transfer will be practically *nil*. In fact, it will be almost impossible to get the written consent of the landlord. The amendment will not prejudice the landlord, because under the law the arrears of rent has been made the first charge; but if this clause is allowed to stand, it will deprive the tenant of the benefit which this section is intended to give."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am unable, Sir, to support this amendment. In the first place, the inability which the learned and hon'ble Member who moved the amendment considers would attach to the raiyat if this sub-section be retained will not in practice exist. The right of a raiyat to transfer his holding or part of it is, at present, not binding on the landlord unless the latter's consent to the same is obtained. In spite, however, of this, numerous transfers are now made, and thus it will be seen that the raiyat will be in no way penalized should this sub-section be retained. Furthermore, I am unable to understand why an arrangement made between two persons should be binding on a third party who has had no cognizance of it, and when no custom can be pleaded in support."

The Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY said:—"I submit, Sir, that the amendment is not necessary, and the absence of the landlord's consent in writing will not debar the raiyat from transferring his right in his holding for a limited period. One raiyat may transfer his holding to another, but it is not necessary that the landlord should be bound to accept it. The transfer between raiyats *inter se* is one thing, and its acceptance by the *malik* is another, but the absence of the *malik's* consent would not in any way interfere with the transfer of the holding to another raiyat at all. There are various reasons why the *malik* may object to recognise the transfer. The holding itself may not be transferable; but when one raiyat chooses to transfer to another, it does not concern him to inquire into the question at all as to whether the tenure is saleable or not; but in order to carry on agricultural pursuits he may transfer, but then it is another thing that the landlord should recognise such transfer. Therefore there may be a transfer, but that transfer will not be binding on the landlord unless his consent is given."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I regret I cannot support this amendment. I was unable to follow my hon'ble friend, the mover of this amendment, when he said that if this clause is allowed to stand, the

effect will be that no transfers can be made by a raiyat, unless he gets the previous consent of the landlord. The section as it stands does not lay down such a thing. It simply lays down that no transfer by a raiyat of his holding shall be binding on the landlord, unless he has obtained the landlord's consent in writing. It is one thing to make it binding on the landlord, and it is another thing to allow the raiyat to transfer his holding. Sub-clause (*3*) is as follows:—

'No transfer in contravention of sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) shall be registered or shall be in any way recognised or acted upon by any Court, whether in the exercise of civil, criminal or revenue jurisdiction.'

"Now if this was allowed to stand, what my hon'ble friend apprehends might happen, but I understand sub-clause (*3*) is to be amended in the next motion by striking out the words 'or sub-section (*2*).' I do not think it can be contended that a raiyat in making a transfer would be put to the necessity of obtaining his landlord's consent, but the only effect will be that unless it is made with the landlord's consent, it will not be binding upon him. My hon'ble friend was contemplating the case in which he said that the occupancy rights would be sold, and the rent would be the first charge; but he lost sight of the fact that these mortgages and leases can be granted also in non-occupancy holdings. There also the remedy is by ejectment. The landlord cannot avoid this lease or this mortgage unless he makes the lessees or mortgagees parties, and that would certainly bring in an obligation which it would be next to impossible for a landlord to comply with. I do not think that this sub-clause, as it stands, will in any way hamper the raiyat in making a transfer."

The Hon'ble MR. MACPHERSON said:—"This, Sir, seems to be a difficult question. Under the Bengal Tenancy Act, the right of transfer by an occupancy raiyat of his entire holding is left to custom. Under section 88 of the Bengal Tenancy Act the subdivision of a holding is not binding on a landlord unless he gives his consent in writing; but section 85 declares certain powers of sublease.

"Now by this Bill, we are limiting, as several speakers have said, the right to transfer by the raiyat very considerably. Clause (*1*), sub-clause (*1*) of section 10B leaves the raiyat a very modified right of transfer. Then sub-clause (*2*) goes on to say that exercise even of that modified right shall not be binding on the landlord, unless his consent has been obtained in writing. This does not mean that the raiyat will not be able to exercise the modified right of transfer at all without the landlord's consent. It means only that the transferree will take the holding or part of the holding or field at the risk of the landlord's refusal to recognise the transfer. We have gone considerably further than the Tenancy Act in this matter; and if I thought that there was any serious danger to the raiyat that he would be seriously impeded in his agricultural credit, I should vote against the sub-clause under discussion. Take again, for instance, the case of a poor woman making a sub-lease of her lands which she is not able to cultivate, her husband having died. It is very common in such cases for land to be sublet for a term until the children are grown up and able to cultivate. If I thought that such an arrangement would really be impeded by this sub-clause, I should vote against the sub-clause. But we have gone far in sub-clause (*1*) to modify and limit any rights of transfer which may exist by law or custom in Chota Nagpur at this moment; and I think that the further step taken in sub-clause (*2*) may be approved subject to re-consideration when with fuller knowledge we again revise the law. I ask myself what grievance the transferrer or transferree would have if the landlord refused to recognise the transfer? What could the landlord do? How could he treat the transferree who has been put in possession for the short term of five years defined by sub-clause (*1*)? Could he treat the transferree as a trespasser, and is there any likelihood of any hardship arising? I think that if the transferree takes care that the rent is paid to the landlord, the landlord will not be able to touch him. In this belief I agree to let the sub-clause stand, and I shall vote against the amendment."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I entirely agree in the observations of the Hon'ble Member who spoke last. The question raised by this amendment is no doubt one of very great difficulty, but after anxious consideration I have come to the conclusion that it ought not to be accepted. Under the Bengal Tenancy Act the question whether a raiyat is entitled to transfer his holding or not depends upon whether there is a custom of transferability or not. If there is a custom he has the right, otherwise not. It has been said that by section 10B of the Act we are going to restrict the right of transfer, but I submit that this is hardly a correct view to take. This assumes that raiyats and *yaradars* are entitled to transfer, and of course if they are so entitled, the provisions embodied in section 10B may be correctly described as a restriction on their rights. But, I take it, the truth is that raiyats are not entitled to transfer, although in some places they endeavour to do so. I take it, therefore, that the correct view of section 10B is that it accurately defines the position of the raiyat so far as the question of transfer is concerned; it lays down that he is entitled to transfer under certain circumstances, that is to say, in the first place, he is entitled to lease out his holding, provided the lease is for not more than five years, and in the second place, he is entitled to execute a *bhagut bandha* mortgage, if the period does not exceed five years. If the raiyat does either of these two things, there is no reason why the landlord, behind whose back the transfer takes place, should in any way be bound by the transaction. In fact, the question of the landlord being not bound by the transaction ought not to arise if the transferree is cautious. The question of the landlord being bound only arises if the landlord seeks to eject the transferree, and that contingency can only arise if the rent is not paid. Therefore if the rent is paid in, if the *bhagut bandha* mortgagee is careful to see tha the landlord gets his rent, the question of the transaction being binding on tht landlord will never arise. On the other hand, if he is not careful to see thae the rent is paid, the landlord is entitled to say, 'I am not bound by yourt transfer, my rent is in arrears, and I am entitled to proceed against the holding.'"

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, in reply said:—"I do not think I should take up the time of the Council by making a long reply, but I would only point out that from the Report of the Select Committee it appears that the wording of this clause has been taken from the Bengal Tenancy Act, section 88. The Select Committee say: 'We have also provided, on the analogy of section 88 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, that no transfer of a raiyat's rights shall be binding on the landlord, unless it is made with his consent in writing.' Well, that section 88 of the Bengal Tenancy Act refers only to the subdivision of the holding. It says: 'A division of a tenure or holding or distribution of the rent payable in respect thereof, shall not be binding on the landlord unless it is made with his consent in writing.' This section 10B goes a great deal beyond the Bengal Tenancy Act in putting restrictions on the raiyat in the transfer of his holding or tenures. Some of the Hon'ble Members have said what will be the effect of this section and how the transferree will be hampered and how the tenant will be hampered. It appears that this modified right of transfer is given to the tenant to enable him to raise a loan in a time of emergency, but I submit that when it is found that it is subject to the landlord's consent, the tenant or raiyat will not be able to raise the money, as no *mahájan* will give a loan and take a mortgage when he finds that it is subject to the landlord's consent I humbly submit that this section will defeat the object of the Legislature, that object being to enable poor tenants to raise a loan on a *bhagut bandha* mortgage, limited to a period of five years. Therefore I submit that, in spite of the weight of authority being against me, I feel that it will be disastrous to allow this section to remain as it stands, as it will in effect prejudice the tenant's rights."

The Motion was then put and lost.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, also moved that the words "or sub-section (*2*)," in sub-section (*3*) of section 10B, in clause 4 of the Bill, be struck out.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I support this amendment, Sir, for it is the same as the one that stands against my name in item 19 of the List of Business."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion, of which he had given notice, namely;—

"That the words 'or sub-section (*2*),' in sub-section (*3*) of section 10B, in clause 4 of the Bill, be struck out."

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that the word "criminal," in sub-section (*3*) of section 10B, in clause 4 of the Bill, be struck out He said:—

"I submit that although a document or deed be not stamped, it may be admissible in certain criminal cases which are set forth in the Stamp Act. If I remember rightly, although such documents are not admissible in certain Courts, they may be admissible in criminal cases. Therefore I submit that the Council should accept this amendment."

The Hon'ble Mr. SLACKE said:—"I strongly oppose this amendment. The result, Sir, of accepting the amendment in question would be to frustrate the object for which section 10B has been framed. If such transfers are to be recognised or acted upon by Criminal Courts, then it will be perfectly clear to any one who has had experience of criminal law that persons can be maintained in possession of lands beyond the periods laid down in this section. I would further add that the word now objected to was inserted in the sub-clause on the advice of Mr. F. B. Taylor, who for many years was Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpur, and was eventually a Judge of the High Court. For these reasons, Sir, I would ask that this amendment may be negatived."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, said:—"I beg to strongly oppose the amendment of my hon'ble and learned friend. With reference to this, Sir, I beg to submit that no question of admissibility arises here. Under the Bill as it stands certain transfers shall not be recognised or acted upon.

"Clause (*3*) of section 10B says:—

'No transfer in contravention of sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) shall be registered, or shall in any way be acted upon by any Court, whether in the exercise of civil, criminal or revenue jurisdiction.'

"Section 33 of the Stamp Act does not touch the question of recognition of a transfer or of its being acted upon. Section 33 says:—

'(*1*) Every person having by law or consent of parties authority to receive evidence, and every person in charge of a public office, except an officer of police, before whom any instrument chargeable, in his opinion, with duty is produced or comes in the performance of his functions, shall, if it appears to him that such instrument is not duly stamped, impound the same.

'(*2*) For that purpose every such person shall examine every instrument so chargeable and so produced or coming before him in order to ascertain whether it is stamped with a stamp of the value and description required by the law in force in British India when such instrument was executed or first executed:

Provided that—

(*a*) nothing herein contained shall be deemed to require any Magistrate or Judge of a Criminal Court to examine or impound, if he does not think fit so to do, any instrument coming before him in the course of any proceeding other than a proceeding under Chapter XII or Chapter XXXVI of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898; V of 1898

(*b*) in the case of a Judge of a High Court, the duty of examining and impounding any instrument under this section may be delegated to such officer as the Court appoints in this behalf.

'(*3*) For the purposes of this section, in cases of doubt,—

(*a*) the Governor General in Council may determine what offices shall be deemed to be public offices; and

(*b*) the Local Government may determine who shall be deemed to be persons in charge of public offices.'

"This section would not allow an unstamped document to be let in evidence in proceedings of a *quasi*-civil nature under Chapters XII and XXXVI. If Criminal Courts be struck out from the category of Courts which should not recognise such transfers, it would be open to Magistrates to recognise these documents even in cases which are of a *quasi*-civil nature, and therefore it would be dangerous to allow the amendment proposed by my hon'ble and learned friend."

The Hon'ble MR. PUGH said:—"With reference to this amendment, I feel the difficulty which has occurred to the hon'ble mover. I think at the same time that the amendment will go too far, because in Criminal Courts we have not only the trial of criminal offences, but we have also cases with regard to possession, cases particularly relating to land, and it will never do to have this clause amended in this way. At the same time I would suggest to my hon'ble friend, the Member in charge of the Bill, that this section does at present go too far. Now as regards such an instrument not being recognised or acted upon by a Criminal Court, supposing the question turns upon a charge of murder, or on a charge of forgery, or on various other charges, you must recognise it, and act upon it, and rely upon it, but you need not recognise it as valid. Therefore what I would venture to suggest to the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill is, that you should alter the wording here by putting in after the word 'recognise' the words 'as valid,' leaving out the words 'or acted upon.' I hope that will also meet the views of my hon'ble and learned friend, the mover."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am willing to accept the amendment proposed by the Hon'ble the Advocate-General on the wording of sub-clause (*3*) of section 10B."

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"I think that the amendment proposed by the Hon'ble the Advocate-General amounts to a substantive amendment of the clause, and that it must therefore be separately considered: the proper procedure will be to first take the decision of the Council on the amendment as put forward by the Hon'ble Maulvi Seraj-ul-Islam, Khan Bahadur."

The Motion was then put and lost.

The Hon'ble MR. PUGH, by leave of the Council, moved that in sub-section (*3*) of section 10B, in clause 4 of the Bill, the words "as valid" be substituted for the words "or acted upon."

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"I understand that the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill accepts the amendment proposed by the Hon'ble the Advocate-General. Sub-clause (*3*) will then read:—

'No transfer in contravention of sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) shall be registered or shall in any way be recognised as valid by any Court, whether in the exercise of civil, criminal or revenue jurisdiction.'"

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, moved that the following be added to section 10B, in clause 4 of the Bill, namely:—

'(*5*) Nothing in this section shall affect the validity of any transfer (not otherwise invalid) of a raiyat's right in his holding or any portion thereof made *bonâ fide* before the first day of January, 1903.'

He said:—"The Bill provides for giving effect to contracts registered before the 1st of January, 1903. My amendment for a similar protection of decrees passed before that date has just been carried, and my present amendment seeks similar protection for transfers (not otherwise invalid) made *bonâ fide* before the same date. There is no reason why this should not be allowed."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I would, Sir, accept this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 5.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, also moved that to section 11, in clause 5 of the Bill, the following be added, namely :—

'(3) The officer referred to in sub-section (1) may award to the landlord such sum as he thinks fit, not exceeding Rs 25, as compensation, if in his opinion an application made by a tenant under this section is frivolous and vexatious."

He said :—"You have provided for penalties against zamindars in cases of illegal exaction and for refusal to grant receipts to tenants for payments made by them. In holding the balance evenly, you should provide for a penalty if raiyats resort to frivolous and vexatious complaints against the zamindars. A one-sided legal remedy for a legal wrong is not desirable. I submit that there should be a penalty against raiyats in such cases, and that it should be in the shape of a compensation, the maximum of which should not exceed Rs. 25. That seems to me to be a very equitable provision. Of course, there is a provision in section 182 of the Indian Penal Code, but that would be very much out of the way, and that section makes provision in respect of false informations evidently to the criminal authorities and relates to criminal matters. The Deputy Commissioner should be empowered under some provision like the one proposed, when he finds that any false or vexatious complaint has been brought by a raiyat, to fine him Rs. 2 or Rs. 5, or any sum up to Rs. 25. This would save time and trouble and expense to the parties concerned; otherwise raiyats may be induced or instigated to make false complaints, because if they succeed, well and good, and if they do not succeed, they go scot-free. I submit there is no harm in making a provision of this kind, and urge it upon the consideration of the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill and the other Hon'ble Members in Council."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said :—"This amendment is not one I am prepared to accept. The point is one which was most carefully considered by the Select Committee, who were of opinion that the provisions of section 182 of the Indian Penal Code were quite sufficient to meet any such evil, and I am unable to see any cause to differ from this opinion. To accept this amendment would also be likely to create a scare amongst these aboriginal raiyats, which in my opinion would be injudicious. I would therefore suggest that this amendment might be rejected and that it be left to time to show whether any further safeguard is needed than that which is provided by section 182 of the Indian Penal Code. Not one single zamindar has ever thought it worthwhile to ask that a provision of this kind should be drafted into the Bill. It is clear then that the zamindars themselves do not consider that there is any necessity for a provision of this nature. Under these circumstances, I am unable to advise the Council to accept this amendment."

The Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY said :—"When this matter was being discussed in Select Committee, I was in favour of having a provision like this put in the Bill, so that it might prove a check to evil-minded raiyats against their lodging complaints without any foundation whatever. No doubt, when the Bill was introduced, we heard that the relations between landlord and tenant there were to a certain extent strained. No wonder then that the raiyats might be putting forward frivolous complaints to harass the landlords and put them to trouble as much as possible. It might be that he would get himself exculpated or acquitted, but in the meantime he is put to trouble and annoyance and expense, and so I submit that, when this matter is being reconsidered, it would be better if this amendment were adopted."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said :—"I am unable to accept this amendment, and for this reason. Section 11, as it now stands, is a counterpart of section 75 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, which also provides a penalty for exactions by landlords from tenants in excess of rent lawfully payable. So far as the tract of country to which the Bengal Tenancy Act is applicable is concerned, no one has ever suggested that tenants are in the habit of laying false charges for the purpose of harassing landlords, and I believe there is no

foundation for the suggestion that tenants in Chota Nagpur may take to this course. I take it that our duty is to legislate for the actual needs of the society in which we live, and not to anticipate imaginary evils and provide for them."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"If the Hon'ble Members would refer to section 11, which lays down that in certain cases of exaction raiyats 'shall be entitled to recover from the person receiving such rent damages not exceeding double the amount so exacted or paid,' they will find that this is not a new thing which has been inserted: we had it under the old law, but the old law was found inoperative as it stands. Under the old law, the raiyat in such cases was obliged to bring a suit in the Revenue Court, and he could not bring this to the notice of the Court by application, as is now provided in the present Bill. The conditions of Chota Nagpur are such that it is very likely that many vexatious cases might arise and landlords might be harassed, and certainly it might be that there is much force in the arguments in favour of the amendment, but having regard to the different local conditions, I think all those who have local experience are agreed that section 11 should be amended in the way provided for in the Bill. There are a large number of landlords who treat their raiyats exceedingly well, but there are also other classes of landlords in Chota Nagpur who are in the habit of making these extortions from raiyats, and that was considered one of the principal grounds upon which these amendments were made. It was for this reason thought highly desirable to have such a section whereby these raiyats can come to the Court without being obliged to incur the expense of a suit, and therefore we thought it necessary to amend section 11. The original section 11, as it was drafted in the Bill, came to the Select Committee with a maximum penalty of Rs. 500. That was considered too high, and the Select Committee very properly reduced it to Rs. 200. I think, having regard to the requirements of the district, section 11 should be allowed to be amended as provided in the Bill, and I cannot therefore support this amendment."

The Hon'ble MR. MACPHERSON said:—"I think, Sir, that the amendment proposed is a reasonable one, that it is fair to landlords, and that it might be useful to put this power in the hands of Revenue-officers to prevent and punish frivolous and unfounded agitation. For these reasons I shall vote for the amendment."

The Hon'ble MR. PUGH said:—"For my own part I do not think it desirable to encourage people to come forward with these claims for Rs. 25, or whatever the compensation may be. What we have in the Bengal Tenancy Act is, that a tenant in these circumstances has a right to bring a suit.

"You have a provision in the Penal Code which provides for these things. There is section 182, under which a man is liable, and I object also altogether upon principle to make a man doubly liable, under the Penal Code, to a certain penalty and under this Act to a fine of Rs. 25. Therefore upon these grounds I trust that the Council will throw out this amendment."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, in reply said:—"This amendment has been opposed by several Members who, while admitting the correctness of the principle, observed that the provision sought is not urgently required. With regard to that I must say that I feel grievously embarrassed when want of necessity and want of urgency is made the ground of opposition. How can we settle the matter so far as necessity goes? I submit these are matters with regard to which provision would be necessary in Chota Nagpur as well as in other places, because, wherever there are landlords and tenants and the relations of landlords and tenants, the necessity like this would arise. We have, I submit, a provision to the effect that if a landlord extort money from the tenant in an illegal manner, he is liable to a penalty. We have a provision that if a zamindar receives rent from a tenant and does not give a receipt, he is liable to penalty. Then why should not there be a penalty for improper conduct on the part of the tenant? From what has fallen from my learned

friend on my right, who has no doubt very much better experience than myself, necessity like this exists. It is simply a matter of common sense. The person exercising this power will always be a competent officer, and he will not exercise this power until he finds it necessary. Unless there is a check like this, much harm will be done. The Hon'ble Dr. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya says that complaints have not come to him: he has not heard of complaints like this from zamindars. I say with great submission and great respect that such an argument would be very much like an argument in a circle. We have to judge upon facts, and we already know the conditions of the country that we have to deal with, and in these circumstances I submit that a provision like this is necessary."

The Motion was then put and lost.

Clause 6.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA moved that in sub-section (*1*) of section 12, in clause 6 of the Bill, after the word "rent" the words "or interest due thereon" be inserted. He said:—

"This is a very small amendment, and it obviously brings section 12 into line with section 11. The first paragraph of section 11 says:—

'A landlord who, except under any special enactment for the time being in force, levies from a tenant any money in excess of the rent legally payable with interest thereon or any *rakumata* or predial services, to which he is not legally entitled, shall, on application to the tenant, be liable.'

"Section 12 says:—

'Every tenant who makes a payment on account of rent to his landlord shall be entitled to obtain forthwith from the landlord or his agent a receipt signed for the same in a form prescribed by the Local Government from time to time by notification in the Calcutta Gazette.'

"Therefore I submit that the words 'or interest due thereon' ought to be inserted."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I would, Sir, accept this amendment."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, by way of amendment, moved that the words "or both" be inserted after the word "thereon in the above motion." He said:—

"I would support the amendment, but I think there ought to be the words 'or both' added after 'thereon,' so that it would run in this way: 'Every tenant who makes a payment on account of rent or interest thereon or both, etc.' There are many cases in which rent is paid and principal is paid, or there may be cases in which only interest is paid, and again there may be cases in which both are paid."

The Hon'ble DR ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I am quite willing to accept the suggestion."

The Motion was then put in the amended form and carried.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA also moved that in clause (*a*) of sub-section (*4*) of section 12, in clause 6 of the Bill, for the words "for rent paid by the tenant" the words "as aforesaid" be substituted. He said:—

"This is a purely verbal amendment necessitated by the amendment which has just been carried."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I have no objection to offer."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 7.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that the following be added at the end of clause 7 (*3*) of the Bill, namely:—

'or (*c*) when the tenant entertains a *bonâ fide* doubt as to who is entitled to receive the rent.'

He said:—"The reason for this amendment is that this proviso finds a place in the Bengal Tenancy Act, section 61, from which it is taken. Clause (*a*) says that when an under-tenant, raiyat or Mundari khunt-kattidar who is bound to pay money on account of rent has reason to believe, owing to a tender having been refused, or a receipt withheld on a previous occasion, that the person to whom his rent is payable will not be willing to receive it or to grant him a receipt for it, he may deposit the money. The next clause is with reference to the case where rent is payable to co-sharers jointly. These are the two cases in which he is allowed to deposit the rent. Now in section 61 of the Bengal Tenancy Act there are four clauses, namely:—

'(*a*) when a tenant tenders money on account of rent and the landlord refuses to receive it or refuses to grant a receipt for it;

(*b*) when a tenant bound to pay money on account of rent has reason to believe, owing to a tender having been refused or a receipt withheld on a previous occasion, that the person to whom his rent is payable will not be willing to receive it and to grant him a receipt for it;

(*c*) when the rent is payable to co-sharers jointly, and the tenant is unable to obtain the joint receipt of the co-sharers for the money, and no person has been empowered to receive the rent on their behalf; or

(*d*) when the tenant entertains a *bonâ fide* doubt as to who is entitled to receive the rent.'

"Of these clauses, (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) are covered by section 13, clause 7, sub-clause (*3*) (*a*) and (*b*), of the Bill, but (*d*) is omitted. I submit that (*d*) ought to be embodied and inserted after clause (*b*) of section 13 (*3*). My reason is that this Bill recognises the right of intervenors. Where a zamindar brings a suit for rent, an intervenor may claim that rent, and a tenant may be in doubt as to whether the rent should be paid to *A* or *B*. Therefore I submit that where a tenant has a *bonâ fide* doubt as to whom he should pay the rent to, he ought to be given the option of depositing the money."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am, Sir, unwilling to accept this amendment, since to do so would be violating the principle that guided the Select Committee in dealing with the provisions of the Bill. Nothing exists to show that there is any necessity for accepting this amendment, and should any such fact hereafter arise, it can be promptly dealt with by the issue of a notification extending to Chota Nagpur the appropriate sub-clause of the Bengal Tenancy Act."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, said:—"My hon'ble learned friend has no doubt the Bengal Tenancy Act, in justification of the amendment moved by him. But my experience has shown me that in cases of doubtful title, where several persons claim the same right, a deposit by the raiyat always proves infructuous. No doubt he finds different claimants claiming rent from him. He does not know, it is true, who is the party entitled to rent from him. But who is the judge in the question? The tenant is certainly not expected to be so. It is not easy for him to decide. It is a matter for *a forum*. If he deposits his rent in Court on the grounds of *bonâ fide* doubt as to who is entitled to receive the rent, the Court in which the rent is deposited is unable to pay to anybody until the question of title is settled in a Court of Justice. I must, however, notice that there is another ground of justification of my hon'ble friends movement. It is this. If the raiyat deposit the rent, he can tell the claimants he has already deposited the rent due by him in Court, which might in some cases save him from the botheration of demands by the claimants. But if we weigh the *pros* and *cons*, the scale of reasonableness will preponderate rather in favour of the Bill as it stands than in favour of the amendment moved. I therefore cannot support the amendment."

The Motion was then put and lost.

Clause 9.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely :—

"That to clause 9 of the Bill the following be added, namely :—

'In the same section, after the word "rent" the words "(other than the amount deposited)" shall be inserted.'

Clause 10.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA moved that to clause 10 of the Bill the following be added, namely :—

'In section 17 of the said Act, after the word "rent" the words "or interest thereon" shall be inserted'

He said:—"I need not repeat the reasons urged by me in support of my amendment No. 23 on the list, which has been already carried. They apply equally to this amendment."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said :—"I would, Sir, accept this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

New clause.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that the following be inserted after clause 10 of the Bill, namely :—

'10A. (*1*) Before the proviso to section 24 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"Provided that if the Deputy Commissioner, when passing a decree for enhancement, considers that the immediate enforcement of the decree in its full extent would be attended with hardship to the under-tenant or raiyat, he may direct that the enhancement shall be gradual; that is to say, that the rent shall increase yearly by degrees for any number of years not exceeding five until the limit of the enhancement decreed has been reached."

'(*2*) After the word "Provided," in the same section, the word "also" shall be inserted.'

He said :—"I submit that this would be for the benefit of the tenant. This has been taken *verbatim* from section 36 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, and I submit that it would be for the benefit of the tenant if such a power were given to the Deputy Commissioner who could, in certain circumstances, direct that there should be a gradual enhancement instead of granting the enhancement at once."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said :—"For two reasons, Sir, I am not in favour of accepting this amendment. In the first place, it deals with the subject of the enhancement of rent. Admittedly the Act is defective with regard to the safeguards relating to enhancement; but, as I have already pointed out, we cannot, owing to the lack of the requisite data, say what these safeguards should be. *Secondly*, the section of the Act in which the learned and hon'ble Member would wish to include this amendment does, as it stands, enable the Deputy Commissioner to provide for the very object which the Hon'ble Member contemplates by his amendment, for it says that the Deputy Commissioner 'may otherwise alter or vary the rent for such land as to him may seem fair and reasonable.'

"That being so, it seems to me unwise to tamper with the question of enhancement when confessedly we are not in possession of the requisite data. For these reasons I would ask the Council to reject the amendment."

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, in reply said :—"I do not think the law, as it stands, covers a case like that. The present section 24 no doubt gives the Deputy Commissioner wide discretionary power to fix whatever rent he thinks fair and reasonable, but I submit that this does

not give power to direct that the enhancement should be gradual. Of course, if the Hon'ble Members think that the law, as it stands, covers the case, I do not think it necessary to go on with this."

The Motion was then put and lost.

Clause 11 (section 28B).

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH moved that the words "or the holding of an under-raiyat having occupancy rights," and the words "or the holding of an under-raiyat not having occupancy rights," in section 28B (*1*) in clause 11 of the Bill, be struck out. He said:—

"The expression 'under-raiyat' is to be found nowhere in this Act, nor is it defined in the Act. Section 28B has been copied from the Bengal Tenancy Act, and is a mere reproduction of section 113 of that Act. Of course the section of the Bengal Tenancy Act contains these two expressions, but in this Act this expression will have no meaning and may lead to complications. Therefore, I submit, their retention is not desirable, and they may be struck out."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I have nothing to urge against this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That the words 'or the holding of an under-raiyat having occupancy rights,' in section 28B (*1*), in clause 11 of the Bill, be struck out.

In doing so, he said:—"I beg leave to withdraw this amendment, as it is fully covered by the amendment which has just been moved and carried."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, by leave of the Council, also withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That at the end of sub-section (*2*) of section 28B, in clause 11 of the Bill, the following be added, namely:—

'or from the date of the final decision in any suit, or of any order in any other proceeding, referred to in section 28A, altering the said record-of-rights.'

In doing so, he said:—"I will not press this amendment. I have had the benefit of a discussion with the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, and I have in consequence decided to withdraw it. I accordingly ask permission to withdraw this amendment."

New clause.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That after clause 11 of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

'11A. In section 29 of the said Act, after the word "raiyat," in both places in which it occurs, the words "or Mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be inserted.'

In doing so, he said:—"The Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill has satisfied me that this amendment, as well as the one which stands in my name and is No 35 on the agenda, that in section 32A, in clause 14 of the Bill, after the word 'raiyat' the words 'or Mundari khunt-kattidar' be inserted, are not required, and therefore I withdraw them."

Clause 13.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, moved that in section 31, in clause 13 of the Bill, the words "or *Sambat*" be inserted after the word "Bengali." He said:—

"This is simply a verbal amendment, and it is necessary. So far as I know, there should be no discussion about this matter, as it is identical with an amendment, moved by the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"This amendment, Sir, is the same as the one standing against my name in the next item of business, and I would therefore accept it."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That in section 31, in clause 13 of the Bill, the words 'or *Sambat*' be inserted after the word 'Bengali.'"

Clause 14.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That in section 32A, in clause 14 of the Bill, after the word 'raiyat' the words 'or Mundari khunt-khattidar' be inserted."

Clause 16.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE moved that in section 34 (*4*), in clause 16 of the Bill, after the word "paid" the words "or tendered" be inserted. He said:—

"The object of this amendment is to prevent a transferree being harassed by his landlord. If the words in question be not added, it will be open to a landlord to refuse to accept payment of the fee, and thereby to restrain the transferree from bringing any rent suit. This power is clearly not one which should be given the landlord, and I would therefore ask that this amendment may be adopted."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"It is now, Sir, for me to move that after section 34 (*4*), in clause 16 of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

'(*4a*) In the case of any such transfer made after the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, if a longer period than one year has elapsed between the date of the transfer and the date of the application for the registration thereof, the transferree or his successor in title shall not be entitled to recover as aforesaid any rent payable as aforesaid for any period longer than one year.

'(*4b*) In the case of any such transfer made before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, if an application for the registration thereof be not made within one year from such commencement, and if a longer period than one year has elapsed between such commencement and the date of the application for registration, the transferree or his successor in title shall not be entitled to recover as aforesaid any rent payable as aforesaid for any period longer than one year.'

"But I have to-day had the advantage of learning the opinion of the Hon'ble Dr. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya on this amendment, and in lieu of my own wording I would beg to be allowed to substitute the following, which has been drafted by the learned and Hon'ble Member and which embodies the principle I have in view more strongly than what my own draft does, namely:—

'That for sub-section (*4*) of section 34, in clause 16 of the Bill, the following be substituted, namely:—

"(*4*) Every application for the registration of a transfer under sub-section (*1*) must be made, in the case of a transfer which occurred before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, within one year from such commencement, and, in the case of a transfer occurring after such commencement, within one year from the date of the transfer.

"(*4a*) If application for the registration of any transfer of a tenure or portion thereof is not made, and the registration-fee paid or tendered, as hereinbefore prescribed, the transferee or his successor in title shall not be entitled to recover, by suit or other proceeding, any rent payable to him as the holder of the tenure or portion which may have accrued due between the date of the transfer and the date of the application for registration."'

"The object of section 34 (*4*) is to put pressure on transferrees to register their transfers in the *sarishta* of the landlord, by enacting that as long as such registration is not applied for and the requisite fee not tendered, the transferree can bring no rent suit against his tenants. I have never been satisfied with regard to the efficacy of this provision. In the Land Registration Act we know that in spite of the fines which can be inflicted on proprietors of estates for non-registration of transfers, the provisions of that Act are constantly neglected. It is impossible for me to suggest that a landlord should be allowed to fine a transferree of a tenure for neglecting to register the transfer in his *sarishta*, and I have been considering what addition could be made to this sub-clause with a view to strengthen the pressure which it is designed should be brought to bear on the transferree to register the transfer. Obviously, inability to sue the raiyat for arrears of rent is very weak. In a very large number of instances the relations between the transferree and his tenants are harmonious, and consequently no need to sue them would arise. Under such circumstances, it would be useless for the superior landlord to tell the transferree's tenants not to pay, as the transfer not having been registered, they would not be sued. The result would be that the transferree would apply for registration and tender his fee, and bring the requisite suits. Then the tenants would discover that their refusal to pay had resulted in their having to meet the costs of the suits, and that they were at their own expense fighting the superior landlord's battle. Lately it was suggested to me that if provision was made to prevent the transferree recovering by suit any amount of rent that had accrued to him for the period between the date of transfer and the date of application for registration in excess of one year's demand, then transferrees would quickly register their transfers in the zamindar's *sarishta*. This suggestion appeared to me to provide for the want I felt, and it has therefore been embodied in the present amendment."

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said :—"As I understand the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, the amendment as it stands in the list of agenda is withdrawn, and he desires in its place to move the following :—

'(*4*) Every application for the registration of a transfer under sub-section (*1*) must be made, in the case of a transfer which occurred before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, within one year from such commencement, and, in the case of a transfer occurring after such commencement, within one year from the date of the transfer.

'(*4a*) If application for the registration of any transfer of a tenure or portion thereof is not made, and the registration-fee paid or tendered, as hereinbefore prescribed, the transferree or his successor in title shall not be entitled to recover, by suit or other proceeding, any rent payable to him as the holder of the tenure or portion which may have accrued due between the date of the transfer and the date of the application for registration.'"

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I entirely agree with the observations which have fallen from the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill; but, with reference to this amended amendment, I may be permitted to point out that if only a slight verbal change is made, it will be possible for us not only to omit (*4a*) and (*4b*), but also to omit the whole of paragraph 4 itself."

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"As this is an important amendment and has been sprung upon the Council without time for consideration, I think the best course will be to leave the consideration of this amendment till the end of the day."

The consideration of the revised amendment was postponed till later in the day.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, moved that in sub-section (*5*) of section 34, in clause 16 of the Bill, the following be inserted before the existing sub-clause (*i*), namely :—

'to affect the validity of a transfer of any tenure or portion thereof when the name of the transferree or his successor in title has not been registered in the *sarishta* of the zamindar or superior tenant, or the aforesaid registration-fee has not been paid, if such

transfer has been recognized by the zamindar or superior tenant by instituting a suit for the recovery of rent due in respect of the tenure or portion, or if the transfer has taken place in execution of a decree for arrears of rent due in respect of the tenure or portion.'

He said:—"When a landlord sues a transferree for rent, though he has not been registered and has not paid the landlord's fee, he virtually admits his position, which admission amounts to a definite recognition of the transfer. The transferree is brought into the same position when the landlord himself brings the property transferred to sale in execution of his own decree for rent. There may be a small question for consideration in this connection. The section under consideration deals with the right of the transferree to recover rents from his tenants, and not with the question of the validity or otherwise of the transfer. Therefore I submit that there ought to be a provision in the law to the effect that if the landlord himself has brought a suit against the transferree for arrears of rent, or if a transfer has taken place at the instance of the superior landlord in execution of a decree for arrears of rent, no objection to the validity of a transfer like this could be taken only upon the ground that it has not been registered, and only upon the ground that the landlord's fee has not been paid. The landlord can always enforce his claim. Under these circumstances, I think the amendment ought to be accepted. Of course there may be a little difference as regards the wording, and if any Hon'ble Member would prefer to say that instead of the words 'to affect the validity of a transfer' the words 'to affect the right of a transferree to recover rent' be substituted, I have no objection. Perhaps my amendment would meet with approval if altered in this way."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am not prepared, Sir, to accept this amendment. I am unable to see any need for it or to recognise that it meets any existing want, nor can I see why such persons should be exempted from paying the registration-fee due to the superior landlord."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I regret I cannot support this amendment, which as it stands presupposes that a landlord, having brought a rent suit against a transferree or having put the tenure to sale and the purchaser having purchased the tenure, admits the transfer, and therefore it is not necessary that this class of transferrees should register their names in the landlord's *sarishta* under the new law. I beg to submit that section 34 deals with a particular class of tenures in Chota Nagpur, which are called *jágir* tenures, and the circumstances of these tenures are quite different from permanent tenures in Bengal. The purchaser of these tenures was under the old law obliged to register his name in the *sarishta* of the superior landlord, and I would refer my hon'ble and learned friend to section 35 of the old Act which has been repealed by the present Bill. Section 35 ran thus:—

'The provisions of the last preceding section shall also be applicable to the sale of such under-tenures as are mentioned in section 123, and to the sale of the right and title of any person under section 124.'

"This practically means that the purchasers in sales held under sections 123 and 124 of the Act now being amended were under the necessity of registering their names in the *sarishta* of the superior landlord, and the mere fact that the superior landlord put the property to sale did not exonerate them from registration. So, if we accept my hon'ble friend's amendment, it will have this effect—that the transfers which took place by execution sale before the commencement of the new Act will not be registered in the *sarishta* of the superior landlord, and section 35 of the Act would be made nugatory to that extent."

The Hon'ble MR. PUGH said:—"I would venture to appeal to the hon'ble mover to relieve the Council from further discussing this amendment by withdrawing it. If a man sues the transferree, it is perfectly impossible that he should say afterwards, 'I question the transfer to him,' and if this amendment is at all necessary, then it will follow that a man might sue the transferree first, and then afterwards take objection to the validity of the transfer. I do not think such a thing can ever happen."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, in reply said:—"The High Court has held that the moment a suit is brought for recovery of arrears of rent against a transferree, the suit itself amounts to a recognition of the title of the transferree. However, if there be any difficulty in the acceptance of this amendment, I leave it there."

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"As the amendment has not been withdrawn, it will be put to the Council."

The Motion was then put and lost.

Clause 18.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA moved that in clause 18 (*2*) of the Bill for the words "or other person in actual possession of the tenure" the words "or his successor in title" be substituted. He said:—

"I need not give any reason for this amendment other than the one that the words which I propose to substitute better express the meaning than the words in the section."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I would, Sir, accept this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That in clause 18 (*2*) of the Bill for the words 'or other person in actual possession of the tenure' the words 'or his successor in title' be substituted."

In doing so, he said:—"I beg, Sir, to withdraw this amendment, which is identical with the one just accepted."

Clause 19.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that in clause (*a*) of section 36A, in clause 19 of the Bill, for the words "lease of" the words "interest in" be substituted. He said:—

"This clause has been taken from the Sale Law (Act XI of 1859), section 37, clause (*4*), and the words 'any lease of land' have been the subject of many decisions of the High Court, and the object of the Legislature appears to be to protect from ejectment persons who hold land on which a 'dwelling-house, manufactory or other permanent building has been erected' and so on. I may remind the Council that the Sale Law entirely sets aside and frees purchasers from encumbrances except in these cases. I submit that these words 'interest in' should be substituted for 'lease of.'"

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am, Sir, unable to adopt this amendment. The point is one which was very carefully considered by the Select Committee, the legal members of which, among whom was the learned Advocate-General, were unanimously of opinion that no such alteration as the one now proposed was required."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, said:—"I regret that I have to oppose this amendment. There seems to be a little difference here as regards conveyancing. So far back as 1859, we find that this word was adopted in the Revenue Sale Law, and my hon'ble and learned friend says we should use the words 'interest in' in preference to the words 'lease of.' I submit that the word 'lease,' which means nothing more or less than the letting of land, is more appropriate and at the same time more comprehensive than the word 'interest.' We also find that the word 'lease' has been in fact recognised and accepted and approved ever since it was brought into the Revenue Sale Act (XI of 1859). I do not see any reason for making this particular alteration which has been suggested."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I feel bound to oppose this amendment, as the word 'lease' is a well understood legal expression. Apart from that, the words 'any interest in land' will have a much wider meaning than the words 'any lease of land.' For instance, if my hon'ble friend's amendment is accepted, protection will be extended to mortgages if only within the mortgaged premises there is a dwelling-house. I submit that in such instances we shall be going much further than the Revenue Law or the Bengal Tenancy Act, and I do not think any case has been made out for such extension."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I also oppose the amendment on the ground put forward by my hon'ble friend."

The Motion was then put and lost.

Clause 20.

The Hon'ble MR SLACKE moved that in clause 20 of the Bill, for the words "or on account of the refusal of receipts for rent paid," the following be substituted, namely:—

'on account of the illegal exaction of rent or of any unauthorised cess or impost, or on account of the refusal of receipts for rent paid, or,'

He said:—"The reason for this is the same as that which induced the Select Committee to suggest that from this very clause, *viz.*, (*g*) of section 37 of the Act, should be omitted the words 'or on account of the refusal of receipts for rent paid.' The Bill in the section to be substituted for section 11 of the existing Act provides a new remedy, apart from that by suit, for the prevention of illegal exaction of rent. It is not desirable, therefore, that the remedy by suit, which exists in the present Act, should be retained. In the first place, two remedies are not required, and, in the second place, for an aboriginal, a remedy by suit is practically no remedy at all."

The Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY said:—"I would, Sir, support this amendment."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, said:—"I would also support this amendment, because the next amendment which stands in my name is identical with this."

The Motion was then put and carried.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that the following be added to clause 20 of the Bill, namely:—

'After the words "extortion of rent," in the same clause, the words "or interest thereon" shall be inserted.'

He said:—"This, Sir, is a consequential amendment and should be accepted, since the amendment against Item No. 23 in the List of Business has been adopted."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that the following be added to clause 20 of the Bill, namely:—

'After clause (*5*) of the same section, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*5a*) all suits to eject a raiyat on account of the use of land comprised in his holding in a manner which renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy."'

He said:—"Clause 14 of the Bill provides for the insertion in the Act of a section which renders liable to ejectment a raiyat who uses the land of his holding in a manner which renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy. Unless the amendment I have just proposed be adopted, there will be no means available to the landlord for enforcing this penalty."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, said:—"I support this amendment with pleasure, because it will relieve me from the necessity of moving an amendment on precisely the same lines, which stands against my name."

The Motion was then put and carried.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That the following be added to clause 20 of the Bill, namely:—

'At the end of clause (5) of the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"or on account of the use of the land by a raiyat in a manner which renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy."'

New clause.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, by leave of the Council, also withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That the following be inserted in the Bill, namely:—

'20A. In section 38 of the said Act, after the word "suit" the words "or other proceeding" shall be inserted.'

In doing so, he said:—"Having had the advantage of a consultation with the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, I have come to the conclusion that I should withdraw this amendment.'

Clause 22.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that sub-clause (*b*) in clause 22 of the Bill be struck out. He said:—

"The proviso to section 44, as it stands, runs as follows: 'Provided that if the suit be for recovery of rent at a higher rate than was payable in the previous year, such rent not having been enhanced by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act, the suit shall be instituted within three months from the end of the Bengali or Sambat year, or the month of Jeth of the Fasli or the Wilayati year, on account of which such enhanced rent is claimed.' The application referred to here is an application under section 155 of the Bill, which gives the zamindar the right of realising rent under the certificate procedure. That right is an extraordinary right which is not given anywhere else, but is given here to landlords; but that right is to be exercised in cases where the rent is fixed, where the rent has been found by the Settlement Officer and recorded as rent for which there is no dispute. But here this section, if it is allowed to stand, would permit of a certificate procedure application being made for recovery of rent at a higher rate. I submit that it was never intended by the Legislature that the certificate procedure should be resorted to for realising at an enhanced rate, and therefore I trust this amendment will be accepted."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am unable, Sir, to accept the amendment. The retention of the words objected to is necessary in view of the procedure that has been devised in the Bill for the realisation of arrears of rent from the holders of Mundari khunt-kattidari tenures for which a survey and record-of-rights has been made, and were for this purpose so inserted by the Select Committee."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, said:—"I beg to say, Sir, that the amendment moved by my hon'ble and learned friend is necessary, and I say so for the reasons put forward by him."

The Motion was then put and lost.

Clause 26.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, also moved that the following be added to clause 26 of the Bill, namely:—

'The words "and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that there has been a failure of justice," in the same section, are repealed.'

He said:—"On a reference to section 66 of the Act you find that this section provides that when a suit is decreed *ex-parte* the defendant may within 30 days apply for a rehearing of the appeal on the ground that summons was not served him, and if he can show sufficient cause for non-appearance, then the Court restores the case. But here a condition is attached, and that condition is, that he must show sufficient cause for his previous non-appearance and satisfy the Deputy Commissioner that there has been a failure of justice. That means that the applicant will have to go into the merits of the case and satisfy the Deputy Commissioner that there has been a failure of justice. The first thing that he has to do is to satisfy the Deputy Commissioner if there is sufficient reason for non-appearance, and he must go into the merits of the case to show that there has been a failure of justice. In no Civil Court is it necessary that the parties should go into the merits of the case. If he cannot give sufficient reasons his application is dismissed, and if he satisfies the Court, then a day is fixed and the parties are allowed to go on with the case. I submit that the words 'and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that there has been a failure of justice' should be struck off."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"The words, Sir, which the learned and Hon'ble Member would wish to strike out are part of the existing law and have been in force for 25 years. Nothing has been alleged to show that they in any way are objectionable in practice or have led to any hardship, and that being so, acting on the principle adopted by the Select Committee, I am averse to the acceptance of this amendment."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I submit that there has not been much practical difficulty on this point, and I do not therefore consider it a question of great urgency. On that ground I do not support the amendment."

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, in reply said:—"The reasons urged against this amendment are not very forcible, namely, that these words have found a place in the Act for fifteen years and that no inconvenience has resulted. These are not sufficient reasons for not striking these words out. My hon'ble friend on my right says there is no urgency, but if he agrees with me on principle that these words should not be there, I do not see what harm there would be in deleting these words. I submit that the want of urgency is no reason for allowing a provision to remain which is decidedly objectionable."

The Motion was then put and lost.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, moved that the following be inserted in clause 26 of the Bill, namely:—

'For the first paragraph of section 66 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"No appeal shall lie from a judgment against a plaintiff by default for non-appearance; but an appeal shall lie from a judgment passed *ex-parte* against a defendant who has not appeared, if presented within thirty days from the date of the judgment.'

'In the second paragraph of the same section, for the words "But in all such cases" the words "In all cases referred to in the first paragraph of this section" shall be substituted.'

He said:—"An appeal should be allowed against judgment passed *ex-parte*. The Bill does not allow it. The predecessors of the present Code of Civil Procedure did not allow such appeal, but the necessity for it was at last found and such appeal was allowed. This provision in the Civil Procedure Code works well. The remedy to people against whom judgments *ex-parte* are passed find in an appeal a much simpler remedy than otherwise. This would show ample justification for the amendment I move."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"Nothing, Sir, has been shown by the learned and Hon'ble Member of this amendment which can lead anyone to think that the change suggested is one urgently required, and on that ground I would ask that this amendment may not be accepted."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I sympathise with the object of this amendment, but the scope of this Bill is limited. I understand that unless a matter is very urgent, it cannot be inserted in the present Bill. In this matter it cannot be said that there is any such practical difficulty, and therefore it would be better if it was allowed to stand over till some future time. I cannot support the amendment."

The Motion was then put and lost.

Clause 27.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH moved that after sub-clause (*1*) in clause 27 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'(*2*) In the same paragraph, after the words "is subordinate" the words "or by any other person whom the Deputy Commissioner may deem fit" shall be inserted.

'(*3*) In the second paragraph of the same section, after the word "officer" the words "or other person" shall be inserted.'

He said:—"This is only a simple change. Section 82 of the old Act provides for local inquiries and lays down that such local inquiries can only be made by the Deputy Commissioner himself or by any officer subordinate to him or by any other officer of Government with the consent of the authority to whom such officer is subordinate. This causes great practical difficulty, because Government officers are not always available for such inquiries, and it is highly necessary that persons other than Government officers should be deputed for such inquiries, and that the Deputy Commissioner should have power to depute such persons."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I would, Sir, support this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, by leave of the Council withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That after sub-clause (*1*) in clause 27 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'(*2*) In the same paragraph, after the words "is subordinate," the words "or by any competent person other than an officer of Government" shall be inserted.'

In doing so, he said:—"The amendment just carried is identical with the one I was to have moved, so I beg leave to withdraw it."

Clause 29.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE moved that the words "to be recorded in writing" be inserted after the words "for special reasons" in clause 29 (*4*) of the Bill." He said:—

"As the clause now stands, the Court may for special reasons extend the period of 30 days mentioned in this section. It can be easily imagined that some Courts may not put their reasons down on paper, and since it is obviously necessary that this should be done for the purpose of removing any doubt on the subject, I propose that these words 'to be recorded in writing' be inserted after the words 'for special reasons.'"

The Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY said:—"I support this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

New Clauses.

THE Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, moved that after clause 29 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'29A. After section 94 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"94A. The following rules shall apply in the case of every raiyat ejected from a holding, namely:—

Rights of raiyat when ejected from holding.

(*a*) when the raiyat has, before the date of his ejectment, sown or planted crops in any land comprised in the holding, he shall be entitled, at the option of the landlord, either to retain possession of that land and to use it for the purpose of tending and gathering in the crops, or to receive from the landlord the value of the crops, as estimated by the Court executing the decree for ejectment;

(*b*) when the raiyat has, before the date of his ejectment, prepared for sowing any land comprised in his holding, but has not sown or planted crops in that land, he shall be entitled to receive from the landlord the value of the labour and capital expended by him in so preparing the land, as estimated by the Court executing the decree for ejectment, together with reasonable interest on that value;

(*c*) a raiyat shall not be entitled to retain possession of any land or receive any sum in respect thereof under this section where, after the commencement of proceedings by the landlord for his ejectment, he has cultivated or prepared the land contrary to local usage;

(*d*) if the landlord elects under this section to allow a raiyat to retain possession of the land, the raiyat shall pay to the landlord, for the use and occupation of the land during the period for which he is allowed to retain possession of the same, such rent as the Court executing the decree for ejectment may deem reasonable."'

He said:—"In moving this amendment I observed that in all matters of new legislation *necessity is the touchstone*. Act X of 1859 and Bengal Act VIII of 1869 had no provision like the one in section 156 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, owing to which, after delivery of possession to landlords of the holdings of raiyats after their ejectment, serious litigation ensued, ending sometimes in breaches of the peace. To obviate such and similar difficulties, the provisions I am seeking became law, forming part of the Bengal Tenancy Act. -This provision should be made in the Bill under consideration."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"For two reasons this amendment is not one that I can support. In the first place, there is nothing to show that it deals with a matter that requires an immediate remedy and, *secondly*, the proposal is not one that should be provided for by substantive law, but by rules having the force of law. When the necessity arises for the need of any such rules, the Government already possesses the power to make them."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"This amendment is based upon the interlinked section of the Bengal Tenancy Act, and I should say that no one would be more glad than myself to have this section of the Bengal Tenancy Act, but I was told that we must wait for it till the consolidating Bill is before the Council, and that in the present Bill we can only have such amendments as are urgently necessary. Although I agree with the principle of the amendment, I cannot see the urgency of it. I cannot, therefore, support the amendment."

The Motion was then put and lost.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, by leave of the Council withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That after clause 29 of the Bill the following be inserted namely:—

'29A. In section 98 of the said Act, after the word "Act," the words "and to all applications under section 155" shall be inserted.'

In doing so, he said:—"I have been assured by my hon'ble friend to my left that if this amendment is accepted it will cause great hardship to raiyats, and therefore, I do not think I should be justified in pressing it."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH moved that after clause 29 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely :—

'29A. For section 105 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"105. No process of execution of any description whatsoever shall be issued on any decree or order passed under this Act unless an application be made within three years from—

Application for execution to be made within three years.

(*a*) the date of the decree or order, or

(*b*) where there has been an appeal, the date of the final decree or order of the Appellate Court, or

(*c*) where there has been a review of judgment, the date of the decision passed on the review."'

He said:—"My amendment is connected with section 105 of the Act, which lays down the period of limitation with regard to execution matters. I submit, Your Honour, that this section is not happily worded. It says: 'No process of execution of any description whatsoever shall be issued on a judgment under this Act unless an application be made within three years from the date of such judgment.' I am not aware of any law, in this or any other country, under which an 'execution on judgment' is taken out. The usual expression is 'execution of decree': this is the expression which occurs in the Civil Procedure Code, the Bengal Tenancy Act, and in all other Acts. To bring this section in conformity with the law in other parts of the country, I submit that the word 'judgment' be struck out and the words 'decree or order' be substituted. Practically we do little more than to make the section conform with the Bengal Tenancy Act on the subject. By this Bill we have given a higher right of appeal. Previously there was no right of appeal after execution proceedings. This Bill provides for that, and it is very desirable that the section should be made to conform with this. Even where appeal is allowed, execution should be taken out within three years of the final decree."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I would, Sir, ask that this amendment may be accepted."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I support the amendment, but I have to point out that although we are amending section 105 by this amendment, it will not affect section 103 and other sections in which, I believe, the same expressions are to be found."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, said:—"I agree to this amendment, subject to the restriction proposed."

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"I think we may take it as a part of your substantive motion that wherever the word 'judgment' occurs in this connection, the words 'decree or order' should be substituted, that is to say, if the amendment is carried."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"Yes, Your Honour."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA then, by leave of the Council, moved that, in sections 103 and 104 of Bengal Act I of 1879, where process of execution is mentioned as being issued upon a "judgment," the words "decree or order" should be substituted for the word "judgment."

Both Motions were put and carried.

Clause 34.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, moved that sub-section (*1*) of section 130A, in clause 34 of the Bill, be altered as follows, namely:—

"130A. (*1*) When a tenure or holding has been sold for an arrear of rent due thereon or when any other immoveable property has been sold under section 129, any person who owns the tenure or holding or the said immoveable property, or who has an interest therein under a title lawfully acquired before the sale, may, at any time within a period of thirty days from the date of the sale, apply to have the sale set aside on his depositing in Court—

Application to set aside sale of tenure, holding or other immoveable property.

(*a*) for payment to the purchaser, a sum equal to five *per centum* of the purchase-money, and

(*b*) for payment to the decree-holder, the amount specified in the proclamation of sale as that for the recovery of which the sale was ordered, less any amount which may, since the date of such proclamation and sale, have been received by the decree-holder.'

He said:—"The provisions made in section 130A, sub-section (*1*), ought to include a remedy to the judgment-debtors whose other immoveable property under section 129 have been sold. There is no reason why they should be left without remedy."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"This amendment, Sir, might be accepted."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 37.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, also moved that in clause 37 (*1*) of the Bill the words "section 119, section 120 or section 130" be substituted for the words "section 119 or section 120." He said:—

"The principle underlying orders under section 119 and section 120 stand on all-fours with the principle on which an order under section 130 is based. The inquiry under all these sections is of a similar character. Therefore an order under section 130 should not be made appealable to the Commissioner."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I have nothing to say against this amendment."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I have great pleasure in supporting this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

New clauses.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that after clause 38 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'38A. In section 137 of the said Act, after the word "thereto" the words "or a question of a right to enhance or vary the rent of a tenant or a question of the amount of rent annually payable by a tenant," shall be inserted.'

He said:—"This is a very important amendment if I might say so, because if the object of the Legislature is to give a right of appeal, then unless his condition is improved, there will be no appeal. These words are taken from section 153 of the Bengal Tenancy Act. I may appeal to my hon'ble friends here that the only sort of case that comes up for appeal is when there is a dispute about the enhancement or varying of rent. There are few cases where there are questions of detail between the conflicting parties. If these words are not added, there will practically be no appeal. Therefore, I submit, these words which are to be found in section 153 of the Bengal Tenancy Act should be added."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am averse to this amendment, Sir, on the ground that to accept it will be contrary to the principle which guided the Select Committee, inasmuch as there is nothing to show that the proposal meets an existing urgent need."

The Hon'ble MR. PUGH said:—"I should support this amendment supposing it was with reference to a province like Bengal, but what we have to consider is that Chota Nagpur is not suited for this kind of legislation, and I think it would be better for the circumstances of Chota Nagpur if these questions arising between landlord and tenant were not subject to appeal. That was the conclusion we arrived at in Select Committee, and that I think is the right conclusion, having regard to the circumstances of Chota Nagpur."

The Motion was then put and lost.

Clause 16.

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"The Council will remember that Item No. 37 on the List of Business was postponed for further consideration till the end of the day, when the Hon'ble Dr. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya suggested an amendment which would have the effect of obviating the necessity of the amendment of the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill. The Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill and the Hon'ble the Advocate-General have considered the wording of the suggested amendment, and I understand that the Hon'ble MR. Slacke is now prepared to bring forward an amendment to the following effect:—

'(*4*) Every application for the registration of a transfer under sub-section (*1*) must be made, in the case of a transfer which occurred before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, within one year from such commencement, and, in the case of a transfer occurring after such commencement, within one year from the date of the transfer.

'(*4a*) If application for the registration of any transfer of a tenure or portion thereof is not made, and the registration fee paid or tendered, as hereinbefore prescribed, the transferee or his successor in title shall not be entitled to recover, by suit or other proceeding, any rent payable to him as the holder of the tenure or portion which may have accrued due between the date of the transfer and the date of the application for registration.' "

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am willing, Sir, to accept the amendment as now altered by the Hon'ble DR. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya. It will take the place of the existing sub-clause (*4*) in the section."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I understand that sub-clause (*4*) will go out. It is understood that this will be substituted for the entire amendment which is down in the name of the Hon'ble Mr. Slacke."

The Hon'ble DR ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I take it that it will take the place of sub-clauses (*4a*) and (*4b*)."

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"That being so, sub-clauses (*4*) and (*4a*) will now stand as follows:—

'(*4*) Every application for the registration of a transfer under sub-section (*1*) must be made, in the case of a transfer which occurred before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, within one year from such commencement, and, in the case of a transfer occurring after such commencement, within one year from the date of the transfer.

'(*4a*) If application for the registration of any transfer of a tenure or portion thereof is not made, and the registration-fee paid or tendered, as hereinbefore prescribed, the transferee or his successor in title shall not be entitled to recover, by suit or other proceeding, any rent payable to him as the holder of the tenure or portion which may have accrued due between the date of the transfer and the date of the application for registration.'

"These sub-clauses will take the place of sub-clauses (*4*), (*4a*) and (*4b*) of the Hon'ble Mr. Slacke's amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 39.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That in clause 39 of the Bill after the word 'decree' the words 'or order' be inserted."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH moved that after clause 38 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'38A. Section 138 of the said Act is repealed.'

He said:—"I think it would be better if this item was considered after item 60, which stands in my name, is disposed of."

The Motion was allowed to stand over as requested.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that after clause 38 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'38B. At the end of section 138 of the said Act the words "or upon any other sufficient ground" shall be added.'

He said:—"This amendment will simply give the Deputy Commissioner wide discretionary powers for granting a review. Here the grounds upon which a review may be admitted are limited: they are limited only to the ground of the discovery of some new evidence or matter. What I propose is to give wider discretionary power to the Deputy Commissioner to re-hear cases where injustice has been done, or for other reason. These words are also to be found in section 623 of the Civil Procedure Code. I submit it will be for the ends of ju tice if the amendment is accepted."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I would suggest, Sir, subject to the consent of the Hon'ble Mover, that this amendment may be considered after Item No. 57 in the List of Business has been disposed of, because, if that amendment be accepted, this one must necessarily be abandoned."

The Motion was allowed to stand over as requested.

New clauses.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH moved that after clause 40 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'40A. After section 145 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"145A. (*1*) The provisions of section 561 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall, so far as applicable, apply to all appeals under this Act.

Application of certain provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure.

"(*2*) The provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the amendment of plaints, the amendment of decrees, the substitution of parties, and review of judgment shall, so far as they are not inconsistent with this Act, apply to all suits and proceedings under this Act."'

He said:—"The object of the amendment is to introduce some of the provisions of the Civil Procedure Code. In moving this amendment, I do not lose sight of the fact that the present Bill is limited to very urgent matters. The procedure of the Chota Nagpur Rent Act is very defective Great practical difficulty is experienced in working out the procedure law, and in this connection I would simply read a passage from the report of the Deputy Commissioner of Hazaribagh. He reports in connection with the Bill:—

'I may mention that I have had it argued before me that a Court cannot review its own judgment or order, and in a case when I appointed a Receiver, the legality of my action was called in question.'

"I am aware that several suits in the Ranchi Courts have been dismissed on the ground that there is no provision in the law for the substitution of parties after death. This will surprise men who are accustomed to law in other parts of the country. I have, therefore, confined my amendment to this very urgent matter. By the present Bill a second appeal to the High Court is allowed in certain cases, but our Act does not provide for what we call technically 'cross appeals:' that is, when an appeal is filed by one of the parties, the respondent has also a right to appeal on certain portions of the lower Court's judgment. Section 561 provides for this, but great difficulty is experienced, as some of the Judicial Commissioners have held that under the existing law there is no right of cross-appeal. Then there are some other things which I pray for, namely, that the provisions of the Civil Procedure Code relating to the amendment of plaints, the amendment of decrees, the substitution of parties and review of judgment, so far as they are not inconsistent with this Act. These are very necessary matters. There is at present no provision in the Act, and the Courts have refused to correct the patent errors. We shall have great practical difficulty unless this remedy is given. Therefore I submit that the Council should consent to this amendment."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am, Sir, wholly in favour of this amendment, which will remedy existing grievances and get rid of certain hardships."

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, said:—"I have much pleasure in supporting this amendment. I have only to point out that it might be as well to add the word 'appeals' after the word "suits" in the above section 145A (*2*)."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I accept the suggestion."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I have much pleasure in supporting this amendment, as it covers to some extent the same ground as an amendment which stands in my name. I would suggest that not only the word 'appeals' but also the words 'and addition' be inserted after the word "substitution" in the said section."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I accept the addition."

The Motion was then put in its amended form and carried.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH moved that after clause 38 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'38A. Section 138 of the said Act is repealed.'

He said:—"There can be no objection to this being carried, because it follows as a sequence. Section 138 provides for review in one case only; and as we have got the general section for review, there is no necessity for this section. The whole covers a part."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I agree to the proposal of the Hon'ble Mover of the amendment. Item No. 60 having been adopted, it is no longer necessary to retain this section."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That after clause 38 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'38B. At the end of section 138 of the said Act the words "or upon any other sufficient ground" shall be added.'

In doing so, he said:—"The last two amendments being carried, it is not necessary for my amendment to be put. This is covered by item No. 60."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That after clause 40 of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

'40A. After section 145 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"145A. The provisions of sections 206, 373, 374, 375 and 561, and Chapter XLVII of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply to suits and appeals under this Act."'

Clause 41 (section 151).

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE moved that the words "such persons" be substituted for the words "such kattidars" in section 151, in clause 41 of the Bill. He said:—

"My reason for this is that the word 'kattidars' is meaningless. Khunt-kattidars would have been the appropriate word, but to prevent repetition, the word 'persons' will be sufficient here."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 41 (section 152).

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA moved that the words "when granted in respect of land of a village or tola of a village owned by a group of joint Mundari khunt-kattidars," in sub-section (*4*) of section 152, in clause 41 of the Bill, be struck out. He said:—

"Section 152, clause (*4*), reads in this way:—

'No lease of a Mundari khunt-kattidars tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid except a lease of one or other of the following kinds, when granted in respect of land of a village or tola of a village owned by a group of joint Mundari khunt-kattidars, namely:—

'(*a*) mukarrari leases of uncultivated land when granted to a Mundari or a group of Mundaris for the purpose of enabling the lessees or the male members of their families to bring suitable portions of the land under cultivation;

'(*b*) leases of uncultivated land when granted to a Mundari cultivator to enable him to cultivate the land as a raiyat.'

"Two kinds of leases are here described; the words which I have mentioned, if left in, will lead to the inference that if there is a village not owned by a group of Mundari khunt-kattidars, no lease whatever in such a village can be valid; but as that could never have been intended, I propose that these words be left out."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I would, Sir, accept this amendment."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I beg to support the amendment. Unless these words are struck out, very great difficulty will arise, because the section, as it stands, does not provide for power to lease in cases of what we call the individual khunt-kattidars. It is not intended that they should be deprived of the right of giving leases."

The Motion was then put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That the words 'when granted in respect of land of a village or tola of a village owned by a group of joint Mundari khunt kattidars,' in sub-section (*4*) of section 152, in clause 41 of the Bill, be struck out."

In doing so, he said:—"This item is identical with the one that has just been carried."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA moved that to sub-section (*4*) of section 152, in clause 41 of the Bill, the following be added, namely:—

'(*c*) raiyati leases of cultivated land which is part of a village or tola of a village not owned by a group of joint Mundari khunt-kattidars;

'(*d*) raiyati leases of cultivated land in a village owned by a group of joint Mundari khunt-kattidars, when such land is not in the occupation of the group or any member thereof and the lease is granted to a Mundari or a group of Mundari raiyats.'

He said:—"I believe the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill is quite in agreement with the principle which underlies the Bill, but he seems to think that the addition is not necessary. I shall therefore explain to the Council the grounds upon which I venture to think that the additional clauses are necessary. Clause (*4*) of section 152 deals with the validity of leases of khunt-kattidari tenures. Clauses (*a*) and (*b*) both deal with the case of leases of uncultivated lands. Clause (*a*) speaks of the *mukarrari* lease of uncultivated land when granted to a Mundari or group of Mundaris for the purpose of enabling the lessees or the male members of their families to bring suitable portions of the land under cultivation. Clause (*b*) deals with the case of leases of uncultivated lands when granted to a Mundari cultivator to enable him to cultivate the land as a raiyat. No provision therefore is apparently made for leases of cultivated lands. By cultivated lands I mean lands which have been brought under cultivation, but which are not in actual occupation of tenants.

For instance, take the class of cases in which a tenant has brought a jungle into cultivation and then subsequently abandons it. That will not be such land as that covered by clauses (*a*) and (*b*). My hon'ble friend the Member in charge of the Bill says that that land may properly be described as uncultivated land, because it is not for the time being cultivated by any body. I submit that uncultivated land properly means land that has never been cultivated; if a land has once been brought under cultivation, and the tenant has simply vacated his holding, it cannot be said that it is uncultivated land. At least that is the way that people understand it."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"The Hon'ble Dr. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya has given fully the reason which has led me to refuse my support to this amendment, because I hold that the clause, as it stands, provides for this case. You have only three classes of land—cultivated land, uncultivated land and unculturable land. There can be no other kind of land. If a holding is cultivated, it is cultivated land; if it is not under cultivation, it is uncultivated land. Therefore this meets the whole case. If the Council are not of that opinion, then I think that clause (*c*) of the amendment will require a little alteration so as to make it quite clear that this class of leases cannot be granted to anybody but a Mundari. Otherwise you will let in the *baniyas*, and thereby work a great deal of evil to Mundari khunt-kattidars. I would suggest that the amendment should not be accepted, because the clause, as it stands, amply meets all classes of holdings."

The Hon'ble MR GUPTA said:—"I do not know whether it would meet the objection of my hon'ble and learned friend Dr. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya if from the second clause (*b*) the word 'uncultivated' is taken out and the clause made to run thus: '(*b*) leases of land, when granted to a Mundari cultivator to enable him to cultivate the land as a raiyat?'"

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"Omit the word 'uncultivated' in both clauses (*a*) and (*b*)."

The Hon'ble Mr. SLACKE said:—"I would not omit it, because it would give facilities to some members of the brotherhood to damage the interests of their weaker brethren. Uncultivated lands are lands in nobody's possession."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"The whole difficulty may be avoided if we adopt the words 'land which has been brought under cultivation but which is not at the time cultivated.'"

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am perfectly willing to adopt that."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"If you adopt that, I am quite willing to withdraw my amendment."

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"The Hon'ble Member desires to withdraw his amendment as it stands at present and substitute the following, namely:—

"That the following be inserted after sub-section (*4*) of section 152, in clause 41 of the Bill, namely:—

'*Explanation.*—The expression "uncultivated land," as used in this sub-section, includes land which, though formerly cultivated, is not at the time the lease is granted either under cultivation or in the occupation of the lessee for purposes of cultivation.'"

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH moved that to sub-section (*4*) of section 152, in clause 41 of the Bill, the following be added, namely:—

'(*c*) raiyati leases of cultivated land.'

He said:—"It strikes me that there may be cases which might make it necessary to add this clause to section 152 (*4*). What I mean is that clause (*4*) of section 152 which has been amended will certainly cover the cases of joint Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies, but there will be what we call Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies which may be held by one individual Mundari, such as the ordinary *jaigirdar* of Chota Nagpur. In these cases the raiyats who cultivate the villages are not all Mundari raiyats; they are people such as Swasis, and many other castes. I think we ought to have the power the amendment gives. Section 152, as it stands, says: 'No lease of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion shall be valid' The whole village is Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, but no portion of land from there may come under this sub-clause (*4*), even if that land is in the possession of a non-Mundari raiyat. So I do not think clause (*4*) of section 152 will cover such a case, but I say so subject to correction by the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill. If section 152 covers such cases, I will withdraw my amendment, but if it does not, I hope the matter will be carefully considered, because there are many villages in Chota Nagpur in which there are a very large portion of non-Mundari raiyats. I submit that the clause proposed by me should be inserted in the Bill, because, unless the meaning is very, very clear, much practical difficulty will be experienced."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am unable to accept the amendment. Everything that has come to our notice shews that there is great danger in a non-Mundari having anything to do permanently with land in a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy. I submit that there is no hardship or difficulty at present, but if in the future anything should transpire to shew that there is such hardship, it can be remedied when we again deal with this matter in a few years."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH in reply said:—"On hearing what the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill has stated, I desire to withdraw this amendment."

The Motion was then, by leave of the Council, withdrawn.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE moved that at the end of section 152, in clause 41 of the Bill, the following be added, namely:—

'(*7*) Nothing in the foregoing sub-sections shall affect any sale, or, except as declared in the proviso to sub-section (*1*), any mortgage, or any lease, made before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903.'

He said:—"This is merely a protective amendment designed to protect rights that have already accrued, and therefore will, I trust, be approved by the Council."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I have pleasure in supporting this amendment. In sections 10A and 10B some such provision has been made, and it is therefore necessary that this amendment should be put in under section 152. This provision regarding Mundari khunt-katti dari being a new insertion in the Bill, it might cause some misapprehension in the minds of people, and it is therefore very desirable that the matter should be as clear as possible."

The Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY said:—"I support this amendment because it is in keeping with the transfer of occupancy holdings and other transfers. So the principle which underlies this amendment has already been recognised by us in the foregoing part of the Bill."

The Motion was then put and carried.

Clause 41 (section 153).

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH moved that in section 153, in clause 41 of the Bill, before the words "no suit" the words "if the tenancy was, before such possession was obtained, entered as a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy in a

record-of-rights finally published under section 103A, sub-section (*2*), of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885," be inserted. He said:—

"I submit that this insertion is absolutely necessary, and for these reasons: section 153 provides that:—

'If any person, after the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, obtains possession of a Mundari khunt-kuttidari tenancy, or any portion thereof, in contravention of the provisions of section 152, the Deputy Commissioner may eject him therefrom; and no suit shall be maintainable in any Court in respect of such ejectment; but an appeal shall lie to the Commissioner, if presented within three months from the date of the ejectment, and his decision shall be final.'

"This ejectment will certainly be in a summary procedure. What I submit is that before the publication of the record-of-rights there will be nothing to shew what tenancy is a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, and a man might not know that he was dealing with a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, and he might purchase such a tenancy, and then if he is summarily ejected by the Deputy Commissioner, and if no right by a civil suit is given, it will be a very great hardship. After the preparation and publication of the record-of-rights there will be a safe guide for people to know what is a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, and that one should not therefore deal with it, and that if he does so it will be at his own risk. I submit that before the preparation and publication of the record-of-rights there should certainly be the power to contest the summary order for ejectment by a civil suit, and that in this particular case it is absolutely necessary, otherwise this section will lead to great hardship."

The Hon'ble Mr. SLACKE said:—"I am, Sir, in favour of this amendment. If the provisions of the section were not so curtailed, a Deputy Commissioner could put the section into operation with regard to a tenancy for which no record-of-rights had been prepared. In such a case the objection would certainly be made that the tenancy was not a Mundari khunt-kattidari one, and this should not be decided summarily."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I support this amendment, as it is identical with my amendment No. 69 on the List of Business."

The Motion was then put and carried.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely:—

"That in section 153, in clause 41 of the Bill, before the words 'no suit' the words 'if the tenancy is recorded as a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy in a record-of-rights finally published under section 103A, sub-section (*2*), of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885,' be inserted.'

Clause 41 (section 154).

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motions of which he had given notice, namely:—

"(1) That to section 154, in clause 41 of the Bill, the following be added, namely:—

'(*4*) The provisions of sections 27 and 28 relating to the abatement of rent shall be applicable to Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.'"

"(2) That in the marginal note to section 154, in clause 41 of the Bill, after the word 'enhancement' the words 'or abatement' be inserted."

"(3) That to section 154, in clause 41 of the Bill, the following be added, namely:—

'(*5*) When the rent of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy is entered in a record-of-rights as finally published under section 103A, sub-section (*2*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, then, notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing sub-sections,

'such rent shall not, except on the ground of a landlord's improvement or of a subsequent alteration in the area of the tenancy, be enhanced for five years,

'and no such rent shall be reduced within the period aforesaid, save on the ground of alteration in the area of the tenancy or on the ground that the soil of the tenancy has, without the fault of the Mundari khunt-kattidar, become permanently deteriorated by a deposit of sand or other specific cause, sudden or gradual.

'(6) The said period of five years shall be counted from the date of the final publication of the said record-of-rights.'"

Clause 41 (section 155).

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE moved that after the words "*per annum*" in section 155 (*1*), in clause 41 of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

'or, in the case of money recoverable under the Cess Act, 1880, with simple interest at twelve and-a-half *per centum per annum*.'

He said:—"The object of this amendment is to prevent anomaly, for unless it is accepted, the landlord would be unable to obtain the amount of interest which, under the Cess Act, he would be entitled to, and which, but for the present Bill as it stands, he would obtain."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I have much pleasure in supporting this amendment."

The Motion was then put and carried.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, moved that after the figures "33" in sub-section (*4*) of section 155, in clause 41 of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

'and, when any standing crops are sold in execution of a certificate made under this section, the provisions of section 21 of the said Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, shall also be applicable as if such crops were immoveable property.'

He said:—"I may remind the Council that standing crops under the present Act are not immoveable property. Under section 21 of the Public Demands Recovery Act, a debtor has a right to deposit the money within thirty days to have the attachment on his immoveable property set aside. That right is not given under this section. I submit it will be a very great hardship if this right is not given to the tenants here. I submit this right should be granted and this section put in in conformity with section 21 of the Public Demands Recovery Act."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am given to understand that standing crops when attached are not sold until after they have been converted into moveable property, that is to say after being cut. They are reaped and threshed, and then they are sold. That is what I have been given to understand is the practice in Chota Nagpur; therefore, there is no object in adopting this amendment. I have, however, nothing to urge against the amendment, save that as there is no practical difficulty felt in Chota Nagpur, I do not see any necessity for it."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"They are not sold when they are standing in the field, but after they are cut. I submit that there is hardly any necessity for this provision. Even supposing they are sold when they are standing in the field, it may not be practicable to apply the provision to set aside the sale, because by the time the attachment is set aside the crops may be destroyed or damaged. I do not really see how this amendment will have any beneficial effect. I see no reason for the acceptance of this amendment."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I am unable to support this amendment. I cannot believe that my hon'ble friend has foreseen what the consequence will be. He assumes that these crops are sold as standing crops, and he says that the judgment-debtor should be allowed thirty days to deposit the amount for which attachment is taken, so that the judgment-creditor will be bound to allow the standing crops to remain standing for thirty days. I submit that there would be great risk in that. If they cannot be reaped when necessary, they may be damaged or destroyed, and if the judgment-debtor is allowed to gather in his crops, I do not know what the effect may be."

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, in reply, said:—"I did not quite follow the reasoning of my hon'ble and learned friends who contend that the creditor has every right to cause the sale of these standing crops. I do not know what the practice is in Chota Nagpur, but if standing crop is moveable property, the creditor has every right to attach and sell it. Now what is the effect of that? Supposing a tenant has got some standing crops worth Rs. 100 we will say. The judgment-creditor can attach and sell it, and it may fetch only Rs. 10, the amount for which attachment is taken, and the creditor become the purchaser. The debtor should have the right to deposit the Rs. 10 within thirty days and release his standing crops, otherwise the result will be that the whole of the crops will be taken away. Then my hon'ble and learned friend sees a difficulty about letting the crops stand for thirty days. It is not that they must stand thirty days: he has to pay in the money within thirty days: he can pay it in the next day or the day after or in one week. I submit that you have changed the definition of the words 'standing crops' and made them moveable property, and I consider it nothing but fair and just to give them this privilege."

The Motion was then put and lost.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE moved that in proviso (*a*) to section 155 (*4*), in clause 41 of the Bill, for the words "two or all" the words "two or more" be substituted.

He said:—"By this clause four means for realising his dues are given the landlord. But as the clause is now worded, the landlord could ask to have one or two, or all, but not three of these means put into force. The amendment is therefore designed to enable the landlord to utilise any or all of the means provided and to remove the restriction I have alluded to."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA moved that in sub-clause (*iii*) of section 155 (*4*), in clause 41 of the Bill, the following amendments be made, namely:—

(*1*) *for* the words "a cultivator" *substitute* the words "such third person;"

(*2*) *for* the words "arrear accrued" *substitute* the words "certificate has been made;" and

(*3*) *strike out* the words "and that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised."

He said:—"If clause (*3*) of the proviso is amended in the way I suggest, it will practically assume a shape in which it will be acceptable to my hon'ble friend to my left, who proposes to add sub-clause (*4*), and the whole question between us is whether clause (*3*) is to stand, and there should be an additional fourth sub-clause identical with my amendment, or whether clause (*3*) is to be amended as I suggest, and there need not be a fourth sub-clause.

"I would appeal to the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, and submit that clause (*3*), as it stands, can have no possible application at all, and that if the clause is added, as suggested by my hon'ble friend, we shall have left in clause (*3*) which means nothing and cannot apply to any concrete case. I submit that clause (*3*) ought to be amended, and it is unnecessary to have clause (*4*)."

After a short conference with the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, the Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"I beg leave to withdraw my amendment."

The Motion was then, by leave of the Council, withdrawn.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH moved that after sub-clause (*iii*) of section 155 (*4*), in clause 41 of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

'(*iv*) an objection, by such third person, that the land on which such crops were or are standing is entered in the record-of-rights as being in the possession of himself or of some person from whom he has lawfully acquired possession, and that such land does not form part of the tenancy in respect of which the certificate was made.'

He said:—"I submit that the addition of a clause like this is absolutely necessary, otherwise section 155 does not provide for an objection that might be filed by a third party, one who is in no way bound by the certificate made in such a case. There may be tenants in a village who are in no way bound, and they should certainly be given the right of objection. All the objections provided for are (1) objection by a mortgagee holding under a *bhagut bandha* mortgage, (2) an objection by a lessee holding under a *mukarari* lease, and (3) objection by a cultivator, and these cases will not cover the case I am supposing. So the amendment is absolutely necessary, otherwise a stranger might be prejudiced and his crops attached, and if he comes to the Deputy Commissioner and says that he is not liable under the certificate procedure which has been issued, and that the land the crops on which have been attached is entered in the record-of-rights as being in his possession and that the land does not form part of the tenancy in dispute, the Deputy Commissioner ought to release the crops on his objection. I therefore hope that the Council will see its way to accept this amendment."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"I am, Sir, in favour of this amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA moved that after sub-section (*4*) of section 155, in clause 41 of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

'(*4A*). The provisions of sections 99 to 122 shall, so far as the same may be applicable, apply to proceedings under sub-section (*4*).'

He said:—"I have consulted the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, and I think it would be safer to include all the sections from 99 to 122. All these sections deal with the issue of processes of execution against moveable property, and it is just doubtful whether they would apply to proceedings under the certificate procedure. In order to remove this doubt, I suggest that these words should be inserted."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE said:—"This amendment, as now modified by the learned and Hon'ble Mover, meets with my approval."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 41 (section 157).

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE moved that in section 157 (*2*), in clause 41 of the Bill, for the words "two or all" the words "two or more" be substituted. He said:—

"The reason for this is identically the same as the one I have already given with regard to Item No. 75 in the List of Business."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that the Secretary be directed to re-number the clauses of the Bill in consecutive order, and to make corresponding alterations in all cross-references thereto.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that the Bill, as settled in Council, be passed.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"I have to congratulate the Council on having passed this Bill, which has for so long a time occupied the attention

of the Government, who were anxious to meet to the full the admitted requirements of the tenantry in Chota Nagpur. The acknowledgments of Government are due to the Hon'ble Member from Chota Nagpur, whose local knowledge has been of much help, and still more to the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, without whose ripe experience and intimate acquaintance with details it would have been hard to deal with the Bill. I desire also to acknowledge the care and attention which has been bestowed on the Bill by the Select Committee in preparing their Report, and the careful criticism which has been forthcoming from the independent Members and representatives of various classes of the community. The result is that we have been able to pass this Bill to-day after a very long sitting.

"I have now only to adjourn the Council till this day week, but before doing so I desire to take this opportunity of making the announcement that the sanction of the Government of India and of the Secretary of State for India in Council has been obtained to the introduction of a Bill for the Settlement of Landed Estates in Bengal at as early a date as possible. I was at first of opinion that it would be impossible to introduce this Bill before the 22nd of this month, but matters are now so far advanced that an application will be made at the next meeting of the Council for leave to introduce the Bill, and at that meeting I hope to pass it through another stage and refer it to a Select Committee, so that the Bill itself may be passed during the present month."

The Council was adjourned to Saturday, the 8th August, 1903.

CALCUTTA;
The 1st September, 1903.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
For *Secretary to the Bengal Council and Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal, Legislative Department.*

APPENDIX TO

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 285.

[First Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—AMOY, INNER HARBOUR.

Impérieuse rock—Buoy marking the rock placed to the north-eastward.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 273, dated 14th August 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 614 of 1903) that the rock situated three-quarters of a cable north-eastward of Impérieuse rock has been marked by a black conical buoy, surmounted by staff and ball, moored in a depth of 6½ fathoms a quarter of a cable eastward of the rock, with Cornwallis stone bearing N. 64° E., distant 3¼ cables Vessels should pass to the eastward of this buoy.

Approximate position, lat. 24° 26′ N., long. 118° 4¾′ E.

The previous information received and published in the last of the abovementioned Notices that this buoy marked the Impérieuse rock is therefore erroneous.

Notice is also given that a pinnacle rock, with a depth of 15 feet over it at low water, exists about 50 yards north-eastward of Impérieuse rock, situated with Cornwallis stone bearing N. 67° E., distant 4 cables.

(*Variation Nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Amoy harbour, Nos. 1767, 1764: Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1894, page 177; and Supplement, 1898, page 15.

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CALCUTTA, *the 29th August 1903.*

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 286

[First Publication.]

CHINA SEA—TONG KING GULF.

Kao Tao islands—Dangers between—.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 616 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned dangers between the Kao Tao islands:—

(*a*) A shoal, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, situated with the northern extremity of Tsham shao bearing N. 73° E, distant 1¾ miles, and the western extremity of Tankan shao N. 33° W.

(*b*) A shoal, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, situated with the cone (541 feet) on Sha Pak Wan island bearing S. 87° W., distant $2\frac{6}{10}$ miles, and the eastern extremity of Afo shao N. 21° W.

(*c*) A shoal, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, situated with the cone (541 feet) on Sha Pak Wan island bearing N. 79° W., distant $2\frac{5}{10}$ miles, and the eastern extremity of Afo shao N. 13° W.

(*d*) A rock awash, situated with the cone (541 feet) on Sha Pak Wan island bearing S. 15° E., distant $2\frac{1}{4}$ miles, and the northern extremity of Uli pai N. 85° W, distant, $1\frac{5}{10}$ miles.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 3′ N., long. 107° 43′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kua Lacht to Kao Tao islands, No. 1965 · Shieng Mun to Tra ko island, No. 776: Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. II, 1899, page 459.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 287.

[First Publication.]

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—CAROLINE ISLANDS

Guam island—Banks to the south-westward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 622 of 1903) that the following banks were found by Lieutenant F. H. Schofield, commanding U.S.S. *Supply*, when searching for Galvez and Santa Rosa reefs, to the south-westward of Guam island:—

(1) A bank, about $2\frac{1}{4}$ miles long in an easterly and westerly direction, and $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles broad, with depths of from 22 to 40 fathoms over it, the centre being approximately lat. 12° 58′ N., long. 144° 22′ E.

(2) A bank of small extent, with depths of from 22 to 32 fathoms over it, in approximately lat. 13° 2′ N., long. 144° 26′ E.

(3) A bank, extending about $1\frac{3}{4}$ miles in a northerly and southerly direction, with depths of from 28 to 46 fathoms over it, in approximately lat. 13° 4′ N., long 144° 25′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Plan of Mariana or Ladrone islands on Chart No. 1101: Also, Pacific Islands, vol. I, 1900, pages 444, 445.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No 288

[First Publication]

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT, WESTERN APPROACHES

Proudfoot shoal light ship removed.

THE Portmaster, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 7 of 1903) that on and after 31st January 1904, the light exhibited from the Lightship at Proudfoot Shoal, Western Approach to Torres Strait, will be discontinued, and the Lightship will be withdrawn.

The shoal patch of $1\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms marked P.D. on charts south-easterly from the Lightship is believed to be identical with the Bramble Patches. There is no evidence to the contrary, the report of its existence being extremely vague.

Masters of vessels approaching Torres Strait from the westward are recommended to get on the parallel of 10 degrees 45 minutes south before reaching the 20-fathom contour, and continue on that parallel until Booby Island is visible bearing north-easterly, then to steer to pass 2 miles to the north of the Island and thence continue as hitherto.

Vessels bound to the westward after passing Booby Island are recommended to steer south-west magnetic 16 miles, then to steer west half south until a safe direction can be made for their destined port.

NOTE.—Booby Island is visible a distance of 14 or 15 miles; the light (a second order) is visible 17 to 19 miles by night from an ordinary ship's bridge.

Charts affected.—Nos. 447 and 1043; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 289.

[First Publication]

AUSTRALIA—GULF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide river—Alterations consequent on Light's Passage Harbour Works, being in progress.

THE President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 4 of 1903) that in consequence of the Light's Passage Harbour Works being now in progress, the following alterations will be made on or about the 20th August next:—

No. 1 Leading Beacon and No. 2 Light Beacon will be removed altogether.

In lieu thereof two Beacons showing Green Lights will be placed on the North Bank, one near the present Reflecting Beacon and the other opposite the present No. 1 White Light.

Two Light Beacons (both red) will be placed on the North Bank, which, when in line will lead through the Cutting to the Bend.

Two Beacons, having White Lights, will be placed on the South Bank, which, when in line, will show the Bend in the Channel.

Sailing Directions.—To enter the River pass the Occulting Buoy at a distance of about 50 feet, and steer between the White Light on a Pile abreast of the old Lighthouse and the first Green Light, which is placed between the Reflecting Beacon and the Cutting, on a N.E. by E. course, passing the second Green Light at a similar distance until the New Lead on the North Bank (now No 1 Lead) comes in line. Keep them in line until the two lights on the South Bank are in line, then steer for No. 3 as before.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 1750.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 279.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, SOUTH—CEYLON COAST.

Batticaloa—Red buoy marking "Kandalla" rock not in position.

THE Master Attendant, Batticaloa, has given notice, dated 24th July 1903, that the Red Buoy at the Batticaloa Bar marking the Kandalla Rock will not be in position for some time, being under repair.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 280

[Second Publication.]

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Hiro sima approach—Beacon constructing and provisional light at Nishinogoban sho.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 597 of 1903) that a beacon from which it is intended to exhibit a light is now in course of construction on a 2½ fathoms patch, named Nishinogobau sho, situated about 14 cables S. 45° W. from the south-western point of Kurahasi sima, in the approach to Hiro sima.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 4′ N., long. 132° 26½′ E.

During the construction of the beacon a provisional *red fixed* light, elevated 15 feet above high water, will be exhibited on a pole near the base of the projected beacon. This light will be unwatched and therefore unreliable.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

Further Notice will be given when the beacon is completed and the light established.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Inland sea, No. 2875; Misima nada and Iyo nada, No. 83: Also, List of Lights, part IV, 1903, page 170; China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 413; and Supplement, 1898, page 23.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 281.

[Second Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Port Nicholson entrance—Falcon shoals in fairway.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 601 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned shoal heads in the fairway into port Nicholson, now named Falcon shoals, and of a shoal in Lyall bay:—

(1) A shoal, with a depth of 24 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 30° E, distant 9 cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 65° W.

(2) A shoal, with a depth of 24 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 34° E., distant 10¾ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 59° W. This shoal is within the sector of white light shown from Somes island light.

(3) A shoal, with a depth of 23 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 39° E., distant 11¾ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 54° W.

(4) A shoal, with a depth of 26 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 44° E., distant 14½ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 40° W.

(5) A shoal, with a depth of 27 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island bearing N. 17° E., distant 11½ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 58° W.

(6) A shoal, with a depth of 18 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N 2° E, distant 11½ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 61° W.

(7) Hope shoal, 5 cables S. 41° W., from the northern extremity of Ward island, has a depth of 5 feet, at low-water springs, and not 10 feet, as shown on the Chart.

(8) There are several patches of from 7 to 10 feet between Hope shoal and Ward island.

(9) The depths in the passage eastward of Ward island between it and Robinson bay have decreased to 10 feet in places.

Lyall bay:—

A shoal, with a depth of 16 feet over it at low water, exists in Lyall bay, 4¼ miles south-westward of Ward island, situated with the signal station bearing N. 46° E, distant 17 cables, and mount Albert N. 49° W. Foul ground, with depths of from 21 to 27 feet over it, extends for a distance of 1¼ cables S.S.E. from this shoal.

Approximate position, northern extremity of Ward island, lat. 41° 17¼′ S., long. 174° 52¼′ E.

(*Variation 15° Easterly in 1903.*)

NOTE.—A new edition of Chart No. 1423 will be issued.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 167 to 170; and Supplement, 1903, page 22.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 282.

[Second Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND, WEST COAST.

Kawhia harbour—Leading beacons and lights.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 611 of 1903) that a beacon, 35 feet high, has been erected on the south-western extremity of Te Motu, and another, 26 feet high, on the rising ground 1¾ miles S. 62° E. from it. These beacons in line S. 62° E. lead over the bar in a depth of 12 feet at low-water ordinary springs.

On and after 1st July 1903, when vessels are expected or leaving the harbour, a *white fixed* lantern light, elevated 13 feet above high water, will be exhibited from the front beacon, and a *white fixed* lantern light, elevated 60 above high water, from the rear beacon. These lights should be visible 2 miles outside the bar.

The former beacon on Te Motu and that on the rock off South head have been removed.

Approximate position, lat. 38° 4¾′ S.; long. 174° 49′ E.

CAUTION.—The Kawhia harbour bar is subject to change, so that, although these leading marks are available now, it is possible that they may not be so hereafter.

(*Variation 14° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kawhia harbour, No. 2524: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 261.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 283.

[Second Publication.]

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT.

Normanby sound—Discontinuance of leading lights.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 323, dated 7th November 1902, issued by this office, the Port Master, Brisbane, has given further notice (No. 6 of 1903) that, on and after the 1st August, the Leading Lights in Normanby Sound, Port Kennedy, will be discontinued.

Charts affected—Nos. 347 and 691; Australia Directory, Vol. II.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 284.

[Second Publication.]

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST COAST—PERSIAN GULF.

Bahrein harbour—Colour of buoys.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 76 of 1903) that information has been received from the Agent, B. I. S. N. Company, dated 10th August 1903, that the buoys in Bahrein Harbour will be painted in accordance with the Uniform System of Buoyage, viz.:—Starboard Hand buoys red and Port Hand buoys black. Thus—Outer, Inner and West Spit red and Ras Khaseifa black.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bahrein Harbour, No. 20, and Persian Gulf (Western Sheet) No. 2837 6: Also, Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 138.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 273.

[Third Publication]

CHINA, EAST COAST—AMOY, INNER HARBOUR.

Impérieuse rock—Marked by a buoy.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 5, dated 9th January 1903, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 567 of 1903) that the Impérieuse rock is now marked by a black conical buoy with staff and cage.

Approximate position, lat. 24° 26′ N., long. 118° 4¼′ E.

CAUTION.—Mariners are warned that a rock, with a depth of 20 feet over it, and foul ground around it, exists between the above buoy and the line for clearing Impérieuse rock, namely Kang Sim Tak and Chiotah beacons, in transit.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Amoy harbour, Nos. 1767, 1764: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 177; and Supplement, 1898, page 15.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 274

[Third Publication.]

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, EAST COAST.

Edi Rajut light—Character altered.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 373, dated 20th December 1902, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 568 of 1903) that the character of Edi Rajut light has been altered from white fixed to a *white group flashing* light showing *two flashes* in quick succession *every ten seconds*; it is elevated 65 feet above high water, visible in clear weather from a distance of 13 miles, and shown from a white framework iron tower having a white dwelling with red roof at its base in the same position as the former light.

The light is of the 5th order.

Approximate position, lat. 4° 58¾′ N., long. 97° 46½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Malacca strait, No. 1355; Diamond point to Pulo Berhala, No. 1353; plan of Edi Rajut on Chart No. 219: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 391; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 68.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 275.

[Third Publication.]

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—FLORES SEA.

Ombai or Alor island—Non-existence of rock to the eastward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 582 of 1903) that a careful but unsuccessful search for three days has been made by the Captain of the Netherlands Government S.S. *Pelikaan* for the shoal shown on the Charts, and marked E D., about 10 miles East from the north-east point of Ombai or Alor island. Previous investigations having given the same result, it is considered that this shoal does not exist, and it has consequently been expunged from the Charts.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 8′ S., long. 125° 17′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1893, page 270.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 276.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—KYAU CHAU APPROACH.

Tcha lien tau and Iltis peninsula—Provisional Fog signals established.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 585 of 1903) that, on 16th May 1903, fog explosives, which during thick or foggy weather will give *one report every ten minutes*, would be provisionally established on Tcha lien tau, and on the southern exremity of Iltis peninsula.

Approximate position, Tcha lien tau, lat. 35° 53½′ N., long. 120° 53′ E.

Approximate position, Iltis peninsula, lat. 36° 2½′ N., long. 120° 22′ E.

At Iltis peninsula station, if the fog signals of vessels under way are heard, the charge will be fired *every five minutes* until the vessels have passed.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Shantung promontory, No. 1255; Kyau Chau bay, No. 857: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 792, page 148; and China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1894, page 522.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 277.

[Third Publication.]

PERSIAN GULF ENTRANCE—BASIDU APPROACH.

Mariner rock—Decreased depth over.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 591 of 1903) that the Captain of the Russian S.S. *Truvor* reports having obtained a sounding of 4 fathoms, shells, on the Mariner shoal at a distance of 8 miles N. 28° E. from Jezirat Nabiyu Tanb.

Approximate position, lat. 26° 22′ N., long. 55° 13′ E.

The depth over this shoal appears to be decreasing.

(*Variation Nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Persian gulf, No. 2837a: entrance to Persian gulf, No. 753: Also, Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 228.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 378.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Simonoseki strait—Rock on northern side of Kita Suido.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 593 of 1903) of the existence of a rock about 16 yards in extent, with a depth of 5 feet over it at low-water springs, on the northern side of Kita Suido (North channel), eastern entrance to Simonoseki strait; it is situated with Kanabuse beacon bearing South, distant $3\frac{6}{10}$ cables, and Danno ura lighthouse S. 67° W.

Approximate position, lat. 33° 58¾′ N., long. 130° 58¾′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Simonoseki strait to Maruyama, No. 3225; Simonoseki strait, Nos. 532, 1578: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 428; and Supplement, 1898, page 24.

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RESOLUTION REVIEWING THE COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS ON THE WORKING OF THE PURI LODGING-HOUSE ACT DURING THE YEAR 1902-1903.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT—MUNICIPAL.

Darjeeling, the 28th August 1903.

RESOLUTION—No. 2023T—M.

READ—

The Reports from the Commissioners of Divisions on the working of the Puri Lodging-house Act, IV (B.C.) of 1871, as amended by Acts II (B.C.) of 1879 and I (B.C.) of 1884, during the year 1902-1903 in the various places to which it has been extended.

Read also—

The Resolution reviewing the Commissioners' Reports on the working of the Act during the year 1901-1902.

THE Puri Lodging-house Act (Bengal Act IV of 1871), as amended by Bengal Acts II of 1879 and I of 1884, was in force during the year under review in the same towns and areas as in the preceding year, with the exception of Ulubaria, in the Burdwan Division, from which the provisions of the

Act were withdrawn towards the close of the year. The provisions of the Municipal Act have since been extended to this town.

2. There were 3,038 lodging-houses licensed, with accommodation for 72,426 lodgers, the numbers in the previous year having been 1,912 and 68,500, respectively. There are considerable fluctuations from year to year owing to particular occasions being more or less auspicious, or to special reasons, such as the occurrence of plague during the last two years at Deoghur; but apart from such variations there is also a steady progressive change attributable to the extension of the railway system, which is causing a transformation of the conditions under which pilgrimages are performed. Owing to the railways the halting-places *en route* are now less frequented by pilgrims than they used to be, and this has led to the closing of the lodging-houses in Ulubaria, and to a falling off in the income at all the places in the Burdwan Division at which the Act is in force. On the other hand, the number of persons actually present at the various shrines has largely increased, and devout pilgrims are able, in a comparatively short space of time, to visit a larger number of shrines in different districts.

3. The rapidity with which persons who have atten led at the shrines can be conveyed to distant parts of the Province, and even to other Provinces, has made the sanitary condition of the places of pilgrimage a matter of more than merely local importance, while at the same time the difficulty of maintaining proper sanitation has been increased by the greater influx of pilgrims on special occasions. For this reason the arrangements at Puri for dealing with the pilgrim traffic and the sanitation of the town itself engaged the special attention of the Lieutenant-Governor during the year under review. In March last His Honour visited Puri, and after personally inspecting the locality and consulting the local officers, he issued instructions with the object of effecting a gradual systematic improvement in the general sanitation of the town. A broad distinction was drawn between the ordinary administration of the Municipality on the one hand, and on the other the special arrangements which are necessitated by the fact that Puri is visited from time to time by large numbers of pilgrims, who come for the most part at a very unhealthy season of the year and are often very poor. A programme of municipal reform was outlined, and a grant of Rs. 5,000 was made to meet the cost of a survey preliminary to the preparation of a complete drainage system. To provide for the requirements of the pilgrim traffic, the heads of a separate programme were indicated. His Honour was glad to notice that the pilgrim sheds erected in Puri two years ago were of much use to the poorer pilgrims who could not pay the high rates charged by the lodging-house-keepers, and that private charity had already stepped in to provide free accommodation on approved sanitary principles. The good example set in this respect by Babus Kanai Lal Bogla and Duli Chand, of Calcutta, and the late Babu Kanai Lal Pundit, of Cuttack, will, His Honour hopes, appeal to the practical generosity of other wealthy Hindus.

4. The health of the places where the Act was in force appears to have been on the whole fair. In Orissa, however, there were 442 deaths from cholera, which broke out during the Car festival in spite of strict sanitary precautions. In Nadia also there were 92 cases of cholera, which is stated to have been imported by pilgrims from Puri. The Lieutenant-Governor has enjoined the adoption of certain simple measures of precaution for the prompt detection of such cases and the prevention of the spread of the disease in future. The occurrence of plague at Deoghur has already been referred to. Only nine deaths were, however, attributed to this cause.

5. The total income of the year under review was Rs. 94,437 against Rs. 63,106. The total expenditure was Rs. 60,041 against Rs. 57,415 in 1901-1902. The bulk of the increased income accrued in Puri and in the *chattis* on the Jagannath Road in Jajpur, and it is mainly due to the larger demand for accommodation on the occasion of the Car festival during the year under review. Compared with the receipts, the amount expended by the Puri Lodging-house Fund, especially on conservancy, was disappointingly small.

The unexpended balance will, however, provide a useful nucleus for the large expenditure which will inevitably be required for the improvement of the sanitation of the town.

6. The Act has worked satisfactorily during the year in all places in which it was in force.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be submitted to the Government of India in the Home Department, and that copies be forwarded to the Commissioners of the Burdwan, Presidency, Chittagong, Patna, Bhagalpur, and Orissa Divisions for information.

Ordered also that a copy of the Resolution be communicated to the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, and to the Sanitary Board, and that it be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

L. P. SHIRRES,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal

Statement showing the working of the Puri Lodging-house Act during the year 1902-1903.

Serial number.	Name of the place where the Act is in force.	Licensed Lodging-houses.		Prosecutions.				Income.											
		Number.	Number of lodgers for whom accommodation provided.	Number of cases disposed of.	Number of persons accused.	Number of persons convicted.	Number of persons acquitted.	Imposed.	Realized.	Opening balance.	Fees for licensing and regulating lodging-houses.	Fees for issue of Health Officer's certificate.	Other fees (if any).	Fines.	Contribution from other funds.	Miscellaneous.	Total (excluding opening balance).	Total (including opening balance).
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
								Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Garhbeta	10	139	2	2	2	..	11 0	11 0	181 8 8	69 8 0	10	.....	11 0	...	221 8 0	312 0 0	493 8 8
2	Dantun	53	700	22	22	22	...	74 0	74 0	598 1 6	350 0 0	53	. ..	74 0	...	230 0 0	707 0 0	1,305 1 6
3	Midnapore	81	841	19	19	19	...	78 0	78 0	1,031 12 1	420 8 0	82	... ..	78 0	...	120 0 0	700 8 0	1,732 4 1
4	Uluberia	10	169	3	3	2	1	24 0	24 0	8 0 0	169 0 0	18		24 0	...		211 0 0	219 0 0
5	Nadia	233	7,097	8	8	8	.	44 4	44 4	1,577 15 2	1,757 4 0	233	.....	44 4	...	... ..	3,034 8 0	4,612 7 2
6	Sitakund	26	2,430	*2	*2	*2	...	30 4	30 4	4,782 3 0	1,091 14 0	...		30 4	...	...	1,122 2 0	5,904 5 0
7	Gaya . .	513	25,949	134	128	108	20	963 0	963 0	11,344 1 2	25,992 0 0	29	..... .	947 0	...	25 9 0	26,996 9 0	38,340 10 2
8	Deoghur ...	54	3,086	4	4	4	..	30 0	770 0	621 14 11	788 12 8	81		70 0	...		934 12 0	1,556 10 11
9	Chattis on the Jagannath Road in Cuttack.	48	309	1	1	1	...	5 0	5 0	2,758 8 8	122 0 0	20	.....	5 0	...	1,999 0 0	2,146 0 0	4,904 8 8
10	Puri town and Chattis in the district.	1,827	27,343	271	271	219	52	4,801 0	4,801 0	8,104 5 2	46,113 2 0	1,071	1,428 14 10	4,801 0	.	7,541 14 8	55,554 15 6	63,659 4 8
11	Chattis on the Jagannath Road in Jajpur.	94	1,574	5	5	5	...	37 0	37 0	183 9 9	787 0 0	94	.	37 0	...	.....	918 0 0	1,101 9 9
12	Chandbali	21	1,346	1	1	1	..	6 0	6 0	263 14 6	336 8 0	21	.	6 0	...	.....	363 8 0	626 6 6
13	Chattis on the Jagannath Road in Balasore.	69	1,513	17	15	15	3	117 0	117 0	631 12 7	376 13 9	76		117 0		1,916 7 3	2,486 3 3	3,117 15 10
	Total ...	3,038	72,426	480	465	409	76	6,310 8	6,260 8	31,936 11 2	78,368 4 0	2,881	1,428 14 10	6,244 8	...	12,064 6 11	94,487 1 9	1,26,413 13 11
	Total for 1901-1902 ...	1,912	68,500	408	416	402	15	3,912 12	3,912 12	26,235 9 8	51,553 1 0	1,431	74 10 7	3,912 12	..	6,135 9 4	63,108 0 11	89,341 10 4

* Including one case involving one person of 1901-1903 disposed of during the year 1902-1903.
† Includes Rs. 50 to be credited to the Municipal Fund as Municipal fine.

Serial number.	Name of the place where the Act is in force.	Expenditure.												
		Head Officer Expenditure.			Establishment for collection and supervision.	Dispensaries and other medical expenditure.	Conservancy.	Constructions.	Repairs.	Contribution to other funds.	Miscellaneous.	Closing balance.	Grand Total.	
		Health Officer's pay and allowance.	Establishment	Contingencies.										
		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	Garhbeta	.	... .	.....	...	73 5 9	117 0 0	.....	1 4 0	120 0 0	173 3 3	8 11 8	493 8 8	
2	Dantun	84 0 0	...	.....	...	436 8 2	161 12 4	.....	89 13 9	.....	52 10 7	440 4 8	1,305 1 6	
3	Midnapore	320 0 0	... .	.....		.	147 8 0	.....	... .	264 0 0	33 1 1	977 11 0	1,732 4 1	
4	Uluberia	.	... ..	....	50 0 0	.....	144 0 0	.....	...	..	18 0 0	7 0 0	219 0 0	
5	Nadia	258 15 9	.	...	... ..	.....	396 9 8	...	.....	1,358 5 0	75 6 4	1,518 0 10	3,613 7 2	
6	Sitakund	103 0 0	137 5 0	44 15 0		... ..	382 10 9	13 0 0	... ..	500 0 0	22 2 0	4,702 4 3	5,904 5 0	
7	Gaya	1,199 15 11	313 0 0	152 3 2	1,234 10 8	6,149 3 7	8,193 6 10	1,472 15 9	2,588 0 11	8,000 0 0	4,430 6 3	6,688 11 1	38,250 10 1	
8	Deoghur	372 7 0	120 0 0	... .	82 15 11		...	...	... ..	610 0 0	14 6 0	455 14 0	1,556 10 11	
9	Chattis on the Jagannath Road in Cuttack.	300 0 0	239 5 7	53 5 4	118 13 4	.....	245 0 0	...	121 0 0	200 0 0	92 9 0	3,634 7 5	4,904 8 8	
10	Puri town and Chattis in the district.	3,140 5 10	448 5 1	217 10 5		1,531 8 0	219 15 10	4,523 15 11	140 7 7	5,628 5 11	1,315 8 1	46,494 4 0	63,659 4 8	
11	Chattis on the Jagannath Road in Jajpur.	120 0 0	66 0 0	17 0 6	40 0 0		.. ...	.. ..	.....	300 0 0	15 2 0	543 7 3	1,101 9 9	
12	Chandbali	....	180 0 0	14 15 9	.....	... ..	.....	.. ..	63 0 0	... ..	6 1 0	363 5 9	626 6 6	
13	Chattis on the Jagannath Road in Balasore.	160 0 0	.....	... ..	... ..	.....	297 9 8	. ...	.	1,797 14 0	22 3 2	858 5 2	3,117 15 10	
	Total ...	5,964 19 6	1,503 15 8	500 2 2	1,547 7 11	8,190 9 6	9,314 8 6	6,009 15 8	2,973 10 3	18,786 6 11	6,961 12 9	66,372 7 1	1,26,413 13 11	
	Total for 1901-1902	6,142 2 9	1,942 0 5	462 5 6	1,800 4 9	7,537 14 3	14,208 2 11	2,171 8 0	2,980 7 4	14,497 0 5	5,707 2 0	31,936 10 0	89,341 10 4	

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 31st August 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·11, Kalna 1·02, Katwa 0 35, Raniganj 2·09. Weather cloudy with occasional showers. Transplantation of winter rice continues except in some places in the Katwa subdivision. *Aus* is being reaped in Kalna subdivision Jute, indigo and *aus* in other parts of the district are not in good condition for want of rain. Fodder sufficient. Water insufficient in some parts of thanas Katwa and Mangalkot. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 10 seers per rupee.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·73, Rampur Hât 0·98. Weather cloudy. Transplantation continues. More rain wanted. Sugarcane crop in good condition. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar ·87. Transplantation going on. Rice sells at 11 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·47, Contai 5·69, Tamluk 1·78, Ghatal 1·28. Paddy transplantation continues Prospects improved in places. More rain wanted. Other crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	9	8	per rupee.
Contai	12	0	
Tamluk	10	5	
Ghatal	10	8	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 1 68, Serampore 1·88, Arambagh 1·29. More rain wanted, specially in the Sadar and Pandua thanas. Condition of standing crops fair. The outturn of *bhadoi* crops reported to be about 79 per cent. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Serampore	10	0	
Arambagh	10	7	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·79. Weather cloudy and rainy. The progress of agricultural operation is fair for the present, but more rain wanted. Transplantation of paddy seedlings still going on, but has been finished on about $\frac{1}{10}$ths of the land. The cutting and steeping of jute have just commenced. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Price of common rice 10½ seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·81, Barasat 1·19, Basirhat 8 13, Diamond Harbour 2·54. Weather cloudy. Rainfall insufficient in the Diamond Harbour subdivision, parts of thanas Baduria and Hasnabad in Basirhat. *Aus*, jute and sugarcane doing well. Prospect of *aus* and jute good and that of *aman* tolerable. Jute being cut and steeped. Transplantation of *aman* in fair progress. Common rice sells at 11¼ seers except in Barasat and Diamond Harbour, where it sells at 10 seers per rupee. Condition of cattle good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·04, Kushtia 1·58, Meherpur 1·06, Chuadanga 0·78, Ranaghat 1·53. Prospects of standing crops improved. Sky cloudy. Rainfall insufficient. More rain urgently wanted. Early *aus* is being harvested and lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	8	per rupee.
Kushtia	11	4	
Meherpur	12	4	
Chuadanga	11	8	
Ranaghat	11	0	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 2 68, Jangipur 4 55, Kandi 1·66, Lalbagh 3·70. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* goes on, but more rain wanted. *Bhadoi* being harvested in places in Jangipur subdivision, but on high lands the crops ripening In outpost Farekka maize and *arhur* doing well. Jute being cut and soaked in places. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kandi	10	13	
Jangipur	12	0	
Lalbagh	11	8	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·22, Jhenida 1·31, Magura 2·24, Narail 2·43, Bangaon 1·61. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of *aman* paddy greatly improved by recent rains. Transplantation of *aman* and harvesting of *aus* going on, but transplantation being retarded in places for want of sufficient rain. Cattle-disease reported from Muhammedpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Jhenida	12	0	
Magura	13	8	
Narail	13	0	
Bangaon	12	5	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·12, Bagerhat 1·08, Satkhira 2·56 Weather seasonable, but more rain is still wanted in the Satkhira subdivision. Transplantation of winter rice is now estimated at 70 per cent. *Til* sowing estimated at 90 per cent. Prospects generally improved by recent rain. Cattle-disease reported from Khulna, Dumuria, Mollahat, Kaliganj, and Budhata. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	12	per rupee.
Bagerhat	12	0	
Satkhira	10	8	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·48, Nator 5·82, Naugaon 2·23. Prospects of *aus* paddy somewhat improved, and harvesting of it has commenced in certain quarters. Steeping of jute going on. Transplantation of winter rice in progress. The rainfall of the week has been beneficial to cultivation. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling on an average at 13 seers per rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·44, Thakurgaon 5·66. Fall in the district general, varying from 11·60 to 1·57. Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy commenced in places. Steeping of jute and transplantation of winter rice going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at 13 seers at Sadar and 12 seers at Thakurgaon.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 12·11, Alipur Duars 8·95. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter paddy rapidly going on. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy continues. Cutting of jute going on. Common rice sells at 11 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall at Sadar 8·17. Weather wet. *Hills*—Maize, potatoes, *phapur*, *kagni*, *bhadoi dhan*, *chota marua*, and winter rice doing well. *Terai*—Transplantation of winter rice and reaping of jute continue. Prospects fair. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Hills	9	0	per rupee.
Terai	11	0	

Maize sells at Darjeeling at 14 and at Kalimpong at 22 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·82, Gaibanda 3·55, Nilphamari 4·82, Kurigram 4·81. Weather hot. Prospects of standing crops fair. Cutting of jute going on. Harvesting of *bhadoi* almost completed. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Nilphamari	11	0	
Kurigram	12	0	
Gaibanda	12	0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·93. Fall general. Weather hot and cloudy. Cutting of *aus* and jute still going on. Transplantation of winter rice is in progress everywhere, except on high lands, where more rain is still wanted. Prospects fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·48, Sirajganj 1·28. Weather partially cloudy. Prospects of standing crops fair. General rain throughout. Reaping of jute and *aus* going on Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice (*aus*) sells at 14¼ seers a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar ·67. Fall general. Prospects of crops good. Weather rainy. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12¾ seers a rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·12, Jamalpur 2·25, Kishorganj 1·27, Netrokona 4·93, Tangail 1·62. Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute and *aus* continues. Transplantation of winter rice and sowings of *til* estimated at 80 and 30 per cent. respectively. Fodder and water ample. No cattle-disease. Rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	14 0	per rupee.
Jamalpur	14 8	
Kishorganj	12 12	
Netrokona	14 14	
Tangail	12 0	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·67, Goalundo 3·79, Madaripur 3·96.' Weather—incessant and heavy downpour. Jute steeping going on. *Aus* paddy is still being harvested Prospects of *aman* paddy good. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Backergunge.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·08. Fall general. Weather dull and cloudy. Harvesting of autumn rice and jute progressing. Prospects fair. Winter rice still being transplanted. Fodder sufficient. Cattle-disease decreasing. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Aman	12 8	per rupee.
Aus	13 8	

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·95, Brahmanbaria ·68, Chandpur 2·19. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Harvesting of *aus* completed in Brahmanbaria. Transplantation of *aman* in progress everywhere. Harvesting of jute going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease in Kotwali thana. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	16 0	per rupee.
Brahmanbaria	15 3	
Chandpur	13 0	

Noakhali—Rainfall at Sadar 7·54, Feni 7·25. Weather seasonable. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12½ seers and at Feni at 16 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·72, Cox's Bazar 6·32. Transplantation of *aman* and reaping of *aus* in progress. Cattle-disease continues. Water and fodder sufficient. Common rice selling at 12 seers 10 chitaks per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Rainfall 2·41. Weather hot and cloudy. Reaping of early *joom* paddy going on. Transplantation of winter paddy nearly completed. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 10 seers a rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·03, Barh 1·01, Bihar 1·92, Dinapore 7·06, Hilsa 2·55 Bikram 7·05, Asthawan 2·71. Weather fine. No immediate prospect of rain. Rainfall during the week unequally distributed over the districts. In those places where heavy rain fell early in the week transplantation of paddy is going on; but in many parts there has not been sufficient rainfall. *Bhadoi* prospects better than before. Last sowings are doing well. Prices are much the same as last week. Rice is slightly cheaper at the Sadar. Fodder and water sufficient. Land in some places is being prepared for *rabi*. Price of common rice is as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	12 8	per rupee.
Barh	12 0	
Bihar	11 8	
Dinapore	13 4	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·1, Nawadah 3·86, Jahanabad 5·50, Aurangabad 1·00. Weather hot and cloudy. The rainfall during the week has much helped the transplantation of the paddy crops. *Bhadoi* crops doing well. More rain wanted for paddy. Conditions are now generally fairly satisfactory except round about Aurangabad head-quarters and in the east of Nawada. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Average price of common rice 11½ seers per rupee.

Shahabad.—Rainfall at Arrah 3·81, Buxar 4·65, Bhabhua 4·73, Sasaram 3·85, Dehri 1·33. Transplantation of paddy in progress. More rain wanted. *Bhadoi* and sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water abundant. Rice at Sadar 12½ seers per rupee.

Saran.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·78, Siwan 6·50, Gopalganj 6·83. Weather cloudy and rainy. Standing crops doing well. Transplantation of winter rice is going on. Cattle-disease at Manjhi continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 13·8 and maize at 21 seers per rupee.

Champaran.—Rain at Motihari 7·45, Bettiah 12 20. Weather cloudy. Transplantation of winter rice and harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy going on. Prospects favourable. Excessive rain at Bettiah damaged Indian-corn. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15½ and maize at 23 seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·83, Hajipur 4·37, and Sitamarhi 3·13. Weather generally cloudy and rainy. Transplantation of paddy approaching completion. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops commenced in places. Prospects of crops generally favourable. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 12 and maize at 20 seers a rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·82, Samastipur 2·13, Madhubani 1·94. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospect of winter rice is good in Sadar and Samastipur subdivisions. More rain is urgently wanted in Samastipur. Harvesting of *bhadoi* in progress. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Mohiuddinagore outpost. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	12	per rupee.
Samastipur	13	8	
Madhubani	13	0	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·72, Begusarai 2·55, Jamui ·77. Weather very hot and cloudy. *Bhadoi* and paddy sowings continue in Sadar and Jamui but completed in Begusarai. Transplantation of winter rice going on in three subdivisions, but more rain still very urgently required, especially in Jamui Prospect very poor save in Chakai thana. Other *bhadoi* crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Ample fodder and water. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	11	per rupee.
Begusarai	13	0	
Jamui	11	0	

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·04, Banka 2·24, Madhipura 4·94, Supaul 7·77. Weather cloudy and hot. Harvesting of *marua* and *bhadoi* begun at Supaul and Madhipura. Transplantation of paddy still going on in all the subdivisions but not in unirrigated parts of South Bhagalpur. Rainfall sufficient in Supaul and Madhipura. Heavy rain urgently needed in Sadar and Banka. Condition of crops improved. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	10	per rupee.
Banka	11	4	
Madhipura	15	0	
Supaul	16	0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·55, Kishanganj 11·13, Araria 7·45. More rain is wanted at Sadar. Weather generally hot and sultry. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	12	0	
Araria	12	0	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·62, Chanchal 8·06, Gajol 3·70, Sibganj ·38. Fall general. Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *bhadoi* and cuting of jute going on. Transplantation of winter rice still going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-pox reported from thana Khorba. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Sonthal Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·46, Deoghar 4·83, Godda 4·86, Jamtara 2·80, Pakaur 1·82, Rajmahal 4·72. Weather hot and cloudy with occasionals showers. Transplantation of winter rice on high lands going on. New Indian-corn selling at market. Outturn good. Sugarcane and other standing crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 11 seers per rupee at Dumka.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·60. Fall scanty all over the district. More rain wanted. Weather cloudy. *Beali* ripening and at places being harvested. Weeding and transplantation of *sarad* still in progress. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers 7 chitaks per rupee at Cuttack.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·79. Fall general except in a small tract in the north. *Beali* ripening and at places being harvested. Transplanting and weeding of *sarad* continue. Miscellaneous crops thriving. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 14 and 13 seers per rupee at Sadar and Bhadrak respectively.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·87, Bisipara 2 36. Weather seasonable. Weeding of paddy and harvesting of millets and *bhadoi til* going on. *Bhadoi* paddy in ears. Cultivation for *rabi* crops in progress. Prospects of standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from the interior Common rice sells at 14 and 13½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals respectively.

Puri.—Rainfall 0·69 inches. Weather hot, cloudy, and rainy. Puddling and weeding of winter rice going on. Miscellaneous crops doing well. *Mandia* and *beali* paddy being harvested at places. Outturn expected to be 12 annas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 18 seers 6 chitaks per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·56, Giridih 2 76. There was rain in almost all parts of the district during the week, but more rain required. Weather hot. Transplantation going on. *Bhadoi* crops promise well. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Ranchi.- Rainfall at Sadar 0·88. Weather cloudy. Transplantation of paddy still going on in places. Harvesting of *gundli* continues. Cattle-disease reported from several thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers per rupee.

Palamau.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·05. Weather seasonable. About 2 inches of rain fell all over the district. More rain badly wanted. *Makai* and *marua* in ears. *Til* and *kurthi* being sown. Transplantation of winter rice continues slowly, and is still possible in large areas if it rains heavily within the next ten days. Prospects of standing crops somewhat improved by recent rains Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers 6 chitaks and maize at 16 seers 14 chitaks per rupee.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·87, Gobindpur 1·88. Weather seasonable Prospect of crops fair Transplantation of paddy still going, but more rain wanted. *Til* sowing in Gobindpur is estimated at 90 per cent. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Para thana. Common rice sells at Sadar and Gobindpur at 12 and 11 seers per rupee respectively.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 1·66. Prospects slightly improved. Fodder sufficient. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

General Summary.—Rain fall was general, but not evenly distributed. The fall was heaviest at Bettiah, where the Indian-corn is reported to have been damaged by excessive rain. In Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Palamau the standing *bhadoi* crops have benefited by the recent rain, but more rain is still needed for the transplantation of the winter rice. Harvesting of early rice and jute in progress. Sugarcane doing well. Prospects have improved generally. Cattle-disease reported from 11 districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in 12 districts, has fallen in 9, and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 1st September 1903.

No

Imports of Principal Articles into Calcutta by Rail, Road, River,

Whence imported	Food-grains								Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
Bengal	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	93,570	83,370	144,051	622	.....	8,461	35	183,169	.....	53,879	2,006	.....
Birbhum	280,923	28,677	304,846	.....	.....	2,216	.....	307,062	.....	8,085	1,925	.....
Bankura	531	..	531	.....	.....	..	3	534	6	3,118	.....	.....
Midnapore	227,349	4,028	230,242	.....	134	1,021	4	232,301	175	25,740	4,503	.....
Hooghly	187,905	43,282	214,956	1,500	2	15,646	64	232,074	7,844	2,684,384	5,777	2,341
24-Parganas	580,758	79,416	630,394	.. ..	68	6,979	.....	637,441	13,802	3,099,724	10,995	376
Nadia	16,873	1,807	17,227	28,137	311	308,930	2,233	356,858	4,087	21,790	179,001	76
Murshidabad	54,472	1,502	55,411	4,014	40	7,516	.....	66,981	8,896	3,080	5,813	.....
Jessore	18,043	11,151	33,013	550	.....	64,738	.....	99,300	962	2,275	10,165	1,076
Khulna	1,876	77,994	50,693	.....	.....	.....	...	50,622	.....	525	391	.....
Rajshahi	1,540	673	1,967	1,652	1	4,113	49	7,772	1,900	980	18,586	.....
Dinajpur	5,628	1,320	6,453	.....	...	.....	.....	6,453	1,458	113,905	...	.....
Jalpaiguri	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	82,400	70,350	217	.....
Darjeeling	.. ...	... .	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,895	.....	.....
Rangpur	164	.....	164	96	.... .	597	.....	857	72,336	3,300	403	412
Bogra	18,597	17,045	29,160	.....	.....	.....	.....	29,160	3,399	2,485	197	187
Pabna	22,725	.....	22,725	1,228	.....	555	.....	24,508	167,103	75,055	4,274	3,990
Cooch Behar	.. ...	.....	.. ...	.... .	.....	.....	.....	...	11,224	885	. ..	.....
Dacca	4,499	5	4 502	2,474	... ..	247	21	7,244	108,264	7,533	12,985	6,596
Mymensingh	1,168	7,801	5,731	127	... ..	295	.....	6,153	19,571	4,310	5,833	13,198
Faridpur	1,800	425	2,006	7,163	2,224	54,075	.....	65,534	23,399	13,053	33,454	12,973
Backergunge	352,456	1,734	353 540	450	... .	1,271	.....	355,261	4,584	4,863	2,920	650
Tippera	2 762	1	2,763	.....	.....	101	.....	2,864	3,817	2,093	11,986	250
Noakhali	11 997	200	13,122	.....	.....	185	.....	12,307	.. ...	1,470	17,643	.....
Chittagong	1,860	.....	1,800	.....	... ..	.....	.....	1,860	.....	12,418	.....	.....
Total Bengal	1,801,212	339,093	2 116,345	47,925	2,780	477,846	2,429	2,647,325	482,989	6,232,457	326,108	40,961
Bihar												
Patna	.....	.....	.....	16,711	.....	191,064	3,502	211,277	.....	.....	424,823	77,985
Gaya	.....	... ...	.....	1,040	.....	34,843	2,431	38,310	.....	34,440	209,317	18,166
Shahabad	... ..	.....	.....	14,036	.....	183,084	340	198,060	.....	.....	180,891	639
Saran	.....	.....	.....	160	... .	4,731	814	5,761	.....	.....	17,602	12,437
Champaran	.....	.....	.....	6,013	.....	2,979	.....	9,022	.....	...	113,994	10,029
Muzaffarpur	67	2,004	1,310	5,767	... ..	19,417	5,480	31,983	.....	5,350	258,214	25,044
Darbhanga	113	.....	113	5,019	.....	8,013	.....	13,144	.....	875	302,196	24,468
Monghyr	24	.....	24	18,825	... ..	207,453	6,285	230,587	... ..	.....	102,743	81,123
Bhagalpur	2,200	.....	2,200	43,017	... ..	151,140	826	197,185	.... .	2,450	142,693	51,904
Purnea	19	.....	19	13,218	.....	1,471	1,073	15,781	49,792	2,240	8,833	13,990
Malda	561	.. ..	561	3,769	... ..	318	.....	4,648	1,611	105	2,105	.....
Santhal Parganas	361	1,315	1,183	46,604	... ..	19,412	.....	67,199	.....	.....	56,023	30,547
Total Bihar	3,344	3,319	5,418	174,823	.....	831,945	20,751	1,032,937	51,403	45,460	1,779,436	353,570
Orissa												
Cuttack	4,273	1	4 274	.....	.....	1,910	.....	6,184	... ..	455	.....	... ..
Balasore	86,934	15,510	66,627	332	4	37,310	.. ...	134,273	460	2,737	1,049	39
Puri	85	4	87	.....	. ...	117	..	204	.....	655	.....	.....
Total Orissa	91,292	15,514	100,988	332	4	39,337	.....	140,661	460	3,847	1,049	39
Chota Nagpur												
Hazaribagh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Palamau	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,138	1,037
Manbhum	226	.....	226	.....	.....	.....	... ..	226	.....	.....	.....	.....
Singhbhum	1,340	.....	1,340	.....	.....	2	.....	1,343	.....	735	1,607	.....
Total Chota Nagpur	1,566	.....	1,566	.....	.....	2	.....	1,568	.....	735	7,745	1,037
Total from the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	1,988,114	377,926	2,234,317	223,080	2,784	1,339,130	23,180	3,812,491	535,052	6,282,499	2,114,428	395,607
Other Provinces and Places												
Burma	13,410	.....	13,410	167	.....	1,466	.....	15,073	.....	4,000	.....	.....
Assam	5,466	40	5,511	.....	.....	103	.....	5 614	315	7,015	85,572	180,217
U P of Agra and Oudh	949	... .	949	3,203,358	.....	407,582	291,363	3,903,254	2,408	1,900	1,355,222	882,569
Punjab	145	.....	145	.....	... ..	340	.....	485	.....	.....	.....	3,851
Central Provinces	2	.....	2	492	.....	1,044	... ..	1,538	127	.....	... ..	... ..
Rajputana and Central India	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,635	.....	1,635	.....	.....	13,889	4,033
Bombay	8	... ..	8	.. .	.....	3	.....	11	.....	.....	... ...	.....
Madras	104	.....	104	.....	.....	3,532	.....	3,636	3	2,470	.....	.....
Port Blair	...	.....	... ..	... ..	. ....	.....	.....	..	1	.....	... ..	.....
Grand Total (1903	2,009,218	377,966	2,244,448	3,427,097	2,784	1,844,885	324,545	7,743,757	537,906	6,298,844	3,560,131	1,468,330
Grand Total (1902	2,758,287	671,608	3,135,522	1,408,226	13,724	2,033 424	18,354	6,609,047	3,044,103	5,208,021	2,513,841	1,770,737
Grand Total (1901	2,371,352	1,005,332	2,568,698	983,501	10,908	1,458,796	101,521	5,063,514	1,747,982	3,702,480	3,004,593	1,900,398

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

I

Canal, and Sea (coastwise) in the three months of April to June 1903

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar: Refined	Sugar: Unrefined	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Tobacco: Manufactured	Whence imported
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	**Bengal**
.....	.....	.....	10,528,748	.	.....	574	77	31	Burdwan
.....	.....	131	2,616	.....	.....	.....	159	.....	Birbhum
.....	13	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	Bankura
.....	800	171	19,404	.....	.....	5,972	653	105	Midnapore
.....	1,048	.....	8,477	.....	841	29,997	24,000	2,025	Hooghly
.....	9,261	.....	7,037	.....	849	61,547	7,998	1,481	24-Parganas
.....	766	.....	.....	.....	150	2,402	9,072	.....	Nadia
.....	.....	2,245	.....	.....	.....	.....	31	41	Murshidabad
.....	1,998	.....	.....	.....	72	9,469	5,869	.....	Jessore
.....	216	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,425	.....	.....	Khulna
.....	68	822	.....	.....	.....	.....	67	.....	Rajshahi
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	139	.....	Dinajpur
43,452	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,118	.....	Jalpaiguri
27,486	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	884	1	Darjeeling
.....	2,672	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	52,076	.....	Rangpur
.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Bogra
.....	159	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	Pabna
315	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,573	.....	Cooch Behar
7	14,683	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	Dacca
.....	644	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	Mymensingh
.....	745	.....	.....	.....	.....	74	6	.....	Faridpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Backergunge
.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Tippera
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	875	.....	.....	Noakhali
968	33,483	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chittagong
72,228	66,063	3,369	10,566,882	..	1,912	119,336	118,752	3,712	Total Bengal
									Bihar
.....	1,190	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,163	1,436	3,046	Patna
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,462	.....	6,353	Gaya
.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,583	.....	.....	Shahabad
.....	48	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,619	.....	.....	Saran
.....	164	.....	.....	.....	.....	229	.....	.....	Champaran
.....	398	.....	.....	219	.....	.....	1,633	.....	Muzaffarpur
.....	79	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,628	.....	Darbhanga
.....	346	.....	.....	.....	.....	510	76	28	Monghyr
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Bhagalpur
.....	55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44,249	.....	Purnea
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	.....	Malda
.....	58	.....	1,011	.....	.....	.....	774	80	Sonthal Parganas
	2,388	.....	1,011	219	.....	24,565	49,833	9,507	Total Bihar
									Orissa
.....	208	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cuttack
.....	84	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	697	.....	Balasore
.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	Puri
.....	352	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	697	.....	Total Orissa
									Chota Nagpur
28	.....	.....	427,720	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Hazaribagh
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	Palamau
637	.....	32	5,443,603	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Manbhum
.....	106	286	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Singhbhum
665	106	318	5,871,332	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Total Chota Nagpur
72,893	68,999	3,687	16,439,225	219	1,912	143,901	169,282	13,219	Total from the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
									Other Provinces and places
.....	3,093	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1,187	142	Burma
106,986	1,408	105	38,071	.....	.....	.....	51	.....	Assam
397	64,314	.....	.....	56	830	2,618	318	.....	U P of Agra and Oudh
740	12,741	.....	.....	.....	.....	128	.....	.....	Panjab
.....	1	5	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	Central Provinces
.....	27,020	..	395	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rajputana and Central India
96	490	77	.....	.....	503	.....	22	68	Bombay
25	1,403	.....	.....	.....	35,474	23,362	2	298	Madras
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	Port Blair
181,187	189,219	3,872	16,478,592	275	38,786	170,009	170,862	13,748	1903 } Grand Total
195,082	280,932	4,825	14,552,939	503	19,637	173,407	164,728	8,895	1902 } Grand Total
153,861	172,670	3,519	18,289,200	460	33,622	194,583	218,124	9,005	1901 } Grand Total

No II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No I were imported into Calcutta in the three months April to June 1903

Routes	Food-grains						Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice	Paddy	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags*	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
By boats	892,891	174,440	30,305	126	251,368	528	50,795	5,379,514	88,253	19,703
,, river steamers ...	27,062	7,597	1,275	42	17,209	577	188,972	41,615	187,283	180,776
,, rail — E. I. Railway	430,139	121,638	3,377,835	.....	1,314,869	232,059	62,832	178,255	3,112,099	1,241,143
,, rail — E. B. S. Railway	155,856	12,767	17,068	2,536	207,350	1,378	201,975	633,955	193,795	12,909
,, rail — Assam-Bengal Railway	202	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,065	10,810	1,000
,, rail — Bengal-Nagpur Railway	51,453	4,587	447	8	2,371	3	161	16,855	6,447	.....
,, rail — Bengal-Central Railway	698	495	.....	.....	4,310	.....	15,177	2,350	15,290	90
,, road	385,984	44,800	.....	66	5,391	.....	10,870	20,925	4,788	.....
,, sea	63,873	11,641	167	4	42,108	.. ..	424	9,300	175	.....
Total ... 1903 ...	2,008,218	377,966	3,427,097	2,784	1,844,885	234,545	537,906	6,298,844	3,569,131	1,456,536
Total ... 1902 ...	2,758,267	603,608	1,463,226	13,723	2,033,822	18,354	3,044,193	5,305,823	2,513,641	1,770,737
Total ... 1901 ...	2,871,353	1,005,328	923,501	10,903	1,458,796	101,531	1,747,982	3,793,489	3,004,893	1,300,398

Routes	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By boats	.....	6,202	7	25,053	.....	1,840	42,788	26,374	2,779
,, river steamers ...	74,476	14,730	164	38,971	.....	364	1,421	318	1,113
,, rail — E. I. Railway	1,363	106,137	2,694	14,633,877	275	472	28,078	9,008	6,918
,, rail — E. B. S. Railway	91,143	7,399	895	.....	.....	72	4,275	114,996	2
,, rail — Assam-Bengal Railway	13,627	2,258	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
,, rail — Bengal-Nagpur Railway	537	423	3	1,767,120	.....	.....	.....	.....	43
,, rail — Bengal-Central Railway	.....	1,053	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,730	.....	.....
,, road	.....	5,044	.....	12,686	.....	.....	66,358	13,737	2,386
,, sea	1,089	36,876	77	.....	.....	36,038	23,362	1,533	507
Total ... 1903 ...	181,137	180,219	3,872	16,478,592	275	38,786	170,009	170,962	13,748
Total ... 1902 ...	195,082	280,932	4,825	14,552,990	508	19,637	173,407	164,738	8,395
Total ... 1901 ...	153,861	172,070	5,519	18,389,200	460	33,622	194,525	218,124	9,005

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the three months April to June 1903

	Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil
	European	Indian	European	Indian		
	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
From Foreign Countries—						
United Kingdom	3,82,08,185	.....	32,940	.....	1,250,250	2
Other countries	3,09,134	...	2,141	.....	732,731	721,823
Total ...	3,85,17,319	.....	35,081	.....	1,982,981	721,825
Coastwise—						
Bombay	41,053	6,73,599	..	32,052	77,365	.....
Sind	1,345	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	3,713	37,700	.....	1,546	6,000	.....
Other ports in Madras	625	5,039	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burma	69,813	1,947	.....	4	.....	436,131
Pondichery	9,109	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Other Ports	.....	300	.....	53	.....	.....
Total ...	1,25,658	7,18,585	.....	33,655	83,365	436,131
Total ... 1903 ...	3,86,42,977	7,18,585	35,081	33,655	2,066,346	1,157,956
Total ... 1902 ...	3,86,19,958	5,93,360	24,813	45,959	2,614,971	1,103,190
Total ... 1901 ...	3,26,37,693	5,76,431	46,374	48,203	2,492,420	1,216,696

No IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in the three months April to June 1903.

	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Grain and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags*
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Bombay	189,537	.....	189,537	110	.....	9,773	75	199,495	53	5,686,825
Sind	248	.....	248	.....	.....	.....	.....	248	.....	857,100
Madras ...	66	.....	66	3,331	4,723	220,256	4,054	232,349	27	832,269
Other ports in Madras ..	163,960	13,180	178,197	. .	2,278	92,535	24	273,034	.....	1,115,750
Burma ...	12,937	32	12,967	5,070	41,346	72,897	4,371	134,641	126	4,923,725
Pondichery ..	.....	.....	.....	8	596	2,845	.....	3,449	.....	195,206
Allepy ...	338	.....	338	.	.....	137	.....	475	29	16,500
Other Indian ports	.. .	. ...	.... .	103	3,023	2,886	.....	6,012	.....	120,333
Total ...	373,080	13,212	391,343	8,642	51,965	401,329	9,454	850,703	235	13,749,653
To Foreign countries—										
United Kingdom	149,780	. ...	149,780	1,597,292	.....	434,637	251,802	2,433,530	267,485	8,055,090
Other countries	1,414,982	4,110	1,417,551	783,737	37,642	110,352	17,431	2,366,713	643,936	98,021,504
Total ...	1,564,771	4,110	1,567,340	2,381 029	37,642	544,989	269,233	4,800,243	901,421	106,076,594
Total ... 1903 ...	1,937,857	17,322	1,948,683	2,387,671	81,607	946,318	278,657	5,650,936	991,658	120,426,227
Total ... 1902 ...	1,029,116	15	1,929,125	630,311	74,943	944,564	56,278	3,644,221	2,430,220	69,894,115
Total ... 1901	1,946,361	36	1,946,380	38,904	74,043	365,283	34,613	2,159,213	1,626,666	92,080,469

	Linseed	Mustard seed	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
								Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
Bombay	... ..	4,512	2,561	427	.....	6,130,308	. ...	725	.....	.....	67
Sind	.....	.....	106	.....	.....	485,998	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	.... .	99	64	.....	22	837,619	.....	162	.....	.....	33
Other ports in Madras ...	.....	14,783	1	.....	2	534,100	.....	45	.. ..	1	57
Burma	39	.....	1,067	27	14	1,812,366	.....	2,233	2,367	18,520	632
Pondichery ...	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Allepy ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	... ..	163	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other Indian ports	1	.....	... .	.....	.. ..	89,643	1	10,732	2,435	1,977	36
Total ..	40	19,414	3,739	454	38	9,890,296	1	13,902	4,802	20,498	834
To Foreign countries—											
United Kingdom	1,320,147	90,799	88,713	1,552	551	.....	922	.....	.....	.....	136
Other countries	1,501,339	248,433	12,962	97,892	2,642	3,186,491	1,168	84	146	5,631	350
Total ...	2,827,486	339,232	101,675	99,444	3,193	3,186,491	2,090	84	146	5,631	486
Total ... 1903 ...	2,827,526	352,646	105,414	99,898	3,231	13,076,787	2,091	13,986	4,948	26,129	1,309
Total ... 1902 ..	3,094,072	786 345	128,608	149,189	4 513	13,931,187	4,245	11,484	3,472	31,151	1,853
Total ... 1901 ...	2,892,089	28,722	93,486	95,422	3,861	13,537,355	3,170	8,766	5,042	44,664	1,880

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

No V

Exports of certain Articles from Calcutta by Rail, Road, River, Canal, and Sea (Coastwise) in the three months April to June 1903.

	Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny bags†
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge*	
Bengal	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Burdwan	5,37,565	.....	465	2,962	90,268	862	22,500	142,211
Birbhum	3,22,958	3,182	374	3,552	54,640	21	10,372	197,120
Bankura	55,879	.....	.....	1,553	1,584	.....	.....	1,435
Midnapore	6,12,268	.....	1,645	2,759	55,467	248	3,784	31,535
Hooghly	3,45,607	14,100	1,244	150	25,477	14,048	6,903	68,471
24-Parganas	8,27,502	18,299	1,596	.....	29,129	20,778	7,039	83,256
Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	163,416	.....
Nadia	6,06,651	1,642	3,208	1,468	35,893	1,678	24,788	223,741
Murshidabad	2,81,189	3,391	43	230	50,553	46	5,917	67,726
Jessore	43,238	.....	439	50	25,306	11,710	4,850	19,285
Khulna	25,726	.....	54	.....	3,012	2,032	446	2,730
Rajshahi	4,33,179	145	533	87	37,273	116	13,160	40,775
Dinajpur	3,34,158	6,625	87	633	45,423	337	12,322	68,495
Jalpaiguri	2,61,019	1,707	82	898	31,143	260	14,473	19,800
Darjeeling	2,45,616	3,674	200	757	25,863	243	8,778	16,450
Rangpur	7,91,080	2,736	619	841	55,795	186	20,547	30,590
Bogra	5,79,303	331	256	526	49,020	201	8,541	129,010
Pabna	4,10,782	32	1,805	234	116,368	.....	56,187	21,945
Maldah	1,38,485	781	6	436	13,910	51	2,152	1,645
Cooch Behar	11,17,660	434	5,681	89	166,491	1,030	99,427	34,055
Dacca	6,77,462	.....	748	474	77,016	20	23,793	24,850
Mymensingh	3,85,101	.....	3,522	749	57,277	28,127	9,234	85,020
Faridpur	4,85,204	.....	4,058	.....	60,187	6,902	31,519	76,720
Backergunge	3,63,476	.....	2,983	.....	36,582	1,433	7,279	79,310
Tippera	1,99,289	.....	1,624	.....	35,987	1,400	.....	15,085
Noakhali	1,66,502	.....	1,430	.....	247	28	263	50,056
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Bengal	1,02,86,713	57,469	33,790	18,196	1,235,783	91,795	563,640	1,491,047
Bihar								
Patna	8,49,227	5,720	951	1,923	30,836	137	20,471	636,650
Gaya	6,25,956	.....	23	3,956	51,205	.....	8,352	186,309
Shahabad	12,94,868	.....	11	1,559	74,874	8	8,907	205,850
Saran	10,60,394	.....	124	216	82,277	.....	4,874	79,455
Champaran	5,64,787	470	.....	539	76,244	74	8,112	143,495
Muzaffarpur	9,00,772	.....	.....	231	98,618	6	14,319	89,980
Darbhanga	9,74,413	.....	.....	1,407	74,260	17	15,559	222,905
Monghyr	9,09,377	.....	109	2,907	53,854	237	11,039	271,760
Bhagalpur	11,23,634	.....	201	1,207	58,798	.....	13,843	353,165
Purnea	7,93,704	417	160	3,047	93,923	25	19,442	58,865
Malda	1,75,777	.....	436	684	11,947	50	1,645	35,220
Santhal Parganas	5,11,411	831	466	2,311	83,061	41	18,040	155,658
Total Bihar	1,00,87,295	7,438	2,482	20,317	718,874	607	139,673	2,459,870
Orissa								
Cuttack	95,374	230	.....	7,479	.....	8	14,554	5,400
Balasore	98,233	.....	1,379	8,717	14,938	4,023	4,965	94,132
Puri	25,013	256	.....	3	.....	4	40	4,655
Total Orissa	2,18,619	486	1,379	16,199	14,938	4,035	19,559	104,187
Chota Nagpur								
Hazaribagh	1,74,526	.....	.....	1,928	31,101	60	3,534	5,145
Palamau	1,20,461	.....	.....	558	22,806	.....	772	10,666
Manbhum	2,89,433	4,646	181	4,140	76,835	174	3,478	11,515
Singhbhum	47,158	.....	.....	175	20,700	89	1,976	27,545
Total Chota Nagpur	6,40,578	4,646	181	6,801	151,532	323	9,760	54,285
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	2,11,73,194	70,048	37,832	61,513	2,141,027	96,760	732,732	4,109,449
Other Provinces and Places								
Burma	2,18,533	20,606	1,049	16,488	.....	275	.....	4,983,725
Assam	13,04,688	2,936	1,581	2,770	136,088	2,478	34,339	176,085
U. Provinces of Agra and Oudh	91,73,203	16,893	3,478	1,402	86,055	446	60,869	3,812,448
Panjab	16,58,421	2,504	1,089	179	11	41	8,271	2,016,630
Central Provinces	1,36,940	156	34	806	1	186	48,178	464,678
Rajputana and Central India	2,23,695	238	171	.....	.....	68	5,319	131,495
Berar	11,328	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,005
Nizam's Territory	4,308	213	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,135
Bombay	29,894	36	.....	30	.....	5	.....	5,749,510
Madras	1,94,445	219	31	1,614	.....	82	3,083	1,976,035
Cochin	97	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppy	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,500
Pondicherry	618	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	195,200
Sind	3,557	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	857,199
Port Blair	7,340	.....	.....	7	.....	87	.....	.....
Grand Total 1903	3,44,93,169	1,13,418	45,273	84,768	2,363,182	100,401	908,393	24,450,174
Grand Total 1902	3,55,80,336	2,40,367	53,849	67,694	2,539,631	111,350	1,084,386	21,807,673
Grand Total 1901	3,66,73,017	1,47,483	34,635	43,593	1,497,853	70,359	891,713	13,344,029

* Represents the trade registered at the traffic registering stations only.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

No VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No V were exported from Calcutta in the three months April to June 1903

	Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene Oil		Gunny bags*
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
By boats ...	3,9 ,200	13,300	1,171	...	146,299	56,796	41,122	111,[illegible]
" river steamers ...	41,36,586	... ..	19,425	117	557,939	1,895	272,024	331,[illegible]
" rail — East Indian Railway ...	2,10,41,690	36,078	5,051	30,446	994,584	2,056	263,434	7,323,1[illegible]
" rail — Eastern Bengal State Railway ...	57,21,577	19,131	10,915	10,805	502,577	2,765	245,253	778,4[illegible]
" rail — Assam-Bengal Railway ...	4,81,018	2,609	3,052	371	16,899	690	352	23,[illegible]
" rail — Bengal Nagpur Railway ...	7,40,843	703	1	20,268	99,577	402	76,108	172,[illegible]
" rail — Bengal Central Railway ...	52,118	.....	592	.....	21,705	6,204	.....	15,[illegible]
" rail — North-Western Railway ...	2,36,997	102	149	.....	.....	25	.....	1,693,[illegible]
" rail — Railways under the Government Examiner of Railway Accounts, Bombay	2,51,450	1,796	208	57	.....	9	.....	243,[illegible]
" road ...	8,69,261	19,099	1,819	.....	18,160	25,186	.....	14,[illegible]
" sea ...	5,68,420	20,605	2,902	22,704	8,412	4,373	.....	13,749,[illegible]
Total ... 1903 ...	3,44,92,169	1,13,418	45,275	84,768	2,306,152	100,401	898,202	24,450,17[illegible]
Total ... 1902 ...	3,55,50,330	2,40,367	53,849	67,684	2,539,631	111,330	1,084,366	21,807,[illegible]
Total ... 1901 ...	2,69,23,017	1,47,483	34,635	42,593	1,497,853	70,359	591,713	15,242,[illegible]

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

August 31, 1903.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 29th August 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 29th August 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 30th August 1902.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	193	45,675	567	486	74,150	960
Jute	17	2,065*	32	87	32,305†	425
Firewood	32	10,725	159	63	56,725	851
Other articles	456	1,00,033	1,188	490	1,22,770	1,468
Total ...	698	1,58,498	1,946	1,126	2,35,950	3,704

* Weight by canal measurement, 2,512½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 34,550 „

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 23rd to 29th August 1903

Month.	Date	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature				Hygrometry				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
					Mean	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Dry wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction	Miles recorded.		
1903.		°		Inches	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.		%			Inches.	
Aug.	23rd	133·9	0·4	29·662	83·3	86·4	6·5	79·9	80·7	1·016	79 7	89	SSW and SSE ...	55	0·22	Chiefly cloudy, o.
"	24th	103 0	Nil	·625	81 2	82·9	6 0	76·9	79·3	0 976	78·5	91	SSE, SW by S and SSW.	68	0·89	Cloudy, o, d, p.
"	25th	149 9	0·7	·567	83 6	88 4	9 0	79·4	81·2	1·033	80·2	90	SSW and SW by S	59	0 04	Chiefly cloudy, o, d.
"	26th	141·0	0·4	·576	83 4	87 5	8 6	78 9	80 3	0 994	79·0	87	SW by S ...	59	0 04	Chiefly cloudy, o.
"	27th	152 2	4·5	·603	83 5	89·9	10·5	79 4	79·4	·950	77 7	83	SW by S and SSW	60	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, t, p.
"	28th	149·9	7·4	·592	84 1	90 0	11 6	78 4	79·6	952	77·7	81	SSW and SE ...	61	0·19	Partially cloudy, d
"	29th	150 0	4 7	579	82 9	88 5	10 1	78 4	79·1	·944	77 5	84	SE and SE by S ..	115	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, d, p.

The mean pressure of the seven days		Inches. 29·601
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29 621
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		18·1
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		85·7
The mean temperature of the seven days		83·1
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·1
The extreme variation of temperature		18·1
The maximum temperature		90·0
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		9
		%
The mean relative humidity		86
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		86
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 23rd to 29th August 1903		1·38
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		2 71
The total fall from 1st January to 29th August 1903		31·54
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		47·86

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, nd from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the ıermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the ew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet ove the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86 rmerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in ıe Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

Rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; t, thunder; p, passing temporary showers.

In the weekly abstract from 2nd to 8th August 1903 read 14·8 for 4·8 as range of temperature of the 8th August 1903.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 31st August 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.*

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of April 1903 compared with the corresponding period in 1902.

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanations of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	59	468	109	993	50	525			
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	10,758	25,788	10,751	24,927			7	861	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	50	938	47	807			3	131	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) (b) Twist and yarn. European	13	91	14	210	1	119			
(a) (b) Twist and yarn. Indian	201	2,938	206	3,138	35	200			
(c) (d) Piece-goods. European	1,315	11,825	2,056	19,143	741	7,318			
(c) (d) Piece-goods. Indian	398	3,319	413	3,063	15			256	Increased demand for marriages.
(e) Others	11	130	44	548	33	412			
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	30	173	61	424	25	251			
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	4	130	6	187	2	57			
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.			1	13	1	13			
(b) Others	331	2,708	1,057	4,500	726	1,792			
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia)			1	23	1	23			
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	25	331	5	63			20	168	
3. Cutch	162	3,639	281	4,236	119	1,004			
4. Indigo	20	71	13	141		70	16		
5. Myrabolams	5	31	1	30	5	35			
6. Tanning barks	84	736	99	588	15			148	
7. Turmeric	940	7,356	719	5,991			221	1,374	
8. Others	96	710	158	1,239	62	529			
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	1,010	2,077	624	1,770			386	257	
2. Hay, straw, and grass	188	1,017	211	1,428	23	411			
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	502	1,335	20	88			482	1,147	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse	4,223	18,207	4,840	21,904	636	3,697			
2. Jawar and bajra	747	3,147	108	247			639	2,900	
3, 4. Rice { in the husk / not in the husk	1,436 7,925	5,198 31,916	2,761 12,694	7,339 35,269	1,325 4,769	2,077 27,353			
5. Wheat	2,248	12,210	5,000	28,108	2,752	16,898			Increase due to good crops.
6. Wheat-flour	355	2,344	270	2,527		183	85		
7. Makai	2,927	15,443	3,574	24,874	747	9,431			
8. Others	1,605	5,971	4,097	20,467	2,492	14,496			
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned			1	12	1	12			
(b) Raw	433	2,600	483	3,718	50	1,118			
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned			3	26	3	25			
(b) Raw	131	831	265	1,846	134	1,015			
XI.—Horns	4	48	13	94	8	46			
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	290	811	399	1,184	109	363			
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	78	509	44	281			34	226	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,768	11,745	1,725	10,592			43	1,153	
XIV.—Lac	234	1,254	69	368			165	886	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought		17	9	55	8	38			
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	1								
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	4	26	6	43	2	17			
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.									
3. Wine	11	110	16	217	5	107			
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.									
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought	32	123	4	26			28	96	
2. ,, wrought	107	1,049	111	932	4			96	
3. Copper, unwrought			11	73	11	73			
4. ,, wrought	15	180	16	173	1	23			
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	33	200	18	138			15	62	
(b) Unwrought	8	20	7	25			1	4	
(c) Wrought	404	2,301	428	2,480		179	66		
(d) Manufactures	178	1,617	234	1,969	56	352			
6. Others	177	1,359	192	1,488	15	220			
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosene	897	3,183	1,348	5,048	451	1,839			
2. Castor	13	54	26	149	12	93			
3. Cocoanut	20	119	11	81			9	38	
4. Mustard and rape	7	51	49	283	42	232			
5. Others	9	83	20	129	11	47			

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	314	933	595	3,910	281	2,977	.....	.....	
2. Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Linseed	16,866	72,189	13,946	59,091	.....	.....	2,920	13,098	Due to unfavourable markets.
4. Poppy	207	1,105	375	1,028	78	.....	.....	77	
5. Rape and mustard	10,393	49,978	8,884	54,036	.....	4,058	1,400	.....	
6. Til or jinjili	96	148	498	2,365	402	2,217	.....	.....	
7. Others	295	1,457	790	4,001	501	2,544	.....	.....	
XX.—Opium	648	10,223	1,139	21,323	491	11,100	.....	.....	
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	48	214	153	360	105	152	.....	.....	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts	81	885	137	1,400	56	515	.....	.....	
2. Ghee	305	2,413	330	2,597	25	184	.....	.....	
3. Others	2,034	8,003	3,073	10,458	1,019	1,855	.....	.....	
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	182	1,338	1	1	.....	.....	181	1,337	
(c) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXIV.—Salt	7,880	20,463	10,397	43,622	2,547	14,159	.....	.....	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	1,435	4,402	1,436	5,806	1	1,404	.....	.....	
2. Other saline substances	20	121	65	301	45	180	.....	.....	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	9	57	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	57	
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	201	1,609	248	2,089	47	480	.....	.....	
2. Cardamoms	215	1,648	116	1,008	.....	.....	99	639	
3. Chillies	688	5,712	767	3,799	79	.....	.....	1,913	
4. Ginger	19	136	116	1,122	97	986	.....	.....	
5. Pepper	81	265	61	508	30	243	.....	.....	
6. Others	313	2,862	239	2,184	.....	.....	74	678	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	1,041	2,806	1,091	3,259	50	753	.....	.....	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	3,043	30,551	2,534	16,986	.....	.....	1,409	13,565	Less demand.
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	892	7,244	2,527	18,576	1,635	11,332	.....	.....	Increased production.
(b) Gur, rab, laggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	7,239	38,069	7,772	38,071	534	.....	.....	18	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Indian	1	14	2	31	1	17	.....	.....	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	3,193	28,069	2,107	15,492	.....	.....	1,086	12,577	Smaller crops.
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	1	11	2	15	1	4	.....	.....	
(b) Other sorts	116	961	41	418	.....	.....	75	543	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought	338	1,276	1,626	4,527	1,288	3,253	.....	.....	Output from Government Nepal forests.
2. Logs	1,008	2,014	1,846	4,706	843	2,692	.....	.....	
3. Poles	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4. Manufactures	157	1,546	285	2,193	108	647	.....	.....	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	11	140	15	244	4	104	.....	.....	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs	.....	.....	123	222	123	222	.....	.....	
(b) Piece-goods { European	4	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	35	
(c) Piece-goods { Indian	13	86	6	65	.....	.....	7	21	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	1	4	4	31	3	27	.....	.....	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	103	360	135	762	32	402	.....	.....	
2. Firewood	977	1,524	1,096	1,434	119	.....	.....	90	
3. Others not specified above.	6,815	39,184	5,443	34,019	.....	.....	1,373	5,165	
Total	1,10,093	5,36,622	1,25,795	6,31,577	26,568	1,54,808	10,866	59,853	

GORAKHPUR, *the 28th August 1903.*

J. LIGHTFOOT,
Chief Auditor.

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Abstract of principal Commodities carried over the Bengal Central Railway during the month of June 1903, as compared with the same month of previous year.

ARTICLES.	1903		1902.		TOTAL.		Increase	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	1903	1902.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	.....		1	..	..	1	.....	1
II.—Coal and Coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	1,313	.....	1,179		1,313	1,179	134	.....
III.—Cotton—								
1. Raw	.....	26	.....	17	26	17	9	.....
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and yarn, European	45	.....	40	.....	45	40	5	.....
(b) Ditto, Indian ...	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.. ..	.....	.....
(c) Piece-goods, European ...	142	.....	107	1	142	108	34	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian	2	1	1	.....	3	1	2	.....
(e) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
V.—Drugs—								
1. Intoxicating, other than opium		.....	1	.. ...	... ..	1	.....	1
2. Non-intoxicating—								
(a) Medical preparations ...	3	... ..	2	.....	3	2	1	.....
(b) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....
VI.—Dyes and Tans—								
1. Indigo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Myrabolams	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Cutch	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Turmeric	4	48	7	91	52	98	.....	46
5. Alizarine and Aniline Dyes ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6. Al (Morinda Citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7. Tanning barks	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8. Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..
VII.—Fodder—								
1. Oilcake	89	11	100	15	100	115	.....	15
2. Hay, straw and grass	2	12	.....	.....	14	.....	14	.....
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	106	246	53	206	354	261	93	.....
IX.—Grain and Pulse—								
1. Wheat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Rice in the husk	6	235	52	37	241	89	152	.....
3. Do. not in the husk	39	79	39	58	118	97	21	.....
4. Jawar and bajra	... ..	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	... ..
5. Gram and pulse	29	290	48	64	319	112	207	.....
6. Wheat flour	4	.. ...	12	.....	4	12	.....	8
7. Others	... ..	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1
X.—Hides and Skins—								
1. Hides of cattle—								
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	1	61	1	41	62	42	20	.....
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—								
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	.....	4	.....	8	4	8	.....	4
XI.—Horns	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	.....	46	.....	17	46	17	29	.....
XIII.—Jute—								
1. Raw	.. ...	92	769	769	92	769	.....	677
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	15	5	106	3	20	109	.....	89
XIV.—Lac	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....
XV.—Leather—								
1. Unwrought	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XVI.—Liquors—								
1. Ale and beer	. ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Spirit of all kinds, including country spirit.	..	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	..
3. Wine	3	.....	3	.....	3	3	. .	.....
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	...	.....	.....
XVII.—Metals—								
1. Copper, unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..
2. Brass, ditto	..	1	.....	1	1	1	... ..	.....
3. Copper, wrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Brass, ditto	24	3	91	7	27	98	.....	71
5. Iron and steel—								
(a) Cast	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	. .	.....	.. ...
(b) Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	..	.....	... .
(c) Wrought	34	2	48	1	36	49	.....	13
(d) Manufactured	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....
6. Others	5	26	9	21	31	30	1	...
XVIII.—Oils—								
1. Kerosine	187	2	372	5	189	377	...	188
2. Castor	1	.....	... .	.....	1	.....	1	.....
3. Cocoanut	17	.....	15	.....	17	15	2	.....
4. Mustard and rape	109	.....	76	.. ..	109	76	33	.....
5. Others	...	.....	5	.....	.....	5	.....	5
XIX.—Oilseeds—								
1. Linseed	... .	83	.. ...	88	83	88	.....	5
2. Rape and mustard	267	94	207	44	361	251	110	.. ...
3. Til or jinjili	.....	141	.. ...	103	141	103	38	.
4. Poppy	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	. ...
5. Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
6. Castor	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..
7. Others	... ..	3	...	.....	3	.....	3	... ..
XX.—Opium	... .	.....	.. ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	14	.....	13	... ..	14	13	1	.....
XII.—Provisions—								
1. Ghee	3	.. ..	2	.....	3	2	1	
2. Dried fruits and nuts	..	1	.....	..	1		1	
3. Others	4	30	7	36	34	35	.. ..	1

Articles.	1903.		1902.		Total.		Increase	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	1903	1902.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
XXIII.—Railway plant and rolling-stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—								
1. Locomotives, engines, and tenders, and parts thereof.								
2. Carriages and trucks, and parts thereof.								
3. Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates								
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.								
(c) Other sorts								
XXIV.—Salt	306		410		306	410		104
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1. Saltpetre			29			29		29
2. Other saline substances	13		0		13	9	4	
XXVI.—Silk—								
1. Raw—								
(a) Foreign								
(b) Indian								
2. Silk piece-goods—								
(a) Foreign								
(b) Indian								
XXVII.—Spices—								
1. Betelnuts	1	130	2	92	131	94	37	
2. Pepper								
3. Ginger								
4. Chillies	11	45	9		56	9	47	
5. Cardamoms								
6. Others	1	46	3	42	49	45	4	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	116		341		116	341		225
XXIX.—Sugar—								
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	38		29		38	29	9	
2 Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	125	122	95	131	247	146	101	
(b) Gur, rab, molasses, jaggery, and other saccharine produce.		23	20	51	23	51		29
XXX.—Tea—								
1. Foreign								
2 Indian								
XXXI.—Tobacco—								
1. Unmanufactured	338	25	115	29	363	144	219	
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Cigars								
(b) Other sorts	1				1		1	
XXXII.—Wood—								
1. Timber, unwrought	61	61	93	18	112	110	2	
2. Manufactures	10	12	15	7	22	22		
XXXIII.—Wool—								
1. Raw								
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs								
(b) Piece-goods, European ...								
(c) Ditto, Indian ...								
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.								
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise ...	439	278	234	178	717	412	315	
Total ...	3,931	2,286	3,921	2,146	6,207	6,067	1,662	1,512

J. D. Crime,

Calcutta, *the 29th August 1903.* for *Chief Auditor and Accountant.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th August 1903 on 1,926·13 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	372,542	3,52,674 0 0	39,25,541 0	6,58,923 0 0	25,267 0 0	10,39,864 0 0	111,655	149,089	260,744
Or per mile of railway ...	...	183 1 7	...	342 1 7	14 11 0	539 14 2	.....	.....	...
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year.	2,237,076	20,66,586 0 0	2,49,61,220 0	41,95,217 0 0	1,02,669 0 0	64,23,892 0 0	627,793	902,741	1,530,534
Total for 6½ weeks ...	2,609,618	24,19,260 0 0	2,88,86,761 0	48,54,140 0 0	1,27,876 0 0	74,63,756 0 0	739,448	1,051,810	1,791,258
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	361,639	3,38,319 11 7	47,51,171 10	7,35,191 0 3	22,466 6 10	10,95,977 2 8	109,250	163,949	273,199
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	176 13 3	.....	384 4 1	11 11 11	572 13 3	.....	.....	...
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year.	2,538,699	24,06,644 4 3	3,22,86,331 0	51,72,029 13 6	1,43,871 7 1	77,22,338 7 10	756,713	1,176,676	1,913,388

(a) The decrease is chiefly in coal traffic.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,926·13	11 days of July ...	705,575	5,90,640	85,13,988	11,86,402	45,553	17,96,595	934	416,486	4 3 1
1,926·13	Week ended 18th ,, ...	394,365	3,57,547	44,21,113	7,48,067	23,987	11,34,601	590	277,439	4 1 5
1,926·13	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	371,689	3,70,353	47,53,393	7,78,890	30,403	11,79,646	613	277,344	4 4 1
1,926·13	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	377,269	3,53,880	48,10,281	7,77,014	28,859	11,59,753	602	282,212	4 1 9
1,926·13	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	398,176	3,68,286	44,93,560	7,34,844	28,257	11,51,417	598	276,993	4 2 6
1,926·13	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	372,542	3,52,674	39,25,541	6,58,923	25,267	10,39,864	540	260,744	3 15 10
	Totals up to date ...	2,609,618	24,19,260	2,88,86,561	46,54,140	1,90,376	74,63,756	890	1,791,258	4 2 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,913·13	12 days of July ...	716,606	6,05,797	86,38,982	14,63,229	31,611	21,00,637	1,129	509,575	4 3 10
1,913·13	Week ended 19th ,, ...	441,138	3,78,481	47,42,891	8,03,666	16,685	11,97,812	636	288,590	4 2 5
1,913·13	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	370,907	3,75,806	45,66,617	7,07,413	16,816	11,00,075	575	279,023	3 15 1
1,913·13	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	345,725	3,21,053	40,81,101	7,36,023	26,773	10,83,739	566	285,408	3 12 11
1,913·13	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	353,308	3,26,068	45,06,069	7,36,710	27,530	10,81,198	565	277,583	3 14 4
1,913·13	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	361,656	3,35,319	47,51,171	7,35,191	22,467	10,95,977	573	273,199	4 0 1
	Totals up to date ...	2,538,699	24,06,644	3,22,86,331	51,72,029	1,43,872	77,22,338	901	1,913,388	4 0 7

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th August 1903 on 24·28 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	19,025	4,286 0 0	6,471 0	306 0 0	6 0 0	4,598 0 0	1,064	104	1,168
Or per mile of railway	.....	197 4 10	.....	13 12 3	0 4 4	211 5 5	.....	.....	...
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	131,497	32,516 0 0	52,023 0	2,128 0 0	36 0 0	34,680 0 0	6,052	636	6,688
Total for 6½ weeks ...	150,522	36,902 0 0	58,494 0	2,434 0 0	42 0 0	39,278 0 0	7,116	760	7,876
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	20,417	4,867 12 7	5,783 30	240 7 0	12 12 9	5,141 0 4	1,121	67	1,188
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	219 13 11	.....	10 13 1	0 9 3	231 4 3	.....	.....	...
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year	151,370	36,699 3 7	1,24,551 10	2,216 13 0	54 12 9	39,668 13 4	7,378	674	8,051

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	11 days of July ...	47,000	12,009	14,677	631	19	12,712	572	1,936	6 9 1
22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	22,750	5,510	9,164	414	7	5,931	267	1,186	4 15 10
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,622	4,889	10,847	487	5	5,281	238	1,186	4 7 1
22·23	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	19,728	4,501	9,415	370	6	4,837	218	1,186	4 1 2
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	21,386	5,397	7,990	316	6	5,919	266	1,186	4 15 9
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,025	4,386	8,471	306	6	4,698	211	1,186	3 15 2
	Totals up to date ...	150,522	36,902	58,494	2,434	42	39,378	270	7,876	5 0 0

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1903—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	12 days of July ...	40,661	10,020	72,607	1,574	10	11,604	522	2,068	5 9 9
22·23	Week ended 19th ,, ...	31,057	6,929	10,097	403	10	7,342	330	1,292	5 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,846	5,357	19,055	504	6	5,867	264	1,188	4 15 0
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	16,806	3,760	6,881	334	11	4,105	185	1,164	3 7 3
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,493	4,746	7,568	330	5	5,810	253	1,188	4 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,417	4,887	5,735	241	13	5,141	231	1,188	4 5 3
	Totals up to date ...	151,370	35,699	1,24,531	3,915	55	39,669	266	8,052	4 14 10

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th August 1903 on 162·24 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	22,562	19,333 0 0	63,366 0	6,978 0 0	35 0 0	26,346 0 0	0,589	3,573	13,162
Or per mile of railway	.....	119 8 9	.....	43 0 2	0 3 5	161 12 4	... ...	... .	.....
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	126,992	1,10,179 0 0	3,56,168 0	53,018 0 0	206 0 0	1,63,403 0 0	53,978	19,142	73,120
Total for 6½ weeks ...	149,554	1,29,512 0 0	4,49,536 0	58,996 0 0	241 0 0	1,89,749 0 0	62,567	23,115	85,682
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	21 535	16,967 12 6	94,439 0	9,650 6 2	48 4 6	26,566 7 2	6,173	4,203	12,376
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	103 15 6	.....	59 7 9	0 4 9	163 12 0	.....	... ..	.....
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year.	153,010	1,23,005 0 4	11,00,944 20	68,619 5 3	314 5 9	1,90,998 11 4	57,694	31,233	88,926

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	11 days of July ...	35,731	30,852	1,66,755	14,526	61	45,437	280	20,717	2 3 1
162·24	Week ended 18th ,, ...	21,700	19,507	87,923	12,682	42	31,931	197	13,226	2 6 8
162·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	21,267	20,338	75,389	9,287	34	29,659	184	13,648	2 5 6
162·24	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	22,747	14,757	62,619	8,617	34	27,808	171	13,978	2 3 3
162·24	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	24,547	19,725	53,533	7,800	35	27,556	170	13,931	2 3 1
162·24	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	22,563	19,283	63,368	6,978	35	26,346	162	13,162	1 15 11
	Totals up to date ...	149,554	1,29,462	4,49,536	58,996	241	1,88,649	177	85,682	2 3 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	12 days of July ...	40,893	32,990	1,48,404	19,647	94	51,891	319	22,783	2 4 5
162·24	Week ended 19th ,, ...	22,411	17,902	5 62,416	15,289	42	33,373	205	13,707	2 6 10
162 24	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	20,206	23,107	1,02,087	8,894	33	31,033	191	13,778	2 4 0
162·24	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	20,154	15,026	1,00,092	7,715	40	23,081	146	13,478	1 12 1
162·24	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	21,716	17,112	92,516	7,445	58	25,615	158	12,816	1 14 9
162·24	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,535	16,868	94,429	9,650	48	26,566	164	13,876	2 2 4
	Totals up to date ...	153,010	1,22,005	11,00,944	68,619	314	1,90,998	175	88,926	2 2 4

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th August 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	9,594	4,763 0 0	35,116 0	2,147 0 0	30 0 0	6,920 0 0	1,732	513	2,245
Or per mile of railway	.....	60 3 6	.....	27 4 2	0 6 1	87 13 9	.. ..	.....	.. ..
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	68,917	36,779 0 0	1,95,498 0	13,587 0 0	188 0 0	50,554 0 0	10,184	4,375	14,559
Total for 6½ weeks	78,511	41,522 0 0	2,30,614 0	15,734 0 0	218 0 0	57,474 0 0	11,916	4,888	16,804
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	9,868	4,830 6 2	53,026 30	2,381 13 0	10 6 9	7,222 8 11	1,807	791	2,598
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	61 5 3	.....	.30 3 10	0 2 2	91 11 3	.....	...	.....
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year ...	80,410	40,829 1 10	2,81,501 20	16,660 4 0	95 15 9	57,565 5 7	13,905	5,916	18,821

1903 *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	11 days of July ...	21,410	11,920	50,022	2,936	59	14,875	189	4,343	3 8 1
78·76	Week ended 18th ,, ...	12,731	7,239	40,840	2,740	35	10,014	127	2,756	3 10 3
78·76	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	11,517	5,983	29,938	2,387	33	8,403	107	2,441	3 7 1
78·76	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	11,461	5,502	37,415	2,699	31	8,229	104	2,501	3 4 6
78·76	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	11,778	6,135	37,286	2,808	30	9,033	115	2,618	3 7 2
78·76	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	9,594	4,763	35,116	2,147	30	6,920	88	2,245	3 1 4
	Totals up to date ...	78,511	41,522	* 2,30,614	15,734	218	57,474	111	16,804	3 6 9

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	12 days of July ...	23,554	12,911	70,897	4,577	40	16,828	214	4,961	3 6 5
78·76	Week ended 19th ,, ...	12,310	6,581	33,431	*2,135	8	8,724	111	2,678	3 4 1
78·76	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	11,715	5,894	41,404	2,848	9	8,751	105	2,835	3 14 7
78·76	,, ,, 2nd Aug.	12,264	6,001	53,575	3,209	11	9,221	117	2,835	3 4 0
78·76	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	10,679	5,312	28,578	2,009	18	7,339	93	2,914	2 8 4
78·76	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	9,868	4,830	53,637	2,382	10	7,222	92	2,598	2 13 6
	Totals up to date ...	80,410	40,829	2,81,502	16,660	96	57,565	109	18,821	3 0 11

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd August 1903 on 1,926·05 miles open.

	* Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	346,525	3,24,229 0 0	39,03,251 0	6,39,960 0 0	27,038 0 0	9,91,227 0 0	111,667	146,106	257,973
Or per mile of railway	.. ...	167 8 4	.....	330 8 10	13 15 5	513 0 7	... ..	.....	...
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year	2,632,614*	24,35,208 0 0*	2,94,67,969 0†	49,29,377 0 0†	1,85,602 0 0‡	75,50,187 0 0	740,661§	1,069,514§	1,810,175
Total for 7½ weeks ...	2,979,139	27,59,437 0 0	3,33,71,180 0	55,69,337 0 0	2,12,640 0 0	85,41,414 0 0	852,328	1,205,620	2,068,148
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	358,929	3,17,094 7 5	41,55,742 30	6,66,505 9 6	18,780 2 1	10,02,380 2 0	109,343	161,048	270,391
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	165 11 9	.....	346 5 9	9 13 1	523 14 7	....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 7½ weeks of previous year	2,947,088	27,23,538 11 8	3,54,44,573 30	56,38,538 6 0	1,62,631 9 2	87,24,718 10 10	845,953	1,337,734	2,183,679

* Added No. of passengers 22,996 and Rs. 15,948
† Do. mds. 5,51,308 and ,, 75,227
‡ Deducted ,, 4,774
§ Audited figures up to 11th July 1903.

(a) The decrease is chiefly in coal traffic.

} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the 11 days of July 1903.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*1,926·05	11 days of July ...	728,571	6,13,586	70,94,191	12,31,229	40,779	18,84,996	974	435,403	4 6 11
1,926·13	Week ended 18th ,, ...	284,365	2,37,547	44,21,113	7,48,067	23,967	11,34,601	589	277,469	4 1 5
1,926·13	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	371,649	3,70,253	47,53,363	7,78,890	30,403	11,79,546	612	277,344	4 4 1
1,926·13	,, ,, 1st August ...	377,269	3,53,960	48,10,281	7,77,014	28,859	11,59,733	602	288,258	4 1 9
1,926·13	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	393,178	3,86,396	44,93,560	7,34,844	28,287	11,51,427	598	276,983	4 2 6
1,926·13	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	372,542	3,62,674	39,25,341	6,58,923	28,287	10,39,894	540	260,724	3 15 10
1,926·05	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	346,535	3,24,389	39,05,251	6,59,960	27,039	9,91,387	512	257,973	3 13 6
	Totals up to date ...	2,979,189	27,59,537	3,33,71,130	55,69,337	2,12,640	85,41,514	883	2,058,148	4 2 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,913·28	12 days of July ...	716,603	6,65,787	86,36,982	14,69,389	31,611	21,66,687	1,129	509,575	4 3 10
1,913·28	Week ended 19th ,, ...	441,186	3,76,681	47,42,891	8,08,446	16,685	11,97,813	626	286,530	4 2 5
1,913·28	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	370,267	3,75,206	45,66,617	7,07,453	16,816	11,00,075	575	279,033	3 15 1
1,913·28	,, ,, 2nd August ...	345,725	3,21,063	49,81,101	7,36,033	28,773	10,85,789	568	285,468	3 12 11
1,913·28	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	353,308	3,36,968	46,06,089	7,36,710	27,530	10,81,198	565	277,598	3 14 4
1,913·28	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	361,658	3,38,319	47,51,171	7,35,191	23,467	10,95,977	573	278,499	4 0 3
1,913·28	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	358,929	3,17,994	41,58,743	6,66,506	18,780	10,03,280	524	270,241	3 11 4
	Totals up to date ...	2,947,676	27,32,538	3,64,44,574	58,33,598	1,62,652	87,34,718	591	2,168,979	3 15 11

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 23rd August 1903 on 22·23 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	19,344	4,436 0 0	6,559 0	296 0 0	5 0 0	4,736 0 0	1,188	84	1,272
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	199 3 10	.....	13 4 4	0 3 7	213 0 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year	156,550*	37,367 0 0*	62,003 0†	2,460 0 0†	37 0 0‡	39,864 0 0	7,231§	689§	7,920
Total for 7½ weeks ...	175,894	41,803 0 0	68,562 0	2,755 0 0	42 0 0	44,600 0 0	8,419	773	9,192
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	18,309	4,080 10 10	8,803 0	373 15 0	6 14 9	4,460 8 7	1,110	78	1,188
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	185 9 1	.....	16 12 5	0 5 0	202 10 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 7½ weeks of previous year.	169,579	39,779 14 5	1,33,334 10	4,227 12 0	61 11 6	44,129 5 11	8,468	772	9,240

* Added No. of passengers 6,028 and Rs. 468 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the first 11 days of July
† Added Mds. 3,509 and ,, 26 } 1903.
‡ Deducted ,, 5
§ Audited figures up to 11th July 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	11 days of July ...	53,028	12,534	16,196	657	7	13,198	594	1,980	6 10 5
22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	22,759	5,510	9,161	414	7	5,931	267	1,188	4 15 10
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,032	4,839	10,847	437	5	5,281	238	1,188	4 7 1
22·23	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	19,738	4,501	9,615	350	6	4,857	218	1,188	4 1 9
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	21,388	5,597	7,990	316	6	5,919	266	1,188	4 15 9
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,025	4,386	6,471	306	6	4,698	211	1,188	3 15 3
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	19,344	4,436	6,559	296	5	4,736	213	1,272	3 11 7
	Totals up to date ...	175,894	41,803	68,562	2,755	42	44,600	255	9,192	4 13 5

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	12 days of July ...	40,661	10,020	73,607	1,574	18	11,604	523	2,068	5 9 9
22·23	Week ended 19th ,, ...	31,057	6,939	10,687	403	10	7,352	330	1,232	5 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	22,846	5,357	12,058	504	6	5,867	264	1,188	4 15 9
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	16,896	3,670	8,861	384	11	4,105	185	1,188	3 7 3
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,493	4,745	7,568	389	5	5,140	232	1,188	4 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,417	4,887	5,733	241	13	5,141	231	1,188	4 5 5
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	18,309	4,080	8,803	373	7	4,460	201	1,188	3 13 1
	Totals up to date ...	169,579	39,779	1,33,334	4,228	63	44,129	257	9,240	4 13 5

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd August 1903 on 162·21 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	31,965	18,945 0 0	59,930 0	7,966 0 0	39 0 0	26,972 0 0	9,613	3,775	13,387
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	116 12 8	.....	49 3 11	0 3 10	166 4 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year	140,561*	1,28,026 0 0*	4,79,502 0†	61,245 0 0†	254 0 0‡	1,89,525 0 0	62,173§	23,667§	85,840
Total for 7½ weeks ...	171,526	1,46,971 0 0	5,33,531 0	69,233 0 0	293 0 0	2,16,497 0 0	71,785	27,142	98,927
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	19,721	14,375 5 7	2,79,112 20	13,016 4 0	58 15 0	27,450 5 7	8,910	4,323	13,233
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	88 10 0	.....	80 3 8	0 5 10	169 3 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 7½ weeks of previous year.	172,731	1,36,440 5 11	13,80,057 10	61,636 9 3	573 4 9	2,18,449 3 11	66,804	25,555	102,159

* Added No. of passengers 7 and Deducted Rs. 1,386 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended
† Do. Mds. 50,056 and ,, 2,340 } 11th May 1903.
‡ Do. ,, 18 }
§ Audited figures up to 11th July 1903.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·21	11 days of July ...	35,726	20,466	1,36,611	16,775	74	43,315	266	20,575	2 4 0
162·21	Week ended 18th ,, ...	21,700	19,507	87,923	13,382	48	31,931	197	13,226	2 6 8
162·21	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	22,267	20,315	75,219	9,257	34	29,659	183	12,546	2 5 6
162·21	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	23,747	19,757	62,619	8,017	34	27,808	171	12,978	2 2 3
162·21	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	24,547	19,725	58,533	7,806	23	27,556	170	12,951	2 2 1
162·21	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	23,502	19,233	63,348	6,978	35	26,246	162	13,162	1 15 11
162·21	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	21,965	18,945	53,939	7,996	39	26,972	166	13,367	2 0 5
	Totals up to date ...	171,526	1,46,971	5,33,531	69,233	293	2,16,497	176	98,927	2 3 0

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·21	18 days of July ...	40,808	22,090	1,45,494	19,647	94	41,831	219	22,763	2 4 5
162·21	Week ended 19th July ...	23,411	17,972	5,62,416	15,369	42	33,373	205	15,707	2 6 10
162·21	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	26,296	22,107	1,02,087	8,896	32	31,033	191	13,778	2 4 0
162·21	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	20,154	15,926	1,00,992	7,715	40	23,681	146	13,473	1 12 1
162·21	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	21 716	17,113	92,516	7,445	55	24,613	152	12,810	1 14 9
162·21	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,535	16,868	94,419	9,650	45	26,563	164	12876	2 2 4
162·21	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,731	14,375	279,113	13,017	59	27,451	169	13,233	2 1 2
	Totals up to date ...	172,731	1,36,440	13,80,057	81,636	373	2,18,449	175	102,159	2 3 3

* Audited figures.

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd August 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period	10,368	5,180 0 0	40,966 0	3,058 0 0	27 0 0	7,265 0 0	1,625	671	2,296
Or per mile of railway ,, ...	.....	65 12 4	.....	26 2 1	0 5 6	92 3 11	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year	80,041*	40,789 0 0*	2,38,461 0†	17,052 0 0†	200 0 0‡	58,041 0 0	11,623§	4,804§	16,427
Total for 7½ weeks ...	90,409	45,969 0 0	2,79,389 0	19,110 0 0	227 0 0	65,306 0 0	13,248	5,475	18,723
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ,, ...	9,484	4,705 8 9	51,774 30	2,343 0 0	6 11 6	7,055 1 3	1,782	893	2,675
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	59 12 0	.....	29 11 11	0 1 6	89 9 3	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 7½ weeks of previous year	80,874	45,854 7 7	3,13,276 0	19,003 4 0	102 11 3	65,040 6 10	14,087	6,739	21,426

* Added No. of passengers 1,530 and deducted Rs. 733 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the first 11 days
† Do. Mds. 7,607 ,, 1,316 } of July 1903.
‡ Deducted ,, 18 }
§ Audited figures up to 11th July 1903.

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*78·76	11 days of July	22,940	11,187	37,829	4,214	41	15,442	196	3,986	3 14 9
78·76	Week ended 18th ,, ...	12,731	7,239	40,840	2,740	35	10,014	127	2,756	3 10 2
78·76	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	11,517	5,966	29,933	2,587	33	8,403	107	2,441	3 7 1
78·76	,, ,, 1st August ...	11,491	5,502	37,415	2,606	31	8,329	104	2,501	3 4 0
78·76	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	11,778	6,135	37,288	2,868	30	9,033	115	2,518	3 7 2
78·76	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	9,694	4,743	35,116	3,147	30	6,920	88	2,245	3 1 4
78·76	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	10,368	5,180	40,968	2,058	27	7,265	92	2,296	3 2 8
	Totals up to date ...	90,409	45,969	2,70,389	19,110	227	65,306	110	18,703	3 7 7

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	12 days of July ..	23,554	12,211	70,897	4,577	40	16,828	214	4,901	3 6 3
78·76	Week ended 10th ,, ...	12,310	6,581	33,421	2,135	8	8,724	111	2,578	3 4 1
78·76	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	11,736	5,894	41,404	2,348	9	8,251	105	2,835	2 14 7
78·76	,, ,, 2nd August ...	12,264	6,001	53,575	3,309	11	9,321	117	2,835	3 4 6
78·76	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	10,679	5,312	28,378	2,009	18	7,339	93	2,914	2 8 4
78·76	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	9,868	4,830	53,627	2,382	10	7,223	92	2,598	2 12 8
78·76	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	9,464	4,705	31,774	2,343	7	7,055	90	2,605	2 11 4
	Totals up to date ...	89,874	45,534	3,13,276	19,003	103	64,840	106	21,426	3 0 3

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 15th August 1903 on 622 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	27,188	17,471 0 0	1,43,302 0	13,737 0 0	1,943 0 0	33,151 0 0	6,674	8,089	14,763
Or per mile of railway	43·68	28·09	222·71	21·36	3·02	52·47	10·73	12·58	23·31
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	172,209	1,03,644 0 0	8,58,049 0*	98,961 0 0*	17,201 0 0	2,19,806 0 0	38,947	44,703*	83,650*
Total for 7 weeks ...	199,377	1,21,115 0 0	10,01,351 0	1,12,698 0 0	19,144 0 0	2,52,957 0 0	45,621	52,792	98,413
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	24,329	14,929 0 0	1,25,296 0	14,988 *0 0	1,004 0 0	30,921 0 0	6,600	6,301	12,901
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	44·50	26·75	212·73	25·45	1·70	53·90	11·83	10·53	22·36
Total to corresponding date of previous year	187,734	1,14,615 0 0	10,15,605 0	99,695 0 0	9,839 0 0	2,24,137 0 0	43,874	52,119	95,993

* Ballast train weight, amount, and train-miles of the Chittagong section have been omitted from 1st July 1903.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 15th August 1903.			Receipts for week ending 16th August 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 15th August 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 16th August 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	33,151	52·47	589	30,921	53·90	643	7,66,078	...	589	7,01,229	...	64,844	.....

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING N. B., K.-D., DACCA, AND ASSAM-BEHAR SECTIONS.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th August 1903 on 898 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	231,460	99,410 0 0	11,76,040 0	2,15,650 0 0	11,150 0 0	3,26,010 0 0	42,130	42,280	84,410
Or per mile of railway	258	111 0 0	1,310 0	240 0 0	1 0 0*	352 0 0*	...	..	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	1,386,580	6,25,800 0 0	53,41,930 0	6,46,400 0 0	83,940 0 0	15,55,640 0 0	226,021	210,142	438,233
Total for 7 weeks ...	1,618,040	7,24,710 0 0	65,17,970 0	10,61,850 0 0	95,090 0 0	18,81,650 0 0	270,221	252,422	522,643
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	194,810	92,107 0 0	8,80,933 0	2,01,959 0 0	10,416 0 0	3,04,482 0 0	38,336	41,795	80,031
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (861 miles)	226	107 0 0	1,023 0	234 0 0	1 0 0	342 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,506,537	7,03,614 0 0	59,67,758 0	10,21,925 0 0	95,958 0 0	18,21,497 0 0	256,965	244,258	501,223

* Excluding ferry earnings Rs. 10,300.

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th August 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	7,760	2,590 0 0	39,200 0	2,760 0 0	60 0 0	5,410 0 0	1,343	802	2,044
Or per mile of railway	131	44 0 0	647 0	46 0 0	1 0 0	91 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	43,520	12,610 0 0	1,33,660 0	10,340 0 0	180 0 0	23,130 0 0	6,348	3,732	10,080
Total for 7 weeks ...	50,280	15,200 0 0	1,60,860 0	13,100 0 0	240 0 0	28,540 0 0	7,690	4,534	12,124
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,559	1,903 0 0	44,277 0	3,968 0 0	19 0 0	5,890 0 0	956	1,298	2,254
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	110	32 0 0	746 0	67 0 0	.....	99 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	46,139	13,313 0 0	1,74,119 0	16,195 0 0	185 0 0	29,693 0 0	7,366	9,078	16,446

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th August 1903 on 53·14 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	8,130	2,170 0 0	36,000 0	1,610 0 0	30 0 0	3,810 0 0	1,330	481	1,661
Or per mile of railway ..	153	41 0 0	680 0	30 0 0	1 0 0	72 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	47,620	12,850 0 0	1,01,560 0	5,110 0 0	110 0 0	17,770 0 0	6,736	1,747	8,483
Total for 7 weeks ...	55,750	14,720 0 0	1,38,160 0	6,720 0 0	140 0 0	21,580 0 0	7,966	2,178	10,144
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,913	2,200 0 0	27,450 0	1,260 0 0	34 0 0	3,494 0 0	1,191	333	1,524
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	148	41 0 0	514 0	23 0 0	1 0 0	65 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	55,017	14,088 0 0	87,316 0	4,601 0 0	149 0 0	19,738 0 0	7,978	3,574	11,552

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th August 1903 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	24,020	6,730 0 0	39,170 0	2,680 0 0	200 0 0	9,610 0 0	3,990	1,682	4,832
Or per mile of railway ...	286	78 0 0	455 0	31 0 0	3 0 0	112 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	161,550	46,350 0 0	1,23,940 0	9,480 0 0	970 0 0	56,800 0 0	17,484	8,018	25,502
Total for 7 weeks ..	186,170	53,080 0 0	1,63,110 0	12,160 0 0	1,170 0 0	66,410 0 0	20,474	9,550	30,024
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	24,089	6,983 0 0	13,581 0	1,506 0 0	74 0 0	8,653 0 0	2,731	1,597	4,328
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	280	81 0 0	158 0	18 0 0	1 0 0	100 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	180,738	51,093 0 0	103,334 0	9,765 0 0	1,567 0 0	62,425 0 0	18,515	12,523	31,038

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th August 1903 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	2,730	960 0 0	5,200 0	740 0 0	40 0 0	1,720 0 0	475	1,280*	1,755
Or per mile of railway ...	81	29 0 0	155 0	22 0 0	1 0 0	52 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	15,630	5,740 0 0	43,700 0	5,420 0 0	200 0 0	11,360 0 0	2,603	7,574	10,181
Total for 7 weeks ...	18,350	6,730 0 0	48,900 0	6,160 0 0	240 0 0	13,120 0 0	3,083	8,854	11,937
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2,045	707 0 0	6,230 0	833 0 0	11 0 0	1,551 0 0	275	1,399	1,674
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	61	21 0 0	185 0	25 0 0	.....	46 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	15,838	5,406 0 0	2,55,584 0	8,507 0 0	151 0 0	14,063 0 0	1,851	6,294	8,145

* Ballast train-miles 910.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(Including N. B., K.-D., Dacca and Assam-Behar Sections.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd August 1903 on 898 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	231,970	96,020 0 0	11,94,170 0	2,46,630 0 0	11,380 0 0	3,54,030 0 0	49,614	44,461	95,075
Or per mile of railway ...	259	107 0 0	1,330 0	274 0 0	1 0 0*	393 0 0*	... ...	... ...	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	1,618,040	7,24,710 0 0	65,17,970 0	10,61,859 0 0	93,070 0 0	18,81,639 0 0	270,231	252,432	522,663
Total for 8 weeks ...	1,851,010	8,20,730 0 0	77,12,140 0	13,08,470 0 0	1,06,470 0 0	22,35,670 0 0	319,835	296,888	607,718
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	233,709	91,901 0 0	10,89,250 0	2,50,718 0 0	11,424 0 0	3,54,043 0 0	37,294	46,992	84,186
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (891 miles)	260	107 0 0	1,365 0	291 0 0	1 0 0	399 0 0	.....	.....	... ...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,730,306	7,95,515 0 0	70,57,013 0	12,72,644 0 0	1,07,351 0 0	21,75,540 0 0	294,259	291,150	585,409

* Excluding ferry earnings, Rs. 10,740.

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd August 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,900	2,410 0 0	33,510 0	3,110 0 0	60 0 0	5,580 0 0	998	922	1,920
Or per mile of railway	131	41 0 0	548 0	52 0 0	1 0 0	94 0 0	... ..	... ..	.. ...
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	50 980	15,200 0 0	1,50,860 0	13,190 0 0	240 0 0	28 540 0 0	7,590	4,534	12,124
Total for 8 weeks	58,080	17,610 0 0	1,93,370 0	16,210 0 0	300 0 0	34,120 0 0	8,588	5,456	14,044
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,451	1,821 0 0	44 013 0	4,534 0 0	18 0 0	6,473 0 0	898	1,262	2,160
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	109	31 0 0	741 0	78 0 0	.....	109 0 0	.....	.....	
Total to corresponding date of previous year	53,589	15,134 0 0	2,18,133 0	20,339 0 0	203 0 0	36,166 0 0	8,266	10,340	18,606

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd August 1903 on 53·14 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,170	1,810 0 0	30,460 0	1,390 0 0	20 0 0	3,220 0 0	1,125	732	1,857
Or per mile of railway	135	34 0 0	573 0	26 0 0	1 0 0	61 0 0	... ..	.....	... ...
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	55 960	14,730 0 0	1,38,160 0	6,730 0 0	140 0 0	21,580 0 0	7,966	2,178	10,144
Total for 8 weeks	63,120	16,530 0 0	1,68,620 0	8,110 0 0	160 0 0	24,800 0 0	9,091	2,910	12,001
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	8,365	2,111 0 0	28,905 0	1,138 0 0	29 0 0	3,278 0 0	1,139	385	1,514
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	157	41 0 0	543 0	21 0 0	1 0 0	63 0 0	... ...	.....	.. ..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	63,402	17,198 0 0	1,16,221 0	5,739 0 0	179 0 0	23,116 0 4	9,197	3,989	13,086

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd August 1903 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P	Mds. S.	Rs A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	33,620	8,250 0 0	40,170 0	3,090 0 0	90 0 0	11,430 0 0	2,586	1,938	4,524
Or per mile of railway	391	96 0 0	467 0	36 0 0	1 0 0	133 0 0	...	.	...
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	186,170	53,060 0 0	1,63,110 0	13,160 0 0	1,170 0 0	66,416 0 0	20,474	9,559	30,034
Total for 8 weeks	219,790	61,310 0 0	2,03,280 0	15,250 0 0	1,260 0 0	77,846 0 0	23,060	11,498	34,558
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	22,869	6,442 0 0	23,180 0	2,412 0 0	54 0 0	8,906 0 0	2,710	1,598	4,308
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	266	75 0 0	269 0	28 0 0	1 0 0	104 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	203,637	57,836 0 0	1,36,493 0	12,177 0 0	1,631 0 0	71,333 0 0	21,252	14,121	35,346

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd August 1903 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	2,510	920 0 0	6,840 0	1,000 0 0	20 0 0	1,940 0 0	560	1,214*	1,774
Or per mile of railway	75	27 0 0	204 0	30 0 0	1 0 0	58 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	18,350	6,720 0 0	48,900 0	6,160 0 0	240 0 0	13,120 0 0	3,083	8,854	11,937
Total for 8 weeks ...	20,860	7,640 0 0	55,740 0	7,160 0 0	260 0 0	15,060 0 0	3,643	10,068	13,711
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2,170	704 0 0	7,905 0	816 0 0	6 0 0	1,526 0 0	283	2,343	2,626
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	65	21 0 0	235 0	24 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	18,003	6,110 0 0	263,489 0	9,325 0 0	156 0 0	15,589 0 0	2,136	8,637	10,773

* Ballast train-miles 990.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 22nd August 1903 on 1,331 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,331 miles open	206,500	(a)80,090	6,07,850	(b)73,970	13,020	1,69,080	40,740	(c)29,523	70,262
Or per mile of railway	155·15	60·17	456·69	57·08	10·23	127·48	... ..	... ..	.. ..
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year	1,506,290	6,20,420	49,18,970	5,61,200	1,34,700	13,19,320	271,655	208,977	480,632
Total for 7½ weeks ...	1,712,790	7,00,510	55,26,820	6,40,170	1,48,320	14,80,906	312,395	238,499	550,894
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,261 miles open	167,968	69,719	5,46,889	65,336	13,479	1,48,534	42,459	(d)23,610	66,069
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	133·20	55·29	435·26	51·85	10·69	117·83	... ...	.....	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,460,049	5,82,641	44,38,3.6	4,69,073	1,33,934	11,84,648	327,194	222,456	549,650

(a) Increase mainly under Local and Foreign Inward passengers.
(b) Ditto chiefly under Foreign outward goods traffic.
(c) Includes 5,756 miles of Ballast Trains.
(d) Ditto nil ditto.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 22nd August 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	... ...	...	... ...	.....	... ..	.....	... ...	... ..	.....
Or per mile of railway	.....		...	..	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.. ...
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year	8,286	1,232	77,224	1,471	91	2,794	2,333	868	3,201
Total for 7½ weeks ...	8,286	1,232	77,224	1,471	91	2,794	2,333	868	3,201
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	38	2	338	25	10	37	... ..	.....	.....
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	2·11	0·11	18·78	1·39	0 56	2·06	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	13,307	1,328	60,542	1,337	54	2,719	2,486	688	3,174

Note.—The line closed for all descriptions of traffic from 15th August 1903 owing to floods.

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th August 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	30,168	12,527 0 0	1,95,000 0	23,746 0 0	173 0 0	36,446 0 0	4,042	6,168	10,110
Or per mile of railway	235	96 0 0*	1,409 0	171 0 0	1 0 0	263 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	233,484	83,747 0 0	3,73,889 0	37,847 0 0	1,457 0 0	1,23,051 0 0	27,671	17,021	44,692
Total for 7 weeks ...	2,63,652	96,274 0 0	5,69,789 0	61,593 0 0	1,630 0 0	1,58,497 0 0	32,613	23,189	55,802
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	31,103	13,772 0 0	91,090 0	11,612 0 0	194 0 0	24,576 0 0	3,213	3,593	6,806
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	229	98 0 0*	655 0	84 0 0	1 0 0	183 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	240,441	94,145 0 0	4,55,422 0	58,261 0 0	2,780 0 0	1,35,186 0 0	23,896	19,000	41,896

* Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 22nd August 1903	Coaching ...	5,123 0 0		
	Goods ...	2,838 0 0	8,020 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	59 0 0		
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	5,518 0 0		
	Goods ...	1,161 0 0	6,733 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	54 0 0		
		Increase ...		1,287 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 22nd August 1903				157 4 1
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902				132 0 4
		Increase ...		25 3 9
Receipts from 1st July to 22nd August 1903				1,04,958 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902				1,02,283 0 0
		Increase ...		2,675 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

No. 3693A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No.* 2561*A.D.*—*The* 2*nd September* 1903.—Mr. C. Fisher, District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur, who has, under the orders of the 11th and the 17th August 1903, been appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Purnea and Rangpur, respectively, is authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Dinajpur and at Darjeeling for the disposal of cases arising within the districts of Purnea, Rangpur and Jalpaiguri.

Dinajpur.
Darjeeling.
Purnea.
Rangpur.
Jalpaiguri.

No. 2574A.D.—The 3rd September 1903.—In modification of the order of the 16th May 1903, Mr. E. Lister, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Ranchi, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Deputy Commissioner of that district, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. W. Maude, or until further orders.

Ranchi.

No. 2588A.D.—The 3rd September 1903.—Mr. C. W. E Pittar, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Gaya, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Saran, during the Civil Court vacation of September and October 1903. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. G. Gordon.

Gaya.
Saran.

No. 2602A.D.—The 4th September 1903.—Babu Bepin Behari Pramanik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Magura subdivision of that district.

Jessore.

No. 2610A.D.—The 4th September 1903.—Babu Shyam Chand Dhur, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Noakhali, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Tippera, during the Civil Court vacation of September and October 1903. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. Basanta Kumar Mullick.

Noakhali.
Tippera.

No. 2617A.D.—The 4th September 1903.—The order of the 9th July 1903, posting Babu Ramesh Chandra Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to the head-quarters station of the Pabna district, is cancelled.

Pabna

No. 2640A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Banka Bihari Singha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Saran, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Siwan subdivision of that district.

Saran.

No. 2647A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Jagat Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Pabna district.

Rajshahi.
Pabna.

No 2652A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Mr. A. E. Harward, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Rajshahi, is appointed to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly, during the absence, on deputation, of the Hon'ble Mr. B. G. Geidt, or until further orders.

Rajshahi.
24-Parganas.
Hooghly.

Mr. Harward is empowered to perform the functions of a Principal Civil Court of original jurisdiction, under section 3, clause (*d*), of Act I of 1894, within the limits of Calcutta.

No. 2659A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Raj Mohun Chuckerbutty, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district.

Jessore.

No. 2784A.D.—The 8th September 1903.—Mr. H. Holmwood, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Patna, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Muzaffarpur, during the portion of the Civil Court vacation from the 20th to the 26th September 1903, both days inclusive. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. A. E. Staley.

Patna.
Muzaffarpur.

Mr. Holmwood is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Patna and at Muzaffarpur for the disposal of cases arising in either of the two districts.

No. 2787A.D.—The 8th September 1903.—Mr. A. E. Staley, District and Sessions Judge, Muzaffarpur, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Patna, during the portion of the Civil Court vacation from the 8th October 1903 to the end of the vacation. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. H. Holmwood.

Muzaffarpur.
Patna.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2599A.D.—The 4th September 1903.*—Shams-ul-Ulama Vilayat Hosain, Assistant Head Maulvi, Arabic Department, Calcutta Madrasah (class IV of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed temporarily to act as Additional Maulvi in that Department, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the 20th May 1903, *vice* Shams-ul-Ulama Muhammad Abdulla, resigned.

Calcutta.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 2649A.D.—The 7th September 1903.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 45 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), and the orders issued thereunder, and with the previous sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to nominate Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, M.A., B.L., to be a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Council.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2001A.D.—The 8th July 1903.*—Mr. T. W. Richardson, Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly, is allowed combined leave for thirteen months, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st September 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

24-Parganas. Hooghly.

No. 2586A.D.—The 3rd September 1903.—Babu Nityananda Bhar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Puri, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Puri.

No. 2596A.D.—The 4th September 1903.—Mr. S. H. Counsell, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Birbhum, is allowed leave for two months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1903.

Birbhum.

No. 2604A.D.—The 4th September 1903.—Babu Shoshi Bhusan Mukerjea, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Magura, Jessore, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 18th August 1903.

Jessore.

No. 2632A.D.—The 5th September 1903.—Mr. J. J. Platel, I.C.S., has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for one day.

No. 2638A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Mr. J. F. Graham, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Saran, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 27th July 1903.

Saran.

No. 2645A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Jotendra Nath Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Palamau, is allowed leave for nine days, under article 337 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 4th May 1903.

Palamau.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 2627A.D.—The 5th September 1903.*—Major F. A. Slacke, Commandant, Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles, having returned to duty on the 21st August 1903, the General Officer Commanding the Presidency District has cancelled the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him and notified under the order of the 21st April 1903.

POLICE.—*No. 2181A.D.—The 18th August 1903.*—Mr. R. J. Hirst, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Purnea, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1903.

Purnea.

No. 2789A.D.—The 8th September 1903.—Mr. F. R. Ezechiel, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Jessore, is allowed leave for one month and fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 26th August 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may have availed himself of it.

Jessore.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2773A.D.—The 7th September 1903.*—Shams-ul-Ulama Mirza Ashrof Ali, Professor, Hooghly College, was on leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th July 1903.

Hooghly.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2779A.D.—The 7th September 1903.*—The Reverend W. H. Drawbridge, Chaplain of Dinapore, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 592 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 24th August 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may have availed himself of it.

Patna.

RESIGNATION.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 2606A.D.—The 4th September 1903.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation of his commission tendered by Honorary Lieutenant A. Marks, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, with effect from the 21st August 1903.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2642A.D.—The 7th September 1903.*—Babu Kshitish Chunder Sarkar, Deputy Collector, Pabna, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Pabna.

The following orders are republished from the *Assam Gazette*:—

No. 7713G.—The 3rd September 1903.—With effect from the 2nd August 1903, the date on which Mr. J. C. Arbuthnott, C.I.E., I.C.S., Deputy Commissioner, 1st grade, proceeded on privilege leave:—

Mr. F. C. Henniker, I.C.S., Deputy Commissioner, 2nd grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 1st grade.

Mr. T. Emerson, I.C.S., Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, substantive *pro tempore* (on privilege leave), and with him Mr. A. H. Cuming, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioners, 2nd grade.

Mr. H. C. Barnes, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade (seconded), and with him Mr. L. O. Clarke, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd grade, to be Deputy Commissioners, 3rd grade, substantive *pro tempore*.

Mr. H. L. Salkeld, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioners, 3rd grade.

Mr J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, substantive *pro tempore*, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade.

Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade, substantive *pro tempore*.

No. 4150J.—The 3rd September 1903.—The services of Babu Purna Chandra Banarji, Subordinate Judge, Sylhet, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 4151J.—The 3rd September 1903.—The services of Babu Kunja Behari Biswas, Munsif of Habiganj, in the district of Sylhet, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 4154J.—The 3rd September 1903.—Babu Kali Prasanna Basu Rai Chaudhuri, Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge of Sylhet, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Sylhet and Cachar. His head-quarters shall ordinarily be the town of Sylhet, but until further orders he shall hear civil appeals from the Cachar district at the town of Silchar.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2584A.D.—The 3rd September 1903.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause D of Regulation II of the Regulations made under section 1, sub-section (4), of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, for Bengal, as amended by notification No. 2781(Public), dated the 29th November 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to prescribe the Bihar Landholders' Association as the Association of landholders on whose recommendation he will, after the 2nd December 1903, make a nomination to one seat in the Bengal Legislative Council.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1966T.R.—The 5th September 1903.—Mr. J. O. D. Murray, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay of Rs. 600, is promoted to the 4th grade of Sub-Deputy Opium Agents, with effect from the 12th February 1902, in the vacancy caused by the retirement of Mr. A. W. Osborne, late a Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, 4th grade.

No. 1967T.R.—The 5th September 1903.—Mr. A. W. Ross, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay of Rs. 600, is promoted to the 4th grade of Sub-Deputy Opium Agents, with effect from the 17th December 1902, in the vacancy caused by the retirement of Mr. T. E D. Innes, late a Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, 4th grade.

No. 1899T.R.—The 2nd September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by Mahant Sumeru Giri Sanyasi and Bhulan Giri Sanyasi, of Mahiganj, proprietors of 16-annas share of estate No. 96, lat Kharibari-o-Gayraha, in pargana Kazirhat, in the district of Rangpur, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands situated in two mauzas, Kharibari and Dahalpara, appertaining to the said estates, and whereas the applicants have agreed to pay the cost of the operations:

Rangpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the external boundaries of the aforesaid mauzas:—

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.
(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.
(*e*) The money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared.
(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.
(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.
(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.
(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.
(*j*) The name of each proprietor with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Faridpur.

No. 1910T.R.—The 2nd September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietor of Estate Ram Roy, tauzi No 3909, in the district of Faridpur, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands appertaining to the said estate situated in mauzas (1) Pakuria, (2) Nazirpur, (3) Haribdia, (4) Jadurdia, (5) Nagarkanda, and (6) Sonakhola, and whereas he has deposited the estimated cost of the operations:

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said estate, in the district of Faridpur.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.
(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.
(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.
(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.
(*e*) The money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid.
(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.
(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.
(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.
(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid; and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.
(*j*) The name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Tippera.

No. 1920T.R.—The 3rd September 1903.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorise Babu Romesh Chandra Dutt to perform the functions of a Revenue Officer in the district of Tippera under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue Officers.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Tippera.

No. 1921T.R.—The 3rd September 1903.—Babu Romesh Chandra Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Settlement Officer in the district of Tippera, with effect from the 4th September 1903.

Tippera.

No. 1922T.R.—The 3rd September 1903.—Under section 4 of Act V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Romesh Chandra Dutt to be a Superintendent of Survey in the district of Tippera.

Backergunge.

No. 1962T.R.—The 4th September 1903.—Mr. N. D. Beatson Bell, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, at present employed as Settlement Officer of Backergunge, is allowed, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for three weeks, with effect from the 4th September 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 1963T.R.—The 5th September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietor of estate Gopal Krishna Roy, tauzi No 3027, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands appertaining to the said estate, situated in mauzas (1) Gazaria, (2) Madhabpur, (3) Hamirdi, and (4) Pitambardi, in the district of Faridpur, and whereas he has deposited the estimated cost of the operations:

Faridpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said estate in the district of Faridpur.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.

(*e*) The money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid; and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

(*j*) The name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1964T.R.—The 5th September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietor of estate Ram Gopal Nag, tauzi No. 2335, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands appertaining to the said estate, situated in mauzas (1) Bachamara, (2) Dhenkali, (3) Nasifabad *alias* Manair, in the district of Faridpur, and whereas he has deposited the estimated cost of the operations:

Faridpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said estates.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) The name of each tenant or occupant.

(*b*) The class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

(*c*) The situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier.

(*d*) The name of each tenant's landlord.

(*e*) The money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce rent, the fact that a produce rent is paid.

(*f*) The mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise.

(*g*) If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

(*h*) The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

(*i*) If the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

(*j*) The name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1965T.R.—The 5th September 1903.—In continuation of Notification No. 2402T.R., dated the 17th October 1902, published at page 1406, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd October 1902, and under the powers conferred upon him by section 3 of Act IX of 1847, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a new survey be made of all lands between the Ganges and the western boundaries of the permanently-settled estates Umarpur Diara and Majharia, belonging to the Maharani of Dumraon, and that a new map be made according to such survey.

Shahabad.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION No. $\frac{3}{E-9}$.

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PROVINCIAL SURVEYS (BENGAL)

Dated Dinapore, the 3rd September 1903.

MR. C. S. KRAAL, Extra Assistant Superintendent, fourth grade, having returned from the privilege leave, granted him in this office Notification No. $\frac{3}{E-9-134}$, dated 27th June 1903, on the forenoon of 7th August 1903, the unexpired portion of his leave is cancelled.

F. C. HIRST, LIEUT., I.A.,
Offg. Supdt. of Provincial Surveys, Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1800T.F.—The 3rd September 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5 and 13 of the Opium Act, I of 1878, and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to substitute the following Note for Note to Rule 16 of the Rules framed under the said sections of the Act, and published under Notification No. 1225S.R., dated 21st February 1898, at pages 195-206, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem :—

"*N.B.*—No permits are required for the sale, by Medical Practitioners, Chemists or Druggists, of medicinal preparations containing opium imported from Europe."

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2091T.M.—The 31st August 1903.—Military Assistant Surgeon E. S. Pushong is attached to the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 23rd April 1903. He continued to act as Medical Officer of the Sandheads till the 11th May 1903, when he proceeded on leave.

Calcutta.

No. 2093T.M.—The 31st August 1903.—In supersession of Government Notification No. 2089Medl., dated the 27th July 1903, Military Assistant Surgeon E. S. Pushong is allowed leave in India on medical certificate for six months, under article 980 (*b*) of the Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I, with effect from the 11th May 1903.

No 2120T.M.—The 31st August 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Bepin Behari Sen Gupta held medical charge of the civil station of Khulna from the forenoon of the 8th July to the forenoon of the 15th August 1903.

Khulna

No. 2122T.M.—The 31st August 1903.—Senior Assistant Surgeon Moti Lal Mukherjee is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 15th August 1903, to have medical charge of the civil station of Khulna, during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenant-Colonel R. N. Campbell, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Khulna.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2205T.M.—The 5th September 1903.—In Government notification No 2414Medl., dated the 12th August 1903, *for* the title "L.M.S." after the name of Babu Pasupati Mittra, *read* "M B.," and *for* the "3rd August 1903" at the end of the notification *read* "31st July 1903."

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3694A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2654A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Maulvi Abdul Khalique, Officiating Additional Munsif of Cuttack, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Sudharam.

Cuttack.
Noakhali.
Mymensingh

This cancels the order of the 31st August 1903, appointing Maulvi Abdul Khalique to act as a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Sherpur.

No. 2657A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Ashutosh Gossami, substantive *pro tempore* Munsif of Sudharam, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Sherpur, during the absence, on leave, of Dr. Vipina Chandra Rai, or until further orders.

Noakhali.
Mymensingh.

No. 2661A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Hem Kumar Neogy, Munsif of Pirojpur, in the district of Backergunge, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Chandpur.

Backergunge.
Tippera.

No. 2663A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Onil Chandra Dutt, Munsif of Chandpur, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Birbhum, to be ordinarily stationed at Rampur Hât.

Tippera.
Birbhum.

No. 2665A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—The services of Babu Mohar Lal De, Munsif of Rampur Hât, in the district of Birbhum, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

Birbhum.
Assam.

No. 2668A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Kunja Behari Biswas, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Bangaon.

Jessore.

No. 2670A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Banomali Sen, Munsif of Bangaon, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Backergunge, to be ordinarily stationed at Pirojpur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Pirojpur Munsifi.

Jessore.
Backergunge.

No. 2672A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Mr. Mahmud Hasan, Munsif of Begusarai, in the district of Bhagalpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Purnea, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Purnea. He is also vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Bhagalpur.
Purnea.

No. 2674A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Mr. Ibrahim Ahmed, Munsif of Purnea, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Bhagalpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Begusarai, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Begusarai Munsifi.

Purnea.
Bhagalpur.

No. 2676A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Ram Narayan Sarkar, Munsif of Barisal, in the district of Backergunge, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Burdwan, to be ordinarily stationed at Raniganj, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Raniganj Munsifi.

Backergunge.
Burdwan.

No. 2678A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Kisori Lal Sen, Munsif of Raniganj, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Hatiya, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Hatiya Munsifi.

Burdwan.
Noakhali.

No. 2680A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Shama Churn Chuckerbutty, Munsif of Hatiya, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Narail, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Narail Munsifi.

Noakhali.
Jessore.

No. 2682A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Sarat Chandra Sen, Munsif of Narail, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Backergunge, to be ordinarily stationed at Bhola, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Bhola Munsifi.

Jessore.
Backergunge.

No. 2684A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Lala Digambar Lal, Munsif of Bhola, in the district of Backergunge, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Jhenida.

Backergunge.
Jessore.

No. 2686A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Bejoy Keshub Mitter, Munsif of Jhenida, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be an Additional Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Faridpur and Madaripur, but to be on deputation to Madaripur.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

No. 2688A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Durgakant Roy, Additional Munsif of Faridpur and Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Burdwan, to be ordinarily stationed at Katwa, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Katwa Munsifi.

Faridpur.
Burdwan.

No. 2690A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Promotho Krishna Singh, Munsif of Katwa, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Backergunge, to be ordinarily stationed at Barisal, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Barisal Munsifi. He is also vested with powers under section 19 (2) of the Bengal, North-West Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Backergunge.

Burdwan.
Backergunge.

No. 2692A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Upendra Nath Bhanja, Munsif of Thakurgaon, in the district of Dinajpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Gumla, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Gumla Munsifi.

Dinajpur.
Chota Nagpur.

No. 2694A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Jaya Prosad Pande, Munsif of Gumla, in Chota Nagpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Patna, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

Chota Nagpur.
Patna.

No. 2696A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Bepin Behari Ghose, Munsif of Patna, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Bagerhat.

Patna.
Jessore.

No. 2698A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Rajendra Lal Sadhu, Munsif of Bagerhat, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Comilla.

Jessore.
Tippera.

No. 2700A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Ram Chandra Banerjee, Munsif of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Thakurgaon, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Thakurgaon Munsifi.

Tippera.
Dinajpur.

No. 2702A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Charu Chander Mitter, Munsif of Chittagong, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Magura, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Magura Munsifi.

Chittagong.
Jessore.

No. 2704A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Phonindra Mohun Chatterjee, Munsif of Magura, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at Patiya.

Jessore.
Chittagong.

No. 2706A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Nirad Ranjan Guha, Munsif of Patiya, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Pabna and Bogra, to be ordinarily stationed at Sirajganj, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of 50, within the local limits of the Sirajganj Munsifi.

Chittagong.
Pabna and Bogra.

No. 2708A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Ashutosh Chatterjee, Munsif of Sirajganj, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Saran, to be ordinarily stationed at Gopalganj, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Gopalganj Munsifi.

Pabna and Bogra.
Saran.

No. 2710A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Rajendra Lal Ghose, Munsif of Gopalganj, in the district of Saran, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Khulna, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Khulna Munsifi.

Saran.
Jessore.

No. 2712A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Umesh Chandra Sen, No. II, Munsif of Khulna, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Madaripur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Madaripur Munsifi.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

No. 2714A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Monmohan Neogy, Munsif of Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Chittagong.

Faridpur.
Chittagong.

No. 2716A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Prosanna Kumar Gupta, Munsif of Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Lakhmipur.

Dacca.
Noakhali.

No. 2718A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Girindra Lal Roy, Munsif of Lakhmipur, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tirhut, to be ordinarily stationed at Samastipur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Samastipur Munsifi.

Noakhali.
Tirhut.

No. 2720A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Mohini Mohun Dutt, Munsif of Samastipur, in the district of Tirhut, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Dacca, to be ordinarily stationed at Narayanganj, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Narayanganj Munsifi. He is also vested with the powers conferred on District Judges under sections 344 to 359 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure in cases where the amount of debts owing by the insolvents does not exceed Rs. 1,000, arising within the local limits of the Narayanganj Munsifi.

Tirhut.
Dacca.

No. 2722A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Guha, Munsif of Chittagong, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Brahmanbaria, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Brahmanbaria Munsifi. He is also vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Chittagong.
Tippera.

No. 2724A D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Annada Kumar Sen, Munsif of Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Pabna and Bogra, to be ordinarily stationed at Bogra, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Bogra Munsifi. He is also vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Tippera.
Pabna and Bogra.

No. 2726A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Ananta Nath Mitter, Munsif of Bogra, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Chittagong.

Pabna and Bogra.
Chittagong.

No. 2728A.D —The 7th September 1903.—Babu Bhuban Mohan Gangooly, Munsif of Pabna, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Howrah.

Pabna and Bogra.
Hooghly.

No. 2730A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Ambica Charan Dutta, Munsif of Howrah, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at North Roajan, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the North Raojan Munsifi.

Hooghly.
Chittagong.

No. 2732A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Kamala Nath Das, Munsif of North Raojan, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Pabna and Bogra, to be ordinarily stationed at Pabna, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Pabna. He is also vested with powers under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-West Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the Pabna Munsifi.

Chittagong. Pabna and Bogra.

No. 2734A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Maulvi Ali Ahmad, Munsif of Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Saran, to be ordinarily stationed at Chapra, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Chapra Munsifi.

24-Parganas. Saran.

No. 2736A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Umes Chandra Sen, No. 1, Munsif of Chapra, in the district of Saran, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at Cox's Bazar, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Cox's Bazar Munsifi.

Saran. Chittagong.

No. 2738A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Hari Pada Bandopadhya, Munsif of Cox's Bazar, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Barasat, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50 within the local limits of the Barasat Munsifi.

Chittagong. 24-Parganas.

No. 2740A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Girindra Nath Mukerjee, Munsif of Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers conferred on District Judges by sections 344 to 359 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure, in cases where the amount of debts owing by the insolvents does not exceed Rs. 1,000, within the local limits of the Barasat Munsifi.

24-Parganas.

No. 2742A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Mohendra Nath Mukerjee, Munsif of Berhampur, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Kasba.

Murshidabad. Tippera.

No. 2744A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Jitendra Prosad Chatterjee, Munsif of Kasba, in the district of Tippera, is appointed, under section 12, clause (1), of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, IX of 1887, to be Registrar of the Court of Small Causes, Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, and is vested, under clause (3) of the said section, within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the said Small Cause Court, with the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits of which the value does not exceed Rs. 20. He is also appointed to be Munsif of Munshiganj in the said district.

Tippera. Dacca.

No. 2746A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Tara Pado Chatterjee, Registrar, Small Cause Court, and Munsif of Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Murshidabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Berhampur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Berhampur Munsifi.

Dacca. Murshidabad.

No. 2748A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Prayag Nath, Munsif of Motihari, in the district of Saran, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Purnea, to be ordinarily stationed at Araria, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Araria Munsifi.

Saran. Purnea.

No. 2750A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Debendra Nath Banerjee, Munsif of Araria, in the district of Purnea, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Saran, to be ordinarily stationed at Motihari, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Motihari Munsifi. He is also vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Purnea. Saran.

No. 2752A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Tarak Nath Datta, Munsif of Arrah, in the district of Shahabad, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily satationed at Kishoreganj.

Shahabad. Mymensingh.

No. 2754A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Satis Chandra Banerjee, Munsif of Kishoreganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Shahabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Arrah, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Arrah Munsifi.

Mymensingh. Shahabad.

No. 2757J.D.—The 3rd September 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Gopalganj, in the district of Saran:—

Saran.

Babu Beni Madhab Barat. | Babu Baldeo Sahay.

No. 2848J.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Krishna Chandra Das is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Chapra, in the district of Saran.

Saran.

LEAVE.

No. 3690A.—The 2nd September 1903.—Babu Haripada Bandopadhya, Munsif of Cox's Bazar, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave up to the 18th September 1903, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Chittagong.

No. 3691A.—The 5th September 1903.—Babu Girindra Lal Roy, Munsif of Lakhmipur, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed leave for one day, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 16th July 1903.

Noakhali.

The 5th September 1903.—Babu Tara Pado Chatterjee, Registrar, Small Cause Court, and Munsif of Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave for thirteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 20th August 1903.

Dacca.

POWERS.

No. 2570A.D.—The 3rd September 1903.—Babu Rebati Mohan Chakravarti, Deputy Magistrate, Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Murshidabad.

No. 2572A.D.—The 3rd September 1903.—Babu Jyotish Chunder Sen, Deputy Magistrate, Champaran, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Champaran.

No. 2659A.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Raj Mohun Chuckerbutty, Deputy Magistrate, on leave, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Jessore.

No. 2758J.D.—The 3rd September 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen, who have been appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Gopalganj, in the district of Saran, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Saran.

Babu Beni Madhab Barat. | Babu Baldeo Sahay.

No. 2849J.D.—The 7th September 1903.—Babu Krishna Chandra Das, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Chapra, in the district of Saran, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Saran.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2839J.D.—The 7th September 1903.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Indian Explosives Act (IV of 1884), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to substitute the following rule for rule 17 (2) (*f*) of the Rules for the manufacture, possession and sale of explosives in the Lower Provinces in Bengal:—

On the completion of the enquiry, the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police shall forward the application and draft license with his recommendation to the Chief Inspector of Explosives, who will forward to the applicant a statement in Form H, showing the distances which should, in his opinion, be kept clear round the magazine. The form shall then be returned, with the third column duly filled in by the applicant, to the Chief Inspector of Explosives, who shall submit it to the Local Government with his recommendations and with the draft license and Schedule A, showing the distances which, in his opinion (after considering any representation made by the applicant in returning Form H to him) should be kept clear round the magazine. The Local Government may thereupon grant the license as applied for or with such modifications or restrictions as may be deemed proper, or may reject the application. The table of distances which will ordinarily be followed is attached to these rules

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2891J.D.—The 8th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the official residence of the Commissioner of Police at Kyd Street, in the town of Calcutta, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas and 14 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Kyd Street, east by 3 Kyd Street, south by 56 Park Street, and west by 1 Kyd Street, is required within the aforesaid town of Calcutta.

Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, 2nd Calcutta Division.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PROCLAMATION.

No. 2764J.D.—The 4th September 1903.—Under section 15 of Act V of 1861 (as amended by Act VIII of 1895), the Lieutenant-Governor declares that the conduct of the inhabitants of the village Gatla, in the jurisdiction of thana Gokarna, in the district of Murshidabad, has rendered it expedient to increase the number of the police force by the appointment of an additional force to be quartered therein at the cost of the inhabitants of the aforesaid village. This proclamation shall remain in force for a period of one year from this date.

Murshidabad

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 7th September 1903.

No. 126.—In exercise of the authority conferred by section 5 of the Bengal Irrigation Act (III of 1876), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the following officers shall hold and exercise powers under the said Act and under any rules which have been passed or which may be passed under the terms of section 79 of the Act to the extent and within the limits as hereby notified, viz.—

Designation of Officer.	Extent of powers.	Limits within which the powers should be exercised.
The Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle, *ex-officio.*	Superintending Canal Officer.	The Saran Canals system in the Saran district. The Teur Canal system, the Dhaka Canal system and the Tribeni Canal system in the Champaran district.
The Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, *ex-officio.*	Divisional Canal Officer	The Teur Canal system, the Dhaka Canal system and the Tribeni Canal system in the Champaran district.
Assistant Engineers in charge of subdivisions of the Champaran Division, *ex-officio.*	Subdivisional Canal Officers.	Within the limits of the charge held on the Teur Canal system, the Dhaka Canal system or the Tribeni Canal system in the Champaran district.

The 8th September 1903.

No. 128.—Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 115 and 116, dated 18th August 1903, granting privilege leave for six weeks to Mr. C. W. Sibold, Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, and appointing Mr. G. G. Dey to officiate for him, respectively, are hereby cancelled.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 7th September 1903.

No. 127.—Corrigendum.—In Bengal Government Notification No. 108, dated 4th August 1903, granting Mr. E. E. Desbruslais, Assistant Engineer, one month's privilege leave, *for* "with effect from the 8th July 1903, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it," *read* "with effect from the forenoon of the 28th June 1903."

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 4th September 1903.

No. 186L.C.—Corrigendum.—In Declaration No. 7L.C., dated 13th January 1903, published at page 24 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th idem, *for* the word "Bagnan" in the 4th and 8th lines, *read* "Joka."

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 8th September 1903.

No. 51.—Notification.—In supersession of all previous notifications, it is hereby declared that, under section 6 of Act V (B.C.) of 1864, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to fix the following rates for the levy of tolls at the undermentioned places in the Hijili Tidal Canal, Ranges I and II, in the Orissa Coast Canal, Ranges III, IVA, IVB, and V, in the Balliaghye Drain, and in the Terapakia and Palaboni Pass khals, with effect from the 15th September 1903 :—

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM THE NORTH.									
	Gewankhali Lock to Etamograh Lock.	Terapakia Lock to Kalinagore Lock.	Bhaitghur Lock to Mosagown.	Mosagown to Contai	Mosagown to Bhograi Lock.	Jamcoonda Lock to Panchpally.	Panchpally to Panchpara Lock.	Sulpatta Lock to Nulcool Lock.	Chargachia Lock to Kansbans Nadi.	Kansbans Nadi to Charbattia Lock.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Range I.	Range II.	Range III			Range IVA.		Range IVB	Range V.	
	11 miles.	16 miles.	9 miles.	7 miles.	27 miles.	9 miles.	8 miles.	6 miles.	23 miles.	16 miles
	As. P.	Rs. A. P.	As. P.	As. P.	Rs A. P.	As. P	As. P	As. P.	Rs. A.	As. P.
Vessels loaded, per 100 maunds ...	11 0	1 2 0	9 0	.7 0	1 11 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	1 0	12 0
,, empty, ,, 100 ,, ...	5 6	0 9 0	4 6	3 6	0 13 6	4 6	4 0	3 0	0 8	6 0
Timber in rafts, per timber	2 0	0 3 3	2 0	2 0	0 2 0	2 annas.		2 0	0 2	2 0
Bamboos in floats, per 100 bamboos	4 0	0 4 0	4 0	4 0	0 4 0	4 ,,		4 0	0 4	4 0

Tolls will be charged at Gewankhali, Etamograh, Terapakia, Kalinagore, Bhaitghur, Mosagown, Bhograi, Jamcoonda, Panchpara, Nulcool, Chargachia and Charbattia.

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM THE SOUTH.									
	Charbattia Lock to Kansbans Nadi	Kansbans Nadi to Chargachia Lock.	Nulcool Lock to Sculpatta Lock.	Panchpara Lock to Panchpally.	Panchpally to Jamcoonda.	Bhograi Lock to Mosagown.	Contai to Mosagown.	Mosagown to Bhaitghur Lock.	Kalinagore Lock to Terapakia Lock.	Etamograh Lock to Gewankhali.
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Range V.		Range IVB	Range IVA.		Range III.			Range II	Range I.
	16 miles.	23 miles.	6 miles.	8 miles.	9 miles	27 miles	7 miles.	9 miles.	18 miles.	11 miles.
	As.	Rs A	As.	As.	As. P	Rs. A. P	As. P.	As. P.	Rs. A. P	As P.
Vessels loaded, per 100 maunds ...	12	1 0	6	8	9 0	1 11 0	7 0	9 0	1 2 0	11 0
,, empty, ,, 100 ,,	6	0 8	3	4	4 6	0 13 6	3 6	4 6	0 9 0	5 6
Timber in rafts, per timber	2	0 2	2	2 annas.		0 2 0	2 0	2 0	0 3 3	2
Bamboos in floats, per 100 bamboos	4	0 4	4	4 ,,		0 4 0	4 0	4 0	0 4 0	4 0

Tolls will be charged at Charbattia, Chargachia, Nulcool, Panchpara, Jamcoonda, Bhograi, Mosagown, Bhaitghur, Kalinagore, Terapakia, Etamograh and Gewankhali.

Schedule of local rates of tolls to be charged on the Pass khals and Balliaghye Drain.

DESCRIPTION.	Terapakia Pass khal from Terapakia lock to Bansbaliya and *vice versâ*.	Palaboni Pass-khal from its junction Terapakia khal at Anundapore to its junction with Sadar khal and *vice versâ*.	Balliaghye drain from Surpai to Kharikapatna and Balliaghye and *vice versâ*.	Balliaghye drain from Surpai to Kharikapatna or Balliaghye for boats above 300 maunds measurements and *vice versâ*.
1	2	3	4	5
	10 miles. As.	10 miles. As.	11 miles. As.	11 miles. Rs. A.
Vessels loaded, per 100 maunds ...	10	10	12	1 0
„ empty, „ 100 „ ...	5	5	6	0 8
Timber in rafts, „ timber ...	2	2	2	0 2
Bamboos in floats, „ 100 bamboos ...	4	4	4	0 4

Tolls will be charged at Terapakia and Surpai.

Through tolls to be charged on the Hijili Tidal and Orissa Coast Canals.

NAME OF TOLL STATION.		RATE PER 100 MAUNDS, CARGO BOATS.		Total.	RATE PER 100 MAUNDS, EMPTY BOATS.		Total.
From—	To—	Hijili Tidal Canal.	Orissa Coast Canal.		Hijili Tidal Canal.	Orissa Coast Canal.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Gewankhali ...	Kalinagore and *vice versâ*	1 8	...	1 8	12 0	...	0 12
	Bhaitghur and *ditto* ...	1 8	0 8	2 0	12 0	0 4 0	1 0
	Mosagown or Peechaboni and *vice versâ*.	1 12	0 8	2 4	14 0	0 4 0	1 2
	Balliaghye or Kharikapatna and *vice versâ*.	1 10	0 10	2 4	13 0	0 5 0	1 2
	Bhograi and *vice versâ*	1 5	1 11	3 0	10 6	0 13 6	1 8
	Jamcoonda and *ditto* ...	1 7	1 13	3 4	11 6	0 14 6	1 10
	Panchpara and *ditto* ...	1 7	2 11	4 2	11 6	1 5 6	2 1
	Nulcool and *ditto* ..	1 6	2 12	4 2	11 0	1 6 0	2 1
	Charbattia and *ditto* ...	1 6	4 8	5 14	11 0	2 4 0	2 15

Tolls will be charged at Gewankhali, Kalinagore, Bhaitghur, Mosagown, Surpai, Bhograi, Jamcoonda, Panchpara, Nulcool and Charbattia.

No. 52.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a retired line of Darkeswar right embankment, 4th mile, in the village of Jogatpur, pargana Jahanabad, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 4 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by sandy waste land of Ashidhari Sircar, on the west by public road, on the south by embankment and ditches, and on the east by sandy waste land of Hari Das Kumar, is required within the aforesaid village of Jogatpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

W. A. INGLIS,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 2nd September 1903.

No. 185R.—Notification—The following notification issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 294, dated the 13th August 1903.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Public Works Department.

IN exercise of the power conferred by section 146 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to extend the whole of the said Act, except section 135, to the Bakhtiarpur-Behar Light Railway.

The 8th September 1903.

No. 187R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for their crossing station between Pirpainti and Sahebgunge stations in the villages of Bartalla, Mohadebbaran and Nimgachi, tahsil Daman-i-koh, district Sonthal Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 16 bighas 7 cottahs and 11 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 5·42 acres), bounded as stated below, are required within the aforesaid villages of Bartalla, Mohadebbaran and Nimgachi:—

Plot No.	Name of village.	Area B. K. CH.	Total. B. K. CH.
1.	Bartalla	6 1 1	
1.	Mohadebbaran	8 11 8	
1.	Nimgachi	0 16 6	
			15 8 15
2.	Bartalla	0 11 14	
2.	Mohadebbaran	0 6 14	
			0 18 12
	Grand Total ...		16 7 11

Plot No. 1—Is bounded on the north by the East Indian Railway Company's land, on the south by the public road to Pirpainti and jote lands of Gopi Kandu and Piru Sonthal, on the east by the jote lands of Piru Sonthal and Badan Sonthal, and on the west by the public roads to Mohadebbaran and Fandari.

Plot No. 2—Is bounded on the north by the jote lands of Budru Sonthal and Suna Sonthal, on the south by the East Indian Railway Company's land, on the east by the jote land of Budru Sonthal, and on the west by the jote land of Suna Sonthal.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause I, Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer at Rajmahal and in that of the Assistant Engineer, East Indian Railway, at Sahebgunge.

No. 188R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the village of Ghirsindih, pargana Aurangabad, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 15·35 acres of standard measurement, bounded on the north, south, east and west by the land of village Ghirsindih, is required within the aforesaid village of Ghirsindih.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern, and is in supersession of Declaration No. 21R., dated 20th January 1903, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 21st idem, which is hereby cancelled.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Gaya.

No. 189R.—Declaration—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for siding No. 10, Jamwadoba-Bulliari Loop, for Messrs. Goolzad & Sons, on the Midnapore-Jherria Extension, in the villages of Bhagabund and Baliari, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 acres 3 roods 31·45 poles, being equivalent to 42 bighas 3 cottahs 12 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Bhagabund and Baliari.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the works for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Jherria District, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Mohda.

No. 190R.—Declaration.—In continuation of the declaration No. 22R., of the 19th February 1901, published at page 228, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 20th February 1901, it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company, for borrowpits and for regrading the line and repairing the washaways in the villages of Kaharakul, Urangi, Pardipa, Ichhapur, Kouripur, Padabaragan and Bahadulpur, pargana Talsabang, and Amara, pargana Basta, zilla Balasore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 acres 3 roods 31 poles and 6 yards of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Kaharakul, Urangi, Pardipa, Ichhapur, Kouripur, Padabaragan, Bahadulpur and Amara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Kharagpur.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 2nd September 1903.

No. 112Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that Bhavnagar, in the Bombay Presidency, is declared free from plague, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, which were imposed in the ports of Orissa and in the port of Chittagong, against vessels arriving from that port, are hereby withdrawn.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 5th September 1903.

No. 113Marine.—The following notification by the Government of India, publishing rules for regulating the carriage of petroleum in native passenger ships, is republished for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 5100S.R., dated Simla, the 20th August 1903.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Dept.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 53 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1887 (X of 1887), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following rules regarding the carriage of petroleum in ships to which the said Act applies:—

1. No petroleum which is dangerous within the meaning of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), shall be shipped on board any ship proceeding or departing from British India, and no other petroleum shall be carried on board such a ship otherwise than in accordance with the following conditions, namely,—

(*a*) The master, owner or agent shall give notice to the Chief Customs officer or such other officer as the Chief Customs officer may nominate in this behalf, before permitting any petroleum to be shipped.

(*b*) Each consignment of petroleum shipped shall be covered by a declaration made and signed by the shipper in Form A (hereto annexed), if the petroleum has been imported into British India, and otherwise in Form B.

(*c*) Petroleum shall be shipped either in tins enclosed in outer wooden cases or in hermetically sealed iron or steel drums.

(*d*) The nature of every consignment of petroleum shipped shall be marked on the outside of the package containing it.

(*e*) Petroleum shall be stored separate from all other cargo and as far as possible away from lights or fires, and none shall be stored in any hold adjoining an engine or boiler.

(*f*) There shall be a water-tight bulkhead between the engine-room and any hold in which petroleum is stored, and the sluice-valves of such bulkhead shall be shut down and padlocked.

(*g*) Save where electric light is used, no petroleum shall be shipped or discharged except between sunrise and sunset; no lights other than electric lights shall be lit in a hold in which petroleum is stored; and no smoking shall be permitted in or near any such hold.

(*h*) No person shall otherwise than along with, or with the authority of, an officer of the ship, be permitted to visit a hold in which petroleum is stored.

(*i*) No more passengers shall be carried than can with safety be accommodated in the ship's boats in case of accident, unless the vessel is a coasting one proceeding on a short voyage and there are provided life-belts sufficient for such passengers as cannot be accommodated in the boats.

(*j*) At any port in which a ship carrying petroleum is for the time being, the Chief Customs officer, or such other officer as the Chief Customs officer may nominate in this behalf, may take and test any consignment of such petroleum or any single case or drum thereof.

(*k*) If any petroleum tested under clause (*j*) is found to be dangerous petroleum defined as aforesaid, the whole consignment of which the petroleum tested formed a part shall be liable to confiscation.

2. The officer authorised to grant a certificate in respect of a ship under sections 7 and 12 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1887 (X of 1887), shall, if there is petroleum on board, not grant the same without the consent of the Chief Customs officer or such other officer as the Chief Customs officer may nominate in this behalf.

3. Whoever commits a breach of any of these rules shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, and, when the breach is a continuing one, with a further fine which may extend to twenty rupees for every day after the first during which the breach continues.

FORM A.

We hereby do declare that the cases and drums marked as follows—
presented for shipment on the S.S. contain imported petroleum, and that the petroleum is contained in the original packages, in which it was imported into this country.

Shippers.

Place
Date

FORM B.

We hereby declare that the whole of the petroleum contained in the cases of drums marked and presented for shipment on S.S. is petroleum which is covered by flash point certificate No , dated , from the officer appointed by the Local Government for testing petroleum, a true copy of which, certified to by us, is herewith attached.

Shippers.

Place
Date

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE

No. 3695A.

No. 2775A D.—The 7th September 1903.—Maulvi Dalilur Rahman, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Arambagh, Hooghly, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Hooghly.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Campbell Medical School

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notifications Nos. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, and 337T.—M., dated 9th June 1897, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 11 A.M. on Friday, the 23rd October 1903, at the Campbell Medical School

2 Every candidate must produce a certificate of training and a certificate of age and previous education, as required by Rule 9 (*vide* Government of Bengal Notification No. 4042Medl, dated 2nd November 1896, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1896, and circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Calcutta Hospitals with his Circular No 60, dated 5th December 1896).

3. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School, at least one week before the 23rd October 1903, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charges. (No certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.)

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

5. No candidate for the Compounder's examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

NOTE —The attention of candidates is drawn to Rules 9, 10 and 12 (*a*) and (*b*), and of the persons granting the certificates to Rules 11 and 14 (3) and (4), and to the Certificate, Forms C and D, in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification No. 4042Medl, dated 2nd November 1896.

B. C. OLDHAM, MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Offg Supdt., Campbell Medical School.

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL, CALCUTTA, *the 18th August 1903.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU JNANENDRA NATH CHAUDHURI has been placed in charge of the Monghyr Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

C. R. MARRIOTT, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR DIVN., *the 1st September 1903.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th September 1903.

THE following rule passed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

R. SHEEPSHANKS,
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL

(CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION.)

IT IS ORDERED that the following amendments be made in the Rules as to "Constitution of Division Courts and Full Benches" contained in the Rules of the High Court, Calcutta, Appellate Side, published in Part I, page 1523, *et seq.*, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th November 1902:—

I. For the first proviso to Rule I, Chapter II, Part I, at page 7 of the said Rules, substitute the following:—

Provided that it shall be competent for one Judge to hear appeals and applications in all matters specified in the subjoined Schedule I. He may, however, send back any particular case he thinks fit to the Group to which the case belongs, to be disposed of by two Judges.

SCHEDULE I.

(CIVIL WORK.)

(1) All matters coming under the head of Lawazima, that is relating to
- (*a*) Service of processes.
- (*b*) Substitution of parties.
- (*c*) Appointment of next friends and guardians *ad litem* of minors.
- (*d*) Preparation of paper-books.
- (*e*) Return of documents.

(2) Applications and Rules relating to the above matters.
(3) Applications for admission of appeals in *formâ pauperis*.
(4) Applications under Section 25 of the Provincial Small Cause Court Act, and Rules granted upon such applications.
(5) Second appeals up to the value of Rs. 1,000.
(6) Admission of appeal, or cross-objection, after time.
(7) Appeals against the following orders, as referred to in Section 588 of the Code of Civil Procedure:—
- (*a*) Orders under Sections 116 and 245 rejecting or returning for amendment a written statement, or application for execution (Clause 11).
- (*b*) Orders under Sections 143 and 145 impounding a document or other object (Clause 12).
- (*c*) Orders under Section 162, for attachment and sale of moveable property on default of payment of expenses of witnesses (Clause 13).
- (*d*) Orders under Section 168 or 170 for attachment or sale of property of absconding witnesses (Clause 14).
- (*e*) All orders mentioned in Clause (24) excepting those under Sections 492, 493, 496, 497 and 503.

II. To Rule V, Chapter II, Part I, at page 8 of the said Rules, add the following proviso:—

"Provided that it shall be competent for one Judge to hear appeals and applications in all matters specified in the subjoined Schedule II. He may, however, send back any particular case he thinks fit to the Bench taking the Criminal Appellate cases to be disposed of by two Judges."

SCHEDULE II.

(CRIMINAL WORK.)

(1) Appeals or applications for revision in cases involving sentences of fine only, and Rules granted upon such orders of fine, except in cases falling within sections 154, 155 and 156, Indian Penal Code
(2) References from Sessions Judges and Magistrates in cases involving fines only.
(3) Applications, Rules and References in cases relating to
- (*a*) Security to keep the peace under section 107 of the Code, unless in consequence of failure to keep such security an order of committing a person to imprisonment has been made under section 123.
- (*b*) Maintenance of wives and children
- (*c*) Award of compensation to accused persons.
- (*d*) Orders under Section 514 of the Code by way of forfeiture of bail bonds.
- (*e*) Orders under Section 517 for disposal of property regarding which offence has been committed.
- (*f*) Orders under Section 519 for payment to innocent purchasers of money found on the accused.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 7 of Act IX of 1887, that the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Dacca and Munshigunge will, in the month of November 1903, sit in those Courts on the undermentioned dates:—

Dacca Small Cause Court	...	3rd, 7th, 10th, 13th and 21st of November 1903.
Munshigunge Small Cause Court	...	From the 23rd to the 28th of November 1903.

BEPIN BIHARY MUKERJI, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

DACCA SMALL CAUSE COURT, *the 4th September 1903.*

UNDER section 7 of Act IX of 1887, notice is hereby given that in December 1903, the Judge of the Small Cause Courts of Hooghly, Serampore and Howrah will sit—

At Hooghly	...	On 1st to 3rd December 1903.
At Serampore	...	On 4th, 5th and 7th to 12th and 14th and 15th December 1903.
At Howrah	...	On 16th to 19th and 23rd December 1903.

KARUNAMOY BANERJEE, *Judge of Small Cause Courts, Hooghly, Serampore and Howrah.*

CHINSURA, *the 6th September 1903.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

ORDERS BY THE SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

1. In supersession of the Syllabus announced on pages 209-211 of the Calcutta University Calendar for 1903, the following limits have been prescribed for the Practical Examination in Physics at the B.Sc. Examination in 1905 :—

PASS COURSE.

Schuster and Lees.—Intermediate Course of Practical Physics—

Part	I.	Section	III.
Part	II.	Section	V, Exercises I, II,
		Sections	VIII, IX, X, XI, XII (omitting corrections), XIII.
Part	III.	Section	XV, Exercises I, II.
		Section	XXI.
Part	IV.	Sections	XXII, XXIII.
Part	V.	Section	XXXII.
Part	VI.	Sections	XXXIII, XXXIV.
Part	VII.	Section	XXXVII.
Part	VIII.	Section	XLII.

HONOUR COURSE.

Schuster and Lees.—Intermediate Course of Practical Physics. In addition to the portions prescribed for the Pass Course, the following:—

Part	II.	Sections	VI, XIV.
Part	III.	Sections	XVII, XVIII, XX, Exercise I.
Part	IV.	Section	XXV, Exercises I, II, IV.
Part	V.	Section	XXXII.
Part	VI.	Section	XXXVI.
Part	VII.	Section	XXXIX.

2. The undermentioned candidates have passed the Examination on the Law of *Ultra Vires* held by the Tagore Law Professor for 1902-1903 :—

(*In order of merit.*)

1. Sircar, G.
2. Ray, Bishnupada.
3. Datta, Kedarnath.
4. Das, Hariprasanna.
5. Datta, Nrisinhapada.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 7th September 1903.

K. C. BANURJI,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that on the result of the ensuing Entrance Examination being known, the four second grade scholarships allotted to the Rajshahi Division will be awarded to the best students in the Division irrespective of districts, and the eight third grade scholarships will be distributed as follows:—

Rajshahi	...	...	...	2
Dinajpur	...	...	...	1
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	1
Darjeeling	...	...	...	1
Rangpur	...	...	...	1
Bogra	...	...	...	1
Pabna	...	...	...	1
			Total ...	8

Besides the above, there are two special scholarships—one of the second grade and the other of the third grade—open to competition among the students of all High English Schools in the district of Rangpur.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commr. of Rajshahi.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVISION, DARJEELING, *the 3rd September 1903.*

Office Memorandum by the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1904.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. *Private students* are those who do not appear from any school or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector. The term "private students" includes *schoolmasters*.

2. Private students must appear at the test examination of one of the following institutions:—

Those from the—	At the Test Examination of—	Date of Test Examination.
1	2	3
1. Howrah district ...	Howrah Municipal School ...	4th January 1904.
2. Bankura „ ...	Bankura Zilla School ...	18th December 1903.
3. Birbhum „ ...	Birbhum ditto ...	14th „ „
4. Midnapore „ ...	Midnapore Collegiate School .	4th January 1904.
5. Hooghly „ ...	Uttarpara Government School .	2nd „ „
	Hooghly Branch School	14th December 1903.
6. Burdwan „	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School (with the Principal's permission).	14th „ „

The examinations will begin as stated above, and each private student will pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the head of the institution at which he appears for examination. The balance, after payment of expenses (stationery, etc.), will go as remuneration to the examiners. No private student will be admitted to the test examination unless accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to the Headmaster of the institution at which he appears.

3. Applications for permission to appear must be sent so as to reach *this office* not later than the 15th November, with the following information, etc.:—

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.
(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate from the same; or
(*c*) in the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.
(*d*) Age of the candidate.
(*e*) In the case of schoolmasters, a certificate of good conduct from the Secretary or proprietor of the school in which the candidate is serving.

4. If this office is satisfied that all is in order, the Inspector will countersign and return the application, and this then will be the candidate's passport for admission *to the test examination*.

5. The Headmaster of an institution (one of those named above) should direct private students to appear before him not later than the 12th January with their applications for admission to the Entrance examination; and in the case of those candidates who have satisfied the test, he will cause them to sign their application forms in his presence, and will grant the necessary certificates, and then forward the applications to this office for countersignature, after which they will be sent by the Inspector *direct* to the candidates.

6. Expedition is necessary in carrying out all these instructions, and candidates should be *most careful* to give their names and addresses written legibly and distinctly, so that no mistake may be likely to occur.

7. *Under no circumstances should the entrance fee be sent to this office*, but it should be sent to the Registrar by the candidates themselves, together with the countersigned applications, which will be returned to the respective Headmasters for delivery to candidates.

8. Private students will understand that the test examination of any schools other than those named above will not be accepted by this office.

9. Addresses of private students should be supplied to this office.

10. The Entrance examination in 1904 will be held on the 7th March 1904 and following days. Applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 25th January 1904.

F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bonâ fide* masters of English schools who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or of six months after the examination of the same class last held by the University in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations.

2. Candidates for the F.A. and B.A. examinations must produce certificates of character and length of service from the Secretaries of their respective schools, together with their *Entrance* or *F.A.* certificates. Those candidates who have been admitted to a former examination must produce the Registrar's receipt in addition.

3. The printed form of application should be carefully filled up, and submitted to this office *on or before the 20th January 1904*, together with other papers as mentioned in rule 2, after which no applications will be received.

4. By *bonâ fide* masters of schools are to be understood masters who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools, teaching at least the M. E. course.

5. The F.A and B.A. Examinations in 1904 will be held on the 21st March 1904 and following days. The applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 6th February 1904.

HOOGHLY,
The 3rd September 1903.

RADHA NATH ROY
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

NOTIFICATION.

AN examination in the knowledge of English idiom and in pronunciation for teachers of English in native schools will be held at the office of the Inspector of European Schools, 12 Dalhousie Square, East, on Tuesday and Wednesday, 15th and 16th September 1903, at 11 A.M.

Those who intend to present themselves for examination should send (at least a week before the examination) a statement containing the following information, and should also bring with them their University certificates on the day of the examination:—

Name (in full).	Last University examination passed.
Name of father (in full).	Year of passing.
Name of native village and district.	Signature of the applicant.

Designation and full address.

Candidates should also state whether they have sat for this examination before, and if so, how often.

CALCUTTA,
The 28th August 1903.

WILLIAM W. HORNELL,
Offg. Inspector of European Schools, Benga

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 8791B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 12th October 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Total	...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 17th and 27th October 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 17th October 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 27th October 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates

specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Monday, 2nd November 1903 ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	4,000	4,000	8,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

E H. WALSH, for *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 31st August 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held on the 18th August 1903 in thana Bongaon, in the district of Jessore, Babu Shibendra Nath Ghose was duly elected a member of the Bongaon Local Board for that thana in the place of Babu Ganga Charan Chatterjee, deceased.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 3rd September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that Maulvi Abdul Hakim Khan Chowdhury has been appointed a member of the Committee for the management of the Raja P. N. Ray Dispensary at Nator, in the district of Rajshahi, in the place of Maulvi Abdur Rahim Khan Chowdhury, resigned.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commr. of Rajshahi.*

DARJEELING, *the 1st September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that Babu Jagat Bandhu Majumdar was appointed by the District Board of Backergunge to be a member of the Boufal Dispensary Managing Committee, *vice* Bhagabati Charan Roy, deceased.

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 5th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensar Manual, that the District Board of Backergunge appointed—

(1) The Sub-Registrar of Amtali ... *Ex-officio*,
(2) Babu Mathura Nath Roy,
(3) „ Tara Kanta Mukhopadhyaya,
(4) „ Nibaran Chandra Chatterji, and
(5) „ Gopal Chandra Shaha,

as members of the Amtali Dispensary Managing Committe, *vice*

(1) Babu Durga Mohan Das,
(2) „ Lal Mohan Mohinta,
(3) „ Krishna Kumar Mohinta,
(4) „ Gour Binode Kundu, and
(5) Munshi Roshan Ali Talukdar.

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 5th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that the District Board of Backergunge appointed the following gentlemen to be members of the Joypur (Nazirpur) Charitable Dispensary Managing Committee:—

(1) The Sub-Registrar of Nazirpur ... *Ex-officio.*
(2) Babu Bipin Bihari Mitra.
(3) „ Indu Bhusan Mitra.
(4) „ Gobinda Chandra Das.
(5) „ Kedareswar Kar Mazumdar.
(6) „ Prasanna Kumar Chatterji.
(7) „ Kali Nath Bose.
(8) „ Protap Chandra Bhattacharjya.
(9) „ Tara Kanta Ghosh.
(10) Munshi Abdur Rouf.

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 5th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that the following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Committee for the management of the Raja Prasanna Nath Ray Dispensary at Rampur Boalia, in the district of Rajshahi:—

1. The District Magistrate ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Civil Surgeon, Rajshahi ... ... }
3. Babu Bhubon Mohun Moitra.
4. „ Kedareshwar Acharjee, M.B.
5. Rai Kedar Prasanna Lahiri Bahadur.
6. Babu Kumodini Kanta Banerjee.
7. „ Haran Chunder Banerjee.
8. Mr. La Marchant.
9. Babu Kishori Mohun Chaudhury, M.A., B.L.
10. Maulvi Syed Tuffazul Hossein.
11. Babu Kunja Mohun Moitra.
12. „ Shoshi Bhosan Roy.
13. „ Mohendra Kumar Sha Chowdhury.
14. „ Kali Prasanna Acharjee.
15. „ Hari Charan Moitra.
16. „ Shoshodhur Roy.
17. The Chairman of the Rampur Municipality ... *Ex-officio.*

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commissioner of Rajshahi.*

DARJEELING, *the 20th August 1903.*

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1903.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

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QUESTION OF THE FUTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

Nos. 1507—1521, dated Simla, the 24th August 1903.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Home Department.

THE Government of India have recently considered, in communication with the Secretary of State, the question of the future organization of the Cantonment Magistrates' Department. The difficulty of obtaining a regular supply of efficient Cantonment Magistrates does not now come before the Government of India for the first time. Attempts have been made to remove it by various systems of recruitment, all of which have proved more or less unsatisfactory. Before the year 1864 Military Officers had been employed as Magistrates and Superintendents of Abkari and Bazars in Cantonments; but in that year the passing of Act XXII (an Act to make provision for the administration of Military Cantonments) afforded new reasons for requiring from such officers special qualifications for their civil duties. It was accordingly ruled that they should pass the examination prescribed for officers entering the Staff Corps through the Civil Department, and that they should be regarded as officers in civil employ, liable to the departmental examination for civil officers, and eligible for general promotion in the Civil Department. Cantonment Magistracies were then divided into two grades, on a consolidated pay of Rs. 1,000 and Rs. 700 a month respectively. The tenure of the post was unlimited, and the holder vacated it on being admitted to Colonel's allowances or on attaining the age of 55 years. This scheme failed to afford an inducement to officers to enter the Department. By the year 1875 no appointments had been made in the ordinary civil line from among Cantonment Magistrates in the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab, and only one such appointment had been made in Bengal. In consequence of a representation made by the Commander-in-Chief in 1886, that the system was working badly mainly because unsuitable officers had been appointed as Cantonment Magistrates and could not be removed, the Government of India, in August 1887, ordered, as a provisional arrangement, that the tenure of Cantonment Magistracies should in future be limited to five years, with a possible extension to seven years. The consolidated rates of pay fixed in 1864, which would have been needlessly high for officers appointed for this limited period, were revised as follows:—

Rank of officer.	Initial pay.	On passing the Higher Standard Examination.
	Rs.	Rs.
Subaltern	600	700
Higher rank	700	800

To meet the objection arising from the periodical admission to civil employ of untrained Military Officers, who would be engaged in important magisterial work, candidates for the Cantonment Magistrates' Department were required to pass a qualifying examination in the Civil and Criminal Procedure Codes, the Indian Penal Code, and other laws commonly administered by Cantonment Magistrates. These orders had not been in force for more than three years when Lord Roberts, who was then Commander-in-Chief in India, took strong exception to the new arrangement. The main objection urged from a military point of view was that officers lost in efficiency through absence from military duty, and, after having been for five years in an independent civil position, were disinclined for such duty on their return. From the civil point of view it was represented that an officer had barely time to become an efficient Cantonment Magistrate before he had to make way for an inexperienced successor. It was then decided to abandon the system tentatively introduced in 1887 and to revert to the one previously existing, with the important difference that, whereas the highest pay (Rs. 1,000) under the earlier system had proved insufficient to induce competent officers to adopt the career permanently, the pay of the higher grades was to be so regulated as to make the appointments sufficiently attractive for this purpose. With the same object it was resolved to reserve the appointments in the Judge Advocate-General's Department preferentially (though not exclusively) for qualified Cantonment Magistrates. It was also arranged that officers appointed as Cantonment Magistrates should be seconded in the Military Department after a year, and should, after five years, either return to their regiments or be struck off the strength. The following allowances were provided in addition to Staff Corps pay of rank:—

	Rs.
On first appointment	200
On passing the Departmental Lower Standard Examination ...	250
On passing the Departmental Higher Standard Examination ...	300
After five years' substantive service as Cantonment Magistrate ...	400
After ten years' substantive service as Cantonment Magistrate ...	500

2. These conditions of service, which were approved by Lord Kimberley in October 1892, have remained in force up to the present day. Experience has shown that they do not ordinarily secure a suitable stamp of officer for the Department, and great difficulty has been experienced in recruiting, especially in the case of leave vacancies. The system is defective in failing to provide a stimulus to effort and a check upon inertness, in the shape of promotion by selection. Good work is done in individual cases, but speaking generally the Government of India observe a tendency among officers to assume that their position is assured, and that further advancement is only a matter of length of service, with the inevitable result that the energies of the Department as a whole are impaired. The reluctance of Military Officers to enter the Department under existing conditions has made it almost impossible to replace an officer taking leave except by another simultaneously returning. In some cases it has been possible either to depute a civil or a regimental officer to perform the Cantonment Magistrate's duties in addition to his own, or even to leave the Cantonment Magistracy unfilled for a time. Such arrangements are not satisfactory, but, in many recent cases, even their adoption was impossible, and the leave applied for had to be postponed or refused altogether. Further, the Government of India have received a representation from the Military authorities that the executive duties of Cantonment Magistrates are either neglected or inefficiently performed, owing to the appointment of incompetent officers.

3. In these circumstances the Government of India determined to refer the whole question of the constitution of the Cantonment Magistrates' Department and the causes of its unpopularity and inefficiency to a competent Committee, consisting of Mr. J. P. Hewett, then Home Secretary, Major-General G. Henry, then Quartermaster-General in India, and Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. Thornhill, then Cantonment Magistrate of Bareilly. The Committee considered that, in order to attract officers with the necessary qualifications to the Cantonment Magistrates' Department, it was essential that the prospects of the Department should be improved. In order to effect the required improvement, they recommended—

(*a*) the addition of two new grades of selected Cantonment Magistrates, viz.:—

	Officers.	Staff pay.
		Rs.
1st grade	3	700 a month,
2nd grade	6	600 a month;

(*b*) the creation of a reserve consisting of two officers;

(*c*) the creation of five new appointments of Assistant Cantonment Magistrates at Umballa, Meerut, Mhow, Poona-Kirkee, and Quetta;

(*d*) the creation of two new appointments of Cantonment Magistrate at Nowshera and Jubbulpore; and

(*e*) the appointment of an Inspecting Officer of Cantonments on a staff pay of Rs. 1,000 a month.

4. These recommendations have been accepted by the Secretary of State, except that the appointment of an Inspecting Officer of Cantonments has been sanctioned, in the first instance, for a period of five years; and, in promulgating them for general information, the Government of India invite attention to the following remarks and instructions regarding the several matters referred to by the Committee.

5. The Government of India trust that the improved prospects which these arrangements offer will attract suitable officers to the Department. In future promotion to the two highest grades, which carry a staff pay of Rs. 700 and Rs. 600 a month respectively, will be made entirely by selection, vacancies, whether permanent or temporary, being filled as a rule by officers who have completed ten years' departmental service. Cantonment Magistrates of ten years' service will ordinarily, unless adversely reported on, be eligible for a staff pay of Rs. 500 a month. Recommendations for the grant of this rate of pay, as well as for promotion to the grades of Rs. 600 amd Rs. 700, permanent or temporary, will be made by the Quartermaster-General in India (who receives the confidential reports regarding the administrative capacity and judicial work of Cantonment Magistrates) to the Government of India, by whom they will be carefully considered, first in the Military Department and then in the Home Department. The Government of India will examine separately, in consultation with the Quartermaster-General in India and Local Governments, the claims of officers to promotion to the two highest grades, and of officiating officers to confirmation in the Department in connection with the new appointments which have been sanctioned.

6. The object of the creation of a reserve of officers is to provide for leave vacancies; but it is obvious that no reserve of reasonable strength will serve this purpose if an unlimited number of officers are simultaneously allowed to avail themselves of leave. The Government of India have accordingly decided that the number of Cantonment Magistrates who may be on furlough in future shall not exceed 20 per cent. of the cadre posts and that all applications for ordinary furlough in excess of this proportion must be refused. To facilitate the making of the necessary arrangements for the grant of leave, officers should be required to intimate to the Local Government at a date not later than the 1st March their intention to apply for leave during the ensuing hot weather, and Local Governments should give demi-official intimation of the fact to the Government of India. Such intimation is indeed already required by existing orders, but these are not always complied with: and the Government of India desire it to be known that omission to give notice as directed will, unless satisfactory explanation of such omission accompanies the leave application, in future prejudice the officer's chances of obtaining leave.

7. Officers appointed to be Assistant Cantonment Magistrates will receive staff pay as if they were Cantonment Magistrates up to a maximum of Rs. 300 a month, and their services as Assistants will count towards their staff pay when confirmed as Cantonment Magistrates. Regarding appointments to the newly-sanctioned Cantonment Magistracies at Jubbulpore and Nowshera and to the five new Assistant Cantonment Magistracies further orders will be issued subsequently.

8. The appointment of an Inspecting Officer of Cantonments has been decided on, with a view to the improvement of the standards of executive and sanitary work in Cantonments throughout India. The cost of the appointment will be debited to the Military estimates, and the officer will be under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief and attached to the Department of the Quartermaster-General in India, being graded as a Deputy Quartermaster-General; but he will be selected from among the senior Cantonment Magistrates in the Department. The Inspecting Officer will spend the greater part of the year on tour, examining the working of Cantonments, co-ordinating results so that the experience gained in one place may be utilized elsewhere, and advising the Military authorities generally as an expert in matters of Cantonment administration. He will also be expected to acquaint himself with the financial position of Cantonments generally and to advise how that position may be improved. It must be clearly understood, however, that he will inspect and report only on the executive work of Cantonment Magistrates, and that his concern with their judicial work will be restricted entirely to the question of how far its nature or amount may interfere with their other duties.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations marginally named, for information and guidance; and to the Finance and Commerce* and [*and further necessary action.]
and Military Departments, and the Quartermaster-General in India,* for information.

Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

Government of Madras.
" " Bombay.
" " Bengal.
" " the United Provinces.
" " the Punjab
" " Burma.
Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.
Chief Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province.
Agent to the Governor-General, Baluchistan.
Agent to the Governor-General, Central India.
Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 3rd September 1903.

No. 21.—The Governor-General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Robert Fulton Bampini, LL.D., I.C.S., Barrister-at-Law, of his office of Additional Member of the Council of the Governor-General for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 4th September 1903.

No. 3058.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 17 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following addition at the end of the fourth sentence of rule 11 of paragraph VI of the rules published with the notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 518, dated the 6th March 1879, as amended by subsequent notifications:—

"or a license to export ammunition granted under the third proviso to the second paragraph of the Resolution of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3001-I.A., dated the 27th June 1903."

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 4th September 1903.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

3rd (Cadet) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 923.—In G. G. O. No. 731, dated the 17th July 1903, so far as it relates to the promotion of Lieutenant G. E. Marklew and Second-Lieutenant A. J. Phillips to the rank of Captain and Lieutenant, respectively, *for* "1st June 1903," *read* "1st December 1902."

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1903.

PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2095T.M.—The 31st August 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Krishnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia:—

Nadia.

The Civil Surgeon of Nadia ...
The District Engineer, Nadia ...
The Senior Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector at head-quarters. } *Ex-officio.*

Babu Jadu Nath Chatterjee. | Maulvi Hamidal Haque.
Revd. J. Hewitt. | Babu Surendra Lal Roy.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, under section 16 of the Act, the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Municipality:—

Mr. R. M. Wilson. | Babu Akhoy Kumar Moitra.

No. 2097T.M.—The 31st August 1903.—It is notified for general information that the Declaration No. 724M., dated the 14th February 1903, published at page 35, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th February 1903, for the acquisition of a plot of land required by the Howrah Municipality for a Municipal cattle yard, is hereby cancelled.

Howrah.

No. 2131T.M.—The 2nd September 1903.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 1 of Bengal Act IV of 1873 (an Act for registering births and deaths), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct the registration of all births and deaths occurring after the 9th September 1903 within the limits of the Municipality at Dumka.

Dumka.

No. 2163T.M.—The 5th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Sahebganj Municipality, in the district of Sonthal Parganas:—

Sonthal Parganas.

The District Traffic Superintendent, East Indian Railway ...
The Assistant Engineer, East Indian Railway ... } *Ex-officio.*
Babu Damri Lal (Senior).

No. 2165T.M.—The 4th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Midnapore Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, of Mr. K. B. Dutt to be their Chairman.

Midnapore.

No. 2167T.M.—The 4th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Girwar Dhari Lal to be a member of the District Board of Champaran, *vice* Pandit Thakur Prosad Missir, deceased.

Champaran.

No. 2175T.M.—The 4th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality, in the district of Howrah, of Mr. H. Le Mesurier, I.C.S., C.I.E., to be their Chairman.

Howrah

No. 2195T.M.—The 5th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. G. B. Cresswell to be a member of the District Board of Jalpaiguri, *vice* Mr. J. M. Montague, resigned.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2197T.M.—The 5th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Krishna Prosad Chaki to be a member of the District Board of Jalpaiguri, *vice* Babu Agbore Nath Ganguli, resigned.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2201T.M.—The 5th September 1903.—In supersession of the notification No. 2022T.M., dated the 28th August 1903, published at page 194, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd September 1903, it is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Monghyr Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, having at a meeting requested the Local Government, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. L. C. Adami, I.C.S., to be their Chairman.

Monghyr.

No. 2203T.M.—The 5th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Puri Municipality, in the district of Puri:—

Puri.

The District Magistrate, Puri	...	*Ex-officio.*
The Civil Surgeon, Puri	...	
Mr. J. C. Platts.		
Babu Rajkishore Das.		
„ Bidhu Bhusan Banerjee.		

No. 2207T.M.—The 5th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Rangpur Municipality, in the district of Rangpur, of Babu Sarat Chandra Chatterjee to be their Chairman.

Rangpur.

No. 2209T.M.—The 5th September 1903.—The following draft of a notification and rules which it is proposed to issue for the further control of building work in the Darjeeling Municipality is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Darjeeling.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 2nd November 1903, and any objections or suggestions which may be submitted before that date through the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling will be duly considered:—

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 351B of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (III of 1884), as amended by the Darjeeling Municipal Act, 1900 (I of 1900), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules as to the erection and re-erection of buildings in the Darjeeling Municipality, and to direct that they be inserted after rule 3 in Schedule C to the said Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, as so amended, namely:—

Shops.

3A. No shop shall be erected or re-erected in the vicinity of dwelling-houses without the written sanction of the Commissioners.

Building in crowded localities.

3B. No building shall be erected or re-erected in any locality which, in the opinion of the Commissioners, certified in writing, is so crowded with buildings as to be prejudicial to sanitation.

Compensation to owner debarred from re-erecting a building.

3C. The Commissioners shall make full compensation to the owner for any damage which he may sustain in consequence of being debarred by rule 3A or rule 3B from re-erecting a building.

No. 2216T.M.—The 5th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Meherpur Municipality, in the district of Nadia:—

Nadia.

Babu Ramani Mohon Mallik. | Munshi Hossein Buksh.

No. 2230T.M.—The 7th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 6 (*b*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to take possession of the private ferry at the 6th mile of District Road No. 1 over the Amanat river, police-station Daltongunge, in the district of Palamau, and to declare it to be a public ferry.

Palamau.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred on him by section 35 of the said Act, to direct that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Palamau, and that all proceeds thereof, and all fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof, shall be credited to the District Fund with effect from the date of this notification.

No. 2232T.M.—The 7th September 1903.—Whereas a Notification No. 1188T.M., dated the 20th June 1903, was published at page 121, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th June 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to the northern portions of Nandibari and Iswargram, lying within the Muktagacha Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, and within the boundaries specified below; and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Muktagacha Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the aforesaid area of the Municipality:—

Mymensingh.

Boundaries of the area referred to.

On the north.—Subarnakhali road, Iswargaon road, and Bash-hati road.
On the east.—Dowla Beel.
On the south.—Dowla Beel, Sonathan De road, and Kasalkata Beel.
On the west.—Nandibari road.

2. Under section 86 (*f*) of the Act the Lieutenant-Governor also sanctions the levy, by the Municipal Commissioners, of fees for the cleansing of private privies and cesspools within the aforesaid area of the Municipality.

No. 2235T.M.—The 7th September 1903.—It is notified for general information that the Declaration No. 429M., dated the 28th January 1903, published at page 23, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th February 1903 for the acquisition of plots of land required by the Calcutta Municipality for a site for model dwellings in Convent Road, Entally, is hereby cancelled.

Calcutta.

No. 2249T.M.—The 7th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Kumarkhali Municipality in the district of Nadia:—

Nadia.

The Subdivisional Officer of Kushtea | Babu Fatik Chandra Mazumdar.
Babu Koilas Chandra Mazumdar. | „ Nabadwip Chandra Pal.
Babu Jnanendra Nath Sanyal.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1998T.M.—The 28th August 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Muzaffarpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a water reservoir in mahalla Kanholiganj, zilla Muzaffarpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north by Municipal pucca drain, on the south by house of Brij Mohanlal, on the east by Municipal drain, and on the west by Municipal Bailkhana road.

Muzaffarpur.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Commissioners of the Muzaffarpur Municipality.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2170T.M.—The 4th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Comilla Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for widening the Bairagipara Lane, in the Town of Comilla, pargana Mehercool, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 chitaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north and east by Bairagipara Lane, on the south by Radhanath Bairagi's house, and on the west by Nanuwas dighi.

Tippera.

The plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2188T.M.—The 5th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bankura for a public purpose, viz., for a pound-shed in the village of Indpur, pargana Supur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the west and south by the village road, and on the east and north by Ganesh Mandal's paddy field.

Bankura.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2239T.M.—The 7th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Rajpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for excavation of a drain at Malancha and Mahinagar, Ward No. IV, within the Municipality of Rajpur, in the villages of Malancha and Mahinagar, pargana Madanmollah, thana Sonarpur, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north and south by Janakinath Mazoomdar's land, and on the east and west by Municipal drains.

24-Parganas.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Rajpur Municipality.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. Nalin Behary Sircar, C.I.E., is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta as a representative of the Calcutta Port Commissioners in place of Mr. John Bathgate, resigned.

A. E. SILK, *Offg. Chairman of the Corporation.*

MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 4th September 1903.*

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

MUNICIPAL BYE-ELECTION FOR WARD No. 18, HELD ON THE 4TH SEPTEMBER 1903.

IT is hereby notified, under section 55 of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, that Mr. A. J. Wilson, of 12 Chapel Road, Hastings, has been duly elected as a Commissioner for Ward No. 18 under Schedule V of the said Act.

A. E. SILK, *Offg. Chairman of the Corporation.*

MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 5th September 1903.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at Berhampur for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
233	Pardesar taraf, pargana Rajpur.	Rs. A. P. 665 15 1	Whole ...	.....	Dharma Dass Mustafi and others of Shubharia, thana Balagar, district Hooghly.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 0 3 9	Rs. A. P. ...

Berhampur, the 5th August 1903.

A. C. MACKERTICH, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
285	Sribatshadas taluq, pargana Gunanandi.	Rs. A. P. 1,233 11 7	Whole ..	.	Srish Chandra Banerjee and others	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 19 9 3	Rs. A. P. ....

Tippera Collectorate, the 4th August 1903.

N. C. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 1st Asvin 1310 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1533	Taluk Krishna Prosad Guha, pargana Bajrigomedpur.	Rs. A. P. 3,960 15 8	Whole estate.	.....	Brojo Lal Rai Chowdhury and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 332 1 6½	Rs. A. P. .
1730	Zamindari pargana Chandradvip 8a. 12g. 2c. 2kt. share, pargana Chandradvip.	44,537 13 6	.. .	Separate account No. 6, share 14g. 3c. 1kt. 7t. 3oh.	Raj Kumar Rai Chowdhuri	3,837 7 10½	.....	592 4 11½
1764	Zamindari, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur, 3a. 1g. 3c. 1kt. share, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur.	8,543 6 8	Whole estate.	...	Ananda Chandra Rai ...	... ..	820 7 5½	.....
1997	Taluk Fate Mahemad, pargana Khanja Bahadurnagar.	738 3 9	Ditto ...	.....	Kusum Kumari Debi Chowdhurani.	.....	92 4 7	.....
3843	Zamindari pargana Selimabad, 13a., pargana Selimabad.	3,599 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Nabin Chandra Sen Chowdhuri and others.	.....	323 11 11	.
3844	Ditto ...	3,599 9 1½	Ditto ...	.....	Sarada Prosad Sen Chowdhuri and others.	...	313 5 4	.....
4534	Char Sarikal, pargana Zasira.	3,441 11 3	Ditto ...	.....	Rahimannessa Khatun and others.	.....	3,441 11 3	.....

Barisal, the 24th July 1903. D. WESTON, Offg. Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 9th November 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Cuttack will be put for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th day of November 1903 at 12 A.M. for the said arrears:—

Tauzi No	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of the demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
28	Ta. Sunderpur, pargana Jajpur.	Rs. A. P. 1,093 5 9	Whole ...	.....	Sahadeb Rai and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 350 12 5	Rs. A. P. ..,	Civil Court attachment.
60	Ta. Bhimkarpur, pargana ditto.	.....	.....	12a. 10p. 11kt. 16b.	Chandra Sekher Mahapatra	668 1 8	.....	56 4 3	Ditto.
2175	Ta. Madhyasasan, pargana Harharpur.	...%	.....	12a. 2p. 14kt. 1b. 15g. 3c.	Jasoda Kunar, mother and guardian of Ganesh Prasad Bhagat, minor.	1,674 13 5	.....	270 12 7	Ditto.

Cuttack Collectorate, the 31st August 1903. F. N. FISCHER, Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of the district on 10th September 1903 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
239	Sothgaman, pargana Bhaia.	Rs. A. P. 503 13 1	The whole	.	Pun Nath Jha, guardian of Kamla Nath Jha and Mussamat Gunlata Dai.	.....	Rs. A. P. 56 9 11	...

Darbhanga Collectorate, the 25th July 1903. W. B. HEYCOCK, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1903 at noon for arrears of revenue due for the kist ending 28th June 1903, and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
17	Chak Durga, pargana Ranihati.	Rs. A. P. 9,039 2 11	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Syedani Aymana Bibi ...	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 1,296 1 4	Rs. A. P. ....

Burdwan Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

A. J. CHOTZNER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
4	Sonbhum, pargana Sonbhum, thana Bolpur.	Rs. A. P. 41,236 7 8	.....	Residuary share, excepting separate accounts Nos. 1, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rajabalika Goswamini and others.	Rs. A. P. 1,236 15 11	Rs. A. P. ...	Rs. A. P 34 7 7
17	Kagas, pargana Moureswar Babek, thana Labpur.	17,182 13 0	.....	Separate account No. V ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Mukherjee and others.	4,645 4 0	.....	36 10 11
165	Bagdola, pargana Akbarshahi, thana Suri.	1,033 7 0	.....	Residuary share amounting to 13 annas' share, excepting separate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Gnanendra Chandra Mukherjee and others.	775 1 3	.....	17 9 0

Birbhum Collectorate, Suri, the 27th July 1903.

A. AHMAD, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th September 1903 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Elahabad zamindari, pargana Elahabad.	Rs. A. P.	Share	Residuary share 8 annas.	Latifannessa Choudhurain, Golapro e Choudhurain.	Rs. A. P. 868 8 4	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Land revenue— 133 12 3 Road cess— 115 13 0 248 8 3

B. C. SEN, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2035	Kristobati Chur, pargana Raipur.	Rs A. P. 632 13 9	Entire ...		Rajendra Nath Rai, Receiver to the estate of Brindabon Chunder Thacoor.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A P. 60 4 9	Rs A. P

Hooghly, the 8th August 1903. A. W. BOTHAM, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 15th September 1903, corresponding with 9th Asin 1311 F.S., at midday, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
906 E.s.	Amwa-Kalan, Newazan, pargana Bahra, Champaran.	Rs A P. 2,000 12 9	.....	Residuary share, 5 as. 7p. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Babu Iswn Prosad and others.	Rs. A. P 698 2 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 7 11 5
1122	Masodha, pargana ditto.	618 10 8	Entire estate	.....	Musammat Bachoo Kuner.	.....	115 15 6	.

Muzaffarpur Collectorate, the 5th August 1903. SHEO N. L. HOY, *for* Collector

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the Collector's office of that district on 17th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
14	Pargana Bandarkhole, His Mahammad Reja	Rs A. P 1,670 14 10½	.	Residuary	Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury	Rs. A P. 916 10 2½	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P 13 5 11½
193	Pargana Rajnagar, His Raj Krishna Sen Khajah Pitros Marsal.	688 5 4½	16 annas.	... .	Rani Bilasmoni Debi and others.	.....	32 1 0½	.
8878	Pargana Nasti, kismat Aligunge	561 9 10	Ditto ...	... ..	Kumar Satya Sankar Ghosal and others.	..	108 0 0	... ..
9762	Pargana Bardakhal, char Delwarpur.	4,190 0 0	Ditto ...	... ..	Krishna Chandra Saha Sarder and others.	.....	648 0 0	.

Dacca Collectorate, the 5th August 1903. A. R. EDWARDS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Names of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
68	Ramjangal, pargana Mondolghat.	Rs. A. P. 19,343 4 9	.....	Residuary share consisting of 7 annas 8 gandas share of the estate.	Rajendro Narain Ghose and others.	Rs. A. P. 8,760 9 8	.....	Rs. A. P. 4,114 4 10

The 14th August 1903.

L. E. B. CORBEN-RAMSAY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 14, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
47	Pargana Amarshi, mahal Palpara.	Rs. A. P. 800 0 2	Entire, *i.e.*, residuary, and S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.	.....	Ram Charan Dey and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 69 14 6*	Up to Mar. 1903.
1840	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Sridharpore.	929 14 2	Entire, *i.e.*, residuary, and S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.	.....	Abdul Ohed Khan and others.	.....	93 14 0†	

* Balance of separate account No. V.
† Ditto ditto No. IV.

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th October 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1903 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
478	Pargana Chandrakona, mahal Kuldaha.	Rs. A. P. 10,784 7 2	Nil ...	S. A. No. I	Paran Chandra Ray and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,875 13 8	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 238 4 8	Rs. A. P. Land revenue— 336 4 2 Road cess— 57 10 6

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
154	Pargana Bajarpore, mahal Panchbasari.	Rs. A. P. 650 10 8	Entire ...	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	Rs. A. P. ...	Rs. A. P. 71 2 8 up to June 1903.	Rs. A. P. .....
276	Pargana tappa Balisita, mahal Bhitarbinode.	1,658 14 9	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	1,105 15 3	...	121 0 1
277	Pargana tappa Balisita, mahal Bhitarbinode, 6 annas' share.	2,396 13 0	Entire ...	.....	Ditto ditto ...	.....	264 5 1	... ..
382	Pargana Bhuniamutha, mahal Khajurari *alias* Kuchaidighi.	3,276 1 5	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ditto ditto ...	1,638 0 9	.....	174 9 5
383	Pargana Dashinmal, mahal Haripore.	6,769 1 5	.....	S. A. No. II	Hari Prya Debi	3,384 5 9	.....	740 0 9
398	Pargana Danthamutha, mahal Danthamutha *alias* Erenda.	1,021 5 3	Entire ...	.....	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	.....	102 10 0	.....
739	Pargana Egrachore, mahal Bhatda.	3,613 6 4	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 3, 4, 10 to 23.	Ditto ditto ...	1,270 1 9	.....	109 14 6 up to June 1903.
803	Pargana Gaganeswar, mahal Kanpore.	702 9 0	Entire ...	.....	Panchanan Mallik and others.	.....	6 3 6 up to June 1903.	.....
921	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Chakdaha *alias* Radhaballav Chak.	9,185 8 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 to 6.	Radhika Nath Banerjee ...	2,583 7 0, including police.	.....	283 11 9, including police.
921	Ditto ditto ...	9,185 8 0	.....	S. A. No. I	Ditto ditto ...	717 9 10, including police.	.....	78 8 0, including police.
921	Ditto ditto ...	.....	.....	S. A. No. V	Ditto ditto ...	1,148 3 0, including police.	.....	126 10 9
937	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Garr Purusatumpore *alias* Chaitanyapore.	738 10 8	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Ganga Naran Maity and others.	390 14 8	.....	37 7 3
944	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Gumookpota.	3,185 0 0	.....	S. A. No. I	Manmohan Ray ...	1,592 8 0, including police.	.....	174 8 0, including police.
972	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Kesore Chak	1,480 14 1	Entire ...	.....	Devendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	.....	141 9 0	.....
1051	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Kesapat.	800 6 2	Do. ...	.....	Dwarika Nath Sen ...	.....	85 3 2.	.....
1066	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Palayutter.	2,039 1 2	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 to 4.	Amar Nath Ghose and others.	551 5 2, including police.	... ..	59 5 2, including police.
1113	Pargana Kurulchore, mahal Padima.	740 8 4	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	626 7 1	.....	17 8 4
1497	Pargana Khandar, mahal Bansgerya *alias* Saharda.	2,098 8 6	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 4, 5, 6, 8 to 16.	Bisseswar Banerjee, Receiver of estate, Janmajoy Mallik and others.	975 12 4	.....	16 5 4
1731	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Ankhapurba.	1,001 7 2	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ganga Naran Maity ...	500 11 7	.....	53 4 6
1815	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Putputya.	2,718 2 9	Entire ...	.....	Indra Naran Maity and others.	.....	297 0 0	.....
1864	Pargana Majnamutha, mahal Nankarbazeapti.	2,130 9 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7.	Abinash Chandra Deb ...	740 13 2	.....	163 5 1
1884	Ditto ditto ...	.....	.....	S. A. No. I	Ditto ...	703 12 5	.....	154 6 6
2031	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Nankargakulpore.	3,398 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Gopendra Nandan Das Mohapatra.	...	368 6 7	.....
2347	Pargana Sabong, mahal Mohar.	1,445 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	.....	156 9 0	.....
2209	Pargana Sabong, mahal Rambhadrapore.	736 0 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	552 0 0	.....	60 11 10
2474	Pargana Sahapore, mahal Naranbati.	636 0 5, including police.	Entire ...		Mathuralal Bhakat and others.	.....	29 12 0, including police.	.....
				Part II.—Temporarily-settled estates.				
2717	Pargana Jalamutha, mahal Keoramal Erench, Bisnan, Baindabasar jaipal.	3,360 14 2	Entire ...	.....	Sreemati Hari Prya Debi	.....	36	.....
2734	Pargana Khallabbograi, mahal Paharpore, jalpai Khaspatit.	1,470 9 7	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	162 4	.....
2884	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mangalpore.	2,491 0 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. II.	Upendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	2,016 2 6	.....	226 8 0
2886	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mangraj.	1,027 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Radha Gobinda Das Mahapatra.	.....	69 0 8	.....

Midnapore, the 14th August 1903.

L. BIRLEY, Covtd. Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
394	Benut, pargana Bal	881 15 8	... ...	Ijmali— As. Benut ... ... 8 Madhan Tola ... ... 12 Rampur ... ... 16 Birtimehdar Bhadaur ... 8 All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Hariher Prasad and others.	846 13 6	.....	76 10 5
414	Bharhopur Fatehpur Dhuriar or Bharhopur, pargana Bal.	1,954 13 6	.....	Separate account No. 2— Bharhopur Fatehpur Dhuriar, 6a. 4p. 16k. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Musamat Ramdeni Kuar.	781 15 0	.....	156 12 9
1165	Goppur, pargana Bara.	746 10 6	Entire ...	.....	Pardip Singh, Subedar Rai and others.	.....	3 7 7	.....
2131	Hossanpur, Kutubpur, Rampur, Sadowa or Hossanpur, Kutubpur, Rampur, pargana Dungsi.	634 5 1	Do. ...	.....	Musamat Rani Ram Kamal Kuar and others.	.....	30 9 4	.....
2748	Rampur Majho, pargana Goa.	1,031 15 3	Do. ...	.....	Musamat Bahuria Denapatti Kuar and Musamat Son Mukhi Kuar.	.....	0 13 9	.....
2176	Salehpur Darsukoh, pargana Rasmar.	649 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Jamuna Prosad, auction-purchaser.	.....	365 1 0	.....
2177	Ditto ...	648 1 11	.....	Ijmali— As. Chonderbhonpur ... ... 16 Salehpur Darsukoh ... ... 16 Chak Chhiter Madhukar ... 16 All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Ganga Bishnu Singh, auction-purchaser.	603 1 11	.....	330 4 2
2417	Kasba Mokair, pargana Mokair.	1,021 5 7	.....	Ijmali— Kasba Makoir Main Patti Latif, 16a. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Mir Syed Hussain and others.	804 1 7	.....	14 2 3
2613	Manjhi Khas Bhat Khurd, pargana Manjhi.	1,806 1 2	.....	Ijmali— Manjhi Khas Bhat Khurd, 10a. 8p. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sat Narain Lall and others.	872 0 10	.....	1 13 9
2695	Narhan, pargana Narhan.	3,028 5 0	.....	Ijmali— As. P. Narhan ... ... 5 4 Pa'ti Kakulat ... ... 5 4 Moti Chak ... ... 5 4 Mirzapur Khas ... ... 5 4 Salempur ... ... 5 4 Allahdadpur ... ... 5 4 Harpur ... ... 5 4 Baukat Main Chak ... 5 4 Pholi Chak ... ... 5 4 Basatpur ... ... 5 4 Kansardh ... ... 5 4 Bharthipatti Basadh ... 5 4 Panjuar khas ... ... 5 4 Idalpura ... ... 5 4 Sitalpur ... ... 5 4 Chandi ... ... 5 4 Rampur Dakhli Panjuar 5 4 Murarpatti ... ... 5 4 Dhanowti appertaining to Nawada. 5 4 Rampur Belbhadar ... 5 4 Baralpur ... ... 5 4 Mirzapur appertaining to Ramtpur. 5 4 Nawada ... ... 5 4 Karahra Dhani ... ... 5 4 Juropar ... ... 5 4 Budakpur ... ... 5 4 Dawonpura ... ... 5 4 Deore Bhaw Singh... ... 5 4 Ambara Salempur ... ... 5 4 Rajpur ... ... 5 4 Dhanowti appertaining to Basatpur. 5 4 All other shares besides that specified will be exempted from sale.	Babu Debi Prosad, Babu Kasila Nand and others.	1,309 7 0	.....	499 0 5
2772	Ohhan, paragana Pachlakh.	509 13 6	Entire ...	.....	Mohendra Narain, Uttu Sahai and others.	.....	109 5 0	.....
2819	Harihous Tale Sultan Hussain, pargana Bara.	876 11 10	Do. ...	.....	Sultan Hussain and others.	.....	0 5 3	.....

Saran Collectorate, the 17th August 1903.

ILLEGIBLE, *for* Collector.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 1 P M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
431, share No. 2	Dihi Gangail, pargana Chapila.	Rs. A. 755 4	Whole estate.	.....	Bhabani Charan Majumdar and others.	.....	Rs. A. 12 11	.....

Rajshahi Collectorate, Rampur Boalia, the 5th August 1903. A. GARRETT, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2526	Dhiraundh, pargana Jarra.	Rs. A. P. 892 13 0	The whole	.....	Nawab Saiyad Mahammad Akbar Ali Khan *alias* Chottey Nawab and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 26 8 0	Rs. A. P. .....
2787	Simra Salempore, Bazidpore nisf, pargana Kabar.	960 9 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. 1. Simra Salempore 12 2. Bazidpore nisf 12	Thakur Prasad Singh and others.	720 7 0	.....	73 8 0
4149	Bishunpore Vagairah, pargana Pachrukhi.	1,786 13 0		The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. D. 1. Bishunpore ... 8 10 2. Gobindpore ... 8 10 3. Madhopore ... 12 5 4. Dhanpuri ... 12 5 5. Mahbara ... 16 0 6. Delwa Bagaria 16 0	Isri Prasad and others.	1,317 3 0	.....	15 0
4548	Gurua taluqa, pargana Sherghati.	15,997 14 0	The whole		Sheikh Mosaheb Ali and others	.....	2,225 11 10	.....
4579	Jaipore Dumrawan, pargana Sherghati.	4,896 8 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. 1. Jaipore Dumrawan 8 2. Akhari Khap ... 8 3. Pindra .. ... 8 4. Zari Khap ... ... 8 5. Doudpore *alias* Punoul. 8 6. Deoghar Khap ... 4 7. Ibrahimpore ... 8 8. Hardia ... ... 8 9. Kolua ... ... 8 10. Loki Khap .. ... 8 11. Makhdompore ... 8 12. Manjhar ... ... 8 13. Basir Khap 4	Durga Prasad and others.	1,068 8 0		239 4 0
4979	Jaipore Dumrawan, pargana Sherghatti.	4,896 8 0	.....	Separate account No. I, consisting of the following villages, will be sold— A. P. 1. Jaipore Dumrawan. 5 4 2. Alahdadpore *alias* Punoul. 5 4 3. Ambadih ... 5 4 4. Bagha Khap ... 5 4 5. Badar Khap ... 5 4 6. Zari Khap ... 5 4 7. Doudpore *alias* Punoul. 5 4 8. Deoghar Khap .. 5 4 9 Ibrahimpore ... 5 4 10. Hardia ... 5 4 11. Kolhua ... 5 4 12. Loki Khap ... 5 4 13. Makhdumpore .. 5 4 14. Sugaria ... 5 4 15 Sadheo Khap ... 5 4 16. Basir Khap ... 5 4	Khaja Ubaidullah *alias* Nanhe Nawab.	43 10 0	.....	10 2 0
4612	Komal Khap, pargana Sherghatti.	573 14 0	The whole	.....	Mussamat Bibi Tauhidan and others.	.....	5 12 6	.....
6949	Aidopore, pargana Kabar.	1,196 0 0	Ditto	.....	Bhekha Singh and others.	.....	139 1 0	.....

Gaya Collectorate, the 22nd August 1903. F. W. DUKE, Collector.

APPENDIX XXX.

[See Chapter III, Rule 9.]

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the district of Gaya, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Friday, the 18th September 1903, corresponding with the 12th Asin 1311 Fusli, at the Gaya Collector's Court.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of the original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each plot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Gaya ...	Pargana Sirish, mauza Pahborcha.	2 (a) ...	East of the main line, Bengal Duars Railway.	3 16 5	1 1 1·818	Nil		Nil	*North*—Mogulsarai-Gaya Railway. *South*—Land of mauza Karandih. *East*—Land of mauza Pahborcha. *West*—Ditto ditto.

Gaya, the 18th August 1903.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTTA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
14	Anandpur Siawan and Mustafapur Siawan, pargana Beswak.	Rs. A. P. 855 13 11	Entire ...	.....	Adit Narain and Ajodhya Prasad under the guardianship of Mosamat Gulab Kuer.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 213 7 7	Rs. A. P. .....
18	Bhubanpur, Beyaspur Goberdhanpur, pargana Azimabad.	1,223 7 10	.....	8a. and 10ds. ijmali share. Besides this other shares are exempted from sale.	Pabitar Singh and others.	649 15 11	.....	44 14 9
160	Lakhenpur, pargana Azimabad.	1,350 13 1	.. ..	Dowlotpur 2	Mosamat Piriam Bada Dasi, mother and guardian of Mohnimohon Ghosh and Rajni Mohon Ghosh.	658 2 1	.....	138 16 1
				Raipur Hasan 4	Ditto.			
				Mirzapur 2	Ditto.			
				Lakhenpur 2	Awdhesh Kumar Singh			
				Kutubpur urf Hari 2 chak.	Ditto.			
				Kutubpur ... ... 2 ijmali share. Besides this other shares are exempted from sale.	Ditto.			
169	Rampur Redhna nisf, pargana Bhimpur.	996 8 0	.....	15a. 8d. 13k. 6b. 1op. 7r. ijmali share. Besides this other shares are exempted from sale.	Kesho Lal and others ...	963 1	.....	4 13 10

Bankipore, the 23rd August 1903.

J. G. CUMMING, Collector of Patna.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th October 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2093 2100 3553	Thanas Patia, town Rauzan, Satkania and Hathazari, taraf Krishna Kishore Kanungoe.	Rs. A. P. 645 6 7	A share will be sold.	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859. Only share No. 1, Fazal Ahmed and others, will be sold.	Fazal Ahmed Choudhri and Bazal Samad Choudhuri.	Rs. A. P. 524 13 6	.....	Rs. A. P. 656 0 10

The amount shown in column 9 above represents the arrears remaining unpaid on the 25th May 1903.

Chittagong, the 25th August 1903. F. P. DIXON, Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares are excluded from sale.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	1	Magura, Chetla and others.	5,422 9 3	...	Excluding 3a. 4r. 2k. 12t., the remaining 12a. 15g. 10k. 168t. of the entire estate, and excluding 8a. share in each of the mauzas Sripur, Begarghole and Raja Molla Chak, the remaining 8a. share.	Kali Chandra Roy Chaudhury and others.	3,028 5 3	....	336 15 6½
2	2	Magura, Kanganberia and others.	2,838 15 2½	.....	Excluding mauzas Chetla and Alipore and excluding 11a. 14g. 1k. 3½d. of the entire estate, the remaining 4a. 2g. 2k. 5½d. share.	Surendra Nath Deb	738 11 11½	.....	46 7 11
3	3-4	Magura, Nuskerpur and others.	9,314 2 11½		Excluding 10a. the remaining 6a. share.	Bindoo Bashini Debi and others.	3,108 11 5½	.....	199 11 9½
4	86	Magura, Amgachia	984 14 7	.....	Excluding 9a. share in mauza Kantalia, the remaining 7a. share, excluding 13a. 18g. 2k. share in each of the mauzas Bahimpore and Nona, the remaining 2a. 1g. 2k. and the 16a. share in other mauzas.	Hori Charan Bose ...	861 11 10	.....	96 3 3
5	314	Murugachia, Harinarayanpur.	12,212 13 4½	.....	8a. 3g. 6k. 3t. 2k. 2kr. share ...	Trilokha Nath Biswas.	5,747 8 3	.	47 11 0½
6	314-4	Ditto ..	12,212 13 4½	...	17g. 5k. 15t.	Sarat Chandra Ghose	740 4 4½	.	111 12 7½
7	315-3	Muragachia, Raghunathpur.	10,229 15 6	...	Excluding 13a. 11g. 2k. 2kr. the remaining 2a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. share.	Gopi Kisor Mandal and others.	1,509 3 3½	. ..	169 8 5½
8	315-11	Ditto ...	10,229 15 6	..	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., the remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi	731 2 10	.....	139 5 11
9	385-4	Azimabad, Huda Rukhali.	19,424 8 0½		Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kr. share, the balance 15g. 1k. 1k. share.	Brojendra Nath Mandal.	928 8 7½	.	97 4 8½
10	385-5	Ditto ...	19,424 8 0½	... ..	Excluding 14a. 14g. 2k., the remaining 1a. 8g. 3k. 1kr. share.	Gopi Kishor Mandal and others.	1,564 6 4	.....	81 12 7
11	385-6	Ditto ...	19,424 8 0½	.....	Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kr. share, the remaining 15a. 1g. 1k., share.	Kristo Prosanna Mandal.	928 8 7½	.....	97 4 8½
12	385-9	Ditto ...	19,424 8 0½	...	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, the remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi	1,392 8 7½	.....	143 13 8½
13	391-5	Muragacha, Gomukhi.	5,538 8 6		Excluding 13a. 11g. 2k. 2kr. share, the remaining 2a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. share.	Gopi Kishor Mandal and others.	836 8 9½	.....	46 12 8
14	391-6	.....	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 6g. 2k. 2kr. share, the remaining 1a. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share.	Sasi Bhusan Biswas and others.	576 14 11	.....	33 3 10
15	392-1	Azimabad, Huda Joy Chundipur	8,313 7 8	.....	Excluding 13a., the remaining 4a. share.	Radha Binod Mandal and others.	2,078 5 11	.....	149 2 4½
16	2653	Sunderban, Lot No. 16.	2,351 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Meherrubbani Jamadar.	.....	2,351 0 0	.. .

Alipore, the 24th August 1903. RAJENDRA CHANDRA GHOSH, Deputy Collector, *for* Collector.

Notificaton B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the date to be fixed for the sale of the estates in arrears of revenue for the kist of September 1903 for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1356 4	Radooraj, Panapur, Noorjahan Begam, tuppa Bhutsala, pargana Bisara.	17,504 1 5	.....	Separate account, 2a. 8p. 8kt. 5mt. 10 ⅔⅔d.	Musamat Nanhi Begam and others.	2,794 11 6	.....	164 7 0	On account of arrears of land revenue due for kist June 1903.
1356 14	Ditto ...	17,504 1 5	.....	Separate account, 7p. 9kt. 9mt. 1½d.	Musamat Noor Jahan Begam *alias* Imami Begam and others.	657 13 9	.....	164 7 0 149 10 1	Ditto. 149 10 1
3618 Rs.	Gobindpur, Raghunandan, pargana Hajipur.	2,670 6 11	.....	Residuary share, 8 annas in each of the following villages—Gobindpur, Aspatpur Singhia, Sadullahpur, Malipur, Sohrabpur, Chuk Mohamad, Saifpur Deora, Dharampur, Panapur Daud, Gumti, Saidpur, Rajauli, Saidpur Rajauli Hissa, Ismailpur, Daulatpur, Bhadai Chuk, Gaziadam, Ibrahimpur, Karunpoora, Herauli with Fatehpur, Gaura.	Ayadh Bihari Narain Singh and others.	1,307 2 9	.....	261 8 0	Ditto. 261 8 0
				Temporarily-settled Estate.					
18906	Dumri Kalam, 4 annas, pargana Goa.	663 0 0	Entire estate.	.. ...	Harinundon Sahai and others.	.....	641 4 0	.....	On account of arrears of land revenue due up to kist June 1903.

Muzaffarpur Collectorate, the 22nd August 1903.

E. V. LEVINGE, Collector.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 1st September 1903.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... .. Rs.	66,62,122 1 7			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,,	96,36,083 12 9	1,62,98,205	14	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		8,64,50,469	12	10
Bank Post Bills, &c.		3,29,566	9	5
Sundries		18,42,490	11	8
Rupees ...		13,70,61,733	0	3

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,94,59,948	0	0
Other authorised investments		48,52,634	9	9
Loans on Government and other authorised securities		2,09,96,829	2	8
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		1,51,42,176	3	2
Bills discounted and purchased		1,97,30,054	12	5
Balances with other Banks		18,62,947	15	11
Bullion		1,263	9	7
Dead Stock		18,09,874	6	11
Stamps		11,478	11	5
Sundries		10,70,335	1	11
		8,49,37,542	0	0
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... .. Rs.	2,75,44,546 13 3			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ,,	2,45,79,644 3 0	5,21,24,191	0	3
Rupees ...		13,70,61,733	0	3

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,41,135 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 90,344 8 0
Rs. 2,31,479 8 0

By order of the Directors,
W. P. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

H. F. FRESHWATER,
Offg. Chief Accountant.

Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 49·68.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 3rd September 1903.

(1000—1)

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st August 1903.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ per cent. Loans—							4 per cent. Loans—							4½ per cent. Loans—				Grand Total.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1903-04.	Of 1900-1901.	Total.	Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1879.		Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 15th August 1903	1,25,75,100	1,70,07,400	11,27,84,100	2,49,22,100	1,25,81,600	100	21,08,600	16,94,03,900	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,20,87,434
Add—																				
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 25th August 1903 ...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 26th August 1903	.....	72,900	52,000	1,000	.....	.....	10,000	1,35,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	1,35,900
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st August 1903 ...	.....	83,500	24,900	7,000	500	.....	25,060	1,40,900	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	... .	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	1,40,900
	1,25,75,100	1,71,63,800	11,28,61,000	2,49,30,100	1,25,82,100	100	21,43,600	16,96,80,700	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,23,64,234
Deduct—																				
Amount written off in the London registers ...	.. ..	43,400	10,45,000	2,75,300	400	.....	.....	14,64,100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	14,64,100
Balance on 31st August 1903	1,25,75,100	1,71,20,400	11,18,16,000	2,46,54,800	1,25,81,700	100	21,43,600	16,82,16,600	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,09,00,134

Note.—From 9th June 1867 to 30th June 1903—Enfaced from India 11,192 lakhs; retransferred from London 10,693 lakhs.

,,	1st July 1903	,,	15th July	,,	,,	,,	,,		4	,,	,,	,,	,,	15	,,					
,,	16th ,,	,,	,,	31st ,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	6	,,	,,	,,	,,	15	,,					
,,	1st Aug. ,,	,,	15th Aug.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	6	,,	,,	,,	,,	13	,,					
,,	16th ,,	,,	,,	31st ,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	2	,,	,,	,,	,,	14	,,					
									11,210	,,				10,755	,,					
									10,755	,,										
								Balance against India	455	,,										

E Hildreth,
Superintendent.

W. D. Cruickshank,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(999—1)

Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal,
Calcutta, the 2nd September 1903.

Abstract Statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st January 1903, being the third quarter of the year 1902-1903, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1901-1902.

PARTICULARS.	For the quarter ending 31st January 1903.	For the quarter ending 31st January 1902.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,47,38,823 0 3	1,45,87,185 11 10	1,51,637 4 5	.....
ADD RECEIPTS—				
Subscriptions from 1st November 1902 to 31st January 1903 in the Widows' Fund	1,23,479 13 6	1,28,593 5 6	.....	5,113 8 0
Subscriptions from 1st November 1902 to 31st January 1903 in the Children's Fund	66,622 13 0	69,900 9 0	.....	3,277 12 0
Fees and stamps	11 8 0	27 5 0	.....	15 13 0
Amount at credit of subscribers under Rule 55 transferred to divisible surplus	84 0 0	794 7 0	.....	710 7 0
Income and outlay on office buildings and grounds	1,813 15 0	1,813 15 0	.....	.....
Amount of fines imposed on subscriptions in arrears ...	41 14 10	.....	41 14 10	.....
Total Receipts ...	1,92,054 0 4	2,01,129 9 6	41 14 10	9,117 8
GRAND TOTAL ..	1,49,30,877 0 7	1,47,88,315 5 4	(A)1,51,679 3 3	9,117 8 0
DEDUCT DISBURSEMENTS—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund .	1,56,997 4 2	1,49,634 2 4	7,363 1 10	.....
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund ...	89,184 3 0	87,580 10 0	1,603 9 0	.....
Establishment, including contingencies	14,751 12 2	17,761 9 8	.....	3,009 13 6
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	14,095 0 8	9,897 10 2	4,197 6 6	.....
Commission paid on account of money-orders	801 8 0	803 14 0	.....	2 6 0
Total Disbursements ...	2,75,829 12 0	2,65,677 14 2	(B) 13,164 1 4	3,012 3 6
Balance in favour of the Fund ...	1,46,55,047 4 7	1,45,22,637 7 2	(C) 1,38,515 1 11	6,105 4 6
GRAND TOTAL ..	1,49,30,877 0 7	1,47,88,315 5 4	1,51,679 3 3	9,117 8 0
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	1,27,228 14 0	1,29,694 2 0	.....	2,465 4 0

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers	1,300	808	1,355	854	...	...	55	46
Ditto of incumbents	681	868	655	851	26	17	...	...
Ditto of subscribers sharing abatement	1,212	720	1,232	775	...	...	20	55

	Rs. A. P.
A.—Net increase in grand total of receipts ...	1,42,561 11 3
B.—Net increase in total disbursements ...	10,151 13 10
C.—Net increase in balance ...	1,32,409 13

LOVELOCK & LEWES, *Chartered Accountants*,
J. C. C. GRAY, *Accountant*, } *Auditors.*

Published by order of the Directors.

A. E. MEDLYCOTT,
Accountant.

RIVERS HOWE,
Secretary.

U. S. F. P. Fund Office, Calcutta, the 20th August 1903.

(1004—1)

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported, and when.	REMARKS.
Mr. H. A. Roberts, late of Agra, a Signaller of the Government Telegraph Office.	Agra	29th July 1903 ...	Judge, Agra, 11th August 1903.	No Will. No application.
Mrs. Hind, late of Aligarh ...	Aligarh	1st May ,, ,,	District Judge, Aligarh, 13th August 1903.	Ditto. Ditto.
Mr. P. Sheridan, late of Darjeeling.	Darjeeling	4th Aug. ,, ...	District Judge, Dinajpur, 19th August 1903.	Ditto. Ditto.
Mrs. Marion Eleanor Hamilton Clapperton, late of Akyab.	Akyab	9th May ,, ...	District Judge, Akyab, 19th August 1903.	No Will. Letters of Administration granted to Mr. Robert Clapperton, the husband of the deceased.
Mr. William Money Thomas, late of Agra, a Signaller of the Government Telegraph Office.	Agra	23rd June ,,	Judge, Agra, 26th August 1903.	Will left. Letters of Administration granted to the widow of the deceased.

Calcutta, the 8th September 1903. C. E. GREY, Offg. Administrator-General of Bengal.

Notice of Revocation of Power.

IT is hereby announced and notified that by two General Powers-of-Attorney in Bengali, dated respectively, the 6th January, 1902 and 11th July 1903, we appointed, with two other persons, Shama Churn Bose, son of Mahesh Chandra Bose, deceased, of village Teghuria, pargauah Shaha Ujial, district, sub-district, and thana Jessore, one of our attorneys, but the services of the said Shama Churn Bose having been dispensed with by us on the 31st July 1903 last, his power was revoked and he ceased to be our attorney from that date.

Doorga Churn Law, Joy Gobind Law, Chundy Churn Law, Kristo Dass Law, Reshee Case Law.

Calcutta, the 24th August 1903. (961—3· 792)

Education Department, Bengal.

AS the Appointment Register of the Office of Director of Public Instruction is now under revision, the undersigned is prepared to receive applications for appointments in the Education Department. No one will be registered who has not taken the degree of M.A. or that of B.A. with honours. Candidates for employment should send in applications whether their names have been previously registered in this office or not. Full details of qualifications must be given. A printed form of application will be sent on receipt of a stamped addressed envelope. The new Appointment Register will supersede all former lists.

A. PEDLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

The 1st September 1903.

Notice.

APPLICATIONS for an apprenticeship in the Second Munsif's Court at Kushtia will be received by the undersigned up to the 23rd October 1903. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination and does not fulfil the following conditions:—

(1) His age must not exceed 25 years.

(2) He must produce a certificate of age and of good moral character.

(3) He must state his relationship, if any, to any amla in the Civil Courts of the district.

(4) He must produce a certificate of sound health from a Government Medical Officer.

RAJENDRO COOMAR BOSE, Offg. District Judge.

Nadia Judge's Office, the 2nd September 1903.

Notice.

REQUIRED a Serishtadar in the Office of the District Judge of Gaya from 23rd October 1903. Pay Rs. 80 rising by biennial increments of Rs. 6 to Rs. 140. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th October.

Preference will be given to graduates and applicants with previous experience of Civil Court work.

C. W. E. PITTAR, District Judge.

Gaya, the 5th September 1903.

In the matter of the Bengal Paper Mill Company, Limited,
and
In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that the order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, dated the 31st day of August 1903, confirming the reduction of the capital of the abovenamed Company from Rs. 12,00,000 to Rs 4,00,000, and the minute (approved by the Court) showing, with respect to the capital of the Company as altered, the several particulars required by the above Act were registered by the Registrar of Joint-Stock Companies, Calcutta, on the 2nd day of September 1903.

The following is the minute referred to—

"The capital of the Bengal Paper Mill Company, Limited, henceforth is Rs. 4,00,000, divided into 8,000 ordinary shares of Rs. 25 each and 4,000 preference shares of Rs. 50 each, bearing interest at 7 per cent. per annum instead of the former capital of Rs. 12,00,000, divided into 8,000 ordinary shares of Rs. 100 each and 4,000 preference shares of Rs 100 each bearing interest at 6 per cent. per annum. At the time of the registration of this minute the sum of Rs. 25 has been and is to be deemed to be paid on each of the said 8,000 ordinary shares, and the sum of Rs 50 per share has been and is to be deemed to be paid on each of the said 4,000 preference shares, except on 10 preference shares, Nos. 3401 to 3410, inclusive, on each of which last-mentioned shares there are arrears of calls of Rs. 80."

Dated the 2nd day of September 1903.

MORGAN & Co.,
Solicitors for the Company.

No. 1 Hastings Street, Calcutta.

(994—1—861)

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION.

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1 Pound tin Rs. 16, or, post free, Rs. 16-8
½ " " " 8 " " " " 8-6.
¼ " " " 4 " " " " 4-6

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

NOTICE.

WANTED 12 Bengali-knowing Inspectors on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 each and 80 Bengali-knowing amins, on a monthly salary of Rs. 20 to Rs. 25 each, for survey and settlement work in the Sundarbans during the ensuing cold weather.

Applicants must either have served in the Survey of India Department or have certificates of their acquaintance with offset cadastral survey work. They should also be able to prepare the necessary settlement records.

WANTED also 4 clerks on Rs. 25 each and 8 muharrirs on Rs. 20 each per mensem for settlement work. Only men who have experience in such work need apply.

Applicants should state their age and send their applications with copies of testimonials to the undersigned not later than the 30th October 1903.

D. SUNDER, Commissioner in the Sundarbans.

Sundarbans Commissioner's Office, Alipur, the 7th August 1903.

Wanted

AN experienced Amin for six months on Rs. 30 a month for work in connection with the sale of relinquished Railway lands. Preference will be given to one who knows English and can prepare maps. Applications will be received up to 14th September 1903.

J. H. LEA, Collector.

Purnea, the 27th August 1903.

J. W. CHIPPENDALE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(948-4—767)

RATAN CHAND BARAL, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(956-4—769)

Notice.

SAILESWAR SEN, M.A., B.L., of 10 and 11, Sarbessur Sen's Lane, Calcutta, intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel, High Court, Calcutta. (957—4—786)

MAULVI SHAMSUDDIN AHMED, B.L., intends to be enrolled as Vakeel, Calcutta High Court

(998—4—814)

HEM CHANDRA SEN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(1041—4—862)

Wanted

THREE qualified Surveyors knowing cadastral survey for Land Acquisition Work on salaries of Rs. 30 each per mensem with two chainmen at Rs. 8 each for a period of about six months. Selected candidates to join immediately on appointment.

D. R. GHOSE, Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Ranaghat-Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

Krishnagar, the 2nd September 1903.

WANTED a Head Clerk for the Sadar Registration Office at Midnapore on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem. Preference will be given to candidates who have thorough knowledge of the Departmental Rules and Circulars and are thoroughly acquainted with the details of the work of District Registration Office and can write a good and swift hand. Candidates should state their educational qualifications and furnish statements showing their relationship with other persons in Government service and also produce certificates of good character and respectability. Those who are not now in Government service must state their age. The selected candidate will have to execute a bond in the sum of Rs. 100 with one substantial surety for the due performance of his duties.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th September 1903.

JOGESH CHANDRA SANYAL,
Special Sub-Registrar.

Midnapore District Registration Office, the 3rd September 1903.

WANTED at once by the District Board, Ranchi, a temporary Surveyor for four months on a consolidated pay and travelling allowance of Rs. 75 per mensem. Candidates must be qualified under rule 7 (i) (a) of the Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901. Applications with copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned up to the 15th September 1903. Preference will be given to active, energetic and experienced candidates.

G. C. BANERJI,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Ranchi.

Ranchi, the 1st September 1903. (996—2)

WANTED temporarily an experienced Photographer to photograph cattle in the mufassal. Apply with copies of testimonials and specimen of work to the undersigned, stating terms.

F. RAYMOND,
Vety.-Major, Supdt., Civil Vety. Dept., Bengal.

Belgachia, Calcutta, the 7th September 1903.

WANTED six Amins on Rs. 20 each per month for the Settlement work of Estate Kendgoria in the district of Birbhum. None need apply who has not passed the Survey Examination from any Government Survey School, or has no experience in Settlement work. Applications will be received by Babu Charu Chandra Chaudhary, Settlement Officer, Birbhum, up to the 7th October 1903.

A. AHMAD, Collector.

Suri, the 9th September 1903.

IT is notified for general information that there are in the district of Chittagong many commissions under section 392 of the Civil Procedure Code waiting to be executed, and that there is therefore employment for a few pleaders who have passed the requisite Survey examination. Applications with the necessary certificate should be made to the District Judge of Chittagong.

Notice.

List of unclaimed goods lying in the Custom House Wharf.

Name of vessel.	Marks and Nos.	Description of packages.	REMARKS.
S.S. "Somali" ..	Durnford	1 Deck chair ...	Broken.
,, "Pentakotta"	4th Punjab Infantry.	3 Guns ...	Old.
,, "Laisang"...	Nil ...	7 Packages sundries.	Damaged.
,, "Kumsang"	A H A G H or nil ..	1 Case gambier	Half empty.
,, Do. ..	Ditto ...	2 Bags betelnuts	More or less damaged.
,, "Ujina"	G C L or nil ...	1 Cask sulphur.	
,, "C. Apcar"	Mr. D. Ellias	1 Parcel sundries.	
,, "Manora"	Nil	1 Wooden box	Broken.
,, "Carthage"	L H I	1 Case coral.	
,, Do.	Nil	1 Deck chair.	
,, "Peninsular"	F F A	1 Package unknown.	
,, Ditto ..	F N B	1 Deck chair.	
,, Ditto	Mr. Fox ...	1 ,, ,,	
,, Ditto ...	Nil ..	3 Chairs.	
,, Ditto ...	J Done or J D ...	1 Chair.	
,, Ditto ...	Dunstanville ...	1 ,,	
,, "Laisang"	A H A G H or nil ...	5 Bags betelnuts	More or less damaged.
,, "A. Apcar"	Yakub ..	1 Basket Chinaware	Broken, more or less empty
,, "India" ...	Geo. L I. Sheffield 3rd Officer, Poste Restante, Calcutta.	1 Box gold watch	
,, "Sumatra"	Robinson ...	1 Deck chair.	
,, "Palamcotta	Godor Ram ...	1 Revolver.	
,, "Waidha"	M . .	4 Bundles gunny	Loose.
,, "Khiora"...	Barber Agra Posts	1 Case unknown	
,, "Sunsang"...	F. A D. Ezikel ..	1 Parcel sweetmeats.	
,, "Goorkha"	W. Willis ..	1 H. M. carbine with M tubes.	
,, "Glan Robertson."	Shipping Master	1 Package unknown.	
,, "Somali" ...	Nil or care of P & O.	1 Package unknown.	
,, "Goorkha"	Nil	8 Packets containing 500 cartridges for M tubes.	
,, "Rewa" ..	M. A. Thomson ...	3 Deck chairs.	
,, "Sirsa" ..	M N H L..	1 Case silk.	
,, "Collegian"	17 & 17 M W	1 Case gun.	
,, "Scindia" ...	D or P	1 Case C. oil.	
,, "Bangala"	J. S. Arathoon	1 Package unknown.	
,, "Dupleix"	T C & S 98-91	3 Cases unknown	

The above will be disposed of if not cleared on or before the 21st September 1903

L. F. MORSHEAD, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta Custom House, the 29th August 1903.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No	No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of claimants.
		Rs.	
$\frac{W}{2}$ of $\frac{03}{04}$	$\frac{LA}{97}$ 61234	100	Babus Brojo Nath De and Sarbananda De, Balaganj, Sylhet.
	,, 61235	100	

A. M. CLARKE,

Asst. Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Calcutta, the 1st September 1903.

Estate Mrs. C. A. Wilsone.

NOTICE.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of the late Mrs. Caroline Albina Wilsone, who died on the 2nd day of August 1903, has been granted to Mr. Percy Gordon Holmes as one of the children of the deceased to enable him to administer the estate. All persons having claims against or being indebted to the above estate should communicate with the said Percy Gordon Holmes at No. 12 Kings Road, Howrah.

C. E GREY, Offg. Administrator-General of Bengal.

3 Council House Street, Calcutta, the 31st August 1903. (991—1)

Postal Notice.

IT is hereby notified that direct postal communication has now been established, *vid* Bhamo in Upper Burma, with the Chinese provinces of Yunnan, Kueichow, Szechwan, and Kwangsi, and that this route will be used for the transmission to destination of all classes of correspondence [*i.e.*, letters, postcards, printed papers (including books and newspapers), business papers and samples] addressed to the places in those provinces noted below.

2. Correspondence addressed to any of the places in question is subject to Union rates of postage and conditions, and prepaid correspondence of all kinds can be registered.

H. M. KISCH,

Offg. Director-General of the Post Office of India.

Calcutta, the 26th August 1903.

Province of Yunnan.

Yungchang	Shihping
Hsiakuan	Szemao.
Tali.	Hokow.
Menghua.	Kaihua
Chuhsiung	Kuangnan.
Yunnan-fu	Hsuanwei.
Tunghai.	Chuching.
Puting.	Malung.
Yanglin	Poai.
Mengtsz	Ping-yi.
Lunan	Chaotung.

Province of Kueichow.

Puanting	Langtai.
Aushun.	Kueiyang

Province of Szechwan.

Chungking.	Kiating.
Chen-tu	Paoming.
Wanhsien.	Chungha.
Suifu	

Province of Kwangsi.

Poai.	Nanning.

Destroyed

THE Government Promissory Notes—

No.						Rs.
025899	of the	3	per cent.	loan of	1896-97	for 1,000
025900	,,	3	,,	,,	,,	,, 1,000
025902	,,	3	,,	,,	,,	,, 1,000
025903	,,	3	,,	,,	,,	,, 1,000
025904	,,	3	,,	,,	,,	,, 1,000
030671 to 74	,,	3	,,	,,	,,	,, 500 each,

originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal, and last endorsed to Sarat Kumar Das, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest, and for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of the Proprietor—SARAT KUMAR DAS.

Residence—Village Sabajpur, police-station Thakurgaon, zilla Dinajpur.

Dinajpur, the 16th August 1903. (930—3—815

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 008311, 008312, 008314, of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97, for Rs. 500 each, originally standing in the name of Koonja Lal Addy, and last endorsed to Nogendra Bala Deby, the proprietress, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietress.

Name of Advertiser—KOONJA LAL BANERJEE.

Residence—Jansi, district Hooghly. (960—3—791)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 51, dated 4th July 1903, and granted by Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the allotment letter No. 1366 for the undermentioned Port Trust Debentures. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the Debentures:—

P. T. Debenture No.		Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
			Rs.	
844	...	4 per cent., 1903.	25,000	London and Lancashire Life Assurance Co.
845	...	Ditto	25,000	
846	...	Ditto	25,000	

Name of the Proprietor—GRAHAM & Co., General Agents, London and Lancashire Life Assurance Co.

Residence—9 Clive Street, Calcutta.

(1005—1—834)

Lost

ONE crossed cheque No. 80—397, dated 26th August 1903, for Rs. 2,283, drawn by Howrah Mills Company, Limited, on the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, Calcutta, in favour of Messrs. Ram Chunder Soorujmull. Notice of loss has been given to the said Chartered Bank to stop payment.

RAM CHUNDER SOORUJMULL, 5, Shama Bye's Lane.

Calcutta, the 8th September 1903. (1042—1—864)

In the Court of the District Judge of Purnea.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 1 OF 1901.

Beni Madhab Dass, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Mahraj Bahadur Singh and others, judgment-debtors.

Notification for sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned istembrar and jagir mahals will be sold by the Nazir of this Court at 12 noon on the 17th day of September 1903:—

(1) The 14 hubba 9 ser and nim kerant (3 annas 3 pies and 2 kowris) share of the istembrar mahal of talukas Ramai, &c., asli and dakhili, pargana Sultanpur, thana Matiari and Forbesganj subdivision and registration office Araria, Basantpur, district Purnea, being the istembrar property of the judgment-debtor, Babu Mahraj Bahadur Singh, the rent of which is Rs. 2,248-2, payable in the office of the zamindars of pargana Sultanpur, tauzi No. 8, for the 16-annas share, and of which the value is Rs. 10,000, the interest having been purchased under a registered kabala, dated 20th February 1901.

(2) The 14 hubba 9 ser and nim kerant share of jagirs talukas Pepra, Ramganj, &c., pargana Sultanpur, bearing Nos. 44, 45, 46 and 47 of the register, thana Matiari, Forbesganj, subdivision Araria, Basantpur, district Purnea, being the jagir property of the judgment-debtor, Babu Mahraj Bahadur Singh, the estimated value of which is Rs. 5,000, the right having been purchased under a registered kabala, dated 20th February 1901.

F. S. HAMILTON, District Judge, Purnea.

Purnea, the 31st August 1903. (990—1)

SALE NOTIFICATION.

In the Court of Rai Gopi Krishna Banerjee Bahadur, Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Saran, at Chapra.

EXECUTION CASE No. 106 OF 1903 (TITLE).

Gobind Singh, decree-holder, *versus* Ram Narayen Sah, of Nabiganj, in Chapra town, pargana Manjhee, judgment-debtor.

THE right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor in the following properties will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Saran, in the Court-house premises at 12 o'clock in the forenoon on the 26th day of October 1903 for realization of the judgment-debt, Rs. 2,430-2-3:—

I.

(1) Mauza—Bariarpur Diarah Rahimpur Dilia, pargana Manjhee.
(2) Extent of share—2a. 1p. 17k. 14m.
(3) Tauzi No. 3549.
(4) Thak No. 63.
(5) Jama sadar—Rs. 586-4.
(6) Registry Office—Chapra.
(7) Encumbrance—Rs. 5,000, excluding interest.
(8) Paidwar kham—Rs. 1,870-4.
(9) Minhai revenue, etc.—Rs. 800.
(10) Net profit—Rs. 1,070-4.
(11) Approximate value—Rs. 1,585-11-10.

II.

One house, pucca and katcha, in 1 bigha, known as Gola Nimak Saer and Makan bûd bás faced northward with all materials appertaining thereto, chowkat, doors, etc., situate in mahalla Nabiganj, pargana Manjhee, Registry Chapra, without encumbrance. Approximate value Rs. 400. Bounded on the north by public road and Sarkan Garban, on the south by Nala Sewana of Bariarpur Diarah Rahimpur Dilia, on the east by lane and dih, Dhanpat Nonya, on the west by lane and house of Jhari Kohar and Ram Sahaye Lal, etc.

III.

Half of 7 cottahs of rent-free land known as Bhatheewalla Kharidgee Nilam in Ratanpura, pargana Manjhee, Registry Office Chapra. Approximate value Rs. 400 Bounded on the north by house of Bachoo Pandit, now Anant Lal, on the south by public road, Sarkan Garban, on the east by house of Makhan Khan and others, now Bibi Siftan, wife of Abdullah Khan, on the west by lane and house of Najib Lal, now Mohender Persad.

GOPI KRISHNA BANERJEE,

Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Saran.

Office of Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Chapra; the 2nd September 1903. (1008—1)

SALE NOTIFICATION.

In the Court of Rai Gopi Krishna Banerjee Bahadur, Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Saran.

EXECUTION CASE No. 65 OF 1903.

Gopal Sah and others, decree-holders, *versus* Musammat Bachoo Kuer, &c., of Bakhra, pargana Rati, district Muzaffarpur, judgment-debtors.

THE right, title and interest of the judgment-debtors in the following property will be sold at auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Saran, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon in the Court-house premises on the 26th day of October 1903 for realization of the judgment-debt, Rs. 1,16,859-6-8:—

(1) 16 annas of mauza Sirha, tappa Haveli, pargana Mehsi, asli and dakhili, previous tauzi No. 671 and present tauzi No. 855, registry office Motihari, jama sadar Rs. 1,023-7-3, jama kham Rs. 9,392 8, area 3,933 acres 1 rood 17 poles, approximate value Rs. 40,000.

(2) 16 annas of mauza Parewa, tappa Serowna, pargana Mehsi, asli and dakhili, previous tauzi No. 676, present tauzi No. 394, registry office Dhaka, jama sadar Rs. 295-3-3, jama kham Rs. 2,098-9, area 758 acres, approximate value Rs. 10,000.

GOPI KRISHNA BANERJEE,

Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Saran.

Office of Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Chapra, the 5th September 1903. (1009—1)

SALE NOTIFICATION.

In the Court of Rai Gopi Krishna Banerjee Bahadur, Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Saran, at Chapra.

EXECUTION CASE No. 105 OF 1903.

Pertap Singh, of Sengartola, pargana Manjhi, district Saran, decree-holder, *versus* Lakhi Chand Sah and others, of mahala Nabiganj, in town Chapra, pargana Manjhi, district Saran, judgment-debtors.

THE right, title and interest of the judgment-debtors in the following properties will be sold at auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Saran, in the Court-house premises on the 26th day of October 1903 in the forenoon at 12 A.M. for realisation of Rs. 1,763-6:—

I.

(1) Name of mauza and pargana—Bariarpur Diarah Rahimpur Dilia, pargana Manjhi.
(2) Extent of share—2a. 2p. 17k. 14m.
(3) Thana and Registry Office—Chapra.
(4) Tauzi No. 3549.
(5) Thak No. 63.
(6) Jama sadar—Rs. 608-1-6.
(7) Paidawar kham—Rs. 2,000.
(8) Minha revenue and dehi kharcha—Rs. 800.
(9) Net profit—Rs. 1,200.
(10) Encumbrance—Rs. 3,200, excluding interest.
(11) Approximate value—Rs. 1,308-14.

II.

3c. 10dh. out of 7 cottahs rent-free land, known as Bhathee, by virtue of purchase at auction-sale No. 2913, thak No. 63, situate in Ratanpura, pargana Manjhi, Registry Office Chapra, without encumbrance. Approximate value Rs. 400. Bounded on the north by house of Bachoo Pandit, at present Anant Lal, on the south by public road and Sarak garban, on the east by house of Makhan Khan, &c., at present Bibi Siftan, and on the west by lane and house of Najibulla, at present Mohender Pershad.

GOPI KRISHNA BANERJEE,
Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Saran.

Office of Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Chapra, the 2nd September 1903. (1007—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

TITLE SUIT (MORTGAGE) No. 44 OF 1902.

Jogendra Narayan Roy and another, decree-holders, *versus* (1) Hari Prasad Ghose Roy, (2) Nrisingha Prasad Ghose Roy, (3) Jagannath Prasad Ghose Roy and others, judgment debtors.

THE undermentioned property of the judgment-debtors will be sold by the Nazir at the sale-room of this Court at 12 o'clock noon on the 23rd October 1903 for the satisfaction of Rs. 16,700-1-6 in the above case:—

Eight annas zamindari right of the judgment-debtors Nos. (1), (2), and (3) in Lot Kodla Kabichandrapur, pargana Dayanagar, thana Gokarna Chowki, and sub-registry Kandi, in the district of Murshidabad, bearing tauzi No. 30 of the Murshidabad Collectorate, and sadar jama of the 16 annas of the Lot being Rs. 656-12-9. Of the said Lot mauza Kodla is let out in pattani to one Kangali Charan Mandal at an annual rent of Rs. 710-12-9 and Kabichandrapur at Rs. 385.

S. J. DOUGLAS, District Judge.

Birbhum, the 4th September 1903 (1008—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No 8 OF 1902.

WHEREAS the petition of Purna Chandra Chakrabarty for the winding up of the Dacca Loan Office Company, Limited, which was being proceeded with at the instance of Gobinda Chandra Das and others, was withdrawn by the said Gobinda Das and others, on the 29th August 1903:

And whereas, upon the said withdrawal, Biraj Mohon Das and thirty-one others petitioned this Court to proceed with the application for winding up in the place of the said Gobinda Chandra Das and others, which petition was allowed:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said Company that the 23rd November 1903 has been appointed for the hearing of the said petition and for determining whether any good and sufficient cause exists for passing an order for the winding up the said Company and for appointing an official liquidator for this purpose.

B V. NICHOLL, District Judge.

Dacca Judge's Office, the 1st September 1903. (1001—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of ARCHIBALD BEANTZ, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 3rd day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1010—2)

In the matter of KALAGUBLA SURYANARAYANA, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 22nd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. Mitter and Survadhicary, Attorneys. (1011—2)

In the matter of EDGAR HUNTER, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 3rd day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1012—2)

In the matter of BEMALA CHARAN MOOKERJEE, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 26th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Amar Nath Ghose, Attorney. (1013—2)

In the matter of GOPAL CHANDER NATH and ROJONI KANTO NATH, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 25th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Raj Kissore Bysack, Attorney. (1014—2)

In the matter of RAM TARUCK MOHAPATRA and SARODA PRASAD MOHAPATRA, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 25th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1015—2)

In the matter of GOOZNOOR MULL, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 28th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Akshoy Kumar Mitter, Attorney. (1016—2)

In the matter of MOGUL KHAN, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 26th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. C. Dutt, Attorney. (1017—2)

In the matter of JOHN REMPEY, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1018—2)

In the matter of GEORGE SANGWELL, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 28th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1019—2)

In the matter of CHUNI LAL DAS, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Monmotho Nath Sen, Attorney. (1020—2)

In the matter of ARTHUR JOHN CHARLES JOSEPH SUTHERLAND, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 4th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1021—2)

In the matter of ABDOOL WAHED KAZI, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 2nd day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Prannauth Paul, Attorney. (1022—2)

In the matter of MANGOLA CHARAN MOOKERJEE and JITENDRA NATH MOOKERJEE, insolvents.

On Friday, the 4th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. K. Mitter, Attorney. (1023—2)

In the matter of KOYLASH CHUNDER SINHA and TARUK NATH SINHA, insolvents.

On Saturday, the 5th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Amar Nath Ghose, Attorney. (1024—2)

In the matter of GOPAL CHUNDER NATH, residing at No. 27 Kabirajpara Lane, Pathuriaghatta, in the town of Calcutta, and ROJONI KANTO NATH, of Serampore, thana Satgachia, in the district of Burdwan, at present residing at No. 27 Kabiraj Lane in Calcutta aforesaid, both lately carried on business in co-partnership as petty dealers in piece-goods at Serampore aforesaid under the name and style of Rajoni Kanto Nath, the said Gopal Chunder Nath at present serving as a gomasta in the employ of Raghu Nath Das Jogunnath, of Harrison Road, Calcutta, and the said Rajoni Kanto Nath is without any occupation, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 25th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Raj Kissore Bysack, Attorney. (1025—1)

In the matter of MOGUL KHAN, residing at No. 8 Ripon Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately a butler under Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., but at present out of employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 26th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

J. C. Dutt, Attorney. (1026—1)

In the matter of GEORGE SANGWELL, of No. 55 Dhurumtollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, late an Assistant Station Master attached to the East Indian Railway, at present out of employ, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 28th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1027—1)

In the matter of MAKHAN LALL BOSE, residing at No. 63 Baniapooker Road, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as a tailor and cloth merchant at No. 90 Bowbazar Street in Calcutta, under the name, style and firm of Makhan Lall Bose, and at present of no occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 25th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Kali Mohun Rakshit, Attorney. (1028—1)

In the matter of RAM TARACK MOHAPATRA and SARODA PRASAD MOHAPATRA, both lately of Bistupur thana, post office, sub-registration and subdivision Bistupur, zilla Bankura, and both at present residing and carrying on business in co-partnership as proprietors of a Bengalee pathshala or vernacular school at No. 1 Herumbo Chandra Das's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 25th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1029—1)

In the matter of GOOZOOR MULL, residing at No. 8 Ramprosad Saha's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business of piece-goods at Khulna, in the district of Khulna, under the name, style and firm of Gonesh Das Goosoor Mull, at present having no employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 28th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

A. K. Mitter, Attorney. (1030—1)

In the matter of EDGAR HUNTER, of No. 71-1 Elliot Road, in the town of Calcutta, an Engineer in the Calcutta Tramways Company, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 3rd day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1031—1)

In the matter of ARCHIBALD BRANTS, of No. 10 Goorsamah's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, employed as an Operator in the Bengal Telephone Company, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 3rd day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1032—1)

In the matter of ARTHUR JOHN CHARLES JOSEPH SUTHERLAND, of No. 5 Ripon Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as order supplier and commission agent at No. 96 New China Bazar, in Calcutta, aforesaid, under the name and style of John A. Sutherland & Co., at present serving as a manager in the firm of Devere & Co., of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 4th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person (1033—1)

In the matter of ABDOOL WAHED KAZI, of No. 30 Market Street, in the town of Calcutta, a khansamah to Mr. Boyce, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 2nd day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Prannauth Paul, Attorney. (1034—1)

In the matter of CHUNNILAL DAS, residing at No. 13 Kristoram Bose's Street, in the town of Calcutta, Government pensioner, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Monmotho Nath Sen, Attorney. (1035—1)

In the matter of MANGOLA CHARAN MOOKERJEE and JITENDRA NATH MOOKERJEE, both residing at No. 60-1 Sukeas Street, in the town of Calcutta, and both lately carrying on business of plying cargo boats at No. 1 Swallow Lane, in Calcutta, aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Mangala Charan Mookerjee, at present having no employment, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 4th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

A. K. Mitter, Attorney. (1036—1)

In the matter of JOHN REMFRY, of No. 29 European Asylum Lane in Calcutta, Attorney-at-Law, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1037—1)

In the matter of KOYLASH CHUNDER SINHA and his son TARUK NATH SINHA, residing at 3-1 Sankar Ghose's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business under the name and style of K. C. Singhee & Co. as Wine and General Merchants and Commission Agents at 3-1 Wellesly Place, in the town of Calcutta, at present doing nothing, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 5th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Amar Nath Ghose, Attorney. (1038—1)

In the matter of BEMALA CHARAN MOOKERJEE, a clerk in the General Post Office, Calcutta, residing at No. 6 College Street Bye-lane, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as a tailor at No. 356 Upper Chitpore Road in Calcutta aforesaid under the name and style of S. B. Mookerjee, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 26th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee,

Amar Nath Ghose, Attorney.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 7th day of September 1903. (1039—1).

In the matter of BASAR LALL MITTER, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 15th day of September instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Sarat Kumar Sirkar, Attorney. (1043—1).

In the matter of MAKHAN LALL BOSE, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 7th instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 15th day of September instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Kali Mohun Rakshit, Attorney. (1044—1)

In the matter of CHOONI LALL DASS, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 7th instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 15th day of September instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Monmothonath Sen, Attorney.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 8th day of September 1903. (1045—1)

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. $\frac{4}{5}$ OF 1902.

Nimai Sheikh, petitioner.

NIMAI SHEIKH, son of Dhanu Mandal, deceased, of Medair, pargana Pukharia, district Mymensingh, was declared an insolvent by this Court under section 351, Civil Procedure Code.

BEHARI LAL BANERJI, Subordinate Judge.

The 1st September 1903. (992—1—866)

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. $\frac{23}{30}$ OF 1902.

Ghatu Mondal, petitioner.

GHATU MONDAL, son of Baduli Mondal, deceased, of Adachaki, pargana Kagmari, district Mymensingh, was declared an insolvent by this Court under section 351, Civil Procedure Code.

BEHARI LAL BANERJI, Subordinate Judge.

The 1st September 1903. (993—1—866)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 25 OF 1903.

In the matter of Dina Nath Bhuiyan

NOTICE is hereby given that Dina Nath Bhuiyan, of Alambazar, Barahnagore, district 24-Parganas, was this day declared an insolvent on the application of the creditor Gosta Behari Shaha, decree-holder. The 26th October 1903 is fixed for creditors to prove their debts.

C. P. CASPERSZ, District Judge, 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas District Judge's Court, the 17th August 1903. (1002—1—865)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENT CASE No. 3 OF 1903.

TROILOKYA NATH BARAT, son of Banowari Lal Barat Modak, resident of Bankura town, was declared insolvent by this Court on the 14th August 1903.

A. C. SEN, District Judge.

Bankura Judge's Office, the 3rd September 1903. (1005—1—863)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1903.

Rakhal Das Mukherji, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rakhal Das Mukherji, of Maherpore, thana Alipore, district 24-Parganas, was this day declared an insolvent. The 26th October 1903 is fixed for creditors to prove their debts.

C P. CASPERSZ, District Judge.

24-Parganas District Judge's Court, the 25th July 1903. (1040—1—867)

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Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	10th Sept.	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	9th ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	14th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	11th ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *A Apcar*.
Burma	10th ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	12th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway	12th ,,	,, 7 30	Ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Merguf ...	14th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte, and Nossi-Be	16th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Itria* from Colombo.
Port Blair	12th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.

For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M. — and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
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NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully pre paid will be received up to 8-45 P.M.

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CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 8th September 1903* } JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 28th August 1903.

Name of River.	Reach of River	Least depth of water soundings.		Remarks
		Ft.	In	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	20	0	
	Thence to Geriah	20	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	18	9	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	17	9	Fadilpore.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa .	17	0	Kedati
	,, Katwa to Nadia ..	18	6	Dewangunge.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	14	6	
	Thence to Akriganj	16	6	Chakarpara.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	14	0	Kesiadanga
	Thence to Patkabari	20	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	18	0	Jitpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges .	13	6	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	13	9	Jamalpur
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	14	6	Meghna
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	15	0	Kadipur
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ..	16	6	Chuadanga.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengunj and Hanskhali ..	16	6	Ganja.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date	Hour	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level	Remarks
Ganges ...	Sahebganj	29-8-1903	A M 6	Ft. 20·66	Ft 58·66	Rise.
	Rampur Boalia	29-8-1903	Noon	19·40	61 40	,,
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah .	30-8-1903	A M 7	.	71·40	,,
	Entrance of Bhyrab Jalangi, Akriganj	30-8-1903	7		60 00	,,
	Entrance of Mathabhanga	29-8-1903	...	19·25	..	Fall.
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	30-8-1903	A.M. 8	...	68·70	Rise
	Berhampore ..	31-8-1903	10 P M.	24·10	58 50	,,
	Katwa .	28-8-1903	6	26 50	41·66	Fall.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	28-8-1903	.. P.M.	20·50	...	,,
	Sarupganj ...	29-8-1903	6	..	23·50	,,
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ..	29-8-1903	4	17·30	.	,,

A. B BANERJEE, *Accti.*,

for Exs. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 31st August 1903.

NADIA RIVERS

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 4th September 1903.

Name of river	Reach of river.	Least depth of water soundings.		Remarks.
		Ft	In.	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ..	23	0	
	Thence to Geriah . .	21	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ..	21	0	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	20	0	Fadilpore.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa	19	0	Kedati
	,, Katwa to Nadia .	20	0	Kasipore.
Bhyrab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	17	0	
	Thence to Akriganj	16	0	Akhriganj.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhyrub and Jalangi	16	0	Kasiadanga.
	Thence to Patkabari	21	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia .	20	0	Bovarband ha.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	14	9	
	Thence to Dewanganj	16	0	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	16	0	Meghna.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia	16	6	Peerto la.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga	18	0	Khadispore.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissenganj and Hanskhali .	18	0	Ganjo.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea-level.	Remarks
...nges ...	Sahibganj	5-9-1903	A.M. 6	Ft. 21·16	Ft. 89 16	Rising.
	Rampur Boalia	5-9-1903	A M. 12	21 35	63·35	
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah	6-9-1903	A.M. 7	...	71 85	
	Entrance of Bhairab-Jalangi Akriganj ..	6-9-1903	A.M. 7	...	60·75	
	Entrance of Mathabhanga ...	5-9-1903	...	21·16	...	
Bhagirathi	Jangipur ..	6-9-1903	...	..	69 60	
	Berhampore ...	7-9-1903	A.M. 10	25·37	59 13	
	Katwa ...	4-9-1903	A.M. 6	27·90	43 06	
Jalangi ..	Krishnagar ..	4-9-1903	...	23·00	...	
	Sarupganj ..	5-9-1903	A.M. 12	...	24 90	
Mathabhanga	Hanskhali	5-9-1903	...	18·20	...	

S. S. PAUL, C.E.,

Exs. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 7th September 1903.

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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber on Saturday, the 8th August, 1903.

Present:

The Hon'ble MR. J. A. BOURDILLON, C.S.I., Acting Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*.
The Hon'ble MR. L. P. PUGH, *Offg.* Advocate-General of Bengal.
The Hon'ble MR. C. E. BUCKLAND, C.I.E.
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The Hon'ble Mr. A. EARLE.
The Hon'ble MR. W. A. INGLIS.
The Hon'ble MAHARAJA MANINDRA CHANDRA NANDY, of Cossimbazar.
The Hon'ble MR. H. ELWORTHY,
The Hon'ble MR. A. A. APCAR.
The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR.
The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR.
The Hon'ble NAWAB BAHADUR KHWAJA SALIMULLAH, of Dacca.
The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH, M.A., B.L.
The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, M.A., D.L., F.R.A.S., F.R.S.E.

NEW MEMBER.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA took his seat in Council.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

THE BHABUAH SUB-DIVISION OF SHAHABAD.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, in the absence of the Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY asked :—

Will the Government be pleased to state how the matter of providing the Bhabuah Sub-division in the Shahabad district stands with reference to the following points:—

(*a*) The recommendations of the Irrigation Commission.

(*b*) Orders of the Government of India, if any, on the subject.

(*c*) Action taken or proposed to be taken by the Bengal Government in the matter with the result in the former case?

The Hon'ble MR. INGLIS replied:—

"The Answer to the Hon'ble Member's questions is as follows:—

(*a*) The report of the Irrigation Commission has not yet been published.

(*b*) No orders have been passed by the Government of India on the subject.

(*c*) A preliminary survey has been made of the valley and catchment of the river Karmanassa. It has been ascertained that there is a possible site for a reservoir of considerable capacity. It is, however, doubtful whether the reservoir could be made within limits of cost proportionate to the value it would have as a protective work. The question is at present under inquiry."

PILFERING OF PARCELS ON RAILWAYS.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, asked:—

Has the attention of Government been called to an article in the "Moslem Chronicle" of the 1st August, 1903, headed "Pilfering of parcels on our Railways"?

Will the Government be pleased to direct the Railway Authorities to take steps to redress the grievance so generally complained of?

The Hon'ble MR. INGLIS replied:—

"The Lieutenant-Governor has seen the article referred to, and is aware that complaints of pilfering are frequently made. The Railway Authorities also are keenly alive to the existence of petty thieving and are doing what they can to stop it. In the absence of specific statements which can be verified, no useful action can be taken by Government."

TUTORS EMPLOYED TO TEACH ENGLISH AND LITERATURE IN COLLEGES IN BENGAL.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA asked:—

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the names of the gentlemen employed to teach English language and literature to students in the F.A., B.A., and M.A. classes of *first-grade* and *second-grade* Colleges under the Government of Bengal in the month of July, 1903?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to specify the Colleges in which no Europeans are employed to teach English language and literature in the F.A., B.A., and M.A. classes? In the case of each of the other Colleges, will the Government be pleased to specify how many European and how many Indian Professors are employed to teach English?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state the names of the Professors or Lecturers in the Presidency College who are employed to teach English and the respective classes taught by them?

The Hon'ble MR. EARLE replied:—

"A statement giving the information asked for is laid on the table."

The following is the statement referred to:—

(*a*) The names of the gentlemen employed to teach the English language and English literature to students in the F.A., B.A., and M.A. classes of first-grade and second-grade colleges under the Government of Bengal in the month of July, 1903, are as follow:—

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„ Aditya Nath Mukherjee, M.A.

B.A. ... ... Mr. Jogendra Nath Das Gupta, B.A. (Oxon).
Babu Bijoy Gopal Mukherjee, M.A.
Mr. H. M. Percival, M.A. (Lond.).

M.A. ... ... Mr. H. M. Percival, M.A. (Lond.).
„ Jogendra Nath Das Gupta, B.A. (Oxon).

Hooghly College.

F.A., B.A., and M.A. classes ... Babu Jyotish Chandra Banerjea, M.A.
„ Prakas Chandra Mazumdar, M.A.

Dacca College.

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Rajshahi College.

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„ Rakhal Das Ghosh, M.A.

Ravenshaw College.

F.A., B.A., and M.A. classes ... Babu Upendra Nath Maitra, M.A.
„ Ram Das Bhattacharya, M.A. (Officiating).

Krishnagar College.

F.A., B.A., and M.A. classes ... Babu Devendra Nath Bose, M.A.
„ Satis Chandra De, M.A.

Sanskrit College.

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Chittagong College.

F.A. ... ... Babu Khirod Chandra Ray Chowdhury, M.A.

Patna College.

F.A., B.A., and M.A. classes ... Mr. H. R. James, M.A. (Oxon).
Babu Jadu Nath Sarkar, M.A.

(*b*) The colleges in which no Europeans are employed to teach the English language and English literature in the F.A , B.A., and M.A. classes are—

Presidency College (at present one Eurasian and four Indian Professors are employed).	Rajshahi College.
Sanskrit College.	Krishnagar „
Hooghly „	Ravenshaw „
	Chittagong „
	Dacca „

In the remaining college, viz., the Patna College, one European and one Indian Professor are employed to teach English.

(*c*) The list below shows the names of the Professors or Lecturers in the Presidency College who are employed to teach English and the classes taught by them :—

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Fifth-year „	Mr. H. M. Percival, M.A. „ Jogendra Nath Das Gupta, B.A.

THE BENGAL SETTLED ESTATES BILL, 1903.

The Hon'ble MR BUCKLAND moved for leave to introduce a Bill to facilitate the family settlement of estates in Bengal. He said :—

"The Bill with the Statement of Objects and Reasons was, Sir, under your orders published in the Calcutta Gazette a few weeks ago, so that Hon'ble Members and the public have already had an opportunity of studying it. But I cannot rely upon the formal publication of the Bill as relieving me of the duty of offering an explanatory statement to the Council in making the motion which stands in my name. For some years past the British Indian Association have been applying to Government to legislate for the purpose of maintaining the position of the noble and wealthy families of Bengal, which, under the existing law of the Province, have been liable to fall into decay, owing, among other causes, to the division of estates, and many of which have, in fact, been thereby disintegrated. An incomplete list of the names of 25 such families was prepared without difficulty. The application of the landowners has met with the general approval of successive Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal and their advisers, and after a prolonged correspondence with the Government of India and the Secretary of State (which will show that the subject has been thoroughly discussed), the desirability of undertaking legislation for the family settlement of immoveable and moveable property in Bengal, with the object of preserving old or wealthy families from decay, maintaining their territorial influence and preventing the subdivision of estates of historical and political importance, has been acknowledged by all the authorities, and has found expression in a definite shape in this Bill. In other words, the object of the Bill is to make provision, in special cases approved by Government, for preserving the continuity of noble and influential families whose estates are not protected by the existing law from division on the decease of the proprietor.

"There are several main points to which I desire toinvite the attention of the Council. There is perhaps no sentiment more universal in civilized human nature than that of family pride, and it is only a natural consequence of this sentiment that heads of wealthy families should adopt all the measures in their power to found a family (as it is called , to preserve the continuity of the family, and to improve its status. Thus, in some cases in Bengal, and conspicuously so where there is an impartible Raj, the custom of primogeniture has prevailed, and it has been asserted that in former times large

zamindaris could be willed, and descended, when there was no will, to the eldest son exclusively, subject to the rights of other sons to maintenance. The number, however, of cases of indivisibility of property in a family has not been large in Bengal. Speaking generally, Hindu Law makes for the division of estates. That is the character of the local Law of Succession. In cases of intestacy the property must be divided among all the sons. The direct effect of the *Dayabhaga* Law which prevails in Lower Bengal is to partition and break up landed property on the death of an owner among all his sons. Its principle is that every son should have a share of the father's property, whether ancestral or self-acquired: at the same time it allows the holder of the property for the time being to give away the property by gift or otherwise to any one of his sons to the exclusion of the rest, or even to a stranger. The power of making one son the heir is not exercised generally, because it can only be exercised for one life, and in its operation there is no security against alienations either by sale or mortgage. The universal effect is the division of estates.

"The *Mitakshara* Law is somewhat different, but, whenever joint-property is divided, all the sons take equally. Under the *Mitakshara* Law, a father cannot settle property on any one of his sons. Under the *Dayabhaga* Law, a father, as the sole owner of what he has acquired by inheritance or otherwise, has full power to dispose of it by deed or will in favour of his eldest or another son to the exclusion of the remaining sons; but, as was settled more than 30 years ago in the great Tagore Will case which judgment did not deal with family settlements), he cannot settle it in favour of a son or remoter issue not born at the time of the settlement.

"The result, therefore, is that unless the Legislature intervenes, no Hindu head of a family can make a settlement of his property for the purpose of maintaining or improving the position of the family.

"So, also, the Muhammadans have a law of inheritance, which, it is true, is not peculiar to Bengal, but the effect of which is the universal disintegration of the Muhammadan families. That the Muhammadan community appreciate the ill-effects of the Muhammadan law of inheritance appears from their evasion of the law by the device of a family entail under the name of a religious endowment. This device has been declared by the Privy Council to be invalid. Therefore, unless the Legislature provides a means, the Muhammadans are left without resource. It has therefore been decided to legislate by a permissive measure to give both Muhammadans and Hindus the power, which they have shown themselves desirous of possessing, of making a family settlement of their property. No one can be called upon to take advantage of its provisions against his will. It has been decided also not to insist or rely in any way on primogeniture as the sole condition upon which immoveable property may be settled. The object is to preserve the continuity of the family in the possession of the settled estates, and for this purpose the succession of members of the family other than the eldest son may, within certain limits, properly be recognised.

"And here I would take the opportunity of observing that, though this is a Government measure in one sense, it is not a measure which Government bring forward for their own purposes. It is understood that the principle of the creation and preservation of a body of influential and powerful landed gentry is one which commands the sympathy of the Government of India, and, no doubt, it is to the interest of Government, who are responsible for the maintenance of law and order, to have the native leaders of society attached to them by some form of gratitude. Land-owners all over the world are a loyal and conservative body. This is so even where their tenures are the growth of ancient law and custom. And there are no firmer ties than that of land in India, where many of the tenures are the creation of the Imperial power. On occasions of plague, famine, religious and other disturbances, it is to the heads of the community that Government must turn, and experience shows that their influence can be best maintained, as a rule, by their position as landed proprietors. The heads of families who have a great stake in the country and have, in fact, claimed to be not only important factors in the social economy, but also the real pillars of the State, may be expected, in times of trouble and disturbance, to rally to the side of Government rather than to espouse the cause of its enemies.

"Moreover, wealthy and settled families may be expected to show more consideration to their subordinate tenure-holders and tenants than proprietors who acquire subdivided estates by the partition law or as money-lenders, and look more to making profit out of the land than to the maintenance of position and dignity by possessing it. It is a great satisfaction to Government to see a prosperous and contented peasantry. But what I wish to emphasise is that, though there may be incidental gains which may accrue to the State from the passing of this permissive measure, they are not the objects for which the Bill is being introduced. That the Bill is not a necessity for Government is clear for two reasons. The power of Government is sufficiently strong and established already: on the other hand, there is no ground for making any general charge of discontent or disloyalty against the land-owners of Bengal as necessitating such a measure. The Bill may be useful to Government as an auxiliary support, it is not an indispensable element of strength.

"It has, indeed, been decided by Government that it is impossible to grant in full the application of the Bengal landowners, which originally aimed at obtaining legislation to permit the settlement of estates in perpetuity. It has long been the settled policy of the Statute Law of England to forbid perpetuities. This policy has been accepted in most civilised countries, and is based on the recognition of the principle that economically it is not expedient to fetter the free transfer of property. Departures from this principle can only be supported on the ground of strong political necessity. Exceptions have been made, indeed, from the settled policy of the Government of India and the Secretary of State in favour of certain talukdars of Oudh and in respect of certain ancient zamindaris in the Madras Presidency. But it has been ruled that there is no such necessity for a similar exception to the general policy of the Government of India being granted to the zamindars of Bengal. The law against perpetuities, as it works in England, means that property can be settled for a life or lives in being and 21 years. It has been decided, by slightly varying the English practice, to allow settlements of moveable and immoveable property to be made in Bengal, limited to three generations, not to three lives, and to allow each successive proprietor on succeeding to the property as tenant for life to make a new settlement, should he wish to do so. The right to make a new settlement is to be specifically granted afresh by the Local Government. The rights to be created by or under the family settlement are to prevail over rights derived from family custom or from the general law of succession to which the parties are subject. While a settlement will not have effect beyond the period authorized in the Bill, the opportunity to be given for re-settlement from time to time can be taken if the tenants for life so desire.

"If the Council have borne in mind what I said a few minutes ago about the present requirements of the Hindu and Muhammadan Laws, it will be obvious that this permissive Bill will give the heads of wealthy and influential families in Bengal power to make settlements of property which they cannot at present make. Though such settlements will be of a limited character—not in perpetuity—there will be nothing to prevent the settlement being continued to infinity, if the successive tenants for life are actuated by a becoming family pride and desire to maintain and improve the position of the family according to the provisions of the Bill. In England the settlements of land are strictly limited by law, but they have answered their purpose very well. In the case of almost every great English estate, it is protected by a deed which has no operation beyond the lives of the parties and their children. The main object of the deed is to keep the *corpus* of the property intact in he hands of the eldest son; the subsidiary object is to provide for the maineenance of widows and younger children. The settlement is renewed once n a generation, usually when the eldest son comes of age, or marries. The ackbone of the English law of settlement is the rule against perpetuities, to hich I have alluded. The question which Government has had to consider as been whether it would be possible to devise a form of settlement which ould enable land-owners in Bengal to do for themselves what English landwners have been doing for many generations. The present Bill is the olution of the question offered. Its provisions I propose to deal with more ully when speaking to the motion for referring the Bill to a Select Committee.

"At present, Sir, I have the honour to move for leave to introduce the Bill to facilitate the family settlement of estates in Bengal."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. BUCKLAND also applied to the President to suspend the Rules of Business for the purpose of introducing the Bill and referring it to a Select Committee.

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT having declared the Rules suspended—

The Hon'ble MR. BUCKLAND introduced the Bill and moved that it be read in Council.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Bill was read accordingly.

The Hon'ble MR. BUCKLAND also moved that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee, consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Pugh, the Hon'ble Mr. Gupta, the Hon'ble Mr. Hare, the Hon'ble Maharaja Manindra Chandra Nandy, of Cossimbazar, the Hon'ble Rai Tarini Pershad, Bahadur, the Hon'ble Nawab Bahadur Kwaja Salimullah, of Dacca, the Hon'ble Dr. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya and the Mover, with instructions to report at the next meeting of the Council. He said:—

"Sir, I said just now that in speaking to this motion I should deal more fully with the provisions of the Bill The Bill itself is based partly upon the Oudh Settled Estates Act, 1900, so far as regards procedure and powers of alienation, and partly upon the Indian Perpetuities Bill in the form originally submitted by the British Indian Association. Many of the provisions of the Oudh Act which appear superfluous and unsuitable to Bengal have been omitted. The framework of the Bill may be briefly described. After the usual preliminary sections containing the title and definitions, there follow sections 3 to 6 which deal with the manner in which applications are to be made for permission to make a settlement and with the preliminary inquiries which are required before Government passes final orders on an application unless it is summarily rejected. Sections 7 to 16 deal with the provisions of such settlements, and explain how they are to be notified, how they may be modified or revoked and what is to be their effect. Sections 17 to 20 explain certain restrictions of the powers of the tenants for life, while sections 21 and 22 are intended to prevent the defeat of settlements under this measure by the operation of the Revenue Sale Law. Sections 23 and 24 deal with notifications and empower Government to make rules under the Act. Such is, speaking broadly, the framework of the Bill. I now turn to particular sections.

"In section 2 a change in the definition of the word 'estate' has recently been introduced by which that word has been made to include not only immoveable property, but also money and jewellery or other moveable property which should, in the opinion of the Local Government, be treated as heirlooms. Sections 3 and 4 particularly avoid specifying any classes of landholders who may be supposed to be entitled to make settlements and leave the power to grant such a concession entirely within the discretion of the Local Government. Section 5 provides for the issue of notifications for the purpose of giving full and free publicity to important transactions of the nature of such a settlement, so that objections may be filed and considered in time. It is thought that, unless such notifications are published, it will be impossible for Government to ascertain the actual financial position of an estate. Section 6 deals with the rejection or approval of applications after notifications have issued.

"Sections 7 and 8 deal with the order of succession. They are intended to provide for settlement for three generations, *i.e.*, (1) the original settlor, the first tenant for life, (2) the second tenant for life, and (3) the ultimate holder.

It is in this section that the variations from the present Hindu law are introduced, as the terms of the section allow a settlement of property upon one son only and upon a person yet unborn. The same section 7 provides that the settlement shall usually follow the natural course of succession, but a departure from this rule may be sanctioned by the Local Government for sufficient reason. There is nothing in the section which can be construed as allowing an estate to be settled away from the family in any case. From the reports that have already reached my hand it is evident that there is a considerable difference of opinion about this section which will require to be very carefully considered by the Select Committee. By a definition in the Bill the word 'son' includes an adopted son, and the Hindu practice of adoption makes it unlikely that settlors will often die without heirs. But section 8 makes provision for this extreme case by requiring that every settlement should contain provisions for further remainders.

"Under section 9 all incumbrances have to be specified in the settlement. Then provision has to be made for the discharge of incumbrances, for the payment of interest, for the maintenance of the widows, unmarried daughters and relatives (other than the second tenant for life) of the settlor. The same section provides for management in possible cases of minority. No restrictions on management, such as are found in English law, are imposed on an adult tenant for life in view of the strong opinion expressed by the British Indian Association in favour of giving the tenant for life absolute control over the property, subject of course to the provisions of sections 17 and 19, which impose restrictions on alienation and leases by the tenant for life.

"Section 10 provides for additions to the settled estate at any time and for the making of a fresh settlement either by the original settlor or by a subsequent tenant for life. The expression used in the Bill is that the fresh settlement is to be in supersession of the former settlement. It is not quite clear to me whether it is meant that the fresh settlement must contravene the former one, or whether it really means that a continuation or renewal of the former settlement will amount to a fresh settlement. I think this point requires examination.

"Sections 11, 12 and 13 state the formalities which must be observed before a settlement can take effect. It will be observed that section 12, sub-section (*2*), provides that every such deed of settlement should bear a stamp of a value equivalent to one-fourth of the annual net profits of the estate comprised in the settlement, and such stamp-duty is made payable within three years. I am afraid that this provision of the Bill will be regarded as a severe tax by intending settlors, but it has been inserted by the Government of India as the condition on which the privilege of making such settlements is accorded, and it is perfectly clear that, if the condition is not accepted, the Bill, though passed by this Council, will not be approved by the Government of India. There is no alternative between accepting the provision and wrecking the Bill.

"Section 14 contains provisions necessary to prevent the ordinary law of the country or a special custom from operating to defeat settlements made under the Bill. Sections 15 and 16 provide for the revocation and cancelment of a settlement, for it seems proper that it should be possible under due safeguards, such as the sanction of Government, to terminate a settlement at any time.

"Sections 17 to 20 limit the powers of the tenant for life and save the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act of 1885. They also contain provisions that, when any portion of an estate is sold or when any premium or fine is taken for a lease, the proceeds shall accrue through official channels to the benefit of the estate, and not to the personal benefit of the tenant for life for the time being. Under the English law, as altered by modern legislation, the life owner of a great estate is usually invested with extensive powers of management: he may, for example, mortgage or sell the estate or part of it, but any capital sums which he may realize by the exercise of those powers are paid over to trustees and held by them on the same trusts as the land. The system works well in England, because it is not difficult to find good trustees. In India it may not be possible to find satisfactory trustees to act without remuneration, so that it is considered necessary, in such matters as the

alienation or lease of a portion of a settled estate, to empower some officer of Government to perform the duties of a trustee.

"Sections 21 and 22 deal with the recommendations made by the British Indian Association, that a settled estate should be protected from sale under the Revenue Sale Law for default in the payment of land revenue. If it were possible for a tenant for life to default in the payment of the land revenue of an estate and thereby bring an estate to sale, it would be possible for him, unless otherwise prevented, to pocket the surplus proceeds of the sale. It is well known that in most cases there is a handsome surplus of the sale-proceeds after the arrear of Government revenue has been satisfied in a revenue sale. It has, therefore, been provided that such surplus of the sale-proceeds shall accrue to the benefit of the estate, and not to the personal profit of the tenant for life. The latter will, therefore, have no object in voluntarily incurring an arrear of land revenue so as to bring the estate to sale. Section 21 contains also a proviso to guard against the danger of *benami* purchases at sales for arrears of revenue. There is nothing more to be said about sections 23 and 24 of the Bill.

"These observations will, I trust, have put the Council in possession of all the points of the Bill which are worthy of their present notice."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I do not think the Bill, so far as its main principle is concerned, can be open to any serious objection. It proposes to ensure permanence and stability of the ancient aristocracy of the Province, and as such it will be generally regarded as a wholesome measure. But it cannot at the same time be denied that the Bill will make a rather violent change in the existing Law of Succession. Under the *Dayabhaga* School of Hindu Law, one can bequeath his properties by a testamentary disposition or make a gift thereof in favour of any individual he chooses, and can even disinherit his own issues, but the gift must be to a person in existence and capable of taking effect at the time of the gift. Section 7 of the Bill, however, shows that a person making a settlement of his estate will be entitled to make such settlements in favour of an unborn son and even the son of an unborn son. The change will appear all the more striking in a case where a family is governed by the *Mitakshara* School of Hindu Law. In such a case a son by his very birth acquires a right to the ancestral property, and the father has not the power to dispose of the property either by will or gift, but under the provisions of the Bill, all the sons except one may be excluded from their legitimate shares in the ancestral property. This is certainly a point deserving of serious consideration, and I do not think it can possibly be intended that the Bill should go so far as to entitle a person to make settlement of a property over which he has no right of disposal under the principles of ordinary law. It seems to me to be desirable that the applicability of the provisions of the Bill should be restricted to large estates, and a pecuniary limit for this purpose should, if possible, be fixed.

"The objectionable feature of the Bill is, however, redeemed to a certain extent by the fact that it is a purely permissive measure, and in its practical application can affect only a few families in the whole of the Province, and that in the case of such as would voluntarily avail themselves of its provisions.

"In matters of detail the Bill is open to objection in several other respects, but I do not think I should be justified in taking up the time of the Council by dwelling upon such questions at this stage, as it will be for the Select Committee to carefully consider all questions of details."

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR, said:—"I heartily thank His Excellency the Viceroy and Your Honour's Government for the measure which has just been introduced by the Hon'ble Member in charge of it. I must say, Sir, that in the new measure I am not personally interested, for I have no property which is either large or of any importance which will in any way personally interest me in the new legislation. I, however, feel rejoiced at this occasion, as when it becomes law it will be a boon to those who are looking forward to it with unsavoury hearts.

"I must also say that if such a measure had ripened into law much earlier, many estates belonging to ancient families would have avoided a shipwreck and continued at least much longer than they did—many estates of considerable value and extent would have avoided change of hands and dismemberment.

What the Hon'ble Member in charge has with Your Honour's permission introduced into the Council is nothing like anything unknown to this country. It owes its origin to long-established usages and customs existing from time immemorial, Regulation XI of 1793 and subsequent Regulations and the decided cases of the highest Courts testifying to the fact of the existence of such usages and customs.

"I would beg to lay before Your Honour a small mistake in the reply sent by the Bhagalpur Landholders' Association. They were under a wrong impression when considering the Bill that it will generally apply to Bengal proper and to the whole Presidency. It applies really to the whole Presidency, and it is all right.

"The provision in the Bill for stamp duty is looked upon by the public as a very harsh measure, and if it be not in the province of the Local Government and the Council to bring down the rate to a more reasonable and fair level, it had better be left alone, and the Bill, I hope, with certain improvements will become law.

"Another matter I beg to notice is that the definition of 'estates' should be made definite and final once for all, subject only as usual to be modified later on if necessary."

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said:—"Sir,—Under the Rules for the conduct of Legislative Business in this Council, when a motion is made that a Bill be referred to a Select Committee, the principle of the Bill and its general provisions may be discussed; I trust, therefore, I may, without impropriety, submit to the Council, at this stage, some observations on the measure now before us.

"In the first place, I may be permitted to observe that the proposed legislation is of a very exceptional character. It restricts, in some measure, the operation of the rule against perpetuities and of the other wholesome rules which regulate the creation of future interests and the imposition of restraints on the alienation of property. It is too late in the day to question the policy which underlies these rules, and which has stood the test of criticism for centuries. Any legislative measure which purports to interfere with these rules, and which renders it possible that a considerable proportion of the land and capital of the community may be put in fetters, requires to be jealously scrutinised, and, I may say without hesitation, that if the measure now before us had gone much further than it does, had been of unrestricted application, and had not contained the safeguards to be found in the Bill, I should have found it extremely difficult to give it even my qualified support.

"The principle, however, which underlies the Bill, namely, the preservation of the ancient and aristocratic families of this Province from decay, has my unqualified approval, and, in so far as the provisions of the Bill are calculated to attain that object, they have my hearty support. I am afraid, however, that the extent to which by this Bill a concession is made in favour of our landed aristocracy has been misunderstood and to some extent exaggerated. Under the law as it has now been settled by judicial decision, a Hindu is entitled to deal with his property freely if the estate which he creates is, in respect of quality and quantity, such as is recognised in Hindu law and is not opposed to any principles of public policy. As pointed out by the Judicial Committee in the celebrated case of Tagore *vs.* Tagore, a Hindu is entitled to create a succession of life estates, provided the donee is a person in existence at the date of the gift. If, therefore, a landowner has his son and grandson alive, he is entitled to give a life-interest in his properties to his son, and subject to such life-estate, an absolute interest to his grandson. The Bill in substance provides that this may be lawfully done even if the son and the grandson are not in existence.

"To this extent the Bill abrogates the rule that the donee must be in existand ence capable of taking at the time when the gift is made; to the same extent, also, the Bill makes the rule against perpetuities inapplicable; subject in each instance to the restriction that the donee is selected with reference to the rule of primogeniture. The exception, therefore, which is made to the ordinary law of the land in favour of the aristocracy is of a limited character and ought to meet with our approval. In the absence of any provision in the law similar to those contained in the Bill, our ancient and wealthy families must ultimately be ruined; their estate must in each generation be divided amongst the owners,

and consequently their family prestige and territorial influence considerably diminished.

"The observations I have made are applicable primarily to Hindu families, but they apply with still greater force to the Muhammadan nobility, who live under a law which allows upon the death of a proprietor, not merely his sons, but a number of relations, more or less remote, to partake in the inheritance. Indeed, I may be permitted to observe that so far as these Muhammadan families are concerned, the Bill in one sense comes too late for families in which a number of heirs has already succeeded to the inheritance, and I am happy to find that my views are in entire agreement with those of my hon'ble friend, the Nawab Bahadur of Dacca, when I say that it would have been more satisfactory if some scheme had been devised and embodied in the Bill for vesting the management of the entire estate belonging to such noble Muhammadan families in the eldest male member, who might rightly be regarded as the head of the family, and would be able to maintain its dignity and traditions.

"In the second place, Sir, I may be permitted to point out that the legislation is of a purely permissive character. The provisions of the Bill when passed into law will not be forced upon any of His Majesty's subjects, and it is idle to say that it interferes with the personal law of any member of the community, be he Hindu or Muhammadan. It is entirely optional with a landowner to say whether he will take advantage of the provisions of the Act or not. If he chooses to avail himself of the provisions of the Act, his choice will have to be approved by the Local Government before the settlement can be effected. I hope I am not making too great an assumption when I say that the Local Government may be trusted to exercise the discretion so vested in it fairly and wisely. At any rate, I have seen no substantial reasons advanced as to why such discretion should not be vested in the Local Government.

"I do not, Sir, at this stage propose to detain the Council with an examination of the various provisions of the Bill, but I may be permitted to point out that the details will have to be carefully examined. I may indicate, for instance, one question which will have to be faced, namely, the applicability of the Bill to the great landowners of Bihar, who are governed by the *Mitakshara* law. Other points which will require careful consideration will be, the number of generations to which the settlement should be limited, the provisions which must be adequate and effective for the maintenance of the relations of the settlor, the payment of the stamp duty on the settlement, the effect of this Bill upon existing laws and customs, and last, but not least, the question of the satisfaction of the debts due to creditors, raised in the very important letter from the Secretary to the Trades Association, which was placed in our hands last night. These and various other questions will have to be carefully considered and minutely scrutinised. I may be permitted, therefore, to express the hope that adequate time will be given to the Select Committee for the fullest discussion of every point connected with the Bill, and for the amplest consideration of representations which may be made by persons interested in or affected by a measure of such vital importance. Though I do not profess to be wholly unfamiliar with the subject, it seems to me that adequate time is absolutely necessary for the consideration of the details of this Bill in their various aspects."

The Hon'ble MAHARAJA MANINDRA CHANDRA NANDY, of Cossimbazar, said:—"I beg fully to support the Hon'ble Dr. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya. I also thank the Government for the introduction of this Bill, which will be a great boon to noble families of Bengal. There are many matters in this Bill that will require to be carefully considered and discussed, and I beg also that sufficient time be given for this discussion."

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR, said:—"The policy that underlies this measure seems to me to be a sound and wholesome one, and the object of the Bill is to preserve the continuity of influential zamindar families, both Hindu and Muhammadan.

"From the Muhammadan point of view, Sir, I may submit that there seems to be no objection to the principle of the Bill, inasmuch as this principle is recognised in the Muhammadan Law itself and is known as Wakf Alal Aulad, or settlement on children. Although unfortunately the Privy Council has given an adverse decision on this point, but a large proportion of Muhammadan lawyers and authorities do not agree with the view of the Privy Council, and

maintain that the Muhammadan law recognises this principle in our Wakf Alal Aulad, or settlement on children. That being so there will be no objection from the Muhammadan point of view to the principle of the Bill. No doubt it appears that the Bill trenches on the doctrine of perpetuity, but under section 2, clause (*d*), of the Transfer of Property Act, the Muhammadan Law is saved from the law of perpetuity. In other words, a Muhammadan can create a perpetuity even in spite of that law, as he is saved by section 2, clause (*d*). But, Sir, I quite agree with my hon'ble and learned friend, Dr. Asutosh Mukhopadhyaya, that this Bill does not go far enough, and I venture to urge that, unless the suggestion of the Hon'ble Nawab Bahadur of Dacca is adopted, and if this Bill is passed into law as it stands, it will be almost a dead-letter, because there is hardly one Muhammadan property in Bengal of which one person is the sole proprietor. The Bill provides only for cases in which there are no co-sharers, where a man is the sole proprietor, and therefore Muhammadans will hardly be able to avail themselves of the benefits this measure is designed to confer. I trust that this matter will be carefully considered by the strong Select Committee that has been formed, and I hope they will see their way to giving the Bill a wider scope, for otherwise it will be of no avail to the Muhammadans in the Province.

"There is another point to which I should like to refer, and that is with reference to the stamp duty. The Council are no doubt aware that there is a consensus of opinion against the provisions of section 12 as regards the stamp duty, and there also seems to be objection as to whether the power of revocation ought to be given. I commend these matters to the careful consideration of the Select Committee, and while supporting the Bill submit that it ought to have a wider scope."

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"Before putting this motion I desire to advert for one moment to the remarks which have fallen from some Hon'ble Members to the effect that full time should be given for the consideration of this Bill before the Select Committee submit their Report. As Hon'ble Members will see the terms of the motion which I have to put before the Council are that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee with directions to report at the next meeting of the Council, and the present intention is that the next meeting of the Council shall be on Friday next. I see that this announcement has been received with some surprise, and I therefore proceed to explain what the reasons are for calling a meeting of the Council at such an early date.

"In the first place, this Council will shortly disperse and the members of Government who compose it will be leaving Calcutta. During the week that is before us it is the intention of the Member in charge of the Bill to have several meetings of the Select Committee so that the work may be got through as quickly and as thoroughly as possible, and that their Report may be prepared by next Friday. After that if the Report is prepared and presented, my intention is that it should be published for thorough and extensive criticism by all those concerned, and that the Select Committee's Report should not be taken up for consideration till some date at the beginning of the cold weather, so that six weeks or two months will be given for a complete study of that Report. Another reason is that it seems most likely that several important matters will be brought forward in Select Committee, and it may be necessary to refer some of them to the Government of India. If the Select Committee submit their Report next Friday, there will be time to submit those matters to the Government of India and to receive their reply before the next meeting of the Council.

"These are the reasons which have led me to think that this Report should be submitted at such an early date. I desire to add that it is always in the power of the Select Committee to submit a supplementary or additional report after receiving further suggestions."

The Motion was then put and agreed to.

The Council was adjourned to Friday, the 14th August, 1903, at 11 A.M.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
For Secretary to the Bengal Council and
Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

CALCUTTA;
The 7th September, 1903.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber on Friday, the 14th August, 1903.

Present:

The Hon'ble MR. J. A. BOURDILLON, C.S.I., Acting Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*.

The Hon'ble MR. L. P. PUGH, *Offg.* Advocate-General of Bengal.

The Hon'ble MR. C. E. BUCKLAND, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. B. L. GUPTA.

The Hon'ble MR. L. HARE, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. L. P. SHERIFF.

The Hon'ble MR. A. EARLE.

The Hon'ble BABU CHATURBHOOJ SAHAY.

The Hon'ble MAHARAJA MANINDRA CHANDRA NANDY, of Cossimbazar.

The Hon'ble MR. H. ELWORTHY.

The Hon'ble MR. A. A. APCAR.

The Hon'ble MAULVI SERAJ-UL-ISLAM, KHAN BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble RAI TARINI PERSHAD, BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble NAWAB BAHADUR KHWAJA SALIMULLAH, of Dacca.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA, M.A., D.L., F.R.A.S., F.R.S.E.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

EXPENDITURE FOR EDUCATIONAL REFORMS.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA said :—

In the Bengal Financial Statement for 1902-1903, under head 22—Education, Rs. 42,42,000 was budgeted, including an Imperial grant of Rs. 10,00,000, for educational reforms.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to furnish details showing in what manner the normal grant of Rs. 32,42,000 and the special grant of Rs. 10,00,000 were actually spent between the 1st April, 1902, and the 31st March, 1903 ?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state how much of such expenditure under each head was incurred between the date of the preparation of the Bengal Financial Statement for 1903-1904 and the 31st March, 1903 ?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state the substance of any instructions given by the Government of India as to the manner in which the Imperial grant of Rs. 10,00,000 was to be spent, contained in their letters dated the 10th March, 1902, 10th May, 1902, and any other letters on the subject ?

(*d*) Is it true that the Imperial grant of Rs. 10,00,000 was intended to meet, in part, the expenditure which will be the outcome of the recommendations of the Educational Conference held at Simla in September, 1901 ? If so, will the Government be pleased to state what are the recommendations of the Conference which have been so carried out ?

(*e*) Will the Government be pleased to state what sum out of the ordinary Education grant of Rs. 32,42,000, and what sum out of the Imperial grant of Rs. 10,00,000, included in the Financial Statement of 1902-1903, actually remained unexpended on the 31st March, 1903 ? Will the Government be pleased to state whether such unexpended balance lapsed to Government ?

The Hon'ble MR. EARLE replied :—

"(*a*) The statistical information asked for in clause (*a*) of the Hon'ble Member's question is furnished, as far as it is available, in a statement which is laid on the table. The replies to the remaining clauses of the question are as follow :—

"(*b*) No reply can be given to this question, because, as a matter of fact, the Bengal Financial Statement is under preparation during the month of March : in the current year it was presented on the 27th of that month.

"(*c*) and (*d*) (*i*) The Government of India, in their letter of the 10th March, 1902, referred to by the Hon'ble Member, stated that they had decided to make a recurring grant of Rs. 10,00,000 to Provincial Revenues to meet increased expenditure under Education, while in their letter of the 10th May, 1902, they stated that the grant of ten lakhs was intended to meet, in part, the expenditure which would be the outcome of the recommendations of the Educational Conference held at Simla in September, 1901, and should not be generally utilised for charges falling outside that expenditure. No further instructions have been given with regard to this subject by the Government of India.

"(*ii*) The Lieutenant-Governor is not able to furnish information showing which of the recommendations of the Educational Conference, held at Simla in 1901, have been carried out, because the proceedings of that Conference are still treated as confidential.

"(*e*) A sum of Rs. 2,07,774 out of the Provincial grant of Rs. 32,42,000 and a sum of Rs. 2,05,409 out of the Imperial grant of Rs. 10,00,000 remained unexpended on the 31st March, 1903. The unexpended balances lapsed to Government."

The following is the statement above referred to:—

THE actual expenditure out of the sum of Rs. 42,42,000 provided in the Education Budget was Rs. 38,28,837, as shown below:—

			Rs.
(1)	Direction		68,119
	Inspection		3,44,058
	Government Colleges	Arts	5,49,928
		Industrial and technical ...	2,25,146
	Government Schools ...	High and middle	6,45,954
		Survey and training ...	2,62,874
	Grants-in-aid		5,39,727
	Primary Schools		1.83,345
	Scholarships		1,98,903
	Miscellaneous		75,784
	Refunds		6,229
	Total ...		31,00,067
(2)	Transferred to District Boards—		
	For the improvement of primary education ...		3,71,700
	„ additional Sub-Inspectors of Schools		18,900
	„ „ remuneration to teachers in primary schools		1,16,170
	„ purchase of furniture, etc., in primary schools ...		52,815
	Total ...		5,59,585
(3)	Transferred to the Public Works Department—		
	For Educational works		1,69,185
	GRAND TOTAL ...		38,28,837

The information available does not show separately and in detail the items of expenditure of the grant of Rs. 32,42,000 and of the Imperial grant of Rs. 10,00,000. Approximately, the expenditure incurred from the former amounted to Rs. 30,34,246, and that from the latter to Rs. 7,94,591.

REDUCTION OF GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIPS.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA asked:—

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the junior Government scholarships awarded upon the results of the Entrance Examination of the Calcutta University and the senior Government scholarships awarded upon the results of the F. A. Examination of the Calcutta University have been reduced both in number and amount? If so, will the Government be pleased to state the extent of such reduction?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state in what year the amount of each scholarship, which has now been reduced, was originally fixed? Will the Government be pleased to state for how many years the number which is now reduced has continued unchanged?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state (1) the number of candidates who appeared at the Entrance and F. A. Examinations of the Calcutta University in 1903; (2) the number of junior and senior scholarships awarded upon the results of such examinations and the value of each of such scholarships; (3) the number of candidates who appeared at the Entrance and F. A. Examinations of the Calcutta University in the year in which the number and value of the junior and senior scholarships were fixed at the figures which were in force up to 1902; (4) the number and value of each of such scholarships in the year just mentioned?

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is true that some of the junior scholarships previously awarded upon the results of the University Entrance Examination have been diverted for the encouragement of students passing by the B and C standards under the new bifurcation scheme? If so,

will the Government be pleased to state the number and value of the scholarships so diverted? Will the Government be pleased to state the number of students who have appeared, or are likely to appear, at the B and C standard examinations and to whom the competition for the diverted scholarships is confined?

(*e*) Is the Government aware that though the ordinary monthly tuition fee in the Presidency College is Rs. 12, an exception has hitherto been made in the case of students holding junior scholarships who are required to pay only Rs. 10, being the amount of the junior scholarship of the lowest grade? Inasmuch as the value of the junior scholarship of the lowest grade is now reduced from Rs. 10 to Rs. 8, will the Government be pleased to consider whether the tuition fee in the Presidency College should not be reduced from Rs. 10 to Rs. 8 in the case of students holding junior scholarships?

(*f*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to paragraphs 71 to 75 of the Report of the Indian Universities Commission relating to the raising of fees in Colleges and the establishment of a "comprehensive and liberal system of scholarships" for the benefit of "poor but really able students"? Will the Government be pleased to consider whether it is advisable to reduce the number and value of the scholarships when the question of raising the fees and establishing a liberal system of scholarships is under the consideration of the Government of India?

(*g*) Will the Government be pleased to state the reasons for the reduction in the *value* of the scholarships? Will the Government be pleased to state what is the amount saved annually by such reduction?

The Hon'ble MR. EARLE replied:—

"The statistical information asked for by the Hon'ble Member, under heads (*a*) to (*d*) of this question, is given in a statement which is laid on the table. The replies under heads (*e*), (*f*) and (*g*) are as follow:—

"(*e*)—Government is aware that junior scholars reading in the Presidency College are required to pay Rs. 10 a month as tuition fees. The question of a reduction of these fees, in the case of these scholars, who now receive stipends amounting to Rs. 8 *per mensem* only, was fully considered in the year 1902, but it was decided that no change should be made.

"(*f*) and (*g*)—Government is fully aware of the remarks recorded in paragraphs 71 to 75 of the University Commission's report, to which the Hon'ble Member has alluded, and those observations are still under consideration. The reduction in the number and value of the scholarships now under discussion was made at the instance of the Government of India, who, in reviewing the Report on the Progress of Education in India from 1892-93 to 1896-97, observed that the amount spent on junior and senior scholarships in Bengal had exceeded the 2 *per cent.* limit fixed by the Education Commission of 1881. A reduction was, accordingly, effected in the manner above shown, the whole of the amount thus set free (Rs. 14,376 *per annum*) being allotted for the creation of additional primary scholarships."

The following is the statement above referred to:—

(*a*)—The number of Junior Government Scholarships awarded upon the results of the Entrance Examination of the Calcutta University has been reduced by 18, but no reduction has been made in the number of Senior Government Scholarships awarded upon the results of the F. A. Examination. The values of both the Junior and Senior Scholarships have been reduced, as shown below:—

JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIPS.

1st grade.

6 Scholarships from Rs. 20 to Rs. 16 a month.

2nd grade.

41 Scholarships from Rs. 15 to Rs. 12 a month.

3rd grade.

87 Scholarships from Rs. 10 to Rs. 8 a month.

SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS.

1st grade.

10 Scholarships from Rs. 25 to Rs. 20 a month.

2nd grade.

40 Scholarships from Rs. 20 to Rs. 16 a month.

(*b*)–The values and number of these scholarships were originally fixed in the year 1889. No change was made in the number of these scholarships till the year 1902.

(*c*) (1)—The number of candidates who appeared at the Entrance and F. A. Examinations of the Calcutta University in the year 1903 from schools or colleges in Bengal, exclusive of private candidates, who are ineligible for scholarships, was 5,693 and 3,552, respectively.

(2) The number of Junior Scholarships awarded on the result of the Entrance Examination, exclusive of 3 special scholarships for females and 20 special scholarships for Muhammadans, was 134, while the number of Senior Scholarships awarded on the result of the F. A. Examination, exclusive of 2 scholarships for females and 20 special scholarships for Muhammadans, was 50. The values of these scholarships were as shown under (*a*) above. The values of special scholarships for girls are the same as those of scholarships for boys, while the values of the special Senior Scholarships for Muhammadans are Rs. 10, or Rs. 7 a month, respectively (10 at Rs. 10 and 10 at Rs. 7), and those of special Junior Scholarships for Muhammadans are Rs. 7 a month.

(3) The number of candidates who appeared at the Entrance and F. A. Examinations of the Calcutta University in the year 1889 from the schools or colleges in Bengal, exclusive of private candidates, who are not eligible for scholarships, was 4,761 and 2,099, respectively.

(4) In the year 1889 there were 152 Junior Scholarships, exclusive of 3 special scholarships for females and 20 special scholarships for Muhammadans, and 50 Senior Scholarships, exclusive of 2 special scholarships for girls and 20 special scholarships for Muhammadans. The values of the Junior Scholarships were Rs. 20, Rs. 15 and Rs. 10, and those of the Senior Scholarships Rs. 25 and Rs. 20, respectively. The values of the special scholarships for girls were the same as those of scholarships for boys, while those of special scholarships for Muhammadans were as shown in *c* (2) above.

(*d*)–Four Junior Scholarships of the first grade, 6 of the second grade, and 8 of the third grade, of the values of Rs. 16, Rs. 12 and Rs. 8, respectively, previously awarded upon the result of the Entrance Examination, have been transferred to students passing by the B and C standards under the new bifurcation scheme. The number of students who appeared at the recent B and C examinations was 84.

PLACING OF GOVERNMENT COLLEGES UNDER INDIAN PROFESSORS.

The Hon'ble DR. ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAYA asked :—

In paragraph 864 of the Bengal Administration Report for 1901-1902, page 313, it is stated that "the policy of Government of placing certain of the Government Colleges entirely under Indian Professors is being gradually carried out."

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state when the policy referred to in the preceding extract was inaugurated, and specify what steps have been taken to give effect to such policy?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to specify the names of the Government Colleges which are *now entirely* under Indian Professors, and also the names of the Colleges which are intended to be placed under Indian Professors?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is intended to include the Presidency College in this category? Will the Government be pleased to state the number of Professors and Lecturers now employed in the Presidency College, and specify how many of these are Indian and how many non-Indian?

(*d*) In the case of Government Colleges which have already been placed *entirely* under Indian Professors, will the Government be pleased to state whether it is true that such Indian Professors belong, in the majority of instances, to the Provincial Service, whereas the European Professors whom they have replaced belonged generally to the Imperial Service? Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is true that such employment of Indian Professors has resulted in a substantial saving in the cost of management of such Colleges?

(*e*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether these Indian Professors, who are on a lower grade and draw a lower salary than the European Professors whom they have replaced, are carrying on educational work with equal efficiency?

The Hon'ble MR. EARLE replied:—

"(*a*) and (*b*) The policy of placing certain of the Government Colleges entirely under Indian Professors emanated from a recommendation made by the Public Service Commission in the year 1886-87, to the effect that the English agency employed in the Educational Service should be reduced. This recommendation was, however, qualified by an expression of opinion that there should be, in each Presidency, at least one College with a staff of Professors capable of teaching up to the highest European standards, under a European Principal, and that the same object should, as far as possible, be kept in view as regards the smaller Colleges. In pursuance of this policy, while several officers of the Indian Educational Service have always been attached to the Presidency College, and the Dacca and Patna Colleges have each been provided with a Principal and a Professor belonging to that Service, the Colleges at Hooghly, Krishnagar, Rajshahi, Cuttack and Chittagong, and the Sanskrit College, Calcutta, have usually been manned by officers of the Provincial Educational Service, which consists almost entirely of Indian gentlemen. All the last-named Colleges, with the exception of the Hooghly College, are at present entirely officered by Indian Professors. There is no proposal to increase the number of Colleges which are entirely placed under such Professors.

"(*c*) As shown above, it is not intended to include the Presidency College in the category of those institutions which are to be placed entirely under Indian Professors. There are at present attached to the Presidency College 15 Indian and 7 European Professors. Owing to the absence, on deputation and leave, of four European Professors from this College, there has recently been some temporary reduction in the number of such officers and a corresponding increase in the number of Indian Professors.

"(*d*) In the case of Government Colleges, which have been placed entirely under Indian Professors, such Professors usually belong to the Provincial Service. According to present arrangements, however, the Dacca College will shortly be entirely manned by Indian Professors, two of whom will be in the Indian Educational Service. Inasmuch as the rate of pay in the Provincial Service is lower than that which prevailed in the former superior graded service, from which the European Professors were previously drawn, the substitution of Indian for European Professors has resulted in a substantial reduction in the cost of maintaining the Colleges under consideration.

"(*e*) In order to institute the comparison between the educational work of the Indian Professors and that of the European Professors whom they have replaced, as desired by the Hon'ble Member, it would be necessary to call upon the Director of Public Instruction for a full report. The Lieutenant-Governor is not disposed to take this step."

THE BENGAL SETTLED ESTATES BILL, 1903.

THE Hon'ble MR. BUCKLAND presented the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to facilitate the family settlement of estates in Bengal.

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"Since we last met in this Council Chamber, the Select Committee on the Bill for the family settlement of estates in Bengal have worked with such assiduity that the Hon'ble Mr. Buckland has been able to present to-day their Report on the Bill.

"It will be recollected, however, that on Saturday last I mentioned that there might be certain matters in the Report which might necessitate a reference to the Government of India. I have perused the Report which the Hon'ble Mr. Buckland has just presented, and I find that my expectations have been fulfilled. There are several modifications of importance which the Select Committee have felt themselves obliged to recommend. Therefore, in accordance with the provisions of Rule 7 of the Instructions of the Government of India regarding legislation in Local Councils, I consider it necessary to delay the further progress of this Bill until these matters have been laid before the Government of India and their instructions have been received.

"In these circumstances the Report will not be published at present, and the further consideration of the Bill, to which it refers, will be postponed till some later date."

The Council was adjourned *sine die*.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

CALCUTTA;
The 7th September, 1903.

For *Secretary to the Bengal Council and*
Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

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PART V.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 28th August, 1903, and is hereby promulgated for general information:

ACT No. XII OF 1903.

An Act further to amend the Indian Tariff Act, 1894.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Indian Tariff Act, 1894; It is hereby enacted as follows:

1 of 1894.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, 1903.

Short title and duration.

(*2*) Section 3 shall remain in force until the thirty-first day of March, 1904.

2. In section 8A, sub-section (*1*), of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894, as amended by section 2 of the Indian Tariff Amendment Act, 1899, before the words "the exportation therefrom" the words "the production therein or" shall be inserted.

1 of 1894. Amendment of section 8A, Act VIII, 1894.

XIV of 1899.

3. After section 8B of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894, as amended by section 2 of the Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, 1902, the following section shall be added, namely:

VIII of 1894. VIII of 1902.

Addition of new section, 8C, to Act VIII, 1894.

"8C. Notwithstanding that the condition precedent to the imposition of a duty under section 8A may have ceased to exist, and notwithstanding anything in section 1, sub-section (*2*), of the Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, 1902, any duties which may have been imposed and are chargeable under section 8A or section 8B on the thirty-first day of August, 1903, shall continue to be chargeable in accordance with any rules in force on the said date:

VIII of 1902.

Continuation of duties chargeable under section 8A or 8B on 31st August, 1903.

Provided that the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, reduce the rate at which any such duty is levied, and amend or vary any such rules as aforesaid."

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART VI.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 28th August, 1903:

NO. 13 OF 1903.

A Bill to amend the Indian Official Secrets Act, 1889.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Indian XV of 1889. Official Secrets Act, 1889; It is hereby enacted as follows:

1. This Act may be called the Indian Official Secrets (Amendment) Act, 1903. Short title.

2. In section 3 of the Indian Official Secrets XV of 1889. Act, 1889, the following alterations shall be made, namely: Amendment of section 3, Act XV, 1889.

(*a*) in sub-section (*1*), sub-head (*a*), for the words "for the purpose of wrongfully obtaining information" the words "without lawful authority or permission (the proof whereof shall be upon him)" shall be substituted;

(*b*) in clause (*ii*) of the same sub-section and sub-head,—

(*i*) after the words "obtains" and "obtain" the words "or attempts to obtain" and "or any copy of any such document, sketch, plan or model," respectively, shall be inserted, and

(*ii*) the words "without lawful authority" shall be omitted;

(*c*) in clause (*iii*) of the same sub-section and sub-head, the words "without authority given by or on behalf of Her Majesty" shall be omitted; and

(*d*) in sub-head (*c*) of the same sub-section and in sub-section (*2*), for the words "naval or military" the words "naval, military or civil" shall be substituted.

3. For section 5 of the said Act the following sections shall be substituted, namely: Substitution of sections for section 5, Act XV, 1889.

"5. Notwithstanding anything in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, V of 1898. every offence against this Act shall, for the purposes of the said Code, be deemed to be cognizable and non-bailable. Offences under Act cognizable and non-bailable.

"6. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in section 59 or section 60 of the said Code, any private person or police-officer who has arrested any person on a charge of an offence under section 3, sub-section (*1*), sub-head (*a*), and any police-officer to whom any person arrested on any such charge has been made over, may, instead of making over the person so arrested to a police-officer or taking him to the nearest police-station or taking or sending him before a Magistrate having, subject to the provisions of section 7, jurisdiction in the case or before the officer in charge of a police-station, as the case may be, take or send him before the commanding officer for the time being of the nearest military station or such other officer as the Local Government or the Governor General in Council may, by general or special order, direct in this behalf. Procedure after arrest on charge of certain offences punishable under Act.

(2) Where any person has been taken or sent before the commanding or other officer in accordance with sub-section (1), such officer may, if he thinks fit, discharge such person, but, if he does not discharge him, shall, without unnecessary delay, take or send him to the nearest police-station or to any Magistrate having, subject to the provisions of section 7, jurisdiction in the case.

(3) Where any person has been taken or sent to a police-station or to a Magistrate under sub-section (2), the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, shall, save as otherwise provided by section 7, apply to him as though he had been taken to such police-station or Magistrate without being taken or sent before the officer commanding the station or other officer. V of 1898.

"7. No Magistrate or Court shall proceed to the trial of any person for an offence against this Act except with the consent of the Local Government or the Governor General in Council."

Restriction on trial of offences.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE present Bill is designed to remedy certain defects disclosed by experience in the Indian Official Secrets Act, 1889 (XV of 1889), and tending to render it less effective for the objects which it had in view.

Clause 2.—The criminality of the acts specified in section 3 should be made to depend less on the purpose with which they are done—which is hardly susceptible of proof—than on the fact that they are committed "without lawful authority or permission"; the burden of proof as to the grant of such authority or permission being placed on the person charged as a matter especially within his knowledge. It should also be made clear that the section applies to the divulging of secret information connected with the civil administration as well as naval and military affairs, and it is proposed to extend it so as to cover attempts, and further to apply to copies of documents the provisions at present limited to originals.

Clause 5 introduces certain amendments which are necessary to permit of offenders being arrested without delay and to authorise Courts to take preliminary action in cases brought before them in anticipation of Government sanction being obtained to a prosecution. At the same time facilities are introduced by which a person who is arrested may be taken at once before some superior and responsible officer, who will discharge him unless he sees reason for taking the matter into Court.

A. T. ARUNDEL.

The 7th August, 1903.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 28th August, 1903:

NO. 14 OF 1903.

A Bill to give effect to the Foreign Marriages Order in Council, 1903.

WHEREAS it is expedient to give effect to the Foreign Marriages Order in Council, 1903; It is hereby enacted as follows:

Short title, extent and application.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Foreign Marriage Act, 1903.

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India, inclusive of British Baluchistan, the Santhal Parganas, the Shan States, and the Pargana of Spiti; and

(*3*) It applies also to all British subjects and to all servants of the King, whether British subjects or not, in the territories of any Native Prince or State in India.

Notice of marriage intended to be solemnized under 55 & 56 Vict., c. 23.

55 & 56 Vict., c. 23

2. (*1*) Notice in writing of a marriage which it is intended to solemnize under the Foreign Marriage Act, 1892, may be given by one of the parties intending such marriage, to—

(*a*) a Marriage Registrar appointed under the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872, where either of such parties is a person professing the Christian religion;

XV of 1872.

(*b*) a District Magistrate, Chief Presidency Magistrate or Political Agent, where neither of such parties is a person professing the Christian religion:

Provided that the party giving such notice as aforesaid shall have had his usual place of abode for not less than three consecutive weeks immediately preceding the giving of notice within the local limits of the area for which the Marriage Registrar, Magistrate or Political Agent to whom the notice is given, is appointed.

(*2*) Every notice given under this section shall state—

(*a*) the name and description of each of the parties intending marriage;

(*b*) the residence of each of them;

(*c*) the time during which each of them has dwelt there; and

(*d*) the place in which the intended marriage is to be solemnized;

and it shall contain a declaration by the party giving the notice to the effect that he believes that there is no impediment of kindred or affinity or other lawful hindrance to the solemnization of the said intended marriage.

(*3*) A copy of every notice given under this section shall be published by being affixed in some conspicuous place in the office of the officer to whom the notice is given.

(*4*) On the expiration of four clear days after such notice as aforesaid has been published in the manner prescribed by sub-section (*3*), the officer to whom the notice is given, unless he is aware of any impediment of kindred or affinity or other lawful hindrance to the solemnization of the said intended marriage, shall, on payment of such fee (if any) as the Governor General in Council may fix in this behalf, furnish the party by whom the notice was given, with a certificate, under his hand and seal, to the effect that the notice has been so given and published.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE Foreign Marriages Order in Council, 1903, directs that, if a marriage officer proceeding under the Foreign Marriage Act, 1892 (55 & 56 Vict., c. 23), is satisfied that such notice of an intended marriage has been given by a party dwelling in India as may be required by any law of the Governor General in Council giving effect to that Order, such notice shall be sufficient for the purposes of the Statute; and it is further explained that a law of the Indian Legislature shall be deemed to give effect to the Order if it provides—

(1) that notice of a marriage intended to be solemnized under the Statute referred to may be given by one of the parties intending such marriage, who has had his or her usual place of abode for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding in some place in India, to such marriage registrar or other officer as may be designated by the law in this behalf,

(2) that such notice shall be published either by proclamation of banns or in such other manner as the law may provide; and

(3) that such marriage registrar or other officer, unless he is aware of any impediment or objection which should obstruct the solemnization of the marriage, shall, on payment of such fee, if any, as the law may fix, give a certificate that the said notice has been so given and published as aforesaid.

The present Bill is intended to give effect to this Order in Council.

The 21st August, 1903.

A. T. ARUNDEL.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 28th August, 1903:

NO. 15 OF 1903.

A Bill further to amend the Lepers Act, 1898.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Lepers Act, 1898, by providing for the segregation and medical treatment in British India of lepers belonging to Native States; It is hereby enacted as follows:

III of 1898.

1. This Act may be called the Lepers (Amendment) Act, 1903.

Short title.

2. After section 18 of the Lepers Act, 1898, the following section shall be added, namely:

III of 1898.

Addition of new section after section 18, Act III, 1898.

"19. The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, direct that any leper or class of lepers, with respect to whom an order for segregation and medical treatment has been made by a Magistrate having jurisdiction within the territories of any Native Prince or State in India, may be sent to any leper-asylum specified in such order; and thereupon the provisions of this Act and of any rules made thereunder shall, with such modifications not affecting the substance as may be reasonable and necessary to adapt them to the subject-matter, apply to any leper sent to a leper-asylum in pursuance of such notification as though he had been sent by the order of a Magistrate having jurisdiction under this Act."

Lepers from Native States.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE object of this Bill is, as stated in the preamble, to provide, by an amendment of the Lepers Act, 1898 (III of 1898), for the segregation and medical treatment of lepers belonging to Native States. The Act extends as a territorial law only to British India, a person brought from a Native State in police custody is not a "pauper leper" within the meaning of section 2, and a Local Government cannot, under section 3 as it stands, specify local areas in Native States from which lepers may be sent, for the purposes of the Act, to a British Indian leper-asylum.

The 22nd August, 1903.

T. RALEIGH.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 290.

[First Publication.]

INDIA, SOUTH—CEYLON COAST.

Colombo—Lightship foundered.

A TELEGRAPHIC communication has been received from the Master Attendant, Colombo stating that the lightship, South end, north-east breakwater, has foundered, and that it will be replaced as soon as possible.

E. J. BEAUMONT, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd September 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 291.

[First Publication.]

JAPAN, NORTH-WEST COAST—MIYADSU HARBOUR.

Rock.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 635 of 1903) of the existence of a rock named Shishiguri, with a depth of 2¾ fathoms over it at low-water springs, in Miyadsu harbour, situated with Hora iwa bearing S. 43° W., distant 5½ cables, and the rocky point immediately northward of Shishi village S. 66° E., distant 3¾ cables.

Approximate position, lat. 35° 34′ N., long. 135° 13½′ E.

About 130 yards to the eastward and northward of this rock there are depths of from 3½ to 4½ fathoms and from 4½ to 6 fathoms in other directions.

(*Variation 5° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Amarube zaki to Ando zaki, No. 2174; Miyadsu harbour, No. 61: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 542.

E. J. BEAUMONT, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd September 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 292.

[First Publication.]

CHINA SEA, WESTERN SHORE—Cochin China.

Kam Ranh bay—Dangers reported.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 639 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned dangers in Kam Ranh bay:—

1. A rock, with a depth of 2¼ fathoms over it at lowest tide in the approach to Little pass on the north side of the entrance to the bay, situated with the southern point of Little pass bearing S. 81° W., distant 1¼ miles, and the outer rock off the south-east point of Tagne island S. 34° W.

   Approximate position, lat. 11° 51½′ N., long. 109° 15½′ E.

2. Two coral heads, with depths of 3 feet and 13 feet, situated at distances of 4 cables S 7° W., and 6¼ cables S. 16° E. respectively from South-west rock off the village of Bangai.

Note.—Mariners are advised not to pass the westward of a line joining De la Prise island and Hon Chut, as there is a ledge with a depth of only 2¼ fathoms over it between the latter island and the mainland.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kam Ranh bay to Vung Ro bay, No. 1008; Kam Ranh bay, No. 3028: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, pages 397, 398.

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CHINA SEA, WESTERN SHORE—Cochin China.

Nhatrang bay approaches, and port Dayot—Dangers in—.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 640 of 1903) of the existence of the following dangers in the approaches to Nhatrang bay, and in Port Dayot:—

Nhatrang bay approach—

1. A rock, with a depth of 4 feet over it at lowest tide, about 3 cables to the eastward of Séche point.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 21¼′ N., long. 109° 17½′ E.

   The bay between Séche point and cape Seo is blocked almost entirely by coral reefs, and must not be entered.

2. A rock, which has two pinnacle heads, the least water over them being 6 feet at lowest tide, is situated about 7 cables S. 12° E. from Middle island, Van Fong bay.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 29′ N., long. 109° 18¾′ E.

Port Dayot—

A coral reef of small extent, with a depth of 1 foot over it at lowest tide, exists in Port Dayot in lat. 12° 39′ 35″ N., long. 109° 22′ 15″ E.

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This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kam Ranh bay to Vung Ro bay, No. 1008: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, pages 401, 403, 405.

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[First Publication]

INDIA, SOUTH—CEYLON COAST.

Signal announcing arrival of Tuticorin Mail.

THE Master Attendant, Colombo, has given notice, dated 4th August 1903, that in future a Blue Pennant having a White St. George's Cross in the centre will be hoisted at the Masthead of Signal Mast at the Pilot's Tower, daily when the Tuticorin Mail is sighted, and hauled down one hour after she is berthed.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 285.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—AMOY, INNER HARBOUR.

Impérieuse rock—Buoy marking the rock placed to the north-eastward.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 273, dated 14th August 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 614 of 1903) that the rock situated three-quarters of a cable north-eastward of Impérieuse rock has been marked by a black conical buoy, surmounted by staff and ball, moored in a depth of 6½ fathoms a quarter of a cable eastward of the rock, with Cornwallis stone bearing N. 64° E., distant 3½ cables. Vessels should pass to the eastward of this buoy.

Approximate position, lat. 24° 26′ N., long. 118° 4¼′ E.

The previous information received and published in the last of the abovementioned Notices that this buoy marked the Impérieuse rock is therefore erroneous.

Notice is also given that a pinnacle rock, with a depth of 15 feet over it at low water, exists about 50 yards north-eastward of Impérieuse rock, situated with Cornwallis stone bearing N. 67° E., distant 4 cables.

(*Variation Nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Amoy harbour, Nos. 1767, 1764: Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1894, page 177; and Supplement, 1898, page 15.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 286.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA SEA—TONG KING GULF.

Kao Tao islands—Dangers between—.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 616 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned dangers between the Kao Tao islands:—

(*a*) A shoal, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, situated with the northern extremity of Tsham shao bearing N. 73° E., distant 1¾ miles, and the western extremity of Tankau shao N. 33° W.

(*b*) A shoal, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, situated with the cone (541 feet) on Sha Pak Wan island bearing S. 87° W., distant 2$\frac{6}{10}$ miles, and the eastern extremity of Afo shao N. 21° W.

(*c*) A shoal, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, situated with the cone (541 feet) on Sha Pak Wan island bearing N. 79° W., distant $2\frac{6}{10}$ miles, and the eastern extremity of Afo shao N. 13° W.

(*d*) A rock awash, situated with the cone (541 feet) on Sha Pak Wan island bearing S. 15° E., distant $2\frac{1}{4}$ miles, and the northern extremity of Uli pai N. 85° W., distant $1\frac{6}{10}$ miles.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 3′ N., long. 107° 43′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kua Lachi to Kao Tao islands, No. 1965: Shieng Mun to Tra ko island, No. 776: Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. II, 1899, page 459.

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PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—CAROLINE ISLANDS.

Guam island—Banks to the south-westward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 622 of 1903) that the following banks were found by Lieutenant F. H. Schofield, commanding U.S.S. *Supply*, when searching for Galvez and Santa Rosa reefs, to the south-westward of Guam island:—

(1) A bank, about $2\frac{1}{4}$ miles long in an easterly and westerly direction, and $1\frac{1}{4}$ miles broad, with depths of from 22 to 40 fathoms over it, the centre being approximately lat. 12° 58′ N., long. 144° 22′ E.

(2) A bank of small extent, with depths of from 22 to 32 fathoms over it, in approximately lat. 13° 2′ N., long. 144° 26′ E.

(3) A bank, extending about $1\frac{1}{4}$ miles in a northerly and southerly direction, with depths of from 28 to 46 fathoms over it, in approximately lat. 13° 4′ N., long. 144° 25′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Plan of Mariana or Ladrone islands, on Chart No. 1101: Also, Pacific Islands, vol. I, 1900, pages 444, 445.

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[Second Publication.]

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT, WESTERN APPROACHES.

Proudfoot shoal light ship removed.

THE Portmaster, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 7 of 1903) that on and after 31st January 1904, the light exhibited from the Lightship at Proudfoot Shoal, Western Approach to Torres Strait, will be discontinued, and the Lightship will be withdrawn.

The shoal patch of $1\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms marked P.D. on charts south-easterly from the Lightship is believed to be identical with the Bramble Patches. There is no evidence to the contrary, the report of its existence being extremely vague.

Masters of vessels approaching Torres Strait from the westward are recommended to get on the parallel of 10 degrees 45 minutes south before reaching the 20-fathom contour, and continue on that parallel until Booby Island is visible bearing north-easterly, then to steer to pass 2 miles to the north of the Island and thence continue as hitherto.

Vessels bound to the westward after passing Booby Island are recommended to steer south-west magnetic 16 miles, then to steer west half south until a safe direction can be made for their destined port.

NOTE.—Booby Island is visible a distance of 14 or 15 miles; the light (a second order) is visible 17 to 19 miles by night from an ordinary ship's bridge.

Charts affected.—Nos. 447 and 1043; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

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[Second Publication.]

AUSTRALIA—GULF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide river—Alterations consequent on Light's Passage Harbour Works, being in progress.

THE President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 4 of 1903) that in consequence of the Light's Passage Harbour Works being now in progress, the following alterations will be made on or about the 20th August next :—

No. 1 Leading Beacon and No. 2 Light Beacon will be removed altogether.

In lieu thereof two Beacons showing Green Lights will be placed on the North Bank, one near the present Reflecting Beacon and the other opposite the present No. 1 White Light.

Two Light Beacons (both red) will be placed on the North Bank, which, when in line, will lead through the Cutting to the Bend.

Two Beacons, having White Lights, will be placed on the South Bank, which, when in line, will show the Bend in the Channel.

Sailing Directions.—To enter the River pass the Occulting Buoy at a distance of about 50 feet, and steer between the White Light on a Pile abreast of the old Lighthouse and the first Green Light, which is placed between the Reflecting Beacon and the Cutting, on a N.E. by E. course, passing the second Green Light at a similar distance until the New Lead on the North Bank (now No 1 Lead) comes in line. Keep them in line until the two lights on the South Bank are in line, then steer for No. 3 as before.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 1750.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 279.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, SOUTH—CEYLON COAST.

Batticaloa—Red buoy marking "Kandalla" rock not in position.

THE Master Attendant, Batticaloa, has given notice, dated 24th July 1903, that the Red Buoy at the Batticaloa Bar marking the Kandalla Rock will not be in position for some time, being under repair.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 280.

[Third Publication.]

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Hiro sima approach—Beacon constructing and provisional light at Nishinogoban sho.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 597 of 1903) that a beacon from which it is intended to exhibit a light is now in course of construction on a 2½ fathoms patch, named Nishinogoban sho, situated about 14 cables S. 45° W. from the south-western point of Kurahasi sima, in the approach to Hiro sima.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 4′ N., long. 132° 26½′ E.

During the construction of the beacon a provisional *red fixed* light, elevated 15 feet above high water, will be exhibited on a pole near the base of the projected beacon. This light will be unwatched and therefore unreliable.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

Further Notice will be given when the beacon is completed and the light established.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Inland sea, No. 2875; Misima nada and Iyo nada, No. 83: Also, List of Lights, part IV, 1903, page 170; China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 413; and Supplement, 1898, page 23.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 281

[Third Publication.]

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Port Nicholson entrance—Falcon shoals in fairway.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 601 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned shoal heads in the fairway into port Nicholson, now named Falcon shoals, and of a shoal in Lyall bay:—

(1) A shoal, with a depth of 24 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 30° E, distant 9 cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 65° W.

(2) A shoal, with a depth of 24 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 34° E., distant 10¾ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 59° W. This shoal is within the sector of white light shown from Somes island light.

(3) A shoal, with a depth of 23 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 39° E., distant 11¾ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 54° W.

(4) A shoal, with a depth of 26 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 44° E., distant 14¾ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 40° W.

(5) A shoal, with a depth of 27 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island bearing N. 17° E., distant 11¼ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 58° W.

(6) A shoal, with a depth of 18 feet over it at low water, situated with the northern extremity of Ward island, bearing N. 2° E, distant 11¼ cables, and the outer extremity of the rocks off Kau point N. 61° W.

(7) Hope shoal, 5 cables S. 41° W., from the northern extremity of Ward island, has a depth of 5 feet, at low-water springs, and not 10 feet, as shown on the Chart.

(8) There are several patches of from 7 to 10 feet between Hope shoal and Ward island.

(9) The depths in the passage eastward of Ward island between it and Robinson bay have decreased to 10 feet in places.

Lyall bay:—

A shoal, with a depth of 16 feet over it at low water, exists in Lyall bay, 4¼ miles south-westward of Ward island, situated with the signal station bearing N. 46° E., distant 17 cables, and mount Albert N. 49° W. Foul ground, with depths of from 21 to 27 feet over it, extends for a distance of 1¼ cables S.S.E. from this shoal.

Approximate position, northern extremity of Ward island, lat. 41° 17½′ S., long. 174° 52½′ E.

(*Variation 15° Easterly in 1903.*)

NOTE.—A new edition of Chart No. 1423 will be issued.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 167 to 170; and Supplement, 1903, page 22.

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NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND, WEST COAST.

Kawhia harbour—Leading beacons and lights.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 611 of 1903) that a beacon, 35 feet high, has been erected on the south-western extremity of Te Motu, and another, 26 feet high, on the rising ground 1¼ miles S. 62° E. from it. These beacons in line S. 62° E. lead over the bar in a depth of 12 feet at low-water ordinary springs.

On and after 1st July 1903, when vessels are expected or leaving the harbour, a *white fixed* lantern light, elevated 13 feet above high water, will be exhibited from the front beacon, and a *white fixed* lantern light, elevated 60 above high water, from the rear beacon. These lights should be visible 2 miles outside the bar.

The former beacon on Te Motu and that on the rock off South head have been removed.

Approximate position, lat. 38° 4¼′ S., long. 174° 49′ E.

CAUTION.—The Kawhia harbour bar is subject to change, so that, although these leading marks are available now, it is possible that they may not be so hereafter.

(*Variation 14° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kawhia harbour, No. 2524: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 261.

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AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT.

Normanby sound—Discontinuance of leading lights.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 323, dated 7th November 1902, issued by this office, the Port Master, Brisbane, has given further notice (No. 6 of 1903) that, on and after the 1st August, the Leading Lights in Normanby Sound, Port Kennedy, will be discontinued.

Charts affected—Nos. 347 and 691; Australia Directory, Vol. II.

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[Third Publication.]

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST COAST—PERSIAN GULF.

Bahrein harbour—Colour of buoys.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 76 of 1903) that information has been received from the Agent, B. I. S. N. Company, dated 10th August 1903, that the buoys in Bahrein Harbour will be painted in accordance with the Uniform System of Buoyage, viz.:—Starboard Hand buoys red and Port Hand buoys black. Thus—Outer, Inner and West Spit red and Ras Khaseifa black.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bahrein Harbour, No. 20, and Persian Gulf (Western Sheet) No. 2837b: Also, Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 138.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT IN BENGAL FOR THE YEAR 1902.

RESOLUTION—No. 2707J.—D.

POLICE.

Dated Darjeeling, the 31st August 1903.

READ—

The Report on the Administration of the Police Department for the year 1902.

Read also—

The Report for the year 1901 and the Resolution of Government recorded thereon.

Mr. W. R. Bright, C.S.I., was in charge of the office of Inspector-General of Police from the 1st January to the 14th April 1902. Mr. A. V. Knyvett officiated as Inspector-General from the 15th April to the 30th April 1902, and again from the 6th December to the end of the year, while for the remainder of the period under review Mr. R. W. Carlyle, C.I.E., the permanent incumbent of the post, was in charge.

2. The total strength of the Police force, officers and men, in 1902, exclusive of the village watch, was 24,742. There was no change in the strength of the superior police staff during the year, but 2 Sub-Inspectors, 6 head-constables, 123 constables, and 1 town chaukidar were added to the subordinate staff. The inadequate strength of the present superior staff is admitted. In consequence of this inadequacy it was, unfortunately, often necessary last year to place Inspectors in charge of districts; and the Inspector-General complains that officers of this class were frequently not available for the investigation of important and difficult cases. The Inspector-General agrees in his predecessor's opinion that the present system by which a certain number of Sub-Inspectors are recruited by open competitive examination has proved a failure. Orissa no longer sends candidates for this examination, as it was found that they were always below the requisite standard, and the Lieutenant-Governor notices that a sufficient number of qualified candidates did not present themselves at the examination held at Patna, and also that the candidates recruited by open competition have often proved unsatisfactory; he is inclined to agree with the Inspector-General that the results of this system have, on the whole, been disappointing. His Honour, however, defers dealing with this question, as with many other questions of police reform, in view of the fact that the conclusions arrived at by the Police Commission will shortly be known. The continued development of the Bhagalpur Training School is a satisfactory feature of the year's work.

3. The discipline of the police force in the year under review has, on the whole, been satisfactory, and in considering the number of charges brought against police officers and the punishments imposed, the figures with regard to total strength should be borne in mind. Cases of police oppression show a slight decrease on the figures of the preceding year. Serious charges of torture have fallen from 18 to 8, and in one case only was a judicial conviction for torture obtained. In 19 cases, charges of extortion were proved, while in over 50 per cent. of the charges under this head, the Courts found the complaint to be groundless. The work and conduct of the police have recently received the fullest examination from the Police Commission; and the Lieutenant-Governor will content himself with saying on the present occasion that while it must be admitted that the Bengal Police too frequently fall short of a reasonable ideal in honesty and thoroughness of work, there has been during his experience in Bengal steady improvement of police administration under all heads. To quicken this improvement must be the earnest care of Government and its officers: the public also can take a part in this amelioration if they will place fewer temptations in the way of the police, and if they will bring cases of misconduct to the notice of the proper authorities, instead of indulging in vague and indiscriminate condemnation. His Honour notices with regret that it was necessary during the year to punish departmentally as many as 20 per cent. of the officers of the force. It is true that this figure compares favourably with 42 per cent. punished in 1893, but the lower figure is still excessive whether it be taken as indicating that the standard of work falls short of what can reasonably be expected or that unduly harsh treatment of subordinates prevails in some districts. The subject of departmental punishments requires the Inspector-General's closest attention, for though they are doubtless often necessary to enforce discipline, nothing is more exasperating to the force or a more fruitful source of discontent than numerous petty punishments.

4. The improvement of the village chaukidars continues. The Inspector-General's remarks as to the manner in which the administration of this force varies from district to district merit attention. In some districts panchayats are appointed for much larger circles than in others; in some districts the Subdivisional Magistrates give more assistance to the District Superintendent of Police, and the District Magistrate in appointing, dismissing, punishing and rewarding chaukidars than elsewhere; and in some districts the assessment of the chaukidari tax on rules prescribed for the guidance of panchayats has been enjoined. The field of work here is almost boundless, and the Lieutenant-Governor commends it again, as it has often been commended before, to the best efforts of the District and Subdivisional Officers and District Superintendents.

Mr. Bourdillon has not failed to notice that much has been recently written in the vernacular press as to the severe incidence of the chaukidari-tax. It is the duty of Magistrates to limit the number of chaukidars to strict requirements, and to take opportunities such as those afforded by vacancies for reducing and amalgamating charges. It is also even more important that the incidence of the tax should be fair; and that the poor, when not exempted altogether, should be taxed as lightly as possible. In this respect the Lieutenant-Governor is forced to admit that the present system is not perfect: much attention has been paid to the subject of late years, and a scrutiny of the chaukidari assessment is one of the matters which is particularly enjoined upon officers when on tour. His Honour has for some time had under consideration a scheme under which a selected Deputy Magistrate should be put on special duty in each Division for the sole purpose of examining into the chaukidari assessments, and he is convinced that much benefit would result from regularising and equalising these assessments.

It is satisfactory to observe that the admonitions of Government with regard to adequately rewarding chaukidars for good services have borne fruit. The total amount of rewards paid to chaukidars has increased from Rs. 55,655 in 1901 to Rs. 62,813, and the total number rewarded has risen from 17,021 to 18,863. There remain some districts in which the orders of Government with reference to rewarding of chaukidars have received insufficient attention; and these districts are also among the districts in which the general results of police work during the year are worst. In the districts of Rangpur and Pabna large balances—Rs. 7,974 and Rs. 8,201, respectively—stood to the credit of the District Chaukidari Reward Fund at the commencement of the year, which at the close of the year had increased to Rs. 10,901 and Rs 9,351 respectively. In both these districts there can be little doubt that the authorities would have been justified in giving rewards to chaukidars more freely; and the attention of the Commissioner of Rajshahi is drawn to the fact that the total of the balances of the chaukidari fund to the credit of the districts in his Division is almost equal to that of any two other Divisions put together. The districts of Midnapore, Murshidabad, and Malda are also remarkable for the small sums distributed in rewards, and it is unsatisfactory to find that, in the district of Murshidabad, out of 2,942 chaukidars, only 25 were departmentally rewarded. It can hardly be that in all the districts named the work of the chaukidars has been so consistently undeserving as the figures would seem to show, and Mr. Bourdillon desires once more to remind District Officers that judicious rewards afford as potent a stimulus to good work as rigorous punishments, and that these two incentives must be employed together.

5. Turning to examine the statistics of crime in 1902, the Lieutenant-Governor observes that 177,635 cognizable offences were reported, or 1,311 fewer than in the preceding year. The percentage of convictions shows an increase.

An increase in the number of offences against property is attributed by the Inspector-General to better reporting, which has been the result of a large increase in refusals to investigate in petty cases. The percentage of refusal to investigate has risen in house-breaking cases from 20·5 to 35·2, and in theft cases from 14·1 to 20. The late Lieutenant-Governor attached much importance to lightening the labours of an overburdened investigating staff by excusing them from the task of taking up cases of theft and house-breaking without theft in which no offender is named or suspected. Mr. Bourdillon fully shares this view, though he considers that the working of section 157 of the Code of Criminal Procedure requires close and incessant scrutiny.

Considerable variation is observable in the figures with regard to enquiries refused when examined Division by Division. The percentage of refusals varies, in house-breaking cases, from 22·1 in the Orissa Division to 41·5 in the Bhagalpur Division; in theft cases from 6·8 in the Patna Division to 40·2 in the Orissa Division. No explanation of the variations has been suggested. The Lieutenant-Governor has no wish to lay down any numerical standard; but it appears to him that a much greater approach to a normal standard is both possible and desirable.

6. The number of cases declared to be maliciously false has fallen from 5,190 to 4,671. The figures under this head show a progressive and steady decrease during the last 20 years. The Inspector-General thinks that Magistrates are becoming more reluctant to declare a case maliciously false on account of the long and tedious proceedings which are likely to result from such a course, but His Honour trusts that the desire to avoid trouble will not prevent Magistrates from doing their obvious duty by denouncing such cases when they really occur, and thus indirectly protecting innocent persons from the danger of a false charge. Prosecutions were instituted in 551 cases declared maliciously false (13 per cent. of the total number); and the results cannot be called satisfactory, as only 204 convictions were obtained. The number of occasions on which recourse was had to section 250, Criminal Procedure Code, by which compensation can be awarded to an accused dragged before the Court on a false or vexatious and frivolous charge, fell from 541 to 476. His Honour trusts that the provisions of this most salutary section will not be overlooked, and that Magistrates will not hesitate to avail themselves of the power thus given to them of checking the harrassment of innocent persons.

7. The number of cases tried by Courts of Sessions was 1,422, and the percentage of convictions was very nearly the same as in 1901, being 70·1 as against 71·9. It is noticed that the results of Sessions trials were unsatisfactory in Bankura, Pabna, Bogra, Faridpur, and Rangpur, where the percentage of convictions was in all cases below 40 per cent. The Inspector-General suggests that an examination of the results of Sessions trials should be omitted from future reports, as it is impossible, in his opinion, to discuss them satisfactorily without touching on matters which should not be introduced into reports which are made public. The Lieutenant-Governor cannot agree, however, in the view that the results of Sessions trials should pass unscrutinized in a report of this character. It is by the results of their efforts to cope with heinous crime that the police must mainly be judged, and Government has the best opportunity of forming this judgment from observation of the judicial results of Sessions trials. While agreeing with Mr. Carlyle that any comments on the manner in which such cases are tried would be out of place in a police report, His Honour will be glad if the Inspector-General will separately analyse in some detail the very unfavourable results in the districts named above in order that it may be seen whether bad police work was responsible for the frequent failures in cases prosecuted before the Sessions Courts. It is to be noticed that four of these districts—Rangpur, Bogra, Pabna, and Faridpur—are adjacent one to another. His Honour requests that the Inspector-General of Police and the district authorities will give specially careful supervision to police investigations in cases of heinous crime in these districts.

8. In examining the detailed heads of the crime of the year, an undesirable increase in the number of true cases, relating to coins, stamps, and currency notes, is observable. A case from the Khulna district, mentioned by the Inspector-General, in which 125 counterfeit coins were produced, appears to show that coining on a considerable scale is going on in the Sundarbans. The careful attention of Police officers should be given to crimes of this nature, which, in the present state of the silver market, must be extremely profitable, and which might become a serious danger.

It is gratifying to notice that riots continue to decrease. True cases of rioting and unlawful assembly were fewer than in any previous year since 1884. The diminishing figures for the Backergunge district, in which last year there was no riot attended with loss of life, are especially satisfactory. The Presidency Division has now taken the place formerly held by the Dacca Division, and holds the unenviable pre-eminence of having the largest number of rioting cases. The diminution of cases under section 107, Criminal Procedure Code, in the Faridpur district may have led to an increase in the number of riots in that district. The more sparing use of this section in some districts is alleged to be the result of a High Court ruling bearing on the application of section 107, Criminal Procedure Code, in land disputes. The total number of cases under this section instituted in the Province, however, in 1902 largely exceeded the figures of previous years, being 3,190 as against 2,639 of the preceding year, chiefly owing to a large increase in the Dacca Division.

9. Crimes of violence against the person showed a small decrease. The very unsuccessful results attending the investigation of murders by poisoning are an unsatisfactory feature in this class of crime; 25 persons out of 30 who were sent up on such charges were acquitted.

The steady increase of cases of administering stupefying drugs with the intention of causing hurt is noticeable. These cases have increased since 1899, when there were 21 cases, to 34 cases in the year under review. This increase may possibly be due to better reporting, but the attention of the police force is required to the fact that offences of this nature are often perpetrated by professional criminals, and, unless checked with a strong hand, they may lead to gangs of professional poisoners being formed in Bengal, as has been the case in other Provinces.

10. There has been a large decrease in the total number of burglaries reported in the Province. This decrease is due, in a very large measure, to the smaller figures for the Patna Division, and is especially to be traced to the district of Gaya, where it is to be feared that bad reporting, rather than a real decrease in crime, is the explanation. A considerable increase in the Dacca Division, accounted for by the returns from the district of Mymensingh, is disclosed. From the report it appears that the Inspector-General is making special enquiries as to the causes of the increase in this district.

Remarkable figures are reported from the district of Monghyr, which has no large city like Patna to swell its returns of burglaries. In this district no fewer than 2,133 burglaries were reported as against 1,164 in the 24-Parganas, 1,160 in Bhagalpur (an adjoining district), and 491 in Cuttack, all of which are districts of approximately the same population and area. Out of this enormous number of cases in Monghyr only 72 were prosecuted to conviction. It is evident that the strenuous efforts of the district authorities are necessary to deal with this class of crime, and the preventive sections of the Criminal Procedure Code should be vigorously employed. The Lieutenant-Governor is inclined to think that these sections may have been somewhat neglected in the past, for in the districts of Mymensingh and Patna, the only two districts where burglary returns approximate to those of Monghyr, 148 and 335 bad-livelihood prosecutions were instituted as against 79 in the district of Monghyr.

11. The number of cases dealt with by the Railway Police increased from 5,952 to 6,777. This increase is mainly due to the returns from the East Indian Railway under the head of minor offences against property. There can be little doubt that better reporting accounts for these results. In view of the frequent complaints of persons sending goods by railway, that consignments, especially of perishable articles, are tampered with, special attention has been paid to the investigation of cases where goods were reported to be missing. No fewer than 259 of such cases turned out on investigation to be cases of theft. The work of the Railway Police shows marks of distinct progress in the year under review, and His Honour has much pleasure in reading the favourable remarks of the Inspector-General on the work of Mr. Fasson, the Assistant Inspector-General at Howrah.

12. The number of bad-livelihood cases instituted has fallen from 3,782 in 1901 to 3,432, but prosecutions have been more successful, and an improvement has taken place in the number of cases under this section, which have been tried locally. In the districts of Birbhum and Puri, which had respectively only 4 and 5 cases, this section appears to have been used very sparingly. It is probable that these figures indicate apathy on the part of the district police, more especially as there appears to be no lack of offences against property in either district. Last year the Lieutenant-Governor drew attention to the extraordinary discrepancy between the Divisional figures showing the proportions of persons who furnish security under this section and those who are unable to do so. This discrepancy is as marked as ever. In the Patna Division 753 cases ended in conviction, and in 705 cases either no security was offered, or, if offered, was refused. In the Bhagalpur Division 340 persons were called upon to give security, and all without exception failed to furnish it. In the Presidency Division 280 cases resulted in conviction, and the security of 63 persons was accepted. It is no doubt the case that in the districts of Bihar many persons belonging to wandering tribes are dealt with under this section; but making due allowance for this fact, these figures prove the need

of careful scrutiny by District Magistrates of the cases in which security is offered but refused.

13. The number of remands granted by the Courts in the disposal of police cases shows an unsatisfactory increase. The percentage of cases disposed of at the first two hearings has fallen steadily during the last four years from 54·6 in 1899, 53·3 in 1900, 49·2 in 1901 to 48·6 in the year under review; and in 8·4 per cent. of the total disposals six or more remands were granted. The Lieutenant-Governor is disposed to attach more importance to the scrutiny of delays in the disposal of cases where remands are large in number than to merely considering the cases where there are more than two remands; for in many border districts it is often impossible to trace the antecedents of the accused by the date on which the case is submitted for trial, and in such circumstances remands are unavoidable. This probably explains the low percentage of disposals in two hearings in the districts of Shahabad and Saran. His Honour, however, on consideration of all these figures, and after making all due allowance for local circumstances, is constrained to say that he detects a growing tendency for Courts to be more and more dilatory in the disposal of police cases. This is a matter that appears to him of vital importance, and the tendency must be rigidly repressed. Undue delay in the disposal of police cases is a matter which paralyses the administration of criminal justice. It is unfair to the accused, it unduly hampers the police in the execution of their duty, it harasses the complainant, and inflicts a grievous wrong upon the witnesses, who, often with no personal concern in the case, find themselves withdrawn day after day from their normal avocations; in an agricultural country such interruptions of the daily task are ruinous. In this connection it is lamentable to observe that in the district of Monghyr out of 781 A forms, no fewer than 102 were remanded more than six times. These figures are so much worse than those of the remaining districts of the Province that special enquiries must be made as to the cause of such excessive delay in the disposal of police cases in this district. On the other hand, Mr. Bourdillon observes that in the district of the 24-Parganas, out of 1,435 A forms, only 25 were remanded more than six times. It does not appear at all likely that the disposal of cases in the 24-Parganas is more easy or less subject to delays than in the district of Monghyr.

14. The percentage of reconvictions (13·1) is the highest on record. It is evident that old offenders, owing to the finger-impression system, have now much less chance of escaping detection. The district of Darbhanga exhibits an extraordinarily small percentage of reconvictions as compared with the other districts of the Patna Division. The Inspector-General does not comment on the figures for this district, but there is no ground for believing that old offenders habitually refrained from committing crime in Darbhanga; nor is the amount of professional or semi-professional crime small in this district. For these reasons it would seem advisable that special care should be taken in scrutinizing the work of the Darbhanga police in respect of the ascertainment and verification of the antecedents of offenders.

15. An unsatisfactory feature of the working of the police is the increase in the number of absconders entered on the police registers. There is an increase for the whole Province from 2,979 to 3,184, and the results in certain districts are particularly bad. In Dacca alone 339 persons are borne on this register. There can be no greater encouragement to the criminal classes, no more unsettling factor in district police work, and no clearer indication of inefficiency than the existence of a large number of absconding accused whom the police are either unable or unwilling to arrest.

16. The Lieutenant-Governor thanks Mr. Carlyle and Mr. Knyvett for their zealous and efficient administration of the Police Department, and his acknowledgments are also due to Mr. Carlyle for a concise and careful report.

ORDER.—Ordered that copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police, the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, and all Commissioners of Divisions for information.

Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WORKING OF THE BENGAL LICENSED WAREHOUSE AND FIRE-BRIGADE ACT IN THE COSSIPORE-CHITPUR, MANIKTALA, AND GARDEN REACH MUNICIPALITIES DURING THE YEAR ENDING THE 31ST MARCH 1903.

No. 84M., dated Calcutta, the 22nd July 1903.

From—P. C. Lyon, Esq., Offg. Commissioner of the Presidency Division,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department.

With reference to the orders of Government, No. 1810M., dated the 8th July 1903, I have the honour to submit herewith copies of the reports on the working of the Bengal Licensed Warehouse and Fire-Brigade Act, I of 1893, for the year ending 31st March 1903, in the Cossipore-Chitpur, Maniktala, and Garden Reach Municipalities, as received from the Chairmen of those Municipalities.

No. 1262M., dated Alipore, the 15th July 1903.

From—C. J. Stevenson-Moore, Esq., c.s., Magistrate of the 24-Parganas,
To—The Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

With reference to your letter No. 159M., dated the 6th July 1903, calling for submission of the report on the working of the Bengal Licensed Warehouse and Fire-Brigade Act for the year 1902-1903, I have the honour to submit herewith copies of the reports, together with copies of necessary statements, as received from the Chairmen of the Cossipore-Chipur, Maniktala, and Garden Reach Municipalities.

No. 141,G.M., dated Garden Reach, the 9th July 1903.

From—The Chairman, Garden Reach Municipality,
To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas.

With reference to your circular memorandum No. 28M., dated the 7th instant, I have the honour to submit the following report on the working of the Bengal Licensed Warehouse and Fire-Brigade Act in this Municipality for the year 1902-1903.

2. The annexed statement will show the number of warehouses within the Municipality and the amount of fees received from them during 1902-1903. The Municipality contributed Rs. 416 towards the maintenance of the Metropolitan Fire-Brigade. The amount of fees levied was not equal to the amount of the contribution made, owing to the fact that some of the wood depôts ceased to exist, and that Messrs. Macneill & Co. paid six months' fees in respect of the two jute godowns for 1902-1903 in advance during 1901-1902.

3. No fire was reported to have broken out during the year under report.

Statement showing the number of warehouses and the amount of fees levied.

Number of each class of warehouse.	Class of warehouse.	Amount of fees levied during 1902-1903.
1	2	3
		Rs. A. P.
2	Jute godowns	122 7 9
24	Wood depôts	63 0 0
6	Straw ,, ...	40 0 0
1	Kerosine depôt.	10 0 0
		235 7 9
	Add—Realisation of arrear dues ...	11 4 0
	Total ...	246 11 9

No. 368., dated Narikeldanga, the 10th July 1903.

From—R. D. Mehta, Esq., C.I.E., Chairman, Maniktala Municipality,
To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas.

With reference to your circular memorandum No. 28M., dated 7th July current, forwarding copy of Divisional Commissioner's letter No. 159M. of the 6th idem, calling for a report on the working of the Bengal Licensed Warehouse and Fire-Brigade Act for the year 1902-1903, have the honour to submit as follows.

1. The Fire-Brigade Budget for the year under report was prepared by the Commissioner of Police under section 26 (1) of the Act I of 1893, and, so far as it related to this Municipality, was accepted by the Commissioners at their meeting held on the 21st February 1902.

2. The proportionate share of contribution at 1 per cent. of the estimated amount of Rs. 83,295 towards the maintenance of the Fire-Brigade establishment for the year 1902-1903, viz., Rs. 833, was paid in two instalments. The total amount realised as fees from the warehouses under the Act was Rs. 1,559-14-6, against Rs. 1,428-7-6 of the preceding year. The increase of Rs. 131-7 was due to certain trades of description other than jute warehouses, such as depôts of *durmah* mats, fire-wood, etc., having newly opened during the year under report.

3. Licenses for 9 jute warehouses and 89 trades in other inflammable materials, such as firewood, hay, straw, *golpatta*, packing-case depôts, saw-mills, etc., were issued during the year under report, against 9 and 81 of the preceding year.

4. License fees on jute warehouses were levied at 4 and 6 per cent. on the annual value of holdings as assessed for municipal taxes, and at 10 per cent. on trades of other descriptions mentioned above.

5. All the owners of the warehouses paid their license fees in due time, except five whose names as defaulters had been sent to the Commissioner of Police, as asked for in his letter No. 2070, dated 27th February 1903.

6. The jute godowns and firewood, packing-case depôts, etc., are mostly situated near the Circular Canal, which forms the western boundary of this Municipality. The Surah Jute Mills are the only mill, within the Municipality for the manufacture of gunny-bags, situated on the north side of Narikeldanga main road.

7. I am happy to report that no conflagration took place within the Municipality during the year under report, and the assistance of the Fire-Brigade was not required.

No. 879, dated Talla, the 10th July 1903.

From—Babu Benode Bihari Mukherjee, Chairman, Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality,
To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas.

With reference to your circular memorandum No. 28M., dated the 7th July 1903, I have the honour to submit the following report under section 41 of Act I (B.C.) of 1893 of the jute warehouses, etc., in the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality for the year 1902-1903, for submission to the Local Government.

2. During the year of report, licenses were granted to 126 jute presses and warehouses, including roperies, firewood and straw depôts, etc., as detailed below, and the total amount of license and mutation fees realised was Rs. 12,124-12-6 :—

		Rs.	A.	P.
Jute press-houses	... ...	8,070	0	0
Jute warehouses	... ..	3,842	10	9
Roperies	... ...	73	12	6
Firewood depôts	... ...	1	8	0
Wood „	... ...	4	3	3
Golpatta „	... ...	12	10	0
Mutation fee	... ...	120	0	0
	Total ...	12,124	12	6

3. The subjoined statement shows the receipts and disbursements of the jute license fees during the year under report:—

Receipts.	Amount.	Disbursements.	Amount.
1	2	3	4
	Rs. A. P.		Rs A. P
Opening balance, 1st April 1902	2,533 9 2	Paid to the Commissioner of Police for the maintenance of the Calcutta Fire-Brigade for the year 1902-1903.	15,410 0 0
License fees realised for the year 1902-1903 under Act I of 1893.	12,124 12 6	Debit balance on 31st March 1903	(—) 751 10 4
Total ...	14,658 5 8	Total ...	14,658 5 8

4. During the year of report, fire broke out at the following places, and properties to the approximate value of Rs 2,37,915-8 were destroyed as detailed below:—

Locality	Names of owners of properties destroyed.	Particulars of properties destroyed	Approximate value of properties destroyed.
1	2	3	4
Section A—Suburbs.			Rs. A.
Moti Jheel	Moti Lal Das and Kailash Chandra Das.	*Golpatta* hut ...	15 0
Kasi Nath Dutt's Road ...	Sadoo Bewa	Mat wall ...	0 8
Section B—Suburbs.			
Talla	Jogessur Sha	About 1 maund jute ...	5 0
	Nanda Lal Korbasi	One stack of jute .	115 0
Sawdagarputty	Dinali	A portion of tiled hut and some straw.	25 0
Ram Gopal Ghose's Lane ...	Messrs. Ralli Brothers ...	One pucca two-storied building and a large quantity of jute bales and drums.	64,500 0
Bonomali Chatterjee's Lane ...	Commissioners, Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality.	One tiled hut ...	100 0
Taleebagan	Balai Ghose	Three *golpatta* huts, 33 cows, and some straw.	1,655 0
Ram Gopal Ghose's Lane ...	Messrs. Ralli Brothers ...	One large double storied pucca building, 12 jute-presses, and 30,000 bales and drums.	1,71,500 0
		Total ...	2,37,915 8

5. The names of the jute presses and warehouses to which licenses were issued during the year 1902-1903 are shown in the statement submitted herewith.

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Statement showing the name of license-holders and the amount of license fees realised under the Licensed Warehouse Act during the year 1902-1903.

Serial No.	Holding No.	Name of Street.	Name of License-holder.	Annual rental valuation.	License fee per annum.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Jute Press Houses.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	
1	3	Sugar Works Lane ...	Messrs. Ralli Brothers	45,000	750 0 0	
2	4	Ditto	S. C. Chander	19,998	750 0 0	
3	4, 4A / 4/1, 4B	Kally Prasanna Singhi's Road.	Strand Bank Press Co., Ld.	36,000	750 0 0	
4	15 and 15/1	Ditto ...	Calcutta Hydraulic Press Co., Ld. ..	27,848	750 0 0	
5	18	Ditto ...	Chitpur Hydraulic Press Co., Ld. .	21,300	750 0 0	
6	2	Nawabputty Street ...	Canal Press Co , Ld.	14,000	700 0 0	
7	10	Ditto ...	Union Press Co., Ld.	32,600	750 0 0	
8	5	Rustomjee's Lane ...	Camperdown Pressing Co., Ld. ...	20 000	750 0 0	
9	1 and 1116	Cossipore Road ...	Kumer Satish Chandra Singh	12,600	650 0 0	
10	29 and 29A	Ditto ...	P G. and W. Sawoo	15,000	750 0 0	
11	2	Chitpur Ghat Lane ...	Hooghly Hydraulic Press Co., Ld. ...	14,400	720 0 0	
					8,070 0 0	
			Jute Warehouses.			
12	6	Belgachia Road ...	Barhoo Show	300	15 0 0	
13	9	Ditto ...	Chandra Nath Dalal	240	12 0 0	
14	10	Ditto ...	Ditto	840	42 0 0	
15	13	Ditto ...	Bejoy Kumar and Lalit Mahone Chakerbertty.	300	15 0 0	
16	12A	Ditto ...	Jeebon Kristo Ghose	000	30 0 0	
17	14A	Ditto ...	Abbasally Mondol and Reajuddy Munshi ...	204	10 3 3	Arrear.
18	21A	Ditto ...	Indra Narain Biswas	300	15 0 0	Current.
19	.....	Ditto ...	Ditto	.....	15 0 0	
20	29A	Ditto ...	Bisso Nath Maity	240	12 0 0	
21	34/4	Ditto ...	Adhar Chandra Kabiraj	240	12 0 0	
22	34/5	Ditto ...	Sadhoo Mistree	168	8 6 6	
23	34/6	Ditto ...	Moti Lall Chakraburtty	348	17 6 6	
24	29	Ditto ...	Haran Chandra Dutto	216	10 12 6	
25	36/C	Ditto ...	Manmatha Nath Dass	240	12 0 0	
26	26/2	Ditto ...	Woomodally Mandal	144	7 3 3	Including arrear.
27	45A	Ditto ...	Jogendra Nath and Mohendra Nath Mandal	168	16 13 0	Ditto.
28	45/A/2	Ditto ...	Ditto ditto	144	14 6 6	
29	45 7/1	Ditto ...	Khettor Nath Sawoo	360	18 0 0	
30	45B	Ditto ...	Anath Nath Deb	300	15 0 0	
31	43/ 2/1	Ditto ...	Bhooban Chandra Sawoo	144	7 3 0	
32	45 1/1	Ditto ..	Abdul Sovan Mandal	84	4 3 0	
33	45/1 2	Ditto ...	Jasarnth Mandal	240	12 0 0	
34	54D	Ditto ...	Motilal Chacrabortty	240	12 0 0	
35	67/A	Ditto ...	Jeebon Kristo Ghose (Chote)	240	12 0 0	
36	68/A	Ditto ...	Bhuban Mahon Ghose	168	8 6 6	
37	68/B	Ditto ...	Bharat Ch. and Dwark Nath Show ...	180	9 0 0	
38	69	Ditto ...	Shaik Asburuddi	126	6 4 6	
39	51	Ditto ...	Nogendra Nath Mukerjee	1 0	6 0 0	
40	71A	Ditto ...	Surnomoney Dassee	192	9 9 6	
41	71B	Ditto ...	Ditto	240	12 0 0	
42	72	Ditto ...	Behari Lall Shaw	384	19 3 0	
43	73	Ditto ...	Ditto	192	9 9 6	
44	20A	Ditto ...	Indra Narain Biswas	300	15 0 0	
45	76/3	Ditto ...	Peary Mohone Sircar	204	10 3 3	
46	76/7	Ditto ...	Troilakho Nath Ghose	180	9 0 0	
47	2	Chitpur Street ...	Gyan Chander Sen	480	24 0 0	Arrear.
48	2A	Ditto ...	Ditto	480	24 0 0	
49	2B	Ditto ...	Ditto	960	48 0 0	
50	2	Ditto ...	Ditto	.....	24 0 0	
51	2A	Ditto ...	Ditto	.....	24 0 0	
52	2B	Ditto ...	Ditto	... .	48 0 0	
53	3	Ditto ...	Rajkristo Banerjee	360	18 0 0	
54	5	Ditto ...	Dino Nath and Narain Chandra Shaw ...	180	9 0 0	
55	7. 7/1, 7/2	Ditto ...	E. B. S. Railway	27,799	1,319 0 9	
56	12	Ditto ...	Benoy Kristo Shaw	1,800	90 0 0	
57	13	Ditto ...	Durgacharan and Kunja Behari Shaw ...	972	48 9 6	
58	14	Ditto ...	Benoy Kristo Shaw	1,452	72 9 6	
59	4	Settpooker Road ..	Ditto	1,200	60 0 0	
60	7	Ditto ...	Dwark Nath Roy	416	22 12 6	
61	11	Ditto ...	Ditto	630	31 8 0	
62	4	Chitpur Ghat Road ...	Gobinda Chander Pal	840	42 0 0	
63	4A	Ditto ...	Horo Nath Biswas	600	30 0 0	
64	5	Ditto ...	Brojo Doyal Shaw	480	24 0 0	
65	13	Chitpur Ghat Lane ...	Shib Chandra Banerjee	300	15 0 0	
66	21	Ditto ...	Parbutty Charan Roy	1,020	51 0 0	
67	24	Ditto ...	Dwark Nath and Bonomally Kundu ...	1,920	96 0 0	
68	7	Ditto ...	Sree Gobindo Shaw	780	39 0 0	
69	4	P. K. Mookerjee's Road	Gyan Chander Sen	1,320	66 0 0	
70	5	Ditto ...	Parbutty Charun Roy	192	9 9 6	
71	5A	Ditto ...	Ditto	192	9 9 6	
72	5B	Ditto ...	Ditto	192	9 9 6	
73	5C	Ditto ...	Ditto	192	9 9 6	
74	14	Ditto ...	Debendra Nath Mukerjee	120	6 0 0	
75	15	Ditto ...	Chandra Nath Mukerjee	324	16 3 0	

Serial No.	Holding No.	Name of Street.	Name of License-holder.	Annual rental valuation.	License fee per annum.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs.	Rs. A. P.	
			Jute Warehouses—concluded.			
76	16	P. K. Mukerjee's Road	Ram Kamal Chakravarti	800	15 0 0	
77	17	Ditto ..	Messrs. Ralli Brothers	2,400	1 0 0 0	
78	6	Ditto ..	Kamini Kumar and Parvaticharan Roy ..	1,380	69 0 0	
79	23A	Ditto ...	Hurrish Chandra Mullick	480	24 0 0	
80	23A 1	Ditto ...	Preo Nath Dass	300	15 0 0	
81	23B	Ditto ...	Preo Nath and Ram Taran Dass ...	360	18 0 0	
82	23C/1	Ditto ...	Mohim Chandra Sirdar	240	24 0 0	Arrear and current.
83	23 C	Ditto ...	Bhagutbat Chandra Mitter	300	15 0 0	
84	24/A	Ditto ...	Mohim Chandra Sirdar	192	9 9 6	
85	24/B	Ditto ...	Dino Nath and Naian Shaw	216	10 12 6	
86	24/7	Ditto ...	Rajendra Nath Dalal	180	9 0 0	
87	26	Ditto ...	Dijoraj Kauch	900	45 0 0	
88	28 1	Ditto ...	Koilash Chandra Ghose	144	7 8 0	
89	27 and 27A	Ditto ...	Bidhu Mookhee and Guanda Dasee ..	1,440	72 0 0	
90	30	Ditto ...	Jiban Krist, Ghose	480	24 0 0	
91	2	P. K. Mukerjee's Lane	Nobo Kishore and Kamini Kumar Roy ...	660	33 0 0	
92	3	Ditto ...	Guan Chandra Sen	312	15 9 6	
93	4	Ditto ...	Ditto	780	39 0 0	Arrear.
94	4	Ditto ...	Ditto	780	39 0 0	
95	10	Ditto ...	Nobokishore and Kamini Kumar Roy ...	480	24 0 0	
96	18	Ditto ...	Ditto ditto ...	840	42 0 0	
97	19	Ditto ...	Ditto ditto ...	780	39 0 0	
98	22	Ditto ...	Guan Chandra Sen	180	9 0 0	
99	1 3	New Canal Road ...	Hori Mohan Dalal	240	12 0 0	
100	1/5 1	Ditto ...	Khetter Nath Shawoo	180	9 0 0	
101	1/6 1	Ditto ...	Akhoy Kumar Ghose	300	15 0 0	
102	2A	Ditto ...	Bharat Chandra and Dwarka Nath Shaw ...	300	15 0 0	
103	2C	Ditto ...	Ditto ditto ...	480	24 0 0	
104	2E	Ditto ..	Jeehan Krishto Ghose (Choto)	240	12 0 0	
105	3/1	Ditto ..	Akhoy Kumar Ghose	360	18 0 0	
106	3A	Ditto ...	Shasi Bhushan and Bani Madhub Banerjee .	240	12 0 0	
107	21	Ditto ..	Nagendra Nath Mukerjee	216	10 12 6	
108	10	Bhoyrub Mukerjee's Lane.	Khater Mondal	96	4 12 6	
109	73	B. T. Road	Upendra Nath Bose .. .	240	12 0 0	
110	25	Nawabputty Street ...	Bonomally Chowdhury ...	540	27 0 0	
111	7	Chitpur Cross Road ...	Ram Doorlav and Sadoo Charan Roy ...	820	41 0 0	
112	17A	Talla Bagan Road	Hari Charan Biswas ...	420	21 0 0	
113	18	Kally Coomar Banerjee's Lane.	Bonomally Chowdhuri	100	5 0 0	
114	11A	Nilmani Mitter's Street	Debendra Nath Bullov	420	21 0 0	
115	11B	Ditto ...	Ram Sebuck Mondal . ..	420	21 0 0	
116	11C	Ditto ...	Doorga Charan Mondal	540	27 0 0	
					3,842 10 9	
			Ropers.			
117	29/4	Paikpara Road ...	Messrs Ralli Brothers	300	15 0 0	
118	14 58	Ditto ...	Subal Chandra Chunder	264	13 4 0	
119	25A	B. T. Road ...	Tran Nath Banerjee . ..	360	36 0 0	Arrear and current.
120	11,3	Dhakendary Road ...	Sashe Bhusan Ghose	192	9 9 6	
					73 12 6	
			Firewood depôts.			
121	74/2	Be'gachia Road ...	Dino Moni Bewa	30	1 8 0	
					1 8 0	
			Golpatta depôts.			
122	77/1/1	B. T Road	Preo Nath Chatterjee	48	2 6 6	
123	78/2	Ditto	Provanna Bewa	60	3 0 0	
124	79/1	Ditto	Guru Charan Nandi	48	7 3 6	Arrear and current.
					12 10 0	
			Wood Depôts.			
125	4/1/1	Bheritollah Road ...	Matab Bewa	48	2 6 6	
126	8/3	P. K. Mukerjee's Road	Shaik Karim Bux	36	1 12 9	
					4 3 3	
		Mutation fee ...	.....	.....	120 0 0	
			Grand Total ..		12,124 12 6	

Municipal Office,
Tala,
The 10th July 1903.

Akhoy Coomar Chatterjee,
Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT ON THE GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION AND FACTORY IN BENGAL, FOR THE YEAR 1902-1903.

The 2nd September 1903.—The following extracts from the Annual Report on the Government Cinchona Plantation and Factory in Bengal for the year 1902-1903, are published for general information.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 2056—54C., dated Royal Botanic Garden, Sibpur, the 13th July 1903.

FROM—MAJOR D. PRAIN, M.B., I.M.S., Superintendent, Royal Botanic Garden, Calcutta, and of Cinchona Cultivation in Bengal, and Government Quinologist,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I HAVE the honour to submit the report of the Cinchona Plantation and Factory for the official year 1902-1903.

Forty-first Annual Report of the Government Cinchona Plantation in Sikkim, being that for the financial year 1902-1903, and also the Report of the Factory for the same year, by MAJOR D. PRAIN, I.M.S., *Superintendent of Cinchona Cultivation in Bengal, and Government Quinologist.*

1. *Weather and general.*—The rainfall during the year was much above the normal; 171·46 inches as against an average of 122·62 for the preceding 28 years. The heaviest fall occurred on 27th September 1902 when 14·7 inches were measured. Although the total was so much greater than during the year 1901-1902 when only 92·69 inches fell, and exceeded the fall registered in any of the preceding 28 years, there was little damage done by landslides on the plantation. Munsong, the new extension in the Dumsong forest, shared in the excessive rainfall, there 106·54 inches fell, as against 88·42 in 1901-1902. The heaviest fall at Munsong, 8·83 inches, also occurred on 27th September 1902.

2. *Plantation and crop.*—The number of plants put out during the year was 458,927. These included 402,343 *Ledgeriana*, 26,459 *Succirubra*, 29,360 *Hybrid No. I*, and 765 *Hybrid No. II*.

The area planted at the head-quarters plantation (Mungpoo and Sittong) was 91·06 acres; here 160,867 *Ledgeriana* plants, all the *Succirubra* and all the *Hybrid No. I* plants were put out. At Munsong 89·1 acres were planted with 241,376 *Ledgeriana* and all the *Hybrid No. II* plants.

The nursery stock of seedlings on 31st March 1903 was 155,328. The stock included 8,000 more *Hybrid No. I*, 2,500 more *Succirubra*, and 123,386 more *Ledgeriana*, but 58 fewer *Hybrid No. II* seedlings than were in the lines on 31st March 1903, indicating that about 134,000 more plants had to be put out after 1st April 1903 than was the case at the same date in the preceding year. The delayed planting season which these figures indicate was due to the severe and continued drought that began in October 1902 and had not broken at the close of the year under review.

The total number of living trees of all kinds in the permanent plantations on 31st March 1903 was 3,015,600. Of these 1,977,315 were at Mungpoo (including Rungloo and Labdah) and 208,331 were at Sittong. At Munsong, in the Dumsong Forest, there were 829,954. The trees included 2,.08,656 *Ledgeriana*, 256,711 *Succirubra*, 2,130 *Officinalis*, 439,003 *Hybrid No. I* and 8,200 *Hybrid No. II*. The increase as compared with 31st March 1902 was 252,314.

Planting at Munsong, notwithstanding the unusual drought, has been more successful than during 1901-1902. The unfavourable planting conditions have, however, prevented the complete fulfilment of the year's programme

prior to 31st March 1903, since only 89·1 acres out of 100 acres prepared for planting had been put out at the close of the year. This will, of course, be recorded as completed in the opening months of 1903-1904. But the dryness of the planting season has made it further impossible to overtake entirely the filling up of the vacancies due to the casualties explained in last annual report. After a close personal examination of the extensions and careful discussion with the Deputy Superintendent of this subject in all its bearings we are agreed that in the interests of the extension the programme of work for 1903-1904 must be modified slightly. Instead of attempting to put out the full extension of 100 acres for that year, it will be necessary to be contented with a smaller area and devote the seedlings which otherwise would have filled the complete extension to the replacement of the 1901-1902 vacancies. The factor which renders this decision essential is the labour one; this, as regards Munsong, is not capable of temporary modification.

During the year 600 maunds of bone meal at the rate of 10 maunds per acre were applied to other sixty acres of 4-year old cinchona. The application of this manure is now beginning to show its effects on the plants previously so treated, their foliage being decidedly more abundant and healthy looking; their stock of fresh surface-feeding roots more plentiful; and their growth, except in trees already diseased, more vigorous. The results are such as to amply justify an increase in future of the quantity of bone-manure applied, and an extension of the acreage annually so treated. The method of deep trenching and more intensive cultivation systematically adopted during the past few years is now showing its full effects in a diminished mortality among the young cinchonas and a marked decrease in the amount of canker present in the extensions, and great credit is due to the Deputy Superintendent, Mr. Pantling, for the care and energy with which he has carried out this improved method of cultivation. Early planting, in years when it can be carried out, appears entitled to credit for a share in this improvement. Unfortunately, however, early planting is not always possible and has its own special risks which are however, on the whole, well worth incurring. Grafting experiments have been continued by Mr. Green, Nursery Assistant, with hopeful results.

The crop taken from the plantation during the year has been 235,605lbs. of dry bark. From Mungpoo the quantity taken was 209,219lbs.; from Sittong, 25,781 lbs.; 605 lbs. were also taken from thinnings at Munsong. The crop has been composed of 140,669 lbs. *Ledgeriana*, 12,580 lbs. *Succirubra*, and 82,356 lbs. *Hybrid No. I.* The whole of the bark thus harvested has been made over as usual to the Quinologist.

3. *Factory and Outturn.*—Work in the factory has gone on throughout the year without accident or delay. The systematic examination of the arrangement and method of working in connection with the separation of quinine has now been completed and the renewals and additions to factory plant mark the close, for the present, of this stage of enquiry and improvement, for carrying out which great credit is due to Mr. R. Pantling, Deputy Superintendent of the Plantation. Considerable advance has been made with the next stage of the enquiry which will incidentally involve a recasting of the methods adopted for the preparation of cinchona febrifuge.

The raw material worked up during the year included 392,250lbs of *Ledgeriana*, *Hybrid No. I*, and *Officinalis* bark which provided 11,927¼lbs. sulphate of quinine, the average yield being 3·04 per cent., the residual alkaloids left over in the process, accounted for during the year, amounted to 3,516 lbs. In addition to the foregoing quantity of bark 84,800 lbs. of mixed *Succirubra* and *Hybrid* bark, to which 3,036 lbs. of residual alkaloids were added, yielded 4,343 lbs. of cinchona febrifuge. The total outturn of manufactured products for the year has thus been 16,275 lbs. 4 oz., an increase as compared with the previous year of 2,840 lbs. 8 oz. This increased quantity included 1,916 lbs. 8 oz. of sulphate of quinine and 924 lbs. of cinchona febrifuge.

4. *General charges.*—The charges debitable against the department as a whole have amounted to Rs. 21,604-6-9 as against Rs. 25,632-7-11. These charges include pay of clerical and menial establishment Rs. 4,962-10-3; postal and telegraph charges Rs. 507; advertising manufactured articles Rs. 680; and

taxes (road and public works cesses) Rs. 1,475. They include, besides, the expenditure incurred in adding to factory plant and appliances; the charges under this heading amounted to Rs. 3,908-2-9. Besides the above, Rs. 1,000 were expended in constructing a new road to the Sonada station of the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway.

5. *Plantation charges.*—The charges debitable against the plantation have been Rs. 85,285-12-4 as against Rs. 73,126-13-6 for 1901-1902. The increased expenditure has been mainly on labour utilized in more effective and thorough cultivation. Against this outlay has to be placed the harvest, 235,605 lbs. of dry bark obtained during the year.

6. *Factory charges.*—The expenditure incurred in connection with the factory was Rs. 86,429-4-4. Of this sum Rs. 38,000 represents the purchase money and Rs. 1,557-12-2, the cost of carriage to the factory of 84,301 lbs. 12 oz. of cinchona bark acquired from private growers; the actual working expenses of the factory for the year were therefore Rs. 46,871-8-2 being Rs. 39,903-0-2 incurred in the manufacture of sulphate of quinine and Rs. 6,968-8 for the manufacture of cinchona febrifuge.

In order to produce 11,927 lbs. 4 oz. of sulphate of quinine, 205,348 lbs. of *Ledgeriana* bark, 46,368 lbs. of *Hybrid No. I* bark, and 70,570 lbs. 8 oz. of *Officinalis* bark from the stock held on April 1st, 1902 were used. The value of this bark was Rs. 46,602-5-2. In addition 69,957 lbs. 8 oz. of *Officinalis* bark purchased during the year for Rs. 31,918-1-9 were employed. The total value of bark used was thus Rs. 78,520-6-11. Of the residual alkaloids left as a bye-product in the manufacture of quinine 3,036 lbs. treated along with 84,800 lbs. of *Succirubra* and *Hybrid No. I* bark provided 4,343 lbs. of cinchona febrifuge. The value of the bark used was Rs. 7,047-6-4; of the residual alkaloids Rs. 2,877-14.

7. *Issues of manufactured articles.*—The issues of sulphate of quinine for the year amounted to 10,950 lbs. 5 oz., an increase of 1,157 lbs. 2 oz., as compared with 1901-1902. There was an increased demand for 800 lbs. on the part of Medical Depôts, for 523 lbs. 2 oz. in connection with pice-packet system and for 46 lbs. on the part of the Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal, but a decrease of 213 lbs. 10½ oz. on the part of Government dispensaries.

The issues of chinchona febrifuge for the year amounted to 4,505 lbs. 12 oz., an increase of 835 lbs. 8 oz., as compared with 1901-1902. There was an increase in the demand on the part of the public generally of 329 lbs., the Principal Veterinary Surgeon, South Africa, received 500 lbs., as compared with 300 lbs. in the preceding year.

8. *Receipts.*—The receipts for the year have amounted to Rs. 2,11,784 8-4, as compared with Rs. 1,91,922-5-2 for the preceding year. Cash receipts have amounted to Rs. 81,438-11 and include, besides the receipts for manufactured articles (quinine Rs. 47,088-15 and cinchona febrifuge Rs. 32,441-8), the sum of Rs. 1,799-7 as receipts for crude products (bark Rs. 269-7, seed Rs. 190, and residual alkaloids Rs. 1,340) and the sum of Rs. 108-13 as receipts for miscellaneous articles (empty soda-drums, old gunny-bags, &c). The book credits for the year amounted to Rs. 1,30,345-13-4 and have included Rs. 36,670-8 for issues in connection with the pice-packet system, with an additional credit as regards Bengal, reported by the Accountant-General, Bengal of Rs. 6,403-15-3; Rs. 85,783-5-4 for issues to Medical Depôts; Rs. 400 for issues to the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal; Rs. 2,452 for issues to the Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal; Rs. 5,000 for issues to the Principal, Veterinary Surgeon, Cape Town; and Rs. 90 for issues to the Colonial Secretary, Sierra Leone. The outstandings representing cash issues made during the last few days of the financial year, the transactions in connection with which were not completed on 31st March 1903, amounted to Rs. 5,709-4. It has been necessary, under the advice of the Government Solicitor, to write off as a bad debt Rs. 24 of the outstandings on 31st March 1902; the remainder of the outstandings at that date were recovered in due course.

9. *Stock account.*—The manufactured articles in stock on 31st March 1902 consisted of 3,924 lbs. 14 oz. of Sulphate of Quinine and 2,377 lbs. of Cinchona Febrifuge; their respective values were: Quinine Rs. 59,023-2 and Febrifuge Rs. 23,770, these sums representing the average price at which stock of similar

quality was sold during the year. Raw material and unmanufactured products included 230 lbs. of residual (amorphous) alkaloids in stock at Calcutta, valued at Rs. 218-0-4 and 1,238,903 lbs. 15 oz of dry Cinchona bark, valued at Rs. 2,32,527-3-6. The value of stores in stock was Rs. 1,989-10-8, consisting of oils Rs. 1,071-0-6, chemicals, Rs. 577-14-5, sundries (charcoal for purification) Rs. 340-2-9.

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10. *Balance sheet*—* * * * As directed by the Government of India the stocks of Bark, Quinine, and Febrifuge are valued at the average price at which stock of similar quality was sold during the year. This involves an enhancement of the stocks held at the close of the year by Rs. 1,20,771-12-7; at the same time, as directed by the Government of India, non-recurrent general charges, which amounted for the year to Rs. 4,908-2-9, are excluded from the debit side of this account. The balance on this account is thus Rs. 1,74,088-4-6. Excluding this enhancement in the value of the stock, which is due mainly to a different method of calculation, and allowing for the non-recurrent charges, the net surplus for the year amounts to Rs. 48,408-5-2.

11. *Sale of Quinine at Post Offices.*—The quantity of quinine issued to the Jail Department during 1902-1903 was 2,529 lbs., being 518 lbs. in excess of the supply during 1901-1902, but still nearly 1,000 lbs. below the quantity issued for this purpose during 1900-1901. This falling off proves, on enquiry, to be due to the diminished prevalence of malaria in the Lower Provinces and Assam.

12. *Miscellaneous*—(*a*) *Fuel Plantation.*—Fifteen acres of the Khasia Oak plantation were coppiced during the year. The yield was 27,603 maunds or 1,840 maunds per acre; of this, 24,103 maunds consist of oak fellings or 1,606 maunds per acre of firewood of the highest quality. The eight acres coppiced during the previous year have produced a healthy growth and all vacancies have been filled up.

(*b*) *Land Rent.*—The revenue collected from settlers within the Cinchona reserves for grazing and land rent amounted to Rs. 3,429-1-6, being Rs. 117-10-3 less than the previous year's revenue. This sum was, according to custom, paid into the treasury at Darjeeling, no credit being taken for it in the accounts of the Cinchona Department.

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WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 7th September 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·37, Kalna 1·75, Katwa 1·75, Raniganj 0·43. Weather sultry with occasional showers of rain. Autumn rice not in good condition in Sadar. Transplantation of *aman* still continues in some parts of the district. Indigo and sugarcane fair. *Aus* is being reaped in Kalna subdivision. Fodder sufficient. Water still insufficient for transplantation in some places of thanas Katwa and Mangalkot. Rain wanted generally. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Kalna	10	0	
Katwa	11	0	
Raniganj	11	0	

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar ·68, Rampur Hât return not received. Weather seasonable. More rain wanted. Sugarcane crop in good condition. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·19. More rain wanted for the standing crops. Rice sells at 12 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·01, Contai 4·92, Tamluk ·80, Ghatal 3·82. More rain wanted except in Ghatal. Prospect of winter crops fair. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	9	0	per rupee.
Contai	12	0	
Tamluk	10	10	
Ghatal	10	8	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·74, Serampore 0·96, Arambagh 1·84. More rain wanted everywhere. Transplantation of winter paddy nearly completed in Arambagh subdivision, still continuing in Sadar and Serampore subdivisions. Standing crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Serampore	10	0	
Arambagh	10	7	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·09. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* paddy nearly finished. The cutting of jute going on briskly. Agricultural prospects good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice is selling at 10½ seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·41, Barasat 0·67, Basirhat 0·78, Diamond Harbour 1·77. Weather cloudy and cool. Rainfall insufficient in the Diamond Harbour subdivision and in thanas Hasnabad and Baduria in the Basirhat subdivision. *Aus*, jute and sugarcane doing well. Prospect of *aus* and jute good, and that of *aman* tolerable. Jute being cut and steeped. Harvesting of *aus* has commenced. Transplantation of *aman* going on briskly, and nearly completed in most places. Common rice sells at 11¼ seers except in Barasat and Diamond Harbour, where it sells at 10 seers per rupee. Condition of cattle good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·81, Kushtia 0·65, Meherpur 1·37, Chuadanga 0·29, Ranaghat 2·30. The rainfall has proved beneficial. More rain wanted. Harvesting of jute and *aus* going on. Standing crops doing fairly. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kushtia	12	0	
Meherpur	12	4	
Chuadanga	12	4	
Ranaghat	11	0	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·12, Kandi 2·5, Jangipur 1·42, Lalbagh 1·95. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* still going on, but more rain wanted. *Bhadoi* being harvested in some parts of the district. Jute being cut and steeped in Jangipur. Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kandi	11	0	
Jangipur	12	0	
Lalbagh	11	8	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·04, Jhenida 1·21, Magura 1·93, Bangaon 1·14, Narail report not received Weather cloudy with slight rainfall. Prospects of *aman* good. Recent rains serve only to keep the plants alive More rain wanted. Harvesting of *aus* going on. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	13 0	per rupee.
Jhenida	13 8	
Magura	13 8	
Narail	Not reported.	
Bangaon	12 5	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·83, Bagerhat 3·26, Satkhira 0·86 Weather seasonable, but more rain is still wanted in the Satkhira subdivision. Transplantation of winter rice is now estimated at 73 per cent. Prospects generally improved. Cattle-disease reported from Khulna, Dumuria, Morelganj, Kaliganj and Budhata. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	11 8	per rupee.
Bagerhat	12 0	
Satkhira	10 0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·08, Nator 1·19, Naugaon 1·42. Harvesting of *aus* and jute going on. Transplantation of winter rice in progress. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling on an average 13 seers per rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·48, Thakurgaon 9·33. Fall in the district general. More rain wanted in the Sadar subdivision. Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *bhadoi* and steeping of jute continuing. Transplantation of winter rice in progress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at 12 seers on an average.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 12·93, Alipur Duars 13·40. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *haimanti* paddy nearly finished. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy continues. Cutting and steeping of jute going on. Common rice sells at 11 seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·58. Weather wet. *Hills*—Maize, potato, *phapor*, *kagni*, *bhadoi dhan*, *chota marua*, and winter rice doing well. *Terai*—Transplantation of winter rice and reaping of jute continue. Prospects fair. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Hills	9 0	per rupee.
Terai	11 0	

Maize sells at Darjeeling at 14 and at Kalimpong at 24 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·58, Gaibanda 2·69, Nilphamari 9·25, Kurigram 2·99. Weather hot. Standing crops doing well. Washing of jute and transplantation of *aman* going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	12 0	per rupee.
Gaibanda	12 0	
Nilphamari	11 0	
Kurigram	12 0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·12. Fall general. Weather sultry and cloudy. Cutting of *aus* and jute still continuing. Transplantation of winter rice nearly finished. More rain still wanted in high lands. Prospects fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·36, Sirajganj 1·54. Weather cloudy and hot. Prospects of standing crops fair. General rain throughout. Reaping of *aus* and jute continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice (*aus*) sells at 14½ seers a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·85. Fall general. Prospects of crops good. Weather rainy. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·36, Jamalpur 4·24, Kishorganj 3·32, Netrokona 3·15, Tangail 0·83. Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute and *aus* and transplantation of winter rice still continue. Sowings of *bhadoi til* estimated at 45 per cent. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease. Rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	14 0	per rupee.
Jamalpur	15 4	
Kishorganj	12 14	
Netrokona	14 4	
Tangail	12 0	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·03, Goalundo 2·58, Madaripur 1·90. Weather sultry with some showers. Jute being steeped. Prospects of *aman* paddy good. Fodder available. Common rice sells at 13 seers a rupee.

Backergunge.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·66. Fall general. Jute and sugarcane promising. Transplantation of winter rice still progressing owing to dry June. Cattle-disease abating. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Aman	12	0	per rupee.
Aus	14	8	

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·58, Brahmanbaria ·90, Chandpur 4·22. Weather seasonable. Prospects good. Harvesting of jute and transplantation of *aman* still going on. Harvesting of *aus* completed in Chandpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease in Chandina thana. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	15	0	per rupee.
Brahmanbaria	16	0	
Chandpur	13	0	

Noakhali.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·79, Feni 1·51. Weather rainy. Harvesting of *aus* and transplantation of *aman* nearly finished. Prospects fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers and at Feni at 17 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·46, Cox's Bazar report not received. Transplantation of *aman* crop still going on. No cattle-disease. Water and fodder sufficient. Rice sells at 12 seers 9 chitaks per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Rainfall 2·06. Weather sultry and hot. Prospects of late *joom* paddy fair. Cotton good. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 12 seers a rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·34, Barh ·97, Bihar 3·07, Dinapore 1·96, Asthawan 1·20, Islampur 2·10, Hilsa 1·75, Bikram 1·67. Weather—Sky clear, slight showers last night. Rainfall this week was quite in sufficient. Sadar and Barh subdivision got practically no rain. Bihar did better, but wanted the rain worse. The *bhadoi* in spite of insufficient rain is closing well and promises to be an eight-anna crop. *Paddy* except in some places where water for irrigation is available is practically hopeless. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported in Barh. Prices of common rice have fallen except at Dinapore and the Sadar. Prices of common rice are as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	8	per rupee.
Barh	13	8	
Bihar	12	0	
Dinapore	12	12	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·07, Nawadah 0·10, Jahanabad 2·03, Aurangabad 0·33. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy going on briskly in parts having sufficient water. Its progress is reported to be slow in the Nawadah and the Aurangabad subdivisions where the rainfall during the week was only nominal More rain wanted urgently to keep the paddy alive and help its growth. Sugarcane and *bhadoi* doing well. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. No cattle-disease. Average price of common rice $11\frac{1}{16}$ seers per rupee.

Shahabad.—Rainfall at Arrah 0·95, Buxar 0·06, Bhabhua 3·39, Sasaram 0·67. Transplantation of paddy continues. More rain wanted in the Bhabhua subdivision. *Bhadoi* and sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at Sadar at $12\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Saran.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·47, Siwan ·44, Gopalganj 2·39. Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Transplantation of paddy nearly completed in subdivisions, but it continues at Sadar. Cattle-disease at Manjhi continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 and maize at 22 seers per rupee at Chapra.

Champaran. Rainfall at Motihari ·52, Bettiah 1·03. Transplantation of winter rice and harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy continue. Prospects of standing crops except those damaged by flood and excessive rain improving. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at $15\frac{1}{2}$ and maize at 23 seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·29, Hajipur ·12, and Sitamarhi 2·22. Weather cloudy occasionally. Transplantation of paddy almost finished. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops commenced. Outturn estimated at over 60 per cent. for district. More rain wanted for the *dhan* in Hajipur subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 13 and maize at 21 seers per rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·22, Samastipur 0·15, Madhubani 2·23. Prospects of winter rice good. Transplantation of paddy is still going on. More rain urgently wanted round about Samastipur. Harvesting of *bhadoi* in progress. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Mohiuddinagore outpost. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	6	per rupee.
Samastipur	14	0	
Madhubani	13	5	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·24, Begusarai ·70, Jamui 1·49. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter paddy going on in Sadar and Begusarai. Just commened in places in Jamui. *Bhadoi* crops much benefited by recent rains everywhere. Standing crops doing well. Harvesting of *makai shama* and *koeni* going on in Begusarai. In Jamui prospect of paddy still very poor but of sugarcane good. No cattle-disease. Sufficient fodder and water. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	4	per rupee.
Begusarai	13	0	
Jamui	11	0	

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·86, Banka 1·66, Madhipura 1·88, Supaul 0·51. Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *bhadoi* and *marua* crops going on in Supaul and Madhipura and begun at places. At Banka and Sadar transplantation of *aghani* crop completed. At Supaul standing crops doing well. More rain still urgently needed at Banka. Crops by the side of Danseswari river and to the east of Khara and Budhama in Madhipura subdivision have been damaged to some extent by floods. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	6	per rupee.
Banka	11	4	
Madhipura	15	0	
Supaul	17	0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·43, Kishanganj 10·35, Araria 4·35. Fall general though scanty at the Sadar. More rain is wanted in the south of the district. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	12	0	
Araria	12	0	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar ·27, Chanchal 1·35, Gajol ·67, Sibganj 1·26. Weather hot. Transplantation of winter rice in progress. Harvesting of *bhadoi* and cutting and steeping of jute going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 12½ seers per rupee.

Sonthal Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·58, Deoghar 0·40, Godda 0·49, Jamtara 1·24, Pakaur 0·90, Rajmahal 2·51. Weather hot. Transplantation of winter rice still continues, but rain generally needed for high lands. Sugarcane and indigo doing well. Outturn of Indian-corn favourable. Prospects of *bhadoi* good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 11 seers in Dumka.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·35. Weather cloudy. *Beali* being harvested and ripening at places. *Sarad* growing. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers 7 chitaks per rupee at Cuttack.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·46. More rain wanted in Bhadrak. *Beali* ripening and at places being harvested. Transplanting and weeding of *sarad* and winter rice continue. Miscellaneous crops thriving. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 14 seers per rupee both at Sadar and Bhadrak.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·24, Bisipara 3·79. Weather seasonable. Weeding of *sarad* and harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy and *millets* in progress. Sowing of *rabi cereals* and *rasi* going on. Prospect of standing crops favourable. Common rice sells at 18 and 13¼ seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals respectively.

Puri.—Rainfall 0·70 inches. Weather hot, cloudy, and rainy. Weeding and transplanting of *sarad* paddy continues. Miscellaneous crops doing well. *Beali* paddy is being harvested. Outturn expected to be 12 annas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers 11 chitaks per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Weather hot. Rainfall at Sadar 1·55, Giridih 0·58. Rain is urgently required everywhere. Transplantation going on with difficulty. Harvesting of *makai* and of *mandua* commenced. Fodder and water sufficient. *Bhadoi* promises well. Common rice sells at 11¼ seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·01. Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *gundli* in progress Standing crops doing well, but more rain is wanted Cattle-disease reported from five thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers and at Gumla at 17 seers per rupee.

Palamau.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·57, Hussainabad 3·27. Weather seasonable. Hussainabad prospects considerably improved. A promising *bhadoi* crop is in a critical state and rain is urgently wanted within a few days all over the district. *Til*, *kurthi*, *sirguja*, and other late crops are being sown wherever possible. Standing crops have just retained last week's state. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices stationary. Rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers 6 chitaks and maize at 16 seers 14 chitaks per rupee.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·87, Gobindpur ·55. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops fair More rain wanted. *Til* is still being sown. Transplantation of tobacco is estimated at 12 per cent. in Gobindpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Manbazar, Jhalda and Para thanas. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers, and at Gobindpur at 11 seers per rupee.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 1·23. More rain needed. Prospects of early paddy very unfavourable. Fodder sufficient. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

General Summary.—Rain fell during the week all over the Province, but the fall was insufficient in some districts. The districts of Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Sonthal Parganas, Hazaribagh and Palamau are still in need of more rain for the winter rice crop. Transplantation of winter rice going on. Harvesting of early rice and jute continues. Sugarcane doing well. Cattle-disease reported from six districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in 12 districts, has fallen in 11, and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
The 8th September 1903.

PRICES-CURRENT (*RETAIL*) OF FOOD-GRAINS AND SALT

IN THE

HEAD-QUARTERS STATION BAZÀRS OF THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL

DURING THE FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 31st AUGUST 1903.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN											
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan ...	12 12	12 12	12 4	...	...	...	10 0	9 4	10 8	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	12 0	11 4	12 12	...	...	..	11 4	10 8	11 4	...	.	...
3	Bankura ...	11 0	12 0	12 8	...	...	...	11 0	10 12	11 10	..		...
4	Midnapore ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	9 4	...	.	...
6	Howrah ...	...	...	...	.	...	..	10 12	11 0	12 0	...	.	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION. 7	24-Parganas ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	11 0	10 0	...	...	...
8	Calcutta ...	11 13	11 13	10 10	16 0	16 0	16 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0
9	Nadia ...	13 6	12 12	13 4	19 2	20 0	20 0	10 5	10 10	11 0	...	...	...
10	Murshidabad ...	13 4	15 0	15 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	10 8	11 0	12 8	...	...	...
11	Jessore ...	10 8	11 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	10 10	13 0	11 8	12 4	...	...	...
12	Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 5	13 0	12 12	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI DIVISION. 13	Rajshahi ...	15 9	15 0	16 8	22 8	22 8	22 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	
14	Dinajpur ...	12 13	12 4	14 6	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	13 8	...	...	...
15	Jalpaiguri ...	10 8	10 0	11 0	...	..	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	9 8	...	...	...
17	Rangpur ...	12 0	12 0	10 8	..	...	...	12 0	12 0	10 8	...	...	...
18	Bogra ...	13 8	13 8	10 8	...	...	...	14 4	14 4	11 4	...	...	..
19	Pabna ...	15 12	16 8	15 12	26 0	27 8	26 0	14 4	12 0	12 8	...	...	...
DACCA DIVISION. 20	Dacca ...	13 0	13 0	12 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	14 8	11 8	13 0	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ..	12 0	12 0	12 8	11 0	11 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	11 0	...	...	...
22	Faridpur ...	13 0	17 0	16 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	12 0	11 4	...	...	...
23	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	12 8 Aus. 13 8	12 8 Aus. 13 8	11 4 Aus. 13 8	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kalna 11 seers 4 chitaks; Katwa 12 seers 10 chitaks; Raniganj 12 seers.

B. At Rampur Hat the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.

C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 14½ seers per rupee.

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Contai 12 seers; Tamluk 11 seers; Ghatal 13½ seers.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 12 seers 13 chitaks; Arambagh 12 seers 13 chitaks.

F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 13 seers 14½ chitaks per rupee.

G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 13 seers 5 chitaks; Barasat 13 seers 5 chitaks; Baduria 13 seers 12 chitaks; Monghat 10 seers 10⅝ chitaks.

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 13½ seers; Chuadanga 13 seers (panga); Meherpur 12 seers; Ranaghat 14 seers 8 chitaks (crushed).

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Lalbagh 12 seers; Kandi 12½ seers; Jangipur 12 seers.

quarters Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 31st August 1903.

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.			Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.	Number.	
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BENGAL.		
...	...	...	9 4	9 4	12 0	A 14 4	14 4	11 4	2 13 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	Burdwan.	1	Burdwan Division.
...	...	...	15 0	15 0	16 0	B 12 0	12 8	10 8	3 2	3 2 6	3 12 0	Birbhum	2	
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 8	C 14 0	12 8	11 8	Panga. 2 14 0	3 1 0	3 7 0	Bankura.	3	
...	...	...	9 0	9 0	...	D 12 0	12 0	10 8	Panga. 2 13 0	2 13 0	3 8 0	Midnapore	4	
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	8 0	E 13 0	13 0	10 8	Crushed. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	Hooghly.	5	
...	...	...	11 4	11 6	11 8	F 12 6	12 6	10 8	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 12 0	Howrah.	6	
...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 8	G 13 5	13 5	10 10	Panga. 2 14 0	2 13 0	3 5 0	24-Parganas.	7	Presidency Division.
16 0	16 0	17 0	8 6	9 0	9 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Panga. 2 10 0	2 10 0	3 6 0	Calcutta.	8	
...	...	...	10 10	9 6	10 0	H 12 12	12 12	12 4	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	Nadia.	9	
...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	I 13 0	13 4	11 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 6 6	Murshidabad	10	
...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 0	J 14 0	12 0	10 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 12 0	Jessore.	11	
...	...	...	10 5	10 0	10 0	K 11 2	11 2	10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	Khulna.	12	
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 12	L 12 0	12 0	10 5	3 0 0	3 2 8	3 13 4	Rajshahi.	13	Rajshahi Division.
...	...	...	11 6	12 0	11 6	M 13 0	13 0	10 8	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	Dinajpur.	14	
...	...	...	8 0	8 0	...	N 12 0	12 0	10 0	Panga. 3 2 0	3 2 0	3 9 6	Jalpaiguri.	15	
20 0	16 0	20 0	6 8	6 0	7 0	O { 10 0 / 10 0 }	10 0	8 8	Rora. 4 0 0 / Panga. 4 0 0	4 0 0 / 4 0 0	4 10 0 / 4 12 0	Darjeeling.	16	
18 0	18 0	18 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	P 11 0	11 0	10 8	Panga. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	Rangpur.	17	
...	...	...	15 0	16 2	13 8	12 0	13 2	10 8	Panga 3 1 4	3 1 4	3 10 8	Bogra.	18	
...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	Q 12 0	12 10	10 8	Panga. 3 5 8	3 2 0	3 12 0	Pubna.	19	
...	...	...	16 0	16 0	10 0	R 11 0	11 0	11 0	Panga. 3 3 0	3 3 0	3 10 0	Dacca.	20	Dacca Division.
...	...	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	S 10 0	10 0	10 0	Panga. 3 4 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	Mymensingh	21	
...	...	...	10 0	8 0	13 0	T 13 0	13 0	10 10	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	Faridpur	2	
...	...	...	..	...	...	U 13 0	13 0	10 0	Panga 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	Backergunge.	23	

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 12 seers; Magura 12 seers; Bangaon 13 seers; Narail 12 seers.
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 12 seers; Satkhira 13 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Nator 14 seers; Naugaon 12 seers.
M. No report from subdivision.
N. At Alipur Duars the retail price of salt is 10 seers per rupee.
O. At Kurseong and Siliguri the retail prices of salt per rupee are 8 seers and 10 seers, respectively.
P. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gaibanda 12 seers; Kurigram 8 seers; Nilphamari 12 seers.
Q. At Sirajganj the retail price of salt is 13 seers 9 chitaks per rupee.
R. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Madanganj return not received; Manikganj 11 seers; Mirkadim return not received.
S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishorganj 12 seers 12 chitaks; Jamalpur 12 seers 5 chitaks; Tangail 10 seers 10 chitaks; Netrokona 11½ seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Goalundo 12 seers 1 chitak; Madaripur 13 seers (crushed).
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Pirojpur 11 seers; Patuakhali 13 seers; Bhola 10½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT. Present return.	WHEAT. Next preceding return.	WHEAT. Corresponding return of last year.	BARLEY. Present return.	BARLEY. Next preceding return.	BARLEY. Corresponding return of last year.	RICE, COMMON. Present return.	RICE, COMMON. Next preceding return.	RICE, COMMON. Corresponding return of last year.	JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Present return.	JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Next preceding return.	JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Corresponding return of last year.
BENGAL—*concluded.*		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 24	Tippera ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	12 8	13 0	...	...	...
25	Noakhali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 4	13 3	11 0	...	...	...
26	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	12 8	12 11	...	...	...
BIHAR.													
PATNA DIVISION. 27	Patna ...	*White* 16 0 *Raksa* 15 0	*White* 15 0 *Raksa* 17 8	14 0	22 0	*White* 21 0 *Raksa* 22 0	19 0	14 8	13 0	11 0	*White* 18 0 *Raksa* 25 0	*White* 16 0 *Raksa* 24 0	*White* 16 0 *Raksa* 20 0
28	Gaya ...	14 0	14 8	13 0	18 8	18 0	17 0	11 8	11 0	11 0	20 0	20 0	15 0
29	Shahabad	14 0	14 0	13 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	12 12	13 0	11 8	...	...	...
30	Saran ...	15 0	15 0	15 0	23 0	22 0	20 0	13 8	13 12	12 0	24 0	...	...
31	Champaran ...	15 0 to 17 0	15 0 to 16 0	18 0	25 0 to 26 0	23 0	22 0 to 24 0	15 8	15 8	14 0	...	...	...
32	Muzaffarpur ..	14 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	19 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	...	...	...
33	Darbhanga .	16 8	17 10	14 4	22 0	22 0	19 12	13 6	13 12	12 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 34	Monghyr ...	14 0	14 0	14 8	21 0	21 0	25 0	10 8	10 12	10 0	...	...	...
35	Bhagalpur ..	13 14	13 14	13 14	19 0	14 0	19 0	11 5	12 0	12 6 Aghani 10 8	...	...	...
36	Purnea ...	15 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	Bhadoi new 15 0	...	...	...
37	Malda ...	14 0	14 8	16 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...
38	Santhal Parganas.	11 0	12 0	11 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	12 0	11 12	12 0	...	...	...
ORISSA.													
ORISSA DIVISION. 39	Cuttack ...	12 7	12 7	11 13	...	...	...	14 7	14 7	13 2	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	11 0 & 14 0	13 0	14 0	...	14 0	...	14 0	13 8	13 8 & 14 0	...	...	...
41	Angul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...
42	Puri ...	11 2	12 7	10 10	...	...	...	18 6	15 0	14 7	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR.													
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 43	Hazaribagh ...	12 0	11 0	10 12	17 8	16 0	13 8	12 0	10 8	10 12	...	...	...
44	Ranchi ...	8 4 to 11 0	8 8 to 10 8	8 0 to 10 8	14 0	15 0	14 0	12 0	11 0	14 0	...	...	...
45	Palamau ...	13 8	11 13	10 15	19 2	18 0	14 1	12 6	11 4	10 8	...	...	...
46	Manbhum ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	16 0	16 0	12 0	10 0	13 4	...	...	...
47	Singhbhum ...	12 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chandpur 10 seers 10 chitaks ; Brahmanbaria 10 seers 10 chitaks.
W. At Feni Hát the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
X. Return from Cox's Bazar not received.
Y. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 13 seers ; Dinapore 11½ seers ; Bihar 12 seers.
Z. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 10 seers ; Nawada 12 seers ; Aurangabad 12 seers.
a. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 12 seers ; Bhabua 11½ seers ; Sasseram 12 seers.
b. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 13 seers 6 chitaks ; Gopalganj 12 seers 9 chitaks.
c. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Hajipur 12 seers ; Sitamarhi 11½ seers.
e In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 11 seers ; Madhubani 11 seers 2 chitaks.
f. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 11 seers ; Jamui 12 seers.
g. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 11½ seers ; Madhipura 10 seers ; Supaul 11 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 7th September 1903.

Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 31st August 1903—concld.

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar dal or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.			Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.	Number.	
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BENGAL—*concluded.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 10 V	10 10	10 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 14 0	Tippera.	24	Chittagong Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12 W	12 12	9 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	4 2 0	Noakhali.	25	
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	8 0	12 0 X	12 0	10 0	2 10 0	2 11 0	3 6 0	Chittagong	26	
												BIHAR.		
22 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	17 0	10 8 Y	10 8	10 4	Panga. 3 3 0	3 3 0	3 11 0	Patna.	27	Patna Division.
20 0	20 0	18 0	13 0	13 0	15 12	13 0 Z	12 12	11 0	3 1 0	3 2 6	3 9 6	Gaya.	28	
...	...	...	13 0	12 0	12 0	13 0 a	13 0	10 0	3 1 3	3 1 3	4 0 0	Shahabad.	29	
21 0	20 0	20 0	13 8	14 0	15 8	13 0 b	12 12	11 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	3 10 2	Saran.	30	
22 0	25 0 to 26 0	22 0	22 8	23 0	22 0	12 0 c	12 0	10 8	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 13 0	Champaran.	31	
20 0	20 0	20 0	14 8	14 9	13 8	12 8 d	12 0	10 0	Panga. 3 3 0	3 3 0	4 0 0	Muzaffarpur.	32	
23 1	22 0	22 0	13 8	14 4	14 4	12 1 e	12 1	11 0	3 3 2	3 3 2	3 10 0	Darbhanga.	33	
17 0	15 0	29 0	18 0	17 0	11 0	13 0 f	12 0	10 8	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 14 6	Monghyr	34	Bhagalpur Division.
19 0	19 0	21 8	12 10	12 10	12 10	12 8 g	12 8	10 12	Panga. 12 14 3	2 13 9	3 10 0	Bhagalpur.	35	
...	...	...	11 0	12 0	10 0	11 0 h	11 0	9 8	Panga. 3 10 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	Purnea.	36	
...	...	...	10 0	13 0	13 0	11 0 i 12 0	12 0 11 0	10 0 9 8	Panga. 3 4 0 Karkatch. 3 4 0	3 3 0 3 7 0	3 14 0 4 0 0	Malda.	37	
20 0	19 0	...	20 0	17 8	18 0	11 0 j	11 0	10 8	3 8 0	3 3 0	3 10 0	Sonthal Parganas.	38	
												ORISSA.		
...	19 0	...	15 1	15 6	15 1	14 0 k	14 0	12 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	Cuttack	39	Orissa Division.
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 12	13 0 l	13 0	11 0	Panga. 2 14 0	2 15 0	3 8 0	Balasore.	40	
...	...	...	14 0	14 0	15 0	8 0 m	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	Angul.	41	
...	...	...	9 13	9 13	9 3	16 0 n	15 8	13 0	2 8 0	2 9 0	3 1 0	Puri	42	
												CHOTA NAGPUR.		
21 0	15 8	14 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	Panga. 4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	Hazaribagh.	43	Chota Nagpur Division.
20 0	...	17 0	7 8 to 8 0	7 8	6 0 to 6 8	10 8 o	10 8	9 12	3 9 0	3 9 0	4 1 0	Ranchi.	44	
16 14	16 14	13 8	12 6	12 6	11 4	12 6	12 6	10 2	Panga. ...	...	...	Palamau.	45	
...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 8	12 0 p	12 0	10 10	Panga. 3 1 0	3 2 0	3 10 0	Manbhum.	46	
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	9 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 4 0	Singhbhum.	47	

h. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 11 seers; Araria 9 seers.
i. At Balia Nawabganj the retail price of salt is 11 seers per rupee.
j. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Deoghur 13 seers (panga); Godda 11 seers; Jamtara 11 seers; Pakaur 13 seers, Rajmahal 12 seers.
k. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jajpur 12 seers; Kendrapara 13 seers.
l. At Bhadrak the retail price of salt is 10½ seers per rupee.
m. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 9 seers; Risulpara 9 seers.
n. At Khurda the retail price of salt is 14 seers per rupee.
o. At Gumla the retail price of salt is 9 seers per rupee.
p. At Gobindpur the retail price of salt is 13 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
1	Calcutta ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 6
2	Burdwan ...	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	3 11 0	4 4 0	3 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 3 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Pabna ...	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	2 12 6	3 5 3	3 5 0	2 8 6	2 6 9	2 8 6	...	...	...
5	Rangpur ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	...	...	...
6	Dacca ...	3 6 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	3 4 0	0 0	2 2 0	2 0
7	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Patna ...	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	2 12 0 to 3 5 3	3 0 0	3 10 0	2 8 0 to 2 10 0	2 5 0	2 13 6	1 13 0	1 13 0	2 1
9	Muzaffarpur ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 5 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 14 6	1 14 6	2 0
10	Bhagalpur ...	4 3 6	3 15 0	4 3 0	3 8 1	3 8 1	3 8 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 1 3	2 0 6	2 0
11	Cuttack ...	4 2 0	3 12 0	4 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 13 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 3 0	...	...	...
12	Ranchi ...	4 11 6	4 11 6	4 10 9	2 12 0	3 5 4	2 13 6	3 10 0 to 4 13 6	3 13 0 to 4 11 3	4 3 0 to 5 0 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	2 13

Calcutta,

The 7th September 1903.

Juar or Cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 6 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 6 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0 to 3 2 0	2 10 0 to 3 2 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 6	2 5 9	2 10 6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	4 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 6 0
White. 2 3 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 14 0 to 2 3 0	2 0 0	2 1 6
Rakas. 1 9 0	1 10 0	1 15 0									
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 13 0	1 14 6	1 14 6	2 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 0 6	2 1 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 1 0	2 6 3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 14 6	3 5 0	3 3 2

PRICE PER MAUND OF

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed			Mustard and Rapeseed		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 6 0	2 6 0	2 2 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	5 2 0	4 14 0	6 12 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	5 0 0
...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 3 0	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 8 0	4 6 0
...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	4 6 0	6 8 0	Black mustard. 4 0 0	4 [illegible] 0	4 10 0 to 4 12 0
									Rapeseed. 3 12 0	3 12 0	4 14 0
...	...	...	4 5 3	3 5 9	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 12 0	6 4 0
2 6 0	2 6 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 8 0
...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 8 0
1 13 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 7 0	1 14 0	2 5 0	4 6 0	4 2 0	6 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	4 6 0
1 14 6	1 14 6	1 15 3	2 10 6	2 12 0	2 13 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 1 3	2 0 6	1 14 6	3 2 2	3 2 2	3 2 0	4 0 6	4 0 0	6 0 0	Rapeseed. 3 11 2	3 5 0	4 6 0
									Mustard. 4 0 0	3 15 0	4 0 0
...	...	...	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	...	...	...	5 1 3	3 12 9	4 4 9
...	...	...	5 0 0 to 5 5 4	5 5 4	6 2 6 to 6 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 0	3 10 0 to 4 3 3	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	5 0 0

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40 STANDARD SEERS.

Til or Jinjili seed,			Sugar (raw).			Cotton (cleaned).			Jute.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	17 0 0	17 0 0	15 0 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 4 0
...	...	...	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	5 4 0 to 5 10 0	5 4 0 to 5 10 0	3 4 0 to 3 8 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 8 0	4 6 0	3 10 0	21 0 0	20 0 0	21 0 0	5 1 0	5 7 6	5 2 0
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 0 0
...	...	...	6 0 0	5 8 0	4 2 0	...	...	...	...	5 8 0	4 8 0
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	16 4 0	16 0 0	14 8 0	...	...	...
4 0 0	3 15 0	5 10 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	2 12 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 8 0	4 4 0
...	...	...	3 5 3	3 1 3	2 10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 1 0	19 8 2	19 8 2	19 0 0	...	...	...
3 14 0	3 7 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 7 0 to 5 0 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	4 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...

Ghi (clarified butter).			Tobacco Leaf.			Hides (cow).			Grass.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
						Per 100 pieces.					
41 0 0	39 0 0	39 0 0	8 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	1 2 0	1 2 0	1 0 0
31 4 0	32 0 0	30 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Madhukhali.			Uncleaned per piece.					
34 8 0	33 0 0	30 8 0	7 0 0 to 10 0 0	7 0 0 to 10 0 0	5 8 0 to 6 10 0	0 12 0 to 2 12 0	0 12 0 to 2 12 0	1 0 0 to 2 8 0	...	...	...
			Pulta.			Cleaned per piece.					
						1 0 0 to 3 0 0	1 0 0 to 3 0 0	1 4 0 to 2 12 0			
52 0 0	53 0 0	53 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 0 0	30 0 0	36 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	...	...	...	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 6
						Per maund.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 3 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
						Per maund.					
32 0 0	33 0 0	32 8 0	11 0 0	11 4 0	7 8 0	17 6 0	17 6 0	16 8 0	...	...	...
31 0 0 to 32 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	0 5 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
29 1 6	27 13 0	29 1 6	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
32 0 0	30 8 0	32 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
						Per maund.					
34 8 0	34 8 0	34 8 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0
						Per piece.					
30 7 6 to 35 8 10	30 7 6 to 35 8 10	30 7 6 to 36 0 0	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 0 0 to 1 8 0	0 2 8	0 4 0	0 3 3

in the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 31st August 1903.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.									MARTS.
						IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1 0 0	0 12 0	0 12 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 10 0	Panga. 2 10 0	3 6 0	1. Calcutta.
1 0 0	0 12 0	0 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	2 13 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	2. Burdwan
1 4 0	1 4 0	0 4 8	...	...	...	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 12 0 to 4 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 13 0	Panga. 2 13 0	3 8 0	3. Midnapore.
1 0 0	0 14 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 10 0	3 5 3	Panga. 3 2 0	3 12 0	4. Pabna.
0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 12 0	5. Rangpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 3	3 8 0	Panga. 3 8 0	3 10 0	6. Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 12 0	3 6 0	7. Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 7 0	3 3 0	Panga. 3 3 0	3 11 0	8. Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	5 11 6	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 0	3 3 0	Panga. 3 3 0	4 0 0	9. Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 5 9	2 14 3	Panga. 2 13 9	3 10 0	10. Bhagalpur
0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 11 0	0 4 6	0 4 6	0 4 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	3 0 0	11. Cuttack.
0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 10 0	5 10 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 9 0	Panga. 3 9 0	4 1 0	12. Ranchi.

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of July 1903, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1903-1904.		Tollage, 1902-1903	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5
Orissa Circle.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Taldanda Canal System	1,087 14 9	4,999 0 8	1,173 3 6	5,267 3 6
Kendrapara ditto	2,131 9 3	12,593 9 2	2,530 5 5	10,851 14 7
High Level, Range I	593 5 9	1,756 4 9	597 2 9	2,438 14 6
Ditto „ II	90 5 4	390 13 1	147 4 3	512 12 6
Ditto „ III	39 1 9	72 13 6	16 0 3	43 13 0
Jajpur Canal	58 4 0	187 13 0	96 3 0	188 14 6
Total Orissa Circle ...	4,000 8 10	20,000 6 2	4,560 3 2	19,303 8 7
South-Western Circle.				
Midnapore Canal ...	4,388 0 9	18,635 9 3	4,785 11 6	30,762 9 0
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	3,846 8 6	15,962 10 0	3,263 15 0	17,221 13 3
Total South-Western Circle	8,234 9 3	34,598 3 3	8,049 10 6	47,984 6 3
Sone Circle.				
Patna Canal System ...	991 7 3	4,890 11 9	859 6 1	2,772 1 7
Arrah ditto ...	539 12 0	2,632 13 9	334 14 6	2,967 15 9
Buxar ditto ...	306 13 0	1,353 2 0	149 2 9	1,162 4 3
Total Sone Circle ...	1,838 0 3	8,876 11 6	1,343 7 4	6,902 5 7
Grand Total ...	14,073 2 4	63,475 4 11	13,953 5 0	74,190 4 5

Calcutta,
The 8th September 1903.

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of July 1903, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1903-1904.		Tollage, 1902-1903.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	13,551 14 5	61,247 8 10	15,706 12 0	64,294 14 9
Tolly's Nala ...	3,728 14 6	14,493 12 6	4,149 12 9	16,621 9 6
Total ...	17,280 12 11	75,741 5 4	19,856 8 9	80,916 8 3
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,338 5 0	11,114 7 0	1,833 12 0	9,172 8 9
Nadia Rivers ...	7,037 13 9	16,642 9 9	8,489 7 9	21,142 15 9
Grand Total ...	26,656 15 8	1,03,498 6 1	30,179 12 6	1,11,232 0 9

Calcutta,
The 8th September 1903.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 5th September 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 5th September 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 6th September 1902.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	221	51,825	355	519	49,925	586
Jute	57	11,020*	164	178	31,575†	468
Firewood	77	48,425	747	66	35,275	551
Other articles	463	1,26,408	1,401	646	1,37,695	1,649
Total ...	818	2,37,678	3,167	1,409	2,54,470	3,254

* Weight by canal measurement, 11,387½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 31,337½ „

Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of August 1903.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29·609		
The average pressure of August from 44 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	29·596		
The highest pressure in the month	29·769	11th	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29·410	6th	16
The range of pressure	0·359		
	Hours.		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	88·4		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	398·4		
	°		
The mean temperature of the month	83·4		
The average temperature of August from 20 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	82·5		
The highest temperature in the month	90 9	5th	
The lowest temperature in the month	74·8	8th	
The range of temperature during the month	16·1		
The mean daily range of temperature	9·5		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	14·8	8th	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	88		
The average humidity of August from 20 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	88		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	1·004		
The average vapour tension of August from 20 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	0·957		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	8·68		
The average cloud proportion of August from 26 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	8·02		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	10·17		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 52 feet above the ground)	9·18		
The average fall of August from 24 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	12·69		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	2·31	7th	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	17		
The average number of rainy days in August from 24 years' registers (Alipore Observatory)	19		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	° 141·7		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures	53·8		
The greatest sun temperature	154·1	19th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	64·9	9th	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	77·0		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	1·6		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature	2·6	10th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	95·2		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	251·0	12th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	17·0	11th	9 to 10 A.M.

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—

N. 3, N.E. 12, E. 76, S.E. 139, S. 156, S.W. 299, W. 36, N.W. 6, Calm 17.

C. W. PEAKE,

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 7th September 1903.

for Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 30th August to 5th September 1903.

Month.	Date	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1903.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.		%			Inches.	
Aug.	30th	120·3	Nil	29·629	81·6	84·9	7·0	77·9	78·5	0·935	77·2	87	SE and S by E ...	99	0·41	Cloudy, o, p.
,,	31st	136·1	0 3	·696	82·0	86·1	8·0	78·1	79·1	·953	77·9	87	S by E and S ...	88	0·13	Chiefly cloudy, o, p.
Sept.	1st	152·9	3·3	·713	83·7	88·1	8·7	79·4	79·9	·971	78·3	84	S and SW ...	107	0 08	Chiefly cloudy, o.
,,	2nd	144·2	6 5	656	84·0	88·6	9·6	79·0	80·0	·971	78·3	83	SW ...	112	Nil	Partially cloudy.
,,	3rd	156·3	5·7	·633	83·9	88·9	9·9	79 0	80·2	·982	78·7	84	SW and SW by S	61	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, d.
,,	4th	149·9	3·5	·641	84·0	89 1	9·0	80·1	80·0	·971	78 3	83	SW by S and calm	52	0·05	Chiefly cloudy, d, t.
,,	5th	149·9	5·4	·678	82·7	90·5	11·6	78·9	78·5	·920	76·7	83	W and S by E ...	40	0·02	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.

The mean pressure of the seven days	Inches.	29·664
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·644
	Hours.	
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		24·7
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		87·7
	°	
The mean temperature of the seven days		83·1
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·7
The extreme variation of temperature		12·6
The maximum temperature		90·5
	Miles.	
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		11
	%	
The mean relative humidity		84
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		85
	Inches.	
The total fall of rain from 30th August to 5th September 1903		0·69
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		2·25
The total fall from 1st January to 5th September 1903		32·23
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		50·11

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86 formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. Rainfall reported on any day is for the 24 hours preceding 8 A. M. of that day.

o, overcast; p, passing temporary showers; d, drizzling rain; t, thunder.

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SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of April 1903, compared with the corresponding period in 1902.

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	7	1	...	...	...	...	7	1	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	884	12	2,413	16	1,529	4	...	...	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	709	57	530	21	...	...	179	36	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) } Twist and (b) } yarn. { European	10	1	11	1	1	...	...	...	
{ Indian ..	883	46	858	24	...	...	25	22	
(c) } Piece-goods { European	369	27	940	35	571	8	...	...	
(d) } { Indian ...	733	58	376	13	...	...	357	45	
(e) Others	8	1	61	2	53	1	...	...	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Others	24	1	49	2	25	1	...	...	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia) ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Cutch	2,450	96	4,110	139	1,660	43	...	...	
4. Indigo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Myrabolams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
6. Tanning barks	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	
7. Turmeric	...	...	12	1	12	1	.	...	
8. Others	...	...	8	1	8	1	...	...	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Hay, straw and grass ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh ...	...	...	53	1	53	1	...	...	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse	982	24	2,587	50	1,605	26	...	...	
2. Jawar and bajra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. } Rice { in the husk ...	7,649	196	14,348	348	6,699	179	...	...	} Good crops.
4. } { not in the husk...	5,909	77	10,739	139	4,830	61	...	...	
5. Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
6. Wheat-flour	50	1	53	1	3	...	...	...	
7. Makai	247	6	...	...	...	...	247	6	
8. Others	287	7	2,029	37	2,042	30	...	...	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Raw	305	12	338	14	33	2	...	...	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Raw	...	..	50	2	50	2	...	...	
XI.—Horns	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	518	18	554	17	36	...	...	1	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XIV.—Lac	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Spirits of all kinds including country spirits.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Wine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	24	1	...	...	...	...	24	1	
2. ,, wrought ...	104	6	334	11	230	5	...	...	
3. Copper, unwrought ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. ,, wrought ...	47	3	239	9	222	6	...	...	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	490	22	...	...	...	...	490	22	
(b) Unwrought ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Wrought... ...	208	9	575	9	37	...	.	1	
(d) Manufactures ...	127	26	1,047	35	924	9	...	...	
6. Others	61	4	23	2	...	...	38	2	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	1,042	44	1,182	16	...	...	860	28	
2. Castor	28	1	...	...	...	...	28	1	
3. Cocoanut	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Mustard and rape ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	...	...	26	1	16	1	..	...	
2. Earthnuts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Linseed	10,722	233	904	16	...	...	9,818	226	Low market.
4. Poppy	...	...	99	1	99	1	...	...	
5. Rape and mustard	277	3	2,289	50	2,012	42	...	...	
6. Til or jinjili	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
7. Others	37	1	3,187	51	2,150	50	...	...	
XX.—Opium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	...		120	3	120	3	...	...	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts	202	24	79	3	...	...	123	22	
2. Ghee	18	1	...	...	...	...	18	1	
3. Others	40	2	11	1	...	...	29	1	
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXIV.—Salt	4,010	77	8,611	90	3,701	13	...	...	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Other saline substances	8	1	...	...	...	...	8	1	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	44	2	201	6	157	4	...	...	
2. Cardamoms	176	5	205	14	29	9	...	...	
3. Chillies	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Ginger	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Pepper	19	1	31	1	12	...	...	...	
6. Others	209	9	190	7	...	...	19	2	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	5	1	47	1	42	...	...	...	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	432	13	919	21	487	9	...	...	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	53	1	14	1	...	...	39	...	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	450	25	665	38	215	13	...	...	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Other sorts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought	345	8	2,291	29	1,946	24	...	...	Increased output from Nepal.
2. Logs	4,243	67	10,567	146	6,324	81	...	...	
3. Poles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Manufactures	16	2	55	3	39	1	...	...	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) (c) Piece-goods { European	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) (c) Piece-goods { Indian	57	3	31	1	...	...	26	2	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Firewood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Others not specified above.	1,113	121	1,750	54	637	...	...	67	
Total	46,537	1,349	75,508	1,484	30,269	631	12,300	496	

J. LIGHTFOOT,
Chief Auditor.

GORAKHPUR, *the 3rd September 1903.*

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING N. B., K.-D., DACCA AND ASSAM-BEHAR SECTIONS.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th August 1903 on 899 miles open.*

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	214,500	1,01,170 0 0	19,56,250 0	3,06,290 0 0	48,070 0 0	4,56,300 0 0	40,113	47,573	87,686
Or per mile of railway	239	112 0 0	2,176 0	341 0 0	37 0 0†	490 0 0†	... ..	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	1,851,010	8,30,730 0 0	77,12,140 0	13,08,470 0 0	1,06,470 0 0	22,35,070 0 0	310,835	296,983	607,718
Total for 9 weeks ..	2,065,570	9,31,900 0 0	96,68,390 0	16,14,690 0 0	1,55,440 0 0	26,92,03) 0 0	350,948	344,456	695,404
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	215,830	1,03,154 0 0	21,17,013 0	3,23,758 0 0	48,823 0 0	4,75,735 0 0	37,711	49,615	87,326
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (861 miles)	251	120 0 0	2,459 0	376 0 0	38 0 0	534 0 0	.....	.. ...	... ..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,946,136	8,98,669 0 0	91,74,031 0	15,96,402 0 0	1,56,205 0 0	26,51,276 0 0	331,970	340,765	672,735

* Corrected as per Engineer-in-Chief's revised mileage statement for the half-year ending 30th June 1903.
† Excluding ferry earnings, Rs. 15,550.

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th August 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	7,750	2,470 0 0	38,900 0	5,830 0 0	10 0 0	6,410 0 0	998	1,578	2,576
Or per mile of railway	131	42 0 0	654 0	98 0 0		108 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	58,080	17,610 0 0	1,93,370 0	16,210 0 0	300 0 0	34,120 0 0	8,588	5,456	14,044
Total for 9 weeks ...	65,830	20,080 0 0	2,32,270 0	20,140 0 0	310 0 0	40,530 0 0	9,586	7,034	16,620
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,807	1,672 0 0	46,512 0	5,424 0 0	10 0 0	7,106 0 0	902	1,138	2,040
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	98	28 0 0	783 0	92 0 0	.....	120 0 0	.....	.....	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	58,896	16,807 0 0	2,64,644 0	20,252 0 0	213 0 0	43,272 0 0	9,168	11,478	20,646

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th August 1903 on 53·14 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	7,610	1,840 0 0	44,030 0	2,150 0 0	20 0 0	4,010 0 0	1,147	467	1,614
Or per mile of railway	143	35 0 0	829 0	40 0 0		75 0 0	.. ...	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	63,120	16,530 0 0	1,68,020 0	8,110 0 0	160 0 0	24,800 0 0	9,091	3,910	13,001
Total for 9 weeks ...	70,730	18,370 0 0	1,12,050 0	10,260 0 0	180 0 0	28,810 0 0	10,238	3,377	13,615
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	8,058	2,050 0 0	36,144 0	1 451 0 0	47 0 0	3,548 0 0	1,199	305	1,494
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	151	38 0 0	677 0	27 0 0	1 0 0	66 0 0	. ...	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	71,460	19,249 0 0	1,52,365 0	7,180 0 0	225 0 0	26,604 0 0	10,306	4,254	14,50

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th August 1903 on 85 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	29,250	8,000 0 0	58,800 0	4,850 0 0	160 0 0	13,010 0 0	2,778	1,833	4,61
Or per mile of railway	340	93 0 0	684 0	56 0 0	2 0 0	151 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	219,700	61,330 0 0	2,03,280 0	15,250 0 0	1,200 0 0	77,840 0 0	23,060	11,488	34,548
Total for 9 weeks ...	249,040	69,330 0 0	2,62,080 0	20,100 0 0	1,420 0 0	90,950 0 0	25,838	13,323	39,161
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	40,445	11,004 0 0	1,07,011 0	6,263 0 0	5,788 0 0	23,051 0 0	2,735	1,597	4,332
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	470	128 0 0	1,244 0	73 0 0	67 0 0	268 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	244,072	68,539 0 0	2,33,504 0	18,446 0 0	7,409 0 0	94,394 0 0	23,960	15,718	39,678

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th August 1903 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	2,740	1,000 0 0	13,020 0	1,010 0 0	20 0 0	2,040 0 0	560	1,224*	1,784
Or per mile of railway	82	30 0 0	388 0	30 0 0	1 0 0	61 0 0	.....	.....	...
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	20,860	7,640 0 0	85,740 0	7,160 0 0	260 0 0	15,060 0 0	3,643	10,068	13,711
Total for 9 weeks ...	23,600	8,640 0 0	68,760 0	8,170 0 0	280 0 0	17,100 0 0	4,203	11,292	15,495
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,943	657 8 0	340,601 0	5,948 0 0	24 0 0	6,039 0 0	322	1,714	2,036
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	58	20 0 0	10,137 0	177 0 0	1 0 0	198 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	19,946	6,766 0 0	604,090 0	15,272 0 0	190 0 0	22,228 0 0	2,468	10 351	12,809

* Ballast train-miles 1,000.

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd August 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	29,889	11,619 0 0	1,61,726 0	20,600 0 0	267 0 0	32,686 0 0	4,948	6,728	11,670
Or per mile of railway	220	91 0 0*	1,163 0	148 0 0	2 0 0	241 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	263,052	96,274 0 0	5,69,739 0	61,593 0 0	1,630 0 0	1,58,497 0 0	32,613	23,189	55,802
Total for 8 weeks ..	292,941	1,07,893 0 0	7,31,465 0	82,193 0 0	1,897 0 0	1,91,183 0 0	37,555	29,917	67,472
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	25,801	11,483 0 0	90,670 0	10,249 0 0	198 0 0	21,930 0 0	3,455	3,717	7,172
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	207	88 0 0*	653 0	74 0 0	1 0 0	163 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	278,342	1,05,039 0 0	5,46,092 0	48,510 0 0	2,977 0 0	1,57,116 0 0	26,331	23,717	49,068

* Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 22nd August 1903 on 622 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	15,732	15,388 0 0	1,21,380 0	16,784 0 0	1,456 0 0	33,506 0 0	6,499	6,474	12,973
Or per mile of railway	41·37	24·69	188 02	26·10	2·26	53·05	10·45	10·07	20·52
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	199,043	1,21,637 0 0	7,14,108 0*	1,06,115 0 0*	18,808 0 0	2,46 680 0 0*	45,142	40,928*	86,070*
Total for 8 weeks ..	284,775	1,37,025 0 0	8,35,488 0	1,22,899 0 0	20,264 0 0	2,80,278 0 0	51,641	47,402	99,043
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	25,200	15,061 0 0	4,32,546 0	15,585 0 0	714 0 0	34,360 0 0	6,218	15,975	22,193
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	45 16	26 99	734 37	31·55	1·21	59 75	11 14	27·12	38·26
Total to corresponding date of previous year	212 934	1,29,675 0 0	14,48,150 0	1,18,370 0 0	10,553 0 0	2,58,498 0 0	50,092	68,094	118,186

* Ballast train weight, amount, and train-miles of the Gauhati section have been omitted from 1st July 1903.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 22nd August 1903.			Receipts for week ending 23rd August 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 22nd August 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 23rd August 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	32,598	53·05	539	34,360	59 75	643	7,93,304	...	539	7,35,599	...	57,705	.....

SEGOWLIE-BAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period (10 days) on 18 miles open .	2,260	552 14 10	15,593	690 8 3	284 8 0	1,516 15 1	534	196	730
Or per mile of railway .	125 56	30 11 6	1,038·94	38 13 10	14 11 1	84 4 5	... ..	.....	.....
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year	53,377	11,691 2 2	4,46,483	11,510 8 0	803 12 6	25,805 6 2	7,045	4,829	12,474
Total for the half year ..	55,637	12,244 1 0	4,65,018	12,210 0 3	988 4 0	25,322 5 3	8,179	5,015	13,194
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period (9 days) of previous year on 18 miles open	3,072	547 2 5	21,116	436 1 11	4 6 0	987 10 4	441	339	800
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year ...	170·67	30 6 4	1,173·22	24 3 3	0 3 11	54 13 11	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	67,398	11,177 12 10	3,42,776	8,153 8 6	865 14 0	20,596 3 4	9,572	3,648	13,220

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 29th August 1903	Coaching ...	8,888	0	0			
	Goods ...	12,162	0	0	21,429	0	0
	Other earnings ...	439	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	8,078	0	0			
	Goods ...	12,243	0	0	20,763	0	0
	Other earnings ...	447	0	0			
	Increase ...				666	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 29th August 1903					420	2	10
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					407	1	11
	Increase ...				13	0	11
Receipts from 1st July to 29th August 1903					1,26,387	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					1,23,046	0	0
	Increase ...				3,341	0	0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3704A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2482A.D.—The 29th August 1903.*—Babu Jogneshwar Biswas, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Mymensingh district.

Mymensingh.

No. 2795A.D.—The 8th September 1903.—Mr. A. G. Hallifax, Magistrate and Collector, Jessore, on leave, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. Inglis, or until further orders.

Jessore.
Hooghly.

Mr. Hallifax is also appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

No. 2797A.D.—The 8th September 1903.—Mr. L. E B. Cobden-Ramsay is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the first grade, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Cuttack district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Hooghly.

Cuttack.
Hooghly.

No. 2799A.D.—The 8th September 1903.—Mr H. L Stephenson, I.C.S., is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the second grade, with effect from the 7th July 1903.

No. 2801A.D.—The 8th September 1903.—Mr. L. S. S. O'Malley, I.C.S., is appointed to be Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 7th July 1903, *vice* Mr. H L. Stephenson.

Calcutta

No. 2899A.D.—The 8th September 1903.—Mr. L E. B. Cobden-Ramsay, I.C.S., is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector, with effect from the 4th June 1903, but continued to act as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the first grade up to the 5th June 1903.

Hooghly.

Mr. Cobden-Ramsay will continue in his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Hooghly until further orders.

No. 2816A.D.—The 9th September 1903.—Mr. D. Swinhoe, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as Deputy Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Douglas White, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 2825A.D.—The 9th September 1903.—Mr. B. R. Mehta, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Tippera district.

Tippera.

No. 2833A.D.—The 10th September 1903.—Mr. E. E. Forrester, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gaya, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Faridpur.

Gaya.
Faridpur.

No. 2840A.D.—The 10th September 1903.—Mr. C. H. Reid, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Champaran, is appointed to have charge of the Nawadah subdivision of the Gaya district.

Champaran.
Gaya.

No. 2842A.D.—The 10th September 1903.—Maulvi Syud Wajid Hosain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nawadah, Gaya, is appointed to have charge of the Jahanabad subdivision of that district.

Gaya.

No. 2857A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Babu Madhav Lal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Muzaffarpur district.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 2859A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. C. R. Marriott, Magistrate and Collector, Monghyr, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Bhagalpur, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Commissioner of the Bhagalpur Division, with effect from the 26th September 1903.

Monghyr.
Bhagalpur.

No. 2861A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. A. N. Moberly, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Hazaribagh, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of that district, with effect from the 26th September 1903.

Hazaribagh
Bhagalpur.

No. 2869A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Maulvi Abul Khair Mahomed Abdus Subhan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Champaran district.

Champaran.

No. 2873A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. R. L. Ross, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. G. Cumming, or until further orders.

Patna.

No. 2877A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Maulvi Aminul Islam, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Monghyr, is appointed to have charge of the Supaul subdivision of the Bhagalpur district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Jotindra Nath Roy, or until further orders.

Monghyr.
Bhagalpur.

No. 2883A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. E. W. Collin, Officiating Commissioner, Patna Division, on leave, is appointed to act as Commissioner of the Presidency Division, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. M. Finucane, C.S.I., or until further orders.

Patna Division.
Presidency Division.

No. 2885A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. P. C. Lyon, Officiating Commissioner of the Presidency Division, is appointed to act temporarily as Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.

Presidency Division.
Burdwan Division.

No. 2887A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. R. S. Greenshields, Officiating Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Commissioner of the Chittagong Division.

Burdwan Division.
Chittagong Division.

No. 2889A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. C J. S. Faulder, Commissioner of the Chittagong Division, is appointed to be Commissioner of the Patna Division

Chittagong Division.
Patna Division

No. 2891A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. H. Luson, Officiating Commissioner of the Patna Division, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Commissioner of that Division.

Patna Division.

No. 2897 A.D.—The 12th September 1903.—Mr. H. L. Stephenson, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on special duty, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, with effect from the 31st August 1903.

No. 2905 A.D.—The 12th September 1903.—The services of Mr. A. R. Edwards, I.C.S., are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

No. 2909 A.D.—The 12th September 1903.—Mr. F. W. Ward, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Kurseong, Darjeeling, is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the first grade, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Faridpur.

Darjeeling.
Faridpur.

No. 2911 A.D.—The 12th September 1903.—Mr. Kiran Chandra De, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rangpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Faridpur, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Pabna.

Rangpur.
Faridpur.
Pabna.

No. 2925 A.D.—The 12th September 1903.—The order of the 27th July 1903, appointing Mr. P. G. Rogers, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Saran, temporarily to have charge of the Siwan subdivision of that district, is cancelled.

Saran.

No. 2940 A.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Mr. H. R. T. S. Perrott, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhadrak, Balasore, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. Egerton, or until further orders.

Balasore.

No. 2965 A.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Babu Rajendra Coomar Bose, Officiating, Additional Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Monghyr, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of Nadia, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. D. Cargill, or until further orders, with effect from the 24th August 1903.

Monghyr.
Nadia.

No. 2971 A.D.—The 15th September 1903.—Mr. E. B. H. Panton, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Sonthal Parganas, is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the first grade, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Backergunge district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge of Jessore-Khulna and Backergunge.

Sonthal Parganas
Backergunge.
Jessore-Khulna.

No. 2983 A.D.—The 15th September 1903.—Babu Syam Chand Dhur, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Noakhali, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Chittagong, during the Civil Court vacation of September and October 1903. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. H. E. Ransom.

Noakhali.
Chittagong.
Tippera.

Babu Syam Chand Dhur, who has, under the order of the 4th September 1903, been appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Tippera also, is authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at the head-quarters station of that district for the disposal of cases arising in the district of Chittagong.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 2915 A.D.—The 12th September 1903.*—Mr. Joseph Thomas Mawhood is appointed to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, in the Assam-Bengal Railway Volunteers Rifles, with effect from the 1st July 1903, to complete the establishment.

POLICE.—*No. 2838 A.D.—The 10th September 1903.*—Mr. W. A. Knyvett, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Gaya, is transferred temporarily to Darjeeling.

Gaya.
Darjeeling.

This cancels the order of the 24th August 1903, transferring Mr. Knyvett to Shahabad, and appointing him temporarily to hold charge of the police of that district.

Shahabad.

No. 2963 A.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Mr. J. A. Cave-Browne, District Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is transferred to Birbhum.

This cancels the order of the 24th August 1903, appointing Mr. Cave-Browne to be District Superintendent of Police, Bogra.

Dacca.
Birbhum.
Bogra.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2808 A.D.—The 10th September 1903.*—Babu Ambika Charan Mitra, M.A., is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, and to be a Professor in the Rajshahi College, with effect from the date on which he may join his appointment, *vice* Babu Pramatha Nath Mukherjea, deceased.

Rajshahi.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2806A.D.—The 9th September 1903.*—The Revd. A. E. Brown-Constable, Chaplain of Cuttack, is appointed to be Chaplain of Dinapore, with effect from the 21st August 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may have taken over charge at Dinapore.

Cuttack. Patna.

No. 2844A.D.—The 10th September 1903.—The Revd. Alva Curtis Bowers, Missionary at Ulubaria, Howrah, is appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths in that district.

Howrah.

PROMOTION.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2757A.D.—The 7th September 1903.*—Dr. W. Booth, Director of Public Instruction, Assam, is appointed to act in Class I of the former Bengal Educational (graded) Service, with effect from the 1st April 1903, *vice* Mr. J. S. Slater, on leave.

Assam.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2480A.D.—The 29th August 1903.*—Babu Anath Bandhu De, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Mymensingh.

No. 2815A.D.—The 9th September 1903.—Mr. Douglas White, Deputy Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, is allowed leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for one month and sixteen days, under articles 233 and 654 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1903, and special leave for the remaining period under articles 316 and 654 of the Regulations.

Calcutta.

No. 2823A.D.—The 9th September 1903.—Mr. Jnanendra Nath Roy, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chandpur, Tippera, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th October 1903.

Tippera.

No. 2871A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. J. G. Cumming, Magistrate and Collector, Patna, is allowed leave for seventeen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1903.

Patna.

No. 2875A.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. Jotindra Nath Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Supaul, Bhagalpur, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th September 1903.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2925A.D.—The 12th September 1903.—Mr. P. G. Rogers, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Saran, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-six days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Saran.

No. 2939A.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Mr. W. Egerton, Magistrate and Collector, Balasore, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th October 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Balasore.

No. 2945A.D.—The 14th September 1903.—The undermentioned officers have been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India extensions of furlough on private affairs for the periods mentioned opposite their names:—

Mr. N. Bonham-Carter, I.C.S.	...	Four months.
„ H. Walmsley, I.C.S. ...	...	Two „

No. 2975A.D.—The 15th September 1903.—Mr. F. N. Fischer, Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack, is allowed leave for twenty-three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1903.

Cuttack.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 2794A.D.—The 8th September 1903.*—Captain F. J. Agabeg, Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding the Presidency District, leave up to the 5th December 1903, in extension of that previously granted to him and notified under the order of the 13th February 1903.

No. 2928A.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Lieutenant William Thom, Eastern Bengal Volunteer Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding the Presidency District, leave of absence for twelve months, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

POLICE.—*No. 2948A.D.—The 14th September 1903.*—Mr. R. F. G. Godfrey-Fausett, District Superintendent of Police, Muzaffarpur, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, n extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 24th August 1903.

Muzaffarpur.

The following orders are republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 7896G.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. H. L. Salkeld, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Sylhet, on relief by Mr. J. C. Arbuthnott, C.I.E., I.C.S., is retransferred to Karimganj as Assistant Commissioner in charge of that subdivision.

No. 7897G.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, Karimganj, on relief by Mr. H. L. Salkeld, I.C.S., is retransferred to Sylhet Sadar.

No. 4216J.—The 11th September 1903.—Babu Gobind Chandra Basak, Subordinate Judge, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Sylhet, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500 within the local limits of the Sylhet Munsifi.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1911T.R.—The 8th September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietor of estate Ganga Prosad Roy, tauzi No. 2875, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands appertaining to the said estate situated in mauzas (1) Chukair and (2) Bejbanda, appertaining to the said estate in the district of Faridpur, and whereas he has deposited the estimated cost of the operations :

Faridpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said estate.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1912T.R.—The 8th September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietor of estate Ram Ram Sarkar, tauzi No. 3881, in the district of Faridpur, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands situated in mauza Nagarkanda, and whereas he has deposited the estimated cost of the operations :

Faridpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said estate in the district of Faridpur.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;
(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;
(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce rent, the fact that a produce rent is paid;
(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;
(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.
(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;
(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;
(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act

No. 1913T.R.—The 8th September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietors of estate Srikrishna Bose Roy, tauzi No. 2917, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands appertaining to the said estate in the district of Faridpur, and whereas they have deposited the estimated cost of the operations:

Faridpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said estate in the district of Faridpur

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;
(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a parmanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;
(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;
(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;
(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce rent, the fact that a produce rent is paid;
(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;
(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.
(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;
(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;
(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1914T.R.—The 8th September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietor of estate Maulvi Tafazzal Ali, tauzi No. 1530, in the district of Faridpur, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands appertaining to the estate, and whereas he has deposited the estimated cost of the operations:

Faridpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands within the boundaries of the said estate in the district of Faridpur.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;
(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;
(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;
(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid; and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1915T.R.—The 8th September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietor of estate Jaker Majumdar, tauzi No. 3879, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands appertaining to that estate, in the district of Faridpur, and whereas he has deposited the estimated cost of the operations:

Faridpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said estate.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce rent, the fact that a produce rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1916T.R.—The 8th September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietors of Estate Hara Nanda Roy, tauzi No 2462, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands appertaining to the said estate situated in mauzas (1) Amgram, (2) Bahirbhag, (3) Bhatpara, (4) Haridaspur, (5) Jhalmal Beel, (6) Kapasatia, (7) Kalaran, (8) Chunikhali and (9) Kuchiagram, in the district of Faridpur, and whereas they have deposited the estimated cost of the operations:

Faridpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said estate.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid; and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1917T.R.—The 8th September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by the proprietors of estate Raj Mohan Chakrabaty, tauzi No. 1277, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands situated in mauzas (1) Dangabati Mohan, (2) Barigram and (3) Moreghar, appertaining to the said estate, in the district of Faridpur, and whereas they have deposited the estimated cost of the operations:

Faridpur.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said mauzas:—

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce rent, the fact that a produce rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2098T.R.—The 12th September 1903.—Sub-Deputy Collector Babu Charu Chandra Chowdhury is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue officer in respect of mauza Mahugram appertaining to estate No. 1132 in the district of Murshidabad and to estate No. 13 in the district of Birbhum, but situated in the district of Birbhum, under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue officers.

Murshidabad. Birbhum

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Rule I, Chapter VI of the Government Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 2091T R.—The 11th September 1903.—An application having been filed under section 18 of Act II (B C.) of 1882 for the construction of a sluice at the 15th mile of the Kalinagar Hasia embankment in the Contai subdivision of the Midnapore district, the Collector of the district, after holding the necessary enquiry into the matter under sections 10 and 18 of the Act, has submitted a report in favour of the proposal, which has received the support of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and of the Board of Revenue, by whom it has been submitted to Government for orders. The Lieutenant-Governor having considered the report and the Board's recommendation of the project is pleased to order, under section 14 of the Act, that the sluice shall be constructed at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,687 in accordance with the plans and specifications which have been approved by the Chief Engineer, Irrigation Department, Bengal.

Midnapore.

No. 2093T.R.—The 12th September 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that, with effect from the 1st April 1904, the following revised rules shall be substituted for those published at pages 1015-1031, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th October 1896 with the Government Notification No 3946L R., dated the 6th idem, on the subject of the payment of land revenue and cesses by means of postal money-orders.

RULES RELATING TO REVENUE MONEY-ORDERS.

1. These rules are divided into four parts :—

PART I.—Form of Revenue Money-order.
PART II.—Issue of Revenue Money-orders.
PART III.—Payment of Revenue Money-orders.
Section A.—Payment from Disbursing Offices at the Head-quarters of Districts.
Section B.—Procedure to followed in the Collectorate.
PART IV.—Disposal of Acknowledgments.

2. The forms in use are given in Appendix D.

PART I.

THE FORM OF REVENUE MONEY-ORDERS.

The form.

1. There are two forms of Revenue Money-order, viz., Form $\frac{1}{R.M.O.}$ on white paper for land revenue and zamindar dâk cess, and form $\frac{1A}{R.M.O.}$ on pink paper, for Road and Public Works cesses. Each of these forms is divided into four parts, viz. :—

(*a*) The Money-order.
(*b*) Lower portion of Money-order, or the Receipt.
(*c*) The Coupon or Chalan.
(*d*) The acknowledgment.

2. Parts (*a*) and (*b*) require no description, as they are exactly like the corresponding portions of the ordinary Inland Money-order form. Parts (*c*) and (*d*) are considerably larger than the Coupon and Acknowledgment of an ordinary Money-order. Part (*c*) contains on one side all the particulars required by the Treasury, and on the reverse instructions for remitters of Revenue Money-orders. Part (*d*) is on one side a duplicate of the Chalan and is returned to the remitter as his receipt; on the reverse of this part are the remitter's name and address.

Not to be used for any other purposes.

3. From $\frac{1}{R.M.O.}$ is to be used for remittances of land revenue and zamindari dak cess and Form $\frac{1A}{R.M.O.}$ for remittances of Road and Public Works cesses, and for no other purpose.

To be freely distributed.

4. The forms of Revenue Money-order should be freely distributed among the revenue-paying classes, and no restrictions whatever should be placed in the way of zamindars obtaining these forms.

Supply of forms.

5. Every Postmaster, Sub-Postmaster, and Branch Postmaster will be personally responsible that a sufficient supply of Revenue Money-order forms of each kind is always available in his office. In cases of emergency, supplies may be obtained by telegraph direct from the Stock Depôt of the Circle. Divisional Superintendents and Inspectors, when visiting post-offices, will see that a sufficient supply of Revenue Money-order forms of each kind is available, and mention in their diaries and inspection reports that they have done so.

5A. The Revenue Money-order system does not apply to remittances of revenue payable to any Native State. Such remittances should be made by the ordinary Money-order form and be dealt with under the ordinary rules for Money-orders.

PART II.

ISSUE OF REVENUE MONEY-ORDERS

Issue of Revenue Money-orders.

6. Revenue Money-orders are issued from every Head, Sub, and Branch Post-office under the rules which govern the issue of ordinary Inland Money-orders. The following paragraphs contain additional instructions, which relate solely to the issue of Revenue Money-orders

Limit of amount.

7. The rules in the *Postal Guide* fixing the limit of value of a single ordinary Inland Money-order apply to Revenue Money-orders. The rule prohibiting the inclusion of pies (fractions of an anna) in the amount of a money-order is not applicable to Revenue Money-orders, which may be for amounts including any fraction of an anna not less than one pie.

Office of Issue to help remitter in making entries.

8. The Office of Issue will help the remitter in making the requisite entries, and, if necessary, will make entries for him in the form of a Revenue Money-order, but no fee or any other gratification whatsoever is to be demanded or accepted, either directly or indirectly, by any official of the Postal Department for this service. Disregard of this order will be punished by dismissal of the official in fault, who will, moreover, be liable to any further penalties provided by law. If, notwithstanding, the assistance thus offered, the remitter is unable to fill up the entries himself or to give the information necessary for the purpose, the Money-order should be returned to him and should not be issued by the Post-office, till the information is complete.

Note.—Remitters should also be advised to allow ample time for their Revenue Money-orders for land revenue to reach the Treasury before kist day, as the acceptance of a Revenue Money-order after kist day does not exempt an estate from sale, except as permitted by the rules applicable to personal payment of land revenue after kist day.

Responsibilities of the Office of Issue.

9. The Office of Issue is responsible that no Revenue Money-order is issued of which the Coupon (Chalan) is blank or is not completely filled up. The Post-office has no means of ascertaining the correctness of the information supplied by a remitter; all that it is necessary to see is that entries are made against every printed item in the Coupon (Chalan), that these entries are made against the appropriate printed items, that all the items are understood by the remitter, and that the Money-order is not for a larger sum than is allowed by the rules for ordinary Inland Money-orders. The spaces in the Acknowledgment and Chalan for the entry of interest, penalty and expenses (kharcha) are intended to meet the requirements of remitters who are in arrears as regards the payment of their cesses, and have incurred liabilities for interest, penalty, process fees, or other costs of proceedings. Every alteration or correction in the Money-order must be attested by the initials of the remitter.

Distinguishing of Revenue Money-orders.

10. The letter "R" should be written before the number of every Revenue Money-order, and this mode of distinguishing Revenue Money-orders should be adopted wherever the number is entered.

Number to be assigned to Revenue Money-orders.

11. The number assigned to a Revenue Money-order by the Head Office or Sub-Office of Issue will also be entered at the top of the Coupon (Chalan) and Acknowledgment by the Money-order Clerk of the Head Office of the Sub-Postmaster of the Sub-Office of Issue, as the case may be.

PART III.

PAYMENT OF REVENUE MONEY-ORDER.

SECTION A.—*Procedure in the Disbursing Office.*

12. When the Revenue Money-orders are in all respects* ready to be handed over to the Postman, a list in triplicate† (Form $\frac{R}{M.O}$) should be made out by the Money-order Clerk, and the entries in the money column of the list should be carefully totalled. The Money-orders should be entered in the list according to the offices of issue. The original copy of the list will take the place of the journal of Money-orders paid, the duplicate of the list will be sent to the Treasury under the procedure described below, and the triplicate of the list will be the list for the Comptroller. When the number of Revenue Money-orders for payment in one day is more than enough to fill a single sheet of Form $\frac{R}{M.O}$, each sheet should be separately totalled and a grand total should be made at the end of the last sheet of the list or on a separate sheet. The date stamp of the office of payment should be impressed on the space provided for it on the reverse of the acknowledgment portion of each Money-order.

13. The Postmaster should then check the entries in the list with those on the Money-orders, and also check the total of the money column. He will then prepare a Treasury Voucher Form (A/c 12), representing the total value of the money-orders as entered at the foot of the list. The amount represented by the Treasury Voucher will not be charged against the letter of credit, and will be paid quite independently of the balance of any letters of credit held by the Treasury in favour of the Post-office. Postmasters before sending Revenue Money-orders to the Treasury should examine them carefully, and any error which might have been avoided should be brought to the notice of the Superintendent.

14. The Money-orders, the duplicate copy of the list, and the Treasury Voucher duly filled up, should then be made over to the Postman for delivery at the Collectorate, the Postman's receipt for the documents being taken in the usual manner in the Register of Money-orders received.

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* Only the total number and amount of Revenue Money-orders received for payment need be entered in the Register of Money-orders received. In order, however, that the record may be complete, it will be necessary to make a note in the last column of the Register whenever all the Revenue Money-orders received in one day are not included in the list of that date. For example, if in the Register of Money-orders received on the 5th July there are shown 500 Revenue Money-orders for Rs. 10,000 but 300 of these orders for Rs. 7,000 were received too late for inclusion in the list sent to the Collectorate on the 5th, there should be an entry in the last column of the Register in this form :

200 for Rs 3,000 included in list of 5th.
300 for Rs. 7,000 included in list of 6th.

† The duplicate and triplicate will be prepared by carbonic paper, and a hard pencil must therefore be used in writing the list.

15. The Postman will take the duplicate copy of the list, the Money-orders and the Treasury Voucher to the Accountant, and will receive back from the Accountant the Money-orders without the coupons and acknowledgements. The Postman will be careful to see that he receives back all the Money-orders, and that they are all duly receipted by the Accountant, and in the case of Money-orders for amounts exceeding Rs. 500, by the Treasury officer also.

16. The paid Money-orders received back from the Treasury will be examined by the Money-order Clerk in the same way as ordinary Money-orders, and checked in detail with the original list. The total amount of the Money-orders will then be entered in the journal of Money-orders paid by a single entry thus: "As

Rs. A. P.

per Revenue Money-order list ." The Money-orders will be disposed of in the usual way.

17. The original and triplicate lists will be kept with the journal of Money-orders paid until the next list of ordinary Money-orders paid is sent to the Comptroller, when the corresponding list of Revenue Money-orders paid will also be sent, the paid Money-orders being arranged in order and attached to the lists. The original lists will then be filed, a separate file of original lists being kept with each journal of Money orders paid, so that the dates of the journal and file of Revenue Money-order lists correspond.

Entries in accounts.

18. The amount of the Treasury voucher will be entered in the head office summary, and the head office cash-book on the receipt side opposite the item "Drawn from treasuries," and will be included in the sum entered on the disbursement side under the head "Money-orders paid." The amount will also appear in the Treasury Pass-book and Register of transactions with the Treasury as money drawn from the District Treasury. All these entries must be made on the same date.

Note.—The date referred to above is the date on which the money-orders are sent from the Post-office to the Collectorate. If the procedure to be followed in the Collectorate is correctly observed, the money-order will be credited in the Treasury on the same date. If, owing to press of work or other reasons, the money-orders are not credited in the Treasury on the same date, the entries in the Head Office summary, the Head Office Cash-book and the Treasury Pass book should still be made as prescribed in rule 18 on the date on which the money-orders are sent to the Treasury for payment.

The money-orders should also be entered as paid on the same date in the paid list of money-orders, and if any Revenue money-orders sent to the Collectorate have not been received back when the paid list is due to be sent to the Comptroller, the paid list should still be sent and the money-orders should be forwarded on receipt, a note explaining the reason for their absence being submitted at the same time to the Comptroller.

19. On receipt of the acknowledgements duly signed the Money-order Clerk will examine and compare them with the original list already in his possession, and with the duplicate presented to him along with the acknowledgments, and, if all are found correct, the Postmaster will sign the duplicate list and return it to the Collectorate official who brought back the documents to the Post Office.

Acknowledgments for Money-orders.

20. The Money-order Clerk should be particularly careful to see that he receives from the Collectorate an acknowledgment for every Money-order, except when a note has been made on the duplicate list against any order showing that it was not for Land Revenue, Road, or Public Works Cess, or Zamindari Dák Cess. The Money order Clerk will also see that every acknowledgment which he receives is in acknowledgment of the full amount of the Money-order to which it appertains, and that the date of credit entered on each acknowledgment agrees with the date of payment of the Money-order.

Comparison of the duplicate list with the original.

21. Before the duplicate list is returned to the Collectorate, the Money-order Clerk will carefully compare it with the original, and see that they are exactly alike, any remarks recorded in the one list (either in the Collectorate or by the Money-order Clerk, or the Postmaster) being copied in the other list.

Duties of Money-order Clerk in respect of reports to Postmaster.

22. It will be the duty of the Money-order Clerk to report to the Postmaster if the signed acknowledgments and the duplicate list are not returned to him at latest by 4 P.M. on the day following that on which the Treasury voucher was sent to the Collectorate. On receipt of such a report, the Postmaster should at once bring the matter to the notice of the Treasury Officer. Any serious or oft-repeated delay in the return of the acknowledgments should be reported to the Head of the Circle. The Money-order Clerk should report to the Postmaster every case in which Revenue Money-orders are not received back on the same day that they are sent to the Treasury, and if it is found that this happens frequently, the Postmaster should bring the matter to the notice of higher authority.

23 The Money-order Clerk will report to the Postmaster every case in which the Coupon (Chalan) of a Revenue Money-order received by him is blank or is imperfectly filled up, and each such case should be reported by the Postmaster to the Superintendent of the Division, in which the Office of Issue is situated.

Return of all Revenue Money-orders received during previous month.

24. On the 5th of every month, the Money-order Clerk will prepare a return (From $\frac{4}{M.O.}$) of all Revenue Money-orders received during the last month, and this return will be submitted by the Postmaster to the Head of the Circle.

SECTION B.—*Procedure to be followed in the Collectorate.*

25. On receipt in the Treasury of the duplicate copy of the list, the Money-orders, and Treasury Voucher, the Accountant will check and compare the documents. If there is any

error, he will return all the documents to the Post-office with a note of the error or errors This error note will be signed by the Accountant and the Tauzi Navis of the Department concerned; when the documents are correct, the Accountant will at once cut off the portion of each Money-order containing the coupon and acknowledgment, sign and date the Money-orders (as payee), and return the paid Money-orders to the Postman. In the case of Money-orders for amounts exceeding Rs 500, the Treasury Officer also shall sign and date the Money-orders as payee. The Accountant will retain the lower portion of each Money-order, including the coupon and acknowledgment, the duplicate list of Money-orders (Form $\frac{1}{\text{R.M.O.}}$) and the Treasury voucher. No Money-order received from the Post Office may be refused.

The acceptance of the Revenue Money-order after kist day is to be treated in the same manner as the receipt of a personal payment of revenue after kist day.

Entries in accounts.

26. The Treasury Officer will, on the same day, charge off the amount represented by the Treasury voucher (A. C. 14) by transfer, and credit the amounts of the several money-orders as shown in the list, and on the acknowledgments to the appropriate departments.

If the estate on account of which a remittance of Land Revenue has been received is situated in another district, the remittance should be credited in the usual way, and the Collector to whom the money order should have been addressed should be advised of the credit, according to the procedure in Chapter II, Section XII, Rule 2 of the Board's Tauzi Manual 1899. The remitter should also be advised of his error by a note on the money-order acknowledgment.

In the case of Road and Public Works Cess and Zamindari Dâk Cess, the amount thus erroneously remitted should be transmitted by remittance transfer receipts to the Collector of the district to which the cess properly belongs, and the remitter of the money-order should be advised of his error, as in the case of land revenue.

If it should be found that a revenue money-order has been erroneously issued for a remittance of some due other than Land Revenue, Road or Public Works Cess or Zamindari Dak Cess, the Treasury Officer should make a note to that effect against the entry of the money-order on the duplicate list, and forward the coupon and acknowledgment with an advice list (Form 4, G. M. O.) to the appropriate department for disposal under the rules in Part III of the Rules for Government money-orders other than Revenue money-orders.

Money-orders which cannot at once be credited in the Treasury accounts.

27. If it should be found that any money-order represents a remittance apparently not due to or intended for Government or any department or authority having an account in the Treasury, or that the amount of the money-order cannot for this or any other reason be credited at once in the Treasury accounts, the amount should be disposed of according to the standing rules and practice of the Account Department, or be made over in cash to the officer who would have been entrusted with it had the money been paid in cash instead of by money-order, or had it been sent as cash in an ordinary or registered letter.

Responsibility of Treasury Officer.

28. The Treasury Officer will be responsible that the total of the amounts credited to the different departments, and any sum made over in cash under rule 27, is equal to the amount of the Treasury voucher received from the Post-office, and debited to the Postal Department.

Examination of Money-orders.

29. The next business to be done in the Collectorate will be a rough examination of the Acknowledgments and Coupons to see that the necessary particulars of remittance are given in each case. This examination should be made by the Tauzi Navises of the Land Revenue and Cess Offices, and by the Certificate Department, if a certificate has issued on account of Road and Public Works Cess. If the amounts due on account of any cess, interest, penalties, and expenses are wrongly distributed by the remitter in the Money-order, the Land Revenue or the Cess Department will correct the distribution. It is not necessary at this stage that the Money-orders should be sent to, or examined by, the Zamindari Dak office, even when they contain remittances of Zamindari Dák Cess. The fact that the amount remitted is less or more than is due is immaterial. If more than is due is remitted, the excess will be treated as a payment in advance; if less then is due is remitted, it will be treated as a payment on account.

If owing to omissions or errors in the particulars of remittance, there is any uncertainty as to whether a remittance can be correctly credited according to the intentions of the remitter, a note should be made across the acknowledgment in red ink, stating how the remittance has been credited or what further particulars are required, and in the latter case the remitter should be asked to send the required information immediately by letter. If a remittance of land revenue by Money-order is received in the Treasury after the sunset of kist day, a note should similarly be made across the acknowledgment in red ink to the effect that the payment is "too late for kist day."*

Documents to be returned to the Post office and to be retained in the Collectorate.

30. Immediately after the examination prescribed in the preceding rule, the acknowledgments should be signed, dated, and returned with the duplicate list to the Post-office. The date on the acknowledgments must be the date of receipt of the Treasury Voucher by which

* It is to be understood that the date of receipt of the Money-order in the Treasury is the date of the Treasury voucher by which is paid, and not necessarily the date on which the acknowledgment is examined, signed or returned.

the Money-orders were paid. The Treasury Officer will be responsible that the acknowledgments and duplicate list are returned to the Post-office at latest by 4 P.M. on the day following that on which they were received in the Collectorate. The chalans will be retained in the Collectorate.

Treatment of Chalans.

31. After the return of the acknowledgments to the Post-office, the chalans of Form $\frac{1}{R\ M.O.}$ should be sent to the land revenue tauzi office, and those of Form $\frac{1A}{R\ M.O.}$ to the cess tauzi office, so that the remittances may be entered in the departmental registers. The chalans should be initialled by a responsible officer of each department, and then be returned to the Collectorate. On each coupon is to be noted by the muharrir the date when he posted in the tauzi ledger the amount referred to in the coupon. The muharrir is to sign such note.

Duplicate list to be filed.

32. When the duplicate list, with the Postmaster's acknowledgment for the documents returned to him, is received back from the Post-office, it should be attached to the chalans and filed in the Collectorate.

PART IV.

DISPOSAL OF ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Acknowledgments.

33. The Acknowledgments appertainining to Revenue Money-orders received from the Collectorate, will be sorted separately for each Office of Issue, and enclosed in envelopes (Form $\frac{4}{R\ M.O.}$) addressed to the Postmasters of those offices. The total number of acknowledgments closed in each envelope will be the registered number assigned to that envelope. The acknowledgments for orders issued at Branch office are not to be returned to the Branch office direct, but through the Account office.

Envelopes containing acknowledgments.

34. The money-orders issued by each office will then be bracketed together in the remarks column of the original issue list, and the register number of the envelope enclosing the corresponding acknowledgments will be noted against each bracket. The closed envelopes will then be made over to the registration clerk for despatch, his receipt for the total number of envelopes 'numbered as above' being taken at the foot of the original list.

Disposal of envelopes and acknowledgments.

35. On arrival in the Office of Issue, the envelopes will be opened and the acknowledgments contained in each envelope will be checked with the registered number of the money-order. The envelopes will then be destroyed. The acknowledgments will then be stamped with the Money-order stamp, and be sorted for distribution to postmen and village postmen. The numbers of all acknowledgments given to each postman and village postman will be detailed separately by the Money-order Clerk, Sub or Branch Postmaster in the postman's book or the village postman's register, the entries being repeated as often as the acknowledgments are given out for delivery.

Delivery of acknowledgments.

36. The postman will obtain the remitter's signature or mark when delivering each acknowledgment in the postman's book.

Non-delivery and disposal of such.

37. Acknowledgments which cannot be delivered in consequence of the remitter not being found will be returned by the Postman to the Money-order Clerk, Sub-Postmaster, or Branch Postmaster as the case may be, who will sign for them in the Postman's Book or Village Postman's Register.

Undelivered acknowledgments.

38. Undelivered acknowledgments will be kept in the Office of Issue (if a Head Office) for a period of 12 months, and, if still unclaimed, will be destroyed.

39. In Sub-Offices and Branch Offices undelivered acknowledgments will be retained for a period of three months, and if still unclaimed, will be forwarded to the Head Office under a Postal Service registered cover. Such acknowledgments will be kept in the Head Office for a further period of nine months, and, if then still on hand, will be destroyed.

Responsibility of Post-office for delivery of acknowledgment.

40. Postmasters, Sub-Postmasters, and Branch Postmasters of the Offices of Issue will be responsible that acknowledgments are delivered to remitters of Revenue Money-orders without any unnecessary delay and free of charge. Enquiries as to the punctual and free delivery of acknowledgments should be made from time to time from zamindars, who may call at the Post Office to have Revenue Money-orders issued.

Remitter to examine acknowledgments.

41. Remitters of Revenue Money-orders should be advised to examine carefully their acknowledgments for the Money-orders, in case there should be any red-ink note by the Collectorate calling for further particulars, or indicating a doubt as to whether a remittance has been correctly credited according to the intentions of the remitter.

APPENDIX D.

List of Forms appertaining to Revenue Money-orders.

Number of each form.	Name of each form.	REMARKS.
1	2	3
$\frac{1}{R.M.O}$	Revenue Money-order for land revenue and zamindari dâk cess.	Loose form.
$\frac{1A}{R.M.O.}$	Revenue Money-order for road and public works cesses.	Ditto.
$\frac{2}{R.M.O}$	List	Loose form to be used by all Post Offices at the head-quarters of districts.
$\frac{3}{R.M.O}$	Monthly return of Revenue Money-orders received.	Ditto ditto.
$\frac{4}{R.M.O}$	Acknowledgment envelope ...	To be printed in black ink on red paper, to be used by Post-offices at head-quarters of districts.

1.
R. M. O.

REVENUE MONEY ORDER.

[Authorized for the Bengal, Eastern Bengal and Bihar Circles.]

For remittances of Land Revenue, and Zamindari Dák Cess only.

Pay to the Payee named the sum specified on the reverse.

Cash-Paid Stamp

Signature of Paying Postmaster.

Impress of Stamp of M. O. of Payment.

No. _____

Received payment of the sum specified on the reverse.

Date _____ *190* .

Signature of payee (in ink.)

Paid by me Rs. _____ *As.* _____ *P.* _____

Signature and designation of Official who paid the amount.

Name of remitter _____

Address of ,, _____

Name Stamp to be impressed by Post Office of issue.

Impress of Stamp of the Office of Issue.

LAND REVENUE AND DÂK CESS.

M. O. Name | | *Stamp.*

No. Rev.

Date 190 .

To the Head Office at

	Rs.	As.	P.
Amount of order			

Amount in words

Money-order Stamp of M. O. or S. O. of Issue.

Signature of M.-O. Clerk or Sub-Postmaster. *Signature of Issuing Postmaster.*

[*All the entries below this line to be filled up by the Remitter in English or Vernacular.*]

Amount of Order (in words) _____

Name and Address of the Payee (in full) _____

Date Stamp of the last Sorting Office or station.

Date _____ 190 . *Signature of Remitter.*

The remitter will fill up all headings in this portion above the space for the Accountant's signature, except headings "Money-order No." and "Accountant's No."

Money-order No.———

Accountant's No.———

Acknowledgment. [This will be returned to the remitter through the Post Office.]

Name of the proprietor to whose account the money is to be credited _____

Tauzi number of estate, and of separate account, if any _____

Name of estate, and of separate account, if any _____

Name of pargana, tappa, &c. _____

	Rs.	As.	P.	Kist for which paid.
Amount of Land Revenue				
Amount of Zamindári Dâk Cess ... *Dâk Cess* ...				
Dâk Cess penalty ...				
Dâk Cess costs ...				
Total ...				

Total amount in words _____

Signature of [illegible]*ountant, with date* _____

IA.
R. M. O.

REVENUE MONEY ORDER.

[Authorized for the Bengal, Eastern Bengal and Bihar Circles.]

For remittances of Road and Public Works Cesses only.

Pay to the payee named the sum specified on the reverse.

Cash-Paid Stamp. | *Signature of Paying Postmaster.*

No. _____

Money order Stamp of H. O. of Payment.

Received payment of the sum specified on the reverse.

Date _____ . ____ *190* . *Signature of payee (in ink).*

Paid by me Rs. ___ *As.* ___ *P.* ___ .

Signature and designation of Official who paid the amount

Name of remitter _____

Address of „ _____

Name Stamp to be impressed by Post Office of issue.

Date Stamp of the Office of Payment.

ROAD AND PUBLIC WORKS CESSES.

To be filled up by Post Office.

M. O. Name | *Stamp*

No. Rev.

Date 190 .

To the Head Office at

Money-order Stamp of M. O. or S. O. of Issue.

	Rs.	As.	P.
Amount of order			

Amount in words

Signature of M.-O. Clerk or Sub-Postmaster. *Signature of Issuing Postmaster.*

[All the entries below this line to be filled up by the remitter in English or vernacular.]

Amount of order (in words) _____

Name and address of the payee (in full) _____

Date Stamp of the last Sorting Office or Section

Stamps, if any.

Date _____ 190 . *Signature of Remitter.*

The remitter will fill up all headings in this portion above the space for the Accountant's signature, except the headings "Accountant's No." and "Money-order No."

Money-order No _____

Accountant's No. _____

Acknowledgment. [This will be returned to the remitter through the Post Office.]

Name of the proprietor to whose account the money is to be credited _____

Tauzi number of estate, and of separate account, if any _____

Name of estate, and of separate account, if any _____

No. in Register I, V, or VII _____

Name of pargana or Thana _____

		Rs.	As.	P.	Kist for which paid.
Amount of Road and Public Works Cesses.	*Road and Public Works Cesses*				
	Interest				
	Costs				
	Total ...				

Total amount in words _____

Signature of Accountant, with date _____

The remitter must write his name and address on the reverse side of this.

Form $\frac{2}{R.M.O.}$

ORIGINAL.

This list will be filed in the Post Office.

List of Revenue Money-orders sent from_____
Post Office to the_____Treasury on_____

1	2	3	4	5			6
Serial number.	Post Office of issue (when the Post Office of issue is a branch office, the name of the Account Office must be entered also in parenthesis).	Number of money-order.	Date of money-order.	Amount of money-order,			REMARKS.
				Rs.	A.	P.	

Total amount in figures and words.

Date Stamp of Post Office.

_____

Signature of Money-order Clerk.

The_____money-orders detailed above for Rs._____ have been paid by Treasury voucher on _____

Signature of Postmaster.

Form $\frac{2}{R.M.O.}$

DUPLICATE.

This list will be filed in the Treasury.

List of Revenue Money-orders sent from_____Post Office to the_____Treasury on_____

1	2	3	4	5			6
Serial number.	Post Office of issue (when the Post Office of issue is a branch office, the name of the Account office must be entered also in parenthesis).	Number of money-order.	Date of money-order.	Amount of money-order.			REMARKS.
				Rs.	A.	P.	

Total amount in figures and words.

Date Stamp of Post Office.

_____

Signature of Money-Order Clerk.

The money-orders detailed above for Rs._____ have been paid by Treasury voucher on _____

Signature of Postmaster.

Received the acknowledgments for the above money-orders less_____ shown above as irregularly sent by revenue money-order instead of ordinary money-order.

_____

Signature of Postmaster.

Form 2 R.M.O.

TRIPLICATE.

This list will be sent to the Comptroller.

List of Revenue money-orders sent from _____ Post Office to the _____ Treasury on _____

1	2	3	4	5			6					
							To be filled in by Post Office.					
Serial number.	Post Office of issue (when the Post Office of issue is a branch office, the name of the Account office must be entered also in parenthesis).	Number of money-order.	Date of money-order.	Amount of money-order.			Amount issued in current month			Amount issued in previous month.		
				Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.

Total amount in figures and words.

Date Stamp of Post Office.

Signature of Postmaster.

From 3 R. M. O.

Return showing the total number and value of Revenue Money-orders received at the Disbursing Post Office during the month of— — — —190 .

	Total number of Revenue Money-orders.	Total value of Revenue Money-orders.
(1) Remaining undisposed of at the close of last month ...		
(2) Received during the month ...		
(3) Total to be accounted for ...		
(4) Paid by Treasury Vouchers ...		
(5) Remaining undisposed of at the close of the month ...		

NOTE.—The totals of the entries in lines (4) and (5) must agree with the entries in line.

The _____ *190* *Disbursing Postmaster.*

Disbursing Postmaster.

Registered No. _____

Acknowledgments.

On Postal Service.

To

The Post-office

at

From

Post-office.

Numbers of Revenue Money-orders to which the Acknowledgments enclosed in this envelope appertain.

No. 2099T.R.—The 12th September 1903.—Whereas an application has been made by Babus Jadab Lal Banerjee and Sasti Kinkar Banerjee, tenure-holders of the greater part of the mauza Mohugram, which appertains to estate No. 1132, in the district of Murshidabad, and to No. 13, in the district of Birbhum, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands situated in the mauza, and whereas they have agreed to deposit the estimated cost of the operations:

Murshidabad. Birbhum.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the said estates in village Mohugram, in the district of Birbhum.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2100T.R.—The 14th September 1903.—Government Notifications No. 2178L.R. and No. 2179L.R., dated the 17th July 1903, published at pages 982 and 983, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th July 1903, are hereby modified as follows:—

Monghyr.

The following estates are excluded:—

No.	Name of estate.	Tauzi No.	Name of Revenue Survey village in which situated.	Revenue Survey No.	Pargana.	Thana.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			From Notification No. 2178L.R			
1	Sarak Khan Lokhisarai in Raghunathpur.	2927	Raghunathpur ...	190	Salemabad	Surajgarha.
2	B class land in Gauhri ...	4454	Gauhri	12	Chandan Bhuka	Sikandra.
3	Land occupied by abolished police post at Batteya.	7127	Batteya	22	Chakai ...	Chakai.
			From Notification No. 2179L.R.			
4	Arazi Gulam Gardish Dharam Rai chak.	3351	Karlowl Hissa ..	93	Salemabad	Surajgarha.

In Notification No. 2179L.R., against estate Chak Dheyan *alias* Ram Nagar correct the tauzi No. from 3557 to 3551, and substitute Bhaisunda for Bhaisanunda before Bachanti tappa (tauzi No 2751), tappa Chantham (tauzi No. 3673), tappa Hawalli (tauzi No. 3672), and tappa Sarannya (tauzi No. 3683).

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2092T.R.—The 11th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Siwan Opium Godown Compound, in the village of Siwan, pargana Bara, zilla Saran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 cottahs 16 dhurs of six cubits *laggi*, bounded on the north by the field of Mussamat Soorji, south by Government land, east by river, west by the Opium Godown, is required within the aforesaid village of Siwan.

Saran.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Saran.

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1633T.G.—The 10th September 1903.—In continuation of Government Notification No. 181, dated the 20th January, 1903, the following list of approved text-books for schools is published for general information:—

LIST OF HINDI, URDU AND URIYA BOOKS.

Urdu.

1. Upper Primary Geography Reader, by Macmillan & Co.
2. Upper Primary History Reader, by Macmillan & Co.
3. Lower Primary Science Reader, by Macmillan & Co.
4. Upper Primary Science Reader, Part III, by Macmillan & Co.
5. Senior Teachers' Manual, by D. N. Neogi.
6. Junior Teachers' Manual, by Ditto.

Hindi.

1. Lower Primary Science Reader for Standards I and II, by Trivedi and Ghosh.
2. History of India, by Maulvi Abdul Karim.
3. History of Bengal, by Isan Chandra Ghosh.

Uriya.

Senior Teachers' Manual, by D. N. Neogi.

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2283.—The 15th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Traffic Registration house at Majorganj, in the village of Koari Madan, pargana Babra Champaran, zilla Muzaffarpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 19 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Muzaffarpur.

North—By the land of Biga Gope,
South—By a pit,
East—, *West*— } By the land of Biga Gope,

is required within the aforesaid village of Koari Madan.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional officer, Sitamarhi.

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1886T.F.—The 11th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that the District Road Committee of Singhbhum have determined to levy in the district road cess for the cess year, commencing from the 1st April 1904, at the maximum rate of six pies, or two pice, on each rupee of the annual value of lands and of the annual net profits from mines, etc, and the said rate having been approved by the Commissioner of the Division, the fact is hereby published for general information.

Singhbhum.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2316T.M.—The 12th September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Nemai Churn Chatterjee, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is allowed privilege leave for two months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th September 1903 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 2318T.M.—The 12th September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Durgananda Sen, in medical charge of the Barasat subdivision and dispensary, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of the Chittagong Hill Tracts during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Brojo Nath Shaha, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 2322T.M.—The 12th September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Sarat Chandra Sur held medical charge of the civil station of Jessore from the forenoon of the 18th April to the afternoon of the 14th May 1903.

Jessore.

No. 2331T.M.—The 12th September 1903.—Captain W. V. Coppinger, M.D., I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon of Saran, is appointed to act temporarily as Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Metropolitan and Eastern Bengal Circle, during the absence, on deputation, of Captain A. F. Stevens, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Saran.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No 306T.P.—The 12th September 1903.—The following notification, issued by the Government of Madras, prohibiting pilgrimage from certain plague-infected parts to the *Brahmotsavam* festival at Tirumalai, near Tirupati, in the North Arcot district, is republished for general information.

L P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WHEREAS His Excellency the Governor in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Tirumalai, near Tirupati, in the North Arcot district, if persons from the Salem, Bellary, Anantapur, South Canara, and the Nilgiri districts, the Mysore State, the Bombay Presidency, Bengal, the Punjab, and the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, the districts of Aurangabad, Bir, and Usmanabad of the Hyderabad State, the districts of Nagpur and Jubbalpore of the Central Provinces, and other parts declared to be infected with plague are permitted to visit that place on the occasion of the ensuing *Brahmotsavam* festival:

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival from the 17th September to the 1st October 1903 inclusive of persons from the said parts

All persons proceeding to the said festival in contravention of this notification will be turned back.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3705A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2449A.D.—The 29th August 1903.—Babu Purna Chundra Banerji, Subordinate Judge, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 2831A.D.—The 10th September 1903.—Babu Srigopal Chatterjee, Subordinate Judge of Purnea, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional Subordinate Judge, in the district of Bhagalpur, until further orders.

Purnea.
Bhagalpur.

No. 2947A.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Maulvi Abdur Rahim, Munsif of Raiganj, in the district of Dinajpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tirhut, to be ordinarily stationed at Sitamarhi, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Sitamarhi Munsifi. He is also vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Dinajpur.
Tirhut.

No. 2949A.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Babu Achinta Nath Mitter, Munsif of Sitamarhi, in the district of Tirhut, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Raiganj, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Raiganj Munsifi.

Tirhut.
Dinajpur.

No. 2949J.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Babu Nrisinha Prasad Goswami is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Debiganj, in the district of Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2997J.D.—The 12th September 1903.—Babu Makutdhari Singh is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Aurangabad, in the district of Gaya.

Gaya.

No. 2939J.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Babu Umes Chandra Ghose is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Ghatal, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 3005J.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Babu Gagan Lal Pattack is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Bankura.

Bankura.

LEAVE.

No. 3702A.—The 10th September 1903.—Babu Sasi Bhusan Sen, Munsif of Ranchi, in Chota Nagpur, is allowed leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and four days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 10th July 1903, or from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Chota Nagpur.

No. 3703A.—The 14th September 1903.—Babu Jotindra Chandra Sen, Munsif of Goalundo, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for two months and fifteen days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th August 1903.

Faridpur.

RESIGNATION.

No. 2868J.D.—The 9th September 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Syed Golam Mustafa of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

POWERS.

No. 2973A.D.—The 15th September 1903.—Babu Surendra Nath Chakravarti, Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Jessore.

No. 2731J.D.—The 2nd September 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Beni Madhab Chakravarti, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Hooghly.

No. 2950J.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Babu Nrisinha Prasad Goswami, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Debiganj, in the district of Jalpaiguri, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2998J.D.—The 12th September 1903.—Babu Makutdhari Singh, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Aurangabad, in the district of Gaya, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Gaya.

No. 2940J.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Babu Umes Chandra Ghose, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Ghatal, in the district of Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also empowered, under section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Midnapore

No. 3006J.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Babu Gagan Lal Pattack, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Bankura, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Bankura

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 2850J.D.—The 7th September 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the undermentioned changes in the district of Purnea, with effect from the 1st September 1903 :—

Purnea.

1st.—The establishment of an outpost at Rupauli, subordinate to the Dhamdaha police-station.

2nd.—The removal of the Gondwara police-station from its present site at Gondwara to Korah, by which name the police-station will henceforth be known.

3rd.—The establishment of an outpost at Barari, subordinate to the Korah police-station.

4th.—The establishment of an outpost at Azimnagar, subordinate to the Kadwa police-station.

5th.—The abolition of the Dingraha outpost, subordinate to police-station Kasba Amur, and the establishment of a new outpost at Bysee, subordinate to that police-station.

6th.—The removal of the Balarampur police-station from its present site at Balarampur to Gopalpur, and the change in the name of the police-station from Balarampur to Gopalpur.

7th.—The removal of the Kaliaganj police-station from its present site at Kaliaganj to Islampur, by which name the thana will henceforth be known.

8th.—The abolition of the outposts at Elluabari and Kalughat, subordinate to the Islampur police-station, and the establishment of an independent outpost at Thakurganj within the area of that police-station.

No. 3500J.—The 12th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Kori outpost, subordinate to Arrah police-station, in the district of Shahabad, has been moved from Kori to Sundes, with effect from the 1st August 1903, and that the outpost will henceforth be known as the "Sundes outpost."

Shahabad.

No. 3038J.D.—The 14th September 1903.—In modification of the Notification No. 1678J., dated the 10th March 1903, published at page 319 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby notifies the place at which persons committing any offence against the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), or any rule thereunder, in the undermentioned localities may be tried :—

	Place at which offence is committed	Place of trial.
	Between Sirari and Sheekpurah stations, both inclusive	Jamui.
Monghyr.	„ Kashichak and Tilaiya ditto ditto ...	Nawada.
Gaya	„ Wazirganj and Paraiya ditto ditto ...	Gaya.
Shahabad.	„ Dehri-on-Sone and Sasaram ditto ditto ...	Sasaram.
	„ Rafiganj and the Sone (east bank) stations, both inclusive	Gaya (Sadar station)

W. C. MACPHERSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2844J.D.—The 11th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government for a public purpose, namely for quarters for the Sub-Inspector's of Manikchak outpost in mauza Harzinagore *alias* Manikchak, pargana Kankjole, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more

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or less, 8 cottahs and 3 chittaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded as follows:—

On the north—Rajmehal road.
On the east—Amanat mahajan's waste land, including a mango tree and his house.
On the south—Amanat mahajan's waste land, including a *tetul* tree, a plum tree, and his *masjidbari*.
On the west—Manikchak outpost.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the District Superintendent of Police, Malda.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 15th September 1903.

No. 129.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, in the Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

No. 341.—The 11th September 1903.—Mr. T. H. Clowes, Executive Engineer, first grade, Bengal, whose services have been lent to the Egyptian Government, is permitted to retire from the service of the Indian Government, under the provision of Article 465 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of the 23rd September 1903.

No. 130.—Mr. C. B. Lines, Assistant Engineer, third grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Mahanadi to the Brahmini-Byturni Division.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 15th September 1903.

No. 53.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for a retired line of embankment at Bansra, in the 181st and 182nd miles of schedule D embankment No. 90, in the villages of Bansra, Hardah, and Betberia, pargana Medanmollah, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three plots of land measuring, more or less, 38 bighas 2 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Plot No. I.—On the north by the Government embankment land, on the east by the village land of Bansra, on the south by plot No. II, and on the west by Local Board road;

Plot No. II.—On the north and south by village land of Bansra and Hardah, on the east by plot No. III, and on the west by Local Board road;

Plot No. III.—On the north and south by village land of Bansra, Hardah, and Betberia, on the east by Government embankment land, and on the west by plot No. II;

are required within the aforesaid villages of Bansra, Hardah, and Betberia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 15th September 1903.

No. 191R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for the diversion of District Board road at Dalsing Sarai station, Tirhut State Railway, in the village of Chak-Lukman, in pargana Saraisa, zilla Darbhanga, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose

a piece of land measuring, more or less, 16 cottahs and 5 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by District Board road, on the south and west by zamindari land, and on the east by Railway land, is required within the aforesaid village of Chak-Lukman.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Darbhanga.

No. 192R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a trenching ground at Sitarampur, in the village of Varrah, pargana Sherghur, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 17 bighas 7 cottahs 3 55 chittaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 5 acres 2 roods 38·27 poles), bounded on the north by the paddy lands of Kasi Nath Upadhoy, Ram Charan Missra, Balaram Missra, Kenaram Mondal, Kedar Nath Ghose, Sasi Bhushun Ghose, and the chowkidari *chakran* land, on the south by the East Indian Railway Company's land, on the east by the *soona* and paddy lands of Kasi Nath Upadhoy, Kedar Nath Ghose, Ram Chandra Missra, *khas danga* land, and the road from Sitarampur to Jamchuri, and on the west by the *soona* and paddy lands of Kedar Nath Ghose, Kenaram Mondal, Nanda Mondal, *khas danga* land, and the road from Sitarampur to Jenchir, is required within the aforesaid village of Varrah.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Assansol.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 10th September 1903.

No 114Marine.—Mr. W. R. Williams, Branch Pilot, is permitted to retire from the Bengal Pilot Service, with effect from the forenoon of the 27th September 1903.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 15th September 1903.

No. 115Marine.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in Karachi, it is hereby notified for general information that Karachi is declared an infected port, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea issued by Government will be enforced in the ports of Orissa and in the port of Chittagong against vessels arriving from Karachi.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 15th September 1903.

No. 4Marine.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the erection of a Tidal Semaphore in the village of Panchparrah, pargana Area, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs and 16 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Plot 1.—North by a public path, east by lands of Rahim Bibi, Ensan Ally Mollah and others, south by the river Hooghly, and west by the lands of Busseruddy Sheikh;

Plot 2.—North by Jeokari's dwelling-house, east by a Mahomedan burial-ground, south by the river Hooghly, and west by the house of Busseruddy Sheikh;

is required within the aforesaid village of Panchparrah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Howrah.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3706A.

No. 2918A.D.—The 12th September 1903.—Maulvi Syed Khalil Ahmad, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Hajipur, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 2920A.D.—The 12th September 1903.—Babu Atul Gopal Ray, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Kishorganj, Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Mymensingh.

No. 2923A.D.—The 12th September 1903.—Maulvi Mohammad Yakub, B.A., Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Hazaribagh district.

Hazaribagh. Ranchi.

This cancels so much of the orders of the 29th August 1903 as relates to the posting of Maulvi Mohammad Yakub to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2561D., dated Darjeeling, the 9th September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Pasupati Mitra is appointed as an Additional Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Probodh Chandra Banerjee, transferred.

No. 2564D., dated Darjeeling, the 9th September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Probodh Chandra Banerjee, Additional Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, is appointed to do supernumerary duty at the Bankipore Hospital, Patna, until further orders.

No. 2582D., dated Darjeeling, the 10th September 1903.—Civil Medical Department Notification No. 204D., dated the 24th April 1903, appointing Assistant Surgeon Satis Chandra Banerjee (I) to officiate at the Ranchi Dispensary, is cancelled. He will do supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital until further orders.

No. 2585D., dated Darjeeling, the 10th September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Kali Das Pal did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the forenoon of the 11th to the forenoon of the 27th August 1903.

S. H. BROWNE, M.D., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Dacca Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notifications Nos. 4042Medl., dated the 2nd November 1896, and 337T.—M., dated the 9th June 1897, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will be held on Friday, the 23rd October 1903, at the Dacca Medical School.

2. Every candidate must produce a certificate of training, age, and previous education, as required by Rule 9 of Bengal Notification No. 4042Medl., dated the 2nd November 1896, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1896, except in those cases provided for in Rule 10.

3. Applicants must register their names and submit their certificates, together with a fee of Rs. 5, at least one week before the 23rd October 1903 at the office of the undersigned.

(*Exception.*—The students belonging to the Compounder class of a Vernacular Medical School will be exempted from paying this fee on producing a certificate from the Superintendent that they have already paid their school entrance fee.)

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the required examination, he will forfeit his fee.

5. Candidates will have to pass a test in English before being allowed to appear for the rest of the examination.

This test consists of reading and writing from dictation, prescriptions and labels.

They will, if successful, be then examined in Materia Medica, Pharmacy, the compounding and mixing of drugs, etc.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to Rule 10, section (2) of the Government Notification of the 2nd November 1896, from which they will observe that the Chemists and Druggists' establishments, from the legally qualified managers of which they obtain their certificates, will have to be recognised by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, prior to the candidates applying to the Superintendent to register their names to appear at the examination.

J. H. TULL WALSH, I.M.S.,

Offg. Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA, *the 5th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Orissa Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notifications Nos. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, and 337T.—M., dated 9th June 1897, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 9 A.M. on Thursday, the 22nd October 1903, at the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack.

2. Every candidate must produce a certificate of training and a certificate of age and previous education, as required by Rule 9 (*vide* Government of Bengal Notification No. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1896, and circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Calcutta Hospitals with his Circular No. 60, dated 5th December 1896).

3. All male candidates either belonging to the Vernacular Medical Schools or to the outside dispensaries must forward to the Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack, an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the 22nd October 1903. Female candidates will be examined free of charges.

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

5. No candidate for the Compounder's examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to Rules 9, 10 and 12 (*a*) and (*b*), and of the persons granting the certificates to Rules 11 and 14 (3) and (4), and to the certificate, Forms C and D, in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification No. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896

J. T. CALVERT, M.B. (LOND.), MAJOR, I.M.S.,

Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.

MEDICAL SCHOOL, CUTTACK, *the 9th September 1903.*

Examination of Compounders at the Temple Medical School, Patna.

NOTIFICATION—No 3076

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notifications Nos. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, 337T.—M., dated 9th June 1897, and 288Medl., dated 17th January 1902, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will be held at 10 A.M. on Monday, the 12th October 1903, at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore.

2. Every candidate must produce certificates of training, age, and previous education, as required by rule 9 of Bengal Notification No. 4042Medl, dated 2nd November 1896, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1896, except in those cases provided for in rule 10.

These certificates must comply with the conditions laid down in rule 12 of the above resolution

3. Male candidates must register their names and submit their certificates, together with a fee of Rs. 5, at least one week before the 12th October 1903 at the office of the undersigned.

Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

[*Exception.*—The students belonging to the Compounder class of a Vernacular Medical School will be exempted from paying this fee on producing a certificate from the Superintendent that they have already paid the school entrance fee.]

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the required examination, he will forfeit his fee.

5. Candidates will have to pass a test in English before being allowed to appear for the rest of the examination.

This test consists of reading and writing from dictation, the reading of prescriptions and labels.

They will, if successful, be then examined in Materia Medica, Pharmacy, the compounding and mixing of drugs, &c.

6. No candidate for the Compounder's examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

R. H. WHITWELL, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Temple Medical School, Patna.

The 2nd September 1903.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Campbell Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notifications Nos. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, and 337T.—M., dated 9th June 1897, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 11 A.M. on Friday, the 23rd October 1903, at the Campbell Medical School.

2. Every candidate must produce a certificate of training and a certificate of age and previous education, as required by Rule 9 (*vide* Government of Bengal Notification No. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1896, and circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Calcutta Hospitals with his Circular No. 60, dated 5th December 1896).

3. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School, at least one week before the 23rd October 1903, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charges. (No certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.)

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

5. No candidate for the Compounder's examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to Rules 9, 10 and 12 (*a*) and (*b*), and of the persons granting the certificates to Rules 11 and 14 (3) and (4), and to the Certificate, Forms C and D, in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification No. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896.

B. C. OLDHAM, MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Offg. Supdt., Campbell Medical School.

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL, CALCUTTA, *the 18th August 1903.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU SYAMA KUMUD MUKHERJEE has been placed in charge of the Dinajpur Treasury, *vice* Babu Atul Chandra Dutt, and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commissioner of Rajshahi.*

DARJEELING, *the 9th September 1903.*

EXISTING RULES.

PLUS AND MINUS MEMORANDUM.

84. There shall be appended to the monthly statement of Deposit Receipts a plus and minus memorandum in the following form:—

			Rs. A. P.
Balance of last month			
Amount of A deposits received during the month.	Repaid during the month	...	
	Not repaid ditto	...	
Amount of B deposits received during the month			
Total ...			
Amount of A deposits repaid during the month.	Received during the month	...	
	Received during previous month		
Amount repaid during the month—			
Of B deposits received in 189 -9			
Ditto 189 -9			
BALANCE OF DEPOSITS OUTSTANDING ...			

And insert the following note:—

"There payments of B deposits received in the year of account and in the year next preceding should be shown separately" (Rule No. 4 of 11th August 1893.)

Certificate.

Certified that on a comparison of Treasury Advices with postings therefrom in the Registers of Challans, of Payment Orders, of Deposit Receipts, and of Repayments* the amounts entered above as received and paid are correct.

The certificate is not required from Small Cause Court Judges, who are not subordinate to District Judges in matters of account.

(Accountant-General's No. 279, dated 4th June 1881.)

* Amended by Accountant-General's No. 490, dated 2nd September 1892.

ISSUED BY AUTHORITY OF THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

(CIVIL AND CRIMINAL.)

Rule No. 4 of 1903.

Cancel Rule 84, as amended, and the notes thereto, Chapter $\frac{V}{III}$, page $\frac{170 \text{ (Civil)}}{168 \text{ (Criminal)}}$ of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders and *substitute* therefor the following:—

84. There shall be appended to the monthly statement of Deposit receipts a plus and minus memorandum in the following form:—

			Rs. A. P.
Balance of last month			
Amount of A deposits received during the month.	Repaid during the month	...	
	Not repaid ditto	...	
Amount of B deposits Received during the month.	Repaid during the month	...	
	Not repaid ditto	...	
	Total	...	
Amount of A deposits repaid during the month.	Received in all previous years	...	
	Received last year ...	...	
	Received during current year. Previous months		
	Current month	...	
Amount of B deposits repaid during the month.	Received during 190 -190	...	
	Received during 190 -190	...	
	Total	...	
BALANCE OF DEPOSITS OUTSTANDING		...	

Note.—The repayments of B deposits received in the year of account and in the year next preceding should be shown separately.

Certificate.

Certified that on a comparison of Treasury Advices with postings therefrom in the Registers of Chalans, of Payment Orders, of Deposit Receipts, and of Repayments, the amounts entered above as received and paid are correct.

Note.—This certificate is not required from Small Cause Court Judges, who are not subordinate to District Judges in matters of account.

EXISTING FORM.

FORM No. 18.

* Date of last prior transaction. The of 18

Subordinate Court's Daily Advice List of Sums received and paid under the orders of the Court of on the day of 18 , being the date of actual receipt or actual disbursement at the Court or at the Treasury.

[*N.B.*—This statement is to be compiled from Registers 16, 17, 22, 23, 25.]

Receipts	Rs.	A.	P.	Payments.	Rs.	A.	P.
Judicial deposits exceeding Rs. 5 each ...				Repayments of deposits exceeding Rs. 5 each received in previous months, as per detailed register attached (Form No. 17)			
Judicial deposits of Rs. 5 and under ...							
Fines and forfeitures				Repayment of deposits exceeding Rs. 5 each received in current month ...			
Stamp duties and penalties ...							
Miscellaneous and petty receipts ...				Repayment of deposits not exceeding Rs 5			
Total ...				Total ...			

Certified that this statement has been examined with the Cash-books and Registers of Challans and Payment Orders, and is correct.

Certified, also, that my Registers of Deposits not exceeding Rs. 5 are written up to date and are in order.

Subordinate Judge or Munsif.

To the District Judge of

The Daily Advice List (Form 18) will be furnished only by the Judge in charge of accounts of the Courts at other than the Sadar Station who may either be a Subordinate Judge or a Munsif, but no such list will be sent by any of the Courts at the Sadar Station, *vide* signature at foot (Accountant-General's No. 141, dated 26th April 1881).

* Inserted by Rule No. 5, dated the 18th March 1886.

Cancel "Form No. 18" in the same Chapter at pages $\frac{203 \text{ (Civil)}}{136 \text{ (Criminal)}}$ *ibid* and *substitute* therefor the following:—

FORM No. 18.

Date of last prior transaction. The of 19 .

Subordinate Court's Daily Advice List of Sums received and paid under the orders of the Court of on the day of 19 , being the date of actual receipt or actual disbursement at the Court or at the Treasury.

[*N.B.*—This statement is to be compiled from Registers Nos. 16, 17, 22, 23, and 25.]

Receipts.	Rs.	A.	P.	Payments.	Rs.	A.	P.
Judicial deposits exceeding Rs. 5 each				Repayment of deposits exceeding in amount Rs. 5 each received in all previous years, as per detailed register attached (Form No. 17)			
Judicial deposits of Rs. 5 and under							
Fines and forfeitures				Repayment of deposits exceeding in amount Rs. 5 each received in last year			
Stamp duty and penalties ...							
Miscellaneous and petty receipts ...				Repayment of deposits exceeding in amount Rs. 5 each received during the previous months of the current year			
				Repayment of deposits exceeding in amount Rs. 5 each received during the current month			
				Repayment of B deposits received during the year of account			
				Repayment of B deposits received during the year preceding the year of account ...			
Total ...				Total ...			

Certified that this statement has been examined with the Cash-books and Registers of Chalans and Payment Orders and is correct.

Certified, also, that my Registers of Deposits not exceeding Rs. 5 are written up to date and are in order.

Subordinate Judge or Munsif.

To the District Judge of

Note.—This Daily Advice List will be furnished only by the Judge in charge of accounts of the Courts at other than the Sadar Station, who may either be a Subordinate Judge or a Munsif, but no such list will be sent by any of the Courts at the Sadar Station, *vide* signature at foot.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 1st September 1903.—Babu Satis Narayan Chaudhuri, B.A., Officiating Assistant Head Master of the Rajshahi Collegiate School (class VI), is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Babu Phatik Chandra Chakravarti, transferred.

The 5th September 1903.—Babu Ramapati Bhattacharjea is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Jessore Zilla School and in class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on the salary of Rs. 30 a month, during the absence, on deputation to the Kurseong Training College, of Babu Anil Chandra Gupta, B.A., Assistant Head Master of that School.

Babu Prem Sundar Basu, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Bhagalpur Zilla School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on a salary of Rs. 25 a month, during the absence, on deputation to the Kurseong Training College, of Babu Makhan Lal Rai Chaudhuri, B.A., or until further orders.

Maulvi Muhammad Sayeed, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Arrah Zilla School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on a salary of Rs. 25 a month, during the absence, on deputation to the Kurseong Training College, of Babu Anukul Chandra Banerjea, M.A., or until further orders.

The following arrangements are sanctioned consequent on the absence, on deputation to the Kurseong Training College, of Babu Mati Lal Datta, B.A., Assistant Head Master of the Purulia Zilla School :—

(1) Babu Sasi Bhusan Ghosh, an Assistant Master in the Purulia Zilla School (class VII), to act as Assistant Head Master of that School.

(2) Babu Sailendra Mohan Bose, B A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Purulia Zilla School and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, on the salary of Rs. 37-8 a month.

The 6th September 1903.—Babu Nalini Kumar Datta, M.A., an Assistant Master in the Patna Collegiate School (class VI), is appointed temporarily, until further orders, to be Lecturer on Philosophy in the Dacca College, on the pay of his own grade.

Babu Anukul Chandra Banerjea, M.A., an Assistant Master in the Arrah Zilla School (class VIII), now under training in the Victoria Training College, Kurseong, is appointed temporarily to be an Assistant Master in the Patna Collegiate School, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Nalini Kumar Datta, transferred.

The 7th September 1903 —Babu Durga Prasanna Mukherjea, an Assistant Master in the Uttarpara Government School, and now Officiating Assistant Head Master of the Hooghly Branch School, is appointed to be Assistant Head Master of the Rangpur Training School, *vice* Babu Krishna Lal Sadhu, transferred.

Babu Durga Prasanna Mukherjea is also appointed substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service in the resulting vacancy consequent on the retirement of Babu Jadu Nath Chakravarti.

Babu Upendra Kumar Chattopadhyaya, an Assistant Master in the Bankura Zilla School, and now an Officiating Assistant Master in the Utterpara Government School (class VII), is confirmed in the latter appointment, *vice* Babu Durga Prasanna Mukherjea, transferred.

Babu Kesav Chandra Sarkar, B A., an Assistant Master in the Hooghly Branch School (class VII), now under training in the Victoria Training College, Kureong. is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Patna Training School, *vice* Babu Revati Nandan, transferred.

Babu Makhan Lal Rai Chaudhuri, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Bhagalpur Zilla School (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service,) now under training in the Victoria Training College, Kurseong, is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Hooghly Branch School, *vice* Babu Kesav Chandra Sarkar, transferred, but he will act as Assistant Head Master of the same institution, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Bireshwar Das, or until further orders.

The 8th September 1903.—Babu Sarat Chandra Brahmachary, M.A., Officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bankura (class IV), was absent on leave for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 9th July 1903.

Babu Jogendra Nath Ganguli, an Assistant Master in the Dacca Survey School (class V), is allowed leave for three weeks, viz., eight days on full pay and the remainder on half pay, under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th August 1903.

Babu Braja Sundar Ray, M.A., is appointed, on probation for six months, to be Assistant Head Master of the Noakhali Zilla School, with effect from the date on which the school re-opens after the ensuing Puja vacation, *vice* Babu Mahendra Chandra Som, promoted.

He is also appointed substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, in the resulting vacancy consequent on the appointment of Babu Raj Kumar Das to the Provincial Educational Service.

A. PEDLER,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE following books have been prescribed as text-books for the Examinations of the Calcutta University in 1905 and 1906:—

[*In all cases where reference is made to Chapters, Sections, Pages or Lines, thus Chaps. V—VIII, the reference is to be understood as inclusive.*]

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1905.

The following portions of the English Selections appointed by the Syndicate for the Entrance Examination, and published by Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co. in 1901, have been prescribed for the Entrance Examination of 1905:—

(TO BE READ.)

Prose.

Prince Charles's March to Derby.
The Siege of Santa Cruz.
Early Memorials of Grasmere.
On the Choice of Books.
The Village Schoolmistress.
Gentle.
Moral Courage.
The Principles of Diet.
Personal Hygiene.
Drains and Drainage.

Poetry.

Among my Books (or, The Scholar).
Qua Cursum Ventus.
Home.
Upon Westminster Bridge
Dora.
The Village Blacksmith.
The Builders.

(TO BE COMMITTED TO MEMORY.)

Among my Books (or, The Scholar).
The Village Blacksmith.
The Builders.

Two papers to be set in English: the first paper to contain questions on the text-book and questions on grammar arising therefrom; the second paper to contain passages in a vernacular, as defined in paragraph 6 of the Regulations for the Entrance Examination, for translation into English, together with questions on English composition. In the case of students whose vernacular is English, a special paper will be set in which simple essays or letters or other original composition will replace the passages for translation into English.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1906.

GREEK.

Xenophon	...	...	Anabasis, Books I and II.

One paper to be set on Text and Grammar and one paper on Translation and Composition.

LATIN.

Sallust	...	...	Catilina.
Ovid	...	...	Stories from the Metamorphoses (Macmillan & Co.'s Elementary Classics Series).

One paper to be set on Text and Grammar and one paper on Translation and Composition, including easy passages from authors not prescribed beforehand to be translated into English.

GERMAN.

Hauff	...	...	Das Wirtshaus im Spessart, by G. E. Fasnacht, omitting Saids Schicksale (Macmillan & Co.).

One paper to be set on Text and Grammar and one paper on Translation and Composition.

FRENCH.

Souvestre ... ... Un Philosophe sous Les Toits.

One paper to be set on Text and Grammar and one paper on Translation and Composition.

HEBREW.

The Book of Genesis.

One paper to be set on Text and Grammar and one paper on Translation and Composition.

ARMENIAN.

Michæl Chamiteh ... History of Armenia, Parts I, II and III.

SANSKRIT.

Calcutta University Selections for 1905, edited by Babu Nrisinhachandra Mukerjee, M.A., B.L., and published by Messrs. S. K. Lahiri & Co.

Vidyáságar ... ... Upakramaniká or any other book covering the same ground.

BENGALI.

Calcutta University Selections for 1900, edited by Babu Srischandra Chaudhurí, M.A., B.L., and published by Messrs. S. K. Lahiri & Co.

Hemchandra Banerjee ... Poetical Selections.
Nakuleswar Vidyabhushan Bháshábodh Bángalá Vyákaran.

HINDI.

Tulsidás ... ... Rámáyana, Ajodhyá Kánda.
Sitárám ... ... Uttararáma Charita (*Bhásha*).

URIYA.

M. S. Rao ... ... Prabandhamálá, pages 1-115.
Ram Náráyan Ráy ... Kabitá-Sangraha.

TELUGU.

Prose.

K. Veeresalingam ... Nitichendica Sandhi.

Poetry.

Bhaskarasata Kamu ... The whole.

PALI.

Andersen's Pali Reader, pages 1-60.

BURMESE.

Prose.

Withandya Jataka.

Poetry.

Loka-Sara Son-ma-sá, prepared from original Manuscripts, under the auspices of the Vernacular Text-book Committee, Rangoon.

Grammar.

Lonsdale's Burmese Grammar.

TAMIL.

Poetry.

Tamil Poetical Anthology, No. II, pages 15 to the end.

Prose.

The Panchatantra ... Parts I, II, and III.

GUJRATHI.

Prose.

Navalaram ... ... Navala Granthavali, Volume I, pp. 1-220.

Poetry.

Kabi Premananda ... Nalákhyán.

ASSAMESE.

Selections, to be notified later on, from Sahitya Sangraha by Padmanath Barua, Sahitya Bichar by Satyanath Bora, and the Adikanda of the Ramayana in the Assamese version of Rai M. C. Bardalai, Bahadur.

KHASI.

The Books of Joshua, Judges and Job in the Khasi version of the Bible.

ARABIC.

Selections by Shams-ul-Ulama Ahmad.

PERSIAN.

New Selections by Shams-ul-Ulama Ahmad (prescribed for 1904—1908).

URDU.

Revised Selections by Shams-ul-Ulama Ahmad.

One paper to be set on the text-books in each of the Oriental languages (including questions on Grammar and Idiom, and easy sentences to be translated into English); and one paper containing (*i*) simple passages in English to be translated into one of the vernaculars of India* recognized by the Senate (the pasages being taken from a newspaper or other current literature of the day), and (*ii*) a subject for original composition in one of the vernaculars recognized by the Senate. Half the value of the paper is to be assigned to the passages in English and half to the subject for original composition.

HISTORY.

Sir William Lee-Warner ...	The Citizen of India.
George Townsend Warner...	A Brief Survey of British History.
Adhar Chandra Mukerjee ...	A Short History of the Indian People.

GENERAL AND PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY.

Clarke	Class Book of Geography, omitting all the paragraphs headed (*a*) "Communications," (*b*) "Historical Sketch," (*c*) "Animals," "Plants," and "Minerals;"
	or
Christian Literature Society	Manual of Geography (revised edition), omitting all the paragraphs either headed as follows, or dealing with the following subjects: (*a*) Railways, Canals, Roads; (*b*) History; (*c*) Animals, Vegetables, Minerals,
	and
Huxley	Science Primer—Introductory, Arts. 12-55,
	and
Geikie	Physical Geography Primer.

DRAWING.†

Freehand.

Poynter's South Kensington Drawing Books, First Grade Ornament, Books I—VI, and Freehand Elementary Design, Books I—II.

or

Oriental School Drawing Book, Parts I, II, III, IV, published by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.

Model Drawing.

Owen Gibbons ...	A Guide to Model Drawing, published by John Marshall & Co., 42 Paternoster Row, London.
	or
E. C. Dozey	Model Drawing.

* The vernaculars recognised by the Senate are the following :—Bengali, Hindi, Uriya, Mahrathi, Urdu, Burmese, Armenian, Parbatia, Assamese, Telugu, Gujrathi, Khasi and Tamil.

† 1. Free-hand—

The candidate will be required to draw correctly, in outline, straight lines, simple and compound curves. Drawing to be enlarged or reduced to a given size.

2. Model drawing—

By "Model drawing" the delineation of "Geometric solids or common objects from nature" is to be understood.

The candidate will be required to draw correctly, in outline, Geometric solids, as the cube, triangular, square, and hexagonal prisms, the cylinder and cone—the solids to be arranged in groups of two or three in combination with common objects without ornamentation, as vases, lotas, buckets, stools, etc.

Drawing to be not less than eight inches in height.

One paper to be set in this subject.

F.A. EXAMINATION, 1906.

ENGLISH.

Milton	...	... Comus.
Scott	...	... Lay of the Last Minstrel.
Tennyson	...	... Enoch Arden.
Addison	...	... Selections from the "Spectator" by Airy.
Helps	...	... Essays written in the Intervals of Business, from "On Practical Wisdom" to "Party-Spirit."

Some subject for original composition to be set in one of the papers.

GREEK.

Herodotus	...	... Book IV.
Euripides	...	... Troades (edited by R. Y. Tyrrell, LL.D.).

LATIN.

Virgil	...	... Æneid, Book II, and Eclogues, 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7.
Cicero	...	... Pro Milone (Macmillan & Co.'s Classics Series).

With passages from Latin authors not prescribed beforehand to be translated into English.

FRENCH.

H. E. Berthon	...	Specimens of Modern French Verse (Macmillan & Co.'s Foreign School Classics), pages 69-143.
Madame De Staël	...	Le Directoire (Pitt Press Series).

GERMAN.

Schiller	...	... Wallensteins Tod, edited by Karl Breul (Pitt Press Series).
Goethe	...	... Die Italienische Reise, edited by Prof Fiedler (Macmillan).

HEBREW.

Genesis.
Ruth.
Psalms I—XLI.

ARMENIAN.

Prose.

I.—Eghishe's History of the Wars of the Vardons (Fifth Century), Parts I, V, VI, and last ten pages of the Supplement.

II.—A Course of reading in classical Armenian for advanced students by Elisha. (Selections from ancient and modern classical authors.)

Poetry.

1. Joseph declaring himself to his brothers, pages 117-121.
2. The Mother and Daughter, pages 191-194.
3. The Shepherd and Shepherdess, pages 212-216.

SANSKRIT.

Kálidása	...	... Raghuvansa, Cantos I, II, III, XIII, XIV, XV.
Bhartrihari	...	... Bhatti Kavya, Cantos I and II.

BENGALI FOR FEMALE CANDIDATES.

Akshaykumar Datta	...	Charupátha, Part III.
Madhusudan Datta	...	Meghnád-Badha, Canto IV.
Nabinchandra Das	...	Raghuvansa, Canto XIII.

PALI.

Anderson's Pali Reader—The whole.

ARABIC.

Selections by Lieut.-Col. G. S. A. Ranking, M.D., I.M.S., omitting pages 115 to 184.

PERSIAN.

New selections by Shams-ul-Ulama Ahmad (prescribed for 1904—1908).

URDU FOR FEMALE CANDIDATES.

Musddasi Hali	... ...	The whole.
Abi Hayat ...	... ...	Pages 237-264.
Maulavi Mohamed Ihsânullah's Târikh-ul-Islam		„ 238-269.
Arayeshi Mahfil	... ...	„ 4-36.
Urdu Moalla	... ...	„ 5-37.

KHASI FOR FEMALE CANDIDATES.

Khasi Grammar ... ... By the Rev. H. Roberts, published by Messrs. Kegan Paul, Trench, Trubner & Co., London.

The Books of Proverbs and Ecclesiastes from the Khasi Bible.

Ka Kitab Jingphawar (Khasi Proverbs and Folklore) by Babu Rabon Sing, published at the "Ri Khasi Press," Shillong.

ELEMENTARY PHYSICS.

Ganot ... ... Popular Natural Philosophy, 9th edition, 1900, Book I, omitting Articles 14, 15, 34-37, 51-54 58, 59, 65-67, 72-78, 79-82; Book II, omitting Articles 114-117; Book III, omitting Articles 131-139, 145-148, 153, 164; Book IV to be omitted altogether; Book V, omitting Articles 221, 222, 233, 234, 247, 252-254, 264, 272-274, 281-290, 291-311, 315-319; Book VI, omitting Articles 370, 380-384, 385-387, 388, 389, 391, 392, 393, 396, 397-409; Book VII, omitting Articles 420, 422, 423, 424, 425-428; Book VIII, omitting Articles 449, 450, 476, 477-487, 500, 503-506, 516, 522-527, 540-547, 550-555, 558, 559, 561, 565, 566

ELEMENTARY CHEMISTRY.

The following book is recommended:—

Roscoe and Lunt ... Inorganic Chemistry for Beginners.

BOTANY FOR FEMALE CANDIDATES.

Oliver's First Book of Indian Botany; the whole of Part I and Chapter I of Part II, viz., the Elements of Morphology and Physiology of Flowering Plants, the principles of their Natural Classification, and the Diagnosis and detailed accounts of the following Natural Orders:—

1. Anonaceæ.
2. Rutaceæ.
3. Meliaceæ.
4. Leguminosæ.
5. Cucurbitaceæ.
6. Rubiaceæ.
7. Compositæ.
8. Apocynaceæ.
9. Euphorbiaceæ.
10. Scitamineæ.
11. Palmaceæ.
12. Gramineæ.

HISTORY.

Sanderson ... ... Outlines of the World's History (Greece and Rome)

LOGIC.

The following book is recommended to be used in studying the subject of Logic as defined by the Syllabus prescribed:—

Thomas Fowler ... The Elements of Deductive Logic.

SANITARY SCIENCE.

The following books are recommended to be used in studying the subject as defined by the Syllabus prescribed:—

Col. K. P. Gupta ... Elements of Sanitary Science and Practical Hygiene for the F.A. Course.

Dr. Banks ... ... Manual of Hygiene for Use in India

PHYSIOLOGY.

Leonard Hill ... Physiology for Beginners

MATHEMATICS.

Asutosh Mukhopadhyay ... Geometry of Conics, omitting—

Chapter I.—Propositions III, VIII, IX, XIII, XV—XXIII, XXV.

Chapter II.—Propositions VI, VII, XI—XIII, XVI, XVIII—XXXV.

Chapter III.—Propositions V, VI, IX—XXVI, XXVIII—XXXVII, and the section on the Equilateral Hyperbola.

B.A. EXAMINATION, 1906.

ENGLISH.

PASS COURSE.

Shakespeare	...	Twelfth Night; Julius Cæsar.
Milton	...	Lycidas; L'Allegro; Il Penseroso, Sonnets.
Palgrave	...	Golden Treasury of Songs and Lyrics, Books II and III.
Tennyson	...	The Holy Grail.
Burke	...	Speeches on American Taxation and Conciliation with the Colonies; Letter to the Sheriffs of Bristol.

Typical selections from English writers, 2nd edition, Volume II, pages 242 to the end (Clarendon Press Series).

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Spenser	...	The Faery Queene, Book I.
Keats	...	Hyperion.
Shelley	...	Adonais.
Byron	...	Childe Harold, Cantos I and II.
Bacon	...	Essays.

Permanent Subjects.

Earle	...	Philology of the English Tongue.
Thompson	...	Students' English Literature, being a History of English Literature founded upon the Manuel of Thomas B. Shaw.

GREEK.

PASS COURSE.

Sophocles	...	Ajax, Electra.
Demosthenes	...	On the Peace, Second Philippic, On the Chersonesus, and third Philippic (Macmillan & Co.'s Classical Series).

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Thucydides	...	Book II.
Euripides	...	Bacchæ.
Plato	...	Phædo.

Permanent Subject.

Peile	...	Primer of Philology.

LATIN.

PASS COURSE.

Livy	...	Book XXI.
Horace	...	Odes, Books I and II, and Carmen Sæculare.
Cicero	...	Pro Cluentio.

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Lucretius	...	Book I.
Virgil	...	Bucolics (omitting the 2nd).
Tacitus	...	The Histories, Book I.
Terence	...	Phormio.

Permanent Subject.

Peile	...	Primer of Philology.

FRENCH.

FOR FEMALE CANDIDATES.

Pass Course.

Racine	...	... Athalia.
H. E. Berthon		... Specimens of Modern French Prose (Macmillan & Co.).
G. Masson	...	... French classics, Vol IV (Clarendon Press).. A selection from the letters of Mme. de Sèvigné and her contemporaries (the first 40 letters of Mme. de Sèvigné and the Lettres Choisies des Contemporains).

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Molière	...	... Le Médecin Malgré Lui.
Corneille	...	... Horace.
Fasnacht	...	... Select Specimens of the Great French Writers, 17th, 18th, and 19th Centuries (Macmillan).

Permanent Subject.

Darmesteter	...	... Historical French Grammar (Macmillan & Co.).

HEBREW.

PASS COURSE.

Samuel, I and II.	Psalms, XC—CL.
Chronicles, I and II.	Proverbs.

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Isaiah.
Ezekiel.
The History of the Hebrew Language and Literature.

SANSKRIT.

PASS COURSE.

Kálidása	...	... Kumársambhava, Cantos I—V.
Sriharsha	...	... Ratnábali (text as fixed in Mahamahopadhyaya Krishnanáth Nyáypanchánan's edition).
Kálidása	...	... Meghadúta.
Kálidása	...	... Sakuntalá (text as fixed in Pandit Iswarachandra Vidyáságar's edition).

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Bhavabhúti	...	... Uttararámcharita.
Bháravi	...	... Kirátárjuníya, Cantos I—IV.

Permanent Subjects.

Baradá-Rája	...	... Laghukaumudi (Dr. Ballantyne's edition, as reprinted by Lazarus & Co., pages 1-282, *i.e.*, to the end of *Tinanta*).

GRIMM'S LAW.

N.B.—Objectionable passages, if any, occurring in any of the above text-books in Sanskrit are to be treated as not included in the course.

PALI.

PASS COURSE.

Poetry.

Dhammapada.	Khuddaka Patha.

Prose.

Milindapañha, pages 1-211.

HONOUR COURSE

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Mahavanisa ...	...	Chapters 1-38.
Dîghanikâya ...	...	Suttantas 3-8 (pages 81-177).
Rhys Davids ...	...	Buddhist India.

Permanent Subject.

Whitney's Science of Language.

ARABIC.

PASS COURSE.

Tarikhul Khulafa	...	From the Caliphat of Saffâh to that of Wâseq (both inclusive).
Mustatrâf ...	...	Chaps. I—V and X—XVI.
Hamasah ...	...	Pages 1-25 (edition of 1856).
Diwan-i-Mutanabbi	...	First 56 pages (Hughli edition of 1841).

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Maqamat-i-Hariri	...	First 10 Maqamas.
Tarikh-i-Timuri	...	From the beginning to the end of the quotation from Tarikhi-Ibn-ush Shihnat, pages 1-195 (Lahore edition, 1870).
Hamasah ...	...	Pages 26-74 (edition of 1856).
Banat Suad ...	...	The whole.

PERSIAN.

PASS COURSE.

Revised Selections by Shams-ul-Ulama Ahmad.

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Akbarnâmâh	...	Vol. III, from the beginning to the end of the 20th year of Akbar's reign.
Hafiz ...	...	From the beginning to the end of Radifi Dal.
Waqâi-i-Niamat Khan-i-Ali ...	...	From the beginning of Waqâi dated 18th Shâban to the end of the book (pages 85-154, Newal Kishore's edition).
Masnaviyat of Maulana Rumi ...	...	From the beginning to the end of the story of Nakhchîran and Khargôsh.

MENTAL AND MORAL SCIENCE.

(*a*) The following books are recommended to be used in studying the subject of Mental and Moral Science as defined by the Syllabus prescribed:—

PASS COURSE.

Psychology.

Any *one* of the following—

Sully ...	...	Outlines of Psychology (new edition).
James ...	...	Text-book of Psychology.
Höffding ...	...	Outlines of Psychology.
Maher ...	...	Psychology.
Dewey ...	...	Psychology.
H Stephen	...	Elements of Psychology.

Logic.

Bain ... ... Logic, Introduction, Books II, III, IV, V (Chapter 5 only), VI;

or

Mill ... ... System of Logic, Introduction; Book I, Chapter VIII; Book II (omitting Chapter VII); Book III (omitting Chapters XVII, XVIII, XIX, XXV); Book IV, Chapters VII, VIII; Book V, Chapters IV, V;

or

Carveth Read ... Logic, Inductive and Deductive.

Ethics.

Any *one* of the following—

Calderwood ... Handbook of Moral Philosophy.
James Seth ... A Study of Ethical Principles.
D'Arcy ... ... Short Study of Ethics.
Janet ... ... Theory of Morals.
Martineau ... ... Types of Ethical Theory, Vol. II, Book I, Book II, Branches I and II.
Mackenzie ... ... Manual of Ethics.
Mohit Chandra Sen ... The Elements of Moral Philosophy.

HONOUR COURSE.

Psychology.

Any *one* of the following—

Sully ... ... Outlines of Psychology (new edition).
James ... ... Text-book of Psychology.
Höffding ... ... Outlines of Psychology.
Maher ... ... Psychology.
Dewey ... ... Psychology.
H. Stephen ... Elements of Psychology.

Logic.

Bain ... ... Logic, Introduction, Books II, III, IV, V (Chapter 5 only), VI;

or

Mill ... ... System of Logic, Introduction; Book I, Chapter VIII; Book II (omitting Chapter VII); Book III (omitting Chapters XVII, XVIII, XIX, XXV); Book IV, Chapters VII, VIII; Book V, Chapters IV, V;

or

Carveth Read ... Logic, Inductive and Deductive.

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Calderwood ... Handbook of Moral Philosophy.
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Janet ... ... Theory of Morals.
Martineau ... ... Types of Ethical Theory, Vol. II, Book I, Book II, Branches I and II.
Mackenzie ... ... Manual of Ethics.
Mohit Chandra Sen ... The Elements of Moral Philosophy.

History of Philosophy.

(GENERAL.)

Ueberweg ... ... History of Philosophy, Vol. II;

or

Erdmann ... ... History of Philosophy, Vol. II;

or

Weber ... ... History of Philosophy (English Translation by F. Thilly), Introduction and Modern Philosophy.

(SPECIAL.)

Leibnitz ... ... Monadology, as translated by Dr. R. Latta in the Clarendon Press Series, being pages 215-277 of the Volume.

Natural Theology.

Martineau ...	...	A Study of Religion (2nd edition).

(*b*) The following books are recommended for purposes of reference :—

Hamilton ...	...	Lectures in Metaphysics.
Mansel ...	...	Metaphysics.
Mill ...	...	Examination of Hamilton's Philosophy.
M'Cosh ...	...	Examination of J. S Mill's Philosophy.
Bain ...	...	Mental and Moral Science.
Spencer ...	...	Principles of Psychology.
Spencer ...	...	First Principles.
Ward ...	...	"Psychology" (Encyclopædia Britannica).
Sully ...	...	The Human Mind.
Carpenter ..	...	Mental Physiology.
Ladd ...	...	Elements of Physiological Psychology.
Green ...	...	Philosophical Works, Vols. I, II, and III, Prolegomena to Ethics.
Martineau ...	...	A Study of Religion.
Ueberweg ...	...	System of Logic and History of Logical Doctrines.
Jevons ...	...	Principles of Science.
Venn ...	...	Logic of Chance ; Empirical Logic.
Sigwart ...	...	Logic (English Translation).
Bradley ...	...	Principles of Logic.
Sidgwick ...	...	Methods of Ethics.
Sidgwick ...	...	Outlines of the History of Ethics.
Martineau ...	...	Types of Ethical Theory.
Mill ...	...	Utilitarianism.
Flint ...	...	Theism.
Flint ...	...	Anti-Theistic Theories.
Caird ...	...	Introduction to the Philosophy of Religion.
Stirling ...	...	Gifford Lectures—Philosophy and Theology.
Lotze ...	...	Outlines of the Philosophy of Religion (translated by Ladd).
Windelband	...	History of Philosophy.
Schwegler ...	...	History of Philosophy.
Falkenberg	...	History of Modern Philosophy.

The examination in Mental and Moral Science shall be on the subject as defined by the Syllabus, and shall not necessarily be confined to the books recommended to be used in studying the subject.

MATHEMATICS.

PASS COURSE.

Loney ...	...	Elements of Statics and Dynamics.
Loney ...	...	Elements of Hydrostatics (omitting Articles 76, 86-87, 102, 134-136, 140, 142-145, 164-167, 176-181),

(or the corresponding portions of S. B. Mukerjee's Elementary Hydrostatics).

Parker ...	...	Elements of Astronomy (omitting Chapter XIV).

HONOUR COURSE.

Loney ...	...	Elements of Statics and Dynamics.
Maxwell ...	...	Matter and Motion, Chapter III, and Articles 96 and 97 only.
Loney ...	...	Elements of Hydrostatics (omitting Articles 76, 86-87, 102, 134-136, 140, 142-145, 164-167, 176-181),

(or the corresponding portions of S. B. Mukerjee's Elementary Hydrostatics).

Parker ...	...	Elements of Astronomy, omitting Chapter XIV.
Salmon ...	...	Conic Sections (6th edition), Chapters I—III, V—VIII, to the end of Article 116, and Chapters X—XIII,

(or ony other book covering the same ground).

Williamson ...	...	Differential Calculus (9th edition), Chapters I—V, IX, XI—XVIII.
Edwards ...	...	Integral Calculus for Beginners, Chapters I—X.

HISTORY.

PASS COURSE.

History of England.

Gardiner	...	... Students' History of England.

History of India and History of Hindu Civilisation.

Elphinstone	...	... History of India, omitting Book XII and the Appendices.
Meadows Taylor		... Students' Manual of the History of India from Book IV, Chapter XXVII, to the end.

History of Muhammadan Civilisation.

Ameer Ali	...	... A Short History of the Saracens, Chapters XV—XXII.

Histories of Greece and Rome.

Bury	...	... History of Greece.
Shuckburgh	...	... History of Rome.

Political Economy.

Fawcett	...	... Manual of Political Economy.

HONOUR COURSE.

History of England.

Gardiner	...	... Students' History of England.
Green	...	... Short History of the English People, Chapters VII, VIII, and IX, constituting Part III of the reprint of Green's History in four parts.
Bagehot	...	... The English Constitution.

History of India and History of Hindu Civilisation.

Elphinstone	...	... History of India to the end of Book XI, including the Appendices.
Meadows Taylor		... Students' Manual of the History of India from Book IV, Chapter XXVII, to the end.

History of Muhammadan Civilisation.

Ameer Ali	...	.. A Short History of the Saracens, Chapters XV—XXII.

Histories of Greece and Rome.

Bury	...	... History of Greece.
Shuckburgh	...	... History of Rome.

Political Economy.

Fawcett	...	... Manual of Political Economy.
Marshall	...	. Economics of Industry.

Political Philosophy.

Mill	...	... On Representative Government.

MATHEMATICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL PHYSICS.

PASS COURSE

Ganot	...	... Physics (16th edition, 1902).

General properties of Matter.—Omitting Books I, II, III, IV, *with the exception of* Articles 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 96, 181, 182.

Sound.—The whole book is to be read.

Heat.—Omitting Articles 363, 394, 395, 408, 447, 480, 481, 482, 483, 491, 492, 493, 494, 507, 508, 509.

Light.—Omitting Articles 592, 603, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 626, 627, 631, 632, 634, 640, 641, 642, 645, 647, and Chapter VIII.

Magnetism.—Omitting Articles 722, 723, 724, 725, 736, 738, 740.

Frictional and Voltaic Electricity.—Omitting Articles 773, 775, 777, 797, 798, 801, 810, 811, 861, 862, 898, 899, 900, 902, 904, 905, 906, 907, 913, 918, 924–932 inclusive, 943, 965, 968, 969, 970, 985; Chapters XIII, XIV down to 1003; XV, and all the rest.

HONOUR COURSE.

Ganot ...	... Physics (16th edition, 1902), omitting Chapter XV of Book X and the Elements of Meteorology.
S. P. Thompson	... Elementary Lessons on Electricity and Magnetism.
Tait ...	... Heat.
Jevons ...	... Principles of Science (2nd edition), omitting Books I and II.

CHEMISTRY.

The following books are recommended to be used in studying the subject of Chemistry as defined by the Syllabus prescribed:—

PASS COURSE.

Newth ...	... A text-book of Inorganic Chemistry (latest edition).

HONOUR COURSE.

Newth ...	... A text-book of Inorganic Chemistry (latest edition).
Tilden ...	... Introduction to the Study of Chemical Philosophy (latest edition).
Perkin and Kipping	... Organic Chemistry (Part I).
Chapman Jones	... Practical Inorganic Chemistry for Advanced Students.
Jevons	... Principles of Science (2nd edition), omitting Books I and II.

The examination in Chemistry shall be on the subject as defined by the Syllabus, and shall not necessarily be confined to the books recommended to be used in studying the subject.

BIOLOGY.

PHYSIOLOGY AND BOTANY.

PASS COURSE.

Huxley ...	... Elementary Lessons in Physiology, edited by Sir M. Foster.
Reynolds Green	... Text-book of Botany.
Oliver ...	... First Book of Indian Botany.

PHYSIOLOGY AND ZOOLOGY.

PASS COURSE.

Huxley ...	... Elementary Lessons in Physiology, edited by Sir M. Foster.
Parker ...	... Lessons in Elementary Biology.
Parker and Haswell	... A Manual of Zoology.

PHYSIOLOGY, BOTANY, ZOOLOGY, AND THE DOCTRINE OF SCIENTIFIC METHOD.

HONOUR COURSE.

Kirke ...	... Handbook of Physiology, edited by Professor Halliburton.
Parker and Haswell	... A Manual of Zoology.
Haddon ...	... Introduction to the Study of Embryology.
Reynolds Green	... Text-book of Botany.
Stirling ...	... Outlines of Practical Histology (2nd edition).
Bower ...	... Practical Botany for Beginners (Macmillan & Co.).
Parker and Parker	... Practical Zoology (Macmillan & Co.).
Jevons ..	... Principles of Science (2nd edition), omitting Books I and II.

GEOLOGY.

GEOLOGY AND PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY.

PASS COURSE.

Geikie ...	... Class-book of Geology.
Cole ...	... Aids to Practical Geology.
Mill ...	... The Realm of Nature (University Extension Manuals).
Medlicott and Blanford	... Manual of the Geology of India (2nd edition), by R D Oldham. A.R.S.M., omitting Chapters 1-6 and Chapter 18.

GEOLOGY AND MINERALOGY.

PASS COURSE.

Geikie	Class-book of Geology.
Cole	Aids to Practical Geology.
Medlicott and Blanford ...	Manual of the Geology of India (2nd edition), by R. D. Oldham, A.R.S.M., omitting Chapters 1-6 and Chapter 18.
Rutley	Mineralogy.
Rutley	Rock-forming Minerals.

GEOLOGY, MINERALOGY, PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY, AND THE DOCTRINE OF SCIENTIFIC METHOD.

HONOUR COURSE.

Geikie	Text-book of Geology.
Cole	Aids to Practical Geology.
Medlicott and Blanford ...	Manual of the Geology of India (2nd edition) by R. D. Oldham, A.R.S.M., omitting Chapters 1-6 and Chapter 18.
Rutley	Mineralogy.
Rutley	Rock-forming Minerals.
Alfred Harker ...	Petrology for Students, Cambridge, 1895 (Cambridge Natural Science Manuals).
Geikie	Atlas of Physical Geography.
Nicholson and Lydekkar ...	Palæontology.
Jevons	Principles of Science (2nd edition), omitting Books I and II.

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MATHEMATICS.

PASS COURSE.

Subject II—Statics and Dynamics—

Loney ... ... Elements of Statics and Dynamics.

Subject X—Hydrostatics and Astronomy—

Loney ... ... Elements of Hydrostatics, omitting Articles 76, 86-87, 102, 134-136, 140, 142-145, 164-167, 176-181,

(or the corresponding portions of S. B. Mukerjee's Elementary Hydrostatics).

Parker ... ... Elements of Astronomy (omitting Chapter XIV).

HONOUR COURSE.

Subjects II and X—

Loney	Elements of Statics and Dynamics.
Maxwell	Matter and Motion, Chapter III, and Articles 96 and 97 only.
Loney	Elements of Hydrostatics, omitting Articles 76, 86-87, 102, 134-136, 140, 142-145, 164-167, 176-181,

(or the corresponding portions of S. B. Mukerjee's Elementary Hydrostatics).

Parker	Elements of Astronomy, omitting Chapter XIV.
Salmon	Conic Sections (6th edition), Chapters I-III, V—VIII, to the end of Article 116, and Chapters X—XIII,

(or any other book covering the same ground).

Williamson	Differential Calculus (9th edition), Chapters I—V, IX, XI—XVIII.
Edwards	Integral Calculus for Beginners, Chapters I—X

MATHEMATICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL PHYSICS.

THEORETICAL PORTION.

PASS COURSE.

Ganot ... .. Physics (16th edition, 1902).

General properties of Matter.—Omitting Books I, II, III, IV, *with the exception of* Articles 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 96, 181, 182.

Sound—The whole book is to be read.

Heat.—Omitting Articles 363, 394, 395, 408, 447, 480, 481, 482, 483, 491, 492, 493, 494, 507, 508, 509.

Light.—Omitting Articles 592, 603, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 626, 627, 631, 632, 634, 640, 641, 642, 645, 647, and Chapter VIII.

Magnetism.—Omitting Articles 722, 723, 724, 725, 736, 738, 740.

Frictional and Voltaic Electricity.—Omiting Articles 773, 775, 777, 797, 798, 801, 810, 811, 861, 862, 898, 899, 900, 902, 904, 905, 906, 907, 913, 918, 924–932 inclusive, 943, 965, 968, 969, 970, 985, Chapters XIII, XIV down to 1003, XV and all the rest.

HONOUR COURSE.

Ganot	...	... Physics (16th edition, 1902), omitting Chapter XV of Book X and the Elements of Meteorology.
S. P. Thompson		... Elementary Lessons on Electricity and Magnetism.
Tait	...	.. Heat.
Jevons	...	... Principles of Science (2nd edition, omitting Books I and II).

PRACTICAL EXAMINATION.

PASS COURSE.

Schuster and Lees.—Intermediate Course of Practical Physics—

Part	I.	Section	III.
Part	II.	Section	V, Exercises I, II.
		Sections	VIII, IX, X, XI, XII (omitting corrections), XIII.
Part	III.	Section	XV, Exercises I, II.
		Section	XXI.
Part	IV.	Sections	XXII, XXIII.
Part	V.	Section	XXXII.
Part	VI.	Sections	XXXIII, XXXIV.
Part	VII.	Section	XXXVII.
Part	VIII.	Section	XLII.

HONOUR COURSE.

Schuster and Lees.—Intermediate Course of Practical Physics. In addition to the portions prescribed for the Pass Course, the following:—

Part	II.	Sections	VI, XIV.
Part	III.	Sections	XVII, XVIII, XX, Exercise I.
Part	IV.	Section	XXV, Exercises I, II, IV.
Part	V.	Section	XXXII.
Part	VI.	Section	XXXVI.
Part	VII.	Section	XXXIX.

CHEMISTRY

The following books are recommended to be used in studying the subject of Chemistry as defined by the Syllabus prescribed: —

PASS COURSE.

Newth	...	... A Text-book of Inorganic Chemistry (latest edition)
Chapman Jones		... Practical Inorganic Chemistry for advanced students.

HONOUR COURSE.

Newth	...	... A Text-book of Inorganic Chemistry (latest edition).
Tilden	...	... Introduction to the Study of Chemical Philosophy (latest edition).
Perkin and Kipping		... Organic Chemistry (Part I).
Chapman Jones		... Practical Inorganic Chemistry for advanced students,

The examination in Chemistry shall be on the subject as defined by the syllabus, and shall not necessarily be confined to the books recommended to be used in studying the subject.

PHYSIOLOGY.

PASS COURSE.

Huxley	...	... Elementary Lessons in Physiology edited by SIR M Foster.

(*For Practical Examination.*)

Halliburton	...	... Essentials of Chemical Physiology, Elementary Course. Blood, Milk, Albumen, Digestive Juices, Urine (normal) and Glycogen.

Stirling ... ... Outlines of Practical Physiology (4th edition).

Experimental Physiology.—The Frog's Heart,—Beating of the Heart,—Effect of Heat and Cold,—Section of the Heart, pages 360-363; Stannius's Experiment, pages 376-377; The Laryngoscope—Vowels, page 481; Reflex Action—Action of Poisons—Knee-jerk in Man, pages 492-496;—Eye—Formation of Image, pages 509-514;—Touch, Smell, Taste, Hearing, pages 565-568 and 580-581, omitting small print.

Stirling ... ... Practical Histology (2nd edition)—Preparation of fresh tissues from a Frog, omitting 1, 3, 4, 8 (*b*) 10, 13, 17-23.

HONOUR COURSE.

Kirke ... ... Handbook of Physiology, edited by Professor Halliburton.

(*For Practical Examination.*)

Halliburton ... ... Essentials of Chemical Physiology, Elementary Course—(i) The Proteids; (ii) Blood, Hæmoglobin; (iii) Digestion—Salivary, Gastric, Pancreatic, Glycogen in the Liver; (iv) Urine—Volumetric Analysis for Urea; Sugar in Urine, Qualitative and Quantitative.

Stirling ... ... Outlines of Practical Physiology (4th edition)—

Experimental Physiology.—(i) Nerve-Muscle Preparation—Stimulation of Nerve—Mechanical, Chemical and Thermal Stimuli, pages 219-225 and 243-251, omitting small print; (ii) The Frog's Heart—Stannius's Experiment, pages 360-364 and 376-377; (iii) The Laryngoscope—Vowels, page 481; (iv) Reflex Action—Action of Poisons—Knee-jerk in Man, pages 492-496; (v) The Eye—Formation of an Image, etc., pages 509-514; (vi) The Ophthalmoscope, pages 560-561; (vii) Touch, Smell, Taste, Hearing, pages 565-568, and 580-581, omitting small print.

Stirling ... ... Practical Histology (2nd edition)—Preparation of fresh tissues from a Frog, omitting 1, 3, 4, 8 (*b*), 10, 13, 17, 23.

BOTANY.

PASS COURSE.

Reynolds Green ... Text-book of Botany.
Oliver ... ... First Book of Indian Botany.
Bower ... ... Practical Botany for Beginners (Macmillan & Co.), pages 1-51, 76-107, 125-133, 150-178, 223-235, 244, 245.

HONOUR COURSE.

Reynolds Green ... Text-book of Botany.
Reynolds Green ... Physiology of Plants.
Bower ... ... Practical Botany for Beginners (Macmillan & Co).

ZOOLOGY.

PASS COURSE.

Parker ... ... Lessons in Elementary Biology.
Parker and Haswell ... A Manual of Zoology.
Parker and Parker ... Practical Zoology (Macmillan & Co.)—Dissection of the Leech, the Prawn and the Frog.

HONOUR COURSE.

Parker and Haswell ... A Manual of Zoology.
Haddon ... ... Introduction to the Study of Embryology.
Parker and Parker ... Practical Zoology (Macmillan & Co.).

GEOLOGY.

PASS COURSE.

Geikie	...	Class-book of Geology.
Cole	...	Aids to Practical Geology.
Medlicott and Blanford	...	Manual of the Geology of India (2nd edition), by R. D. Oldham, A.R.S.M., omitting Chapters 1-6 and Chapter 18.

HONOUR COURSE.

Geikie	...	Text-book of Geology.
Cole	...	Aids to Practical Geology.
Nicholson and Lyddekar	...	Palæontology.
Medlicott and Blanford	...	Manual of the Geology of India (2nd edition), by R. D. Oldham, A. R. S. M., omitting Chapters 1-6 and Chapter 18.

MINERALOGY.

PASS COURSE.

Rutley	...	Mineralogy.
Rutley	...	Rock-forming Minerals.
Cole	...	Aids to Practical Geology.

HONOUR COURSE.

Rutley	...	Mineralogy.
Rutley	...	Rock-forming Minerals.
Alfred Harker	...	Petrology for Students, Cambridge, 1895 (Cambridge Natural Science Manuals).
Cole	...	Aids to Practical Geology.

M.A. EXAMINATION, 1905.

MENTAL AND MORAL SCIENCE.

The following books are recommended to be used in studying the subject of Mental and Moral Science as defined by the Syllabus prescribed:—

GENERAL.

Ward	...	"Psychology" (*Encyclopædia Britannica*).
Spencer	...	Principles of Psychology.
Ladd	...	Outlines of Physiological Psychology.
Mill	...	System of Logic.
Venn	...	Empirical Logic.
Sidgwick	...	Methods of Ethics.
Martineau	...	Types of Ethical Theory.
Sidgwick	...	The Ethics of T. H. Green, Herbert Spencer and Martineau.
Caird	...	Introduction to the Philosophy of Religion.
Martineau	...	A Study of Religion, 2nd edition.
Ward	...	Gifford Lectures (Naturalism and Agnosticism), 1896—1898.
Green	...	Prolegomena to Ethics.
Aristotle	...	Politics (English Translation by Jowett or Welldon).
Ulberweg	...	History of Philosophy.
Erdmann	...	History of Philosophy, Vols. I and II.
Janet and Seailles	...	A History of the Problems of Philosophy; translated by Ada Monahan.
Mádhaváchárыya	...	Sarva-darshana Sangraha, translated by Cowell and Gough (the Nyáya, Chárvaka, Sánkhya, and Bauddha systems).
Vyása and Sankara	...	Vedánta Sutras with Bháshya, as in Part I of George Thibaut's Translation—Introduction only, pages i—xxx.

SPECIAL.

Kant	...	Transcendental Analytic, Book II (Analytic of Principles as in Max Muller's translation of Kant's Critique of Pure Reason).

The examination in Mental and Moral Science shall be on the subject as defined by the Syllabus, and shall not necessarily be confined to the books recommended to be used in studying the subject.

MATHEMATICS.

Group A.

Hall and Knight ...	Higher Algebra, Chapters XIX—XXXIV.
Todhunter	Trigonometry, edited by Hogg.
Todhunter	Spherical Trigonometry (as revised by J. G. Leathem, M.A., D.SC.).
Burnside and Panton ...	Theory of Equations (4th edition), omitting Chapter XX.
Salmon	Conic Sections.
Salmon	Geometry of three Dimensions—the Course selected by Dr. Salmon for Junior Readers.
Williamson	Differential Calculus (9th edition).
Williamson	Integral Calculus (7th edition).
Murray	Introductory Course in Differential Equations.
Todhunter	Analytical Statics, Ed. Everett.
Williamson and Tarleton ...	Dynamics (2nd edition), Chapters I—VIII.
Minchin	Hydrostatics and Elementary Hydrokinetics, omitting Chapter VIII.
Godfray	Astronomy.
Newton	Principia, Sections I, II, III.

Group B.

Salmon or Smith ...	Conic Sections, Chapters I—XIII.
Smith	Solid Geometry, omitting Chapters VII and IX.
Williamson	Differential Calculus (9th edition).
Williamson	Integral Calculus (7th edition), omitting Chapter XII.
Minchin	Statics (Vols. I and II), omitting Chapters XIV and XVI.
Routh	Dynamics of a Particle, Chapters I, II, III, IV; Chapter V, Articles 221-275, 285-286; Chapter VI, Articles 306-337, 387-404, 419-427 Chapter VII, Articles 490-510, 526, 527, 535-561.
Routh	Elementary Rigid Dynamics, Chapters I—V.
Besant	Hydro-Mechanics, Part I (Hydrostatics).
Bassett	Elementary Treatise on Hydro-Dynamics and Sound, omitting Chapters VII—VIII.
Godfray	Astronomy.
Newton	Principia, Sections I, II, III, IX, XI.

NOTE.—Candidates are recommended to read Murray's Differential Equations (short course).

NATURAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCE.

A.—CHEMISTRY.

Mendeleéff	Principles of Chemistry, Vols. I and II. Translated by George Kamensky and edited by A. J. Greenaway.
Bernthsen	Organic Chemistry,
or	
Wade	Introduction to the Study of Organic Chemistry.
Newth	Manual of Chemical Analysis.
Ostwald	The Scientific Foundations of Analytical Chemistry (translated by G. McGowan).
Walker	Introduction to Physical Chemistry.

B.—HEAT, ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM AS PRINCIPAL SUBJECTS, WITH LIGHT AND SOUND AS SUBSIDIARY SUBJECTS.

Principal Subjects.

Maxwell	Elementary Treatise on Electricity.
J. J. Thomson ...	Elements of Electricity and Magnetism.
Christiansen	Theoretical Physics, Chapters VII—XI.
Hertz	Electric Waves.
Faraday	Experimental Researches in Electricity, Volume I.
Preston	Theory of Heat.
Maxwell	Theory of Heat (latest edition).
Fourier	Theory of Heat, Chapters I and II.
Stewart and Gee ...	Practical Physics, Volume II.
Glazebrook and Shaw ...	Practical Physics, Chapters VIII—XIII (omitting Section 31).

Subsidiary Subject.

Daniell	...	... Text-book of the Principles of Physics (3rd edition), Chapters V, XIV, and XV.

C.—LIGHT AND SOUND AS PRINCIPAL SUBJECTS, WITH HEAT, ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM AS SUBSIDARY SUBJECTS.

Principal Subjects.

Preston	...	... Theory of Light.
Heath	...	... Elementary Treatise on Geometrical Optics.
Helmholtz	...	... Sensations of Tone—Introduction and Chapters I—VIII.
Everett	...	... Vibratory Motion and Sound.
Donkin	...	... Acoustics.
Glazebrook and Shaw		... Practical Physics, Chapters VIII—XX.
Poynting and Thompson		... A Text-book of Physics—Sound.

Subsidiary Subjects.

J. J. Thomson		... * Elements of Electricity and Magnetism.
Balfour Stewart		... Heat (latest edition).

D.—BOTANY.

Asa Gray	...	... Structural Botany.
Sachs	...	... Text-book of Botany, Book II, new edition, by Goebel, translated by Garnsey and Balfour (Clarendon Press Series).
Sachs	...	... Lectures on the Physiology of Plants, translated by H. M. Ward (Clarendon Press Series).
Sachs	...	... History of Botany (1530—1860), translated by Garnsey and Balfour (Clarendon Press Series).
Graf zu Solms Laubach		... Fossil Botany, translated by Garnsey and Balfour (Clarendon Press Series).
Roxburgh	...	... Flora Indica, Clarke's edition (for reference in identifying Indian plants).
Bower	...	... Practical Botany.
De Bary	...	... Comparative Anatomy of the Vegetative Organs of the Phanerogams and Ferns, translated by F. O. Bower and D. H. Scott (Clarendon Press Series).

E.—PHYSIOLOGY AND ZOOLOGY.

Michael Foster		... Text-book of Physiology.
Arnold Lang	...	... Text-book of Comparative Anatomy, Part I.
Wiedersheim	...	... Comparative Anatomy of the Vertebrata.
Schäffer	...	... The Essentials of Histology.
Stirling	...	... Outlines of Practical Histology.
Parker and Parker		... Elementary Course of Practical Zoology.
Halliburton	...	... Essentials of Chemical Physiology.
Balfour	...	... Comparative Embryology.
Darwin	...	... Origin of Species.
Kirke	...	... Handbook of Physiology, edited by Halliburton.
Parker	...	... Lessons in Elementary Biology.
Haddon	...	... Introduction to the Study of Embryology.
Claus-Sedgwick		... Elementary Text-book of Zoology, Vol. I, General Part and Special Part—Protozoa to Insecta; Vol. II, Special Part—Mollusca to Man.

F.—GEOLOGY AND MINERALOGY.

Geikie	...	... Text-book of Geology (latest edition).
Medlicott and Blanford		... Manual of the Geology of India (2nd edition), by R. D. Oldham, A.R.S.M.
Nicholson and Lyddekar		... Palæontology.
Rutley	...	... Mineralogy.
or		
Mier	...	... Mineralogy.
Rutley	...	... Rock-forming Minerals.
H. Rosenbush		... Microscopical Physiography of the Rock-making Minerals. Translated by Joseph P. Iddings, Macmillan & Co. (latest edition).

* The questions on J. J. Thomson's work shall not be so difficult as those in Group B.

Alfred Harker	...	Petrology for Students, Cambridge, 1895 (Cambridge Natural Science Manuals).
Cole ...	...	Aids to Practical Geology.
Geikie ...	...	Atlas of Physical Geography.

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ENGLISH.

Chaucer ...	...	The Tale of the Man of Lawe; The Pardoneres Tale; The Second Nonnes Tale; The Chanouns Yemannes Tale, &c., (making a volume, edited by Skeat. The Clarendon Press Series, small edition).
Shakespeare ...	...	Cymbeline; Romeo and Juliet; King Lear; Winter's Tale.
Ben Jonson ...	...	Every Man in His Humour.
Milton ...	...	Paradise Regained.
Pope ...	...	Essay on Man.
Tennyson ...	...	In Memoriam.
Sidney ...	...	Apology for Poetry.
Hooker ...	...	Ecclesiastical Polity, Book I (Clarendon Press Series).
More ...	...	Utopia.
Carlyle ...	...	Sartor Resartus.
Hutton ...	...	Literary Essays.
Holmes ...	...	Professor at the Breakfast Table.
Thackeray ...	...	Esmond.
Charles Kingsley	...	Sanitary and Social Lectures and Essays— The following pieces:— The Science of Health. The Two Breaths. The Air-Mothers. Great Cities and their Influence for Good and Evil. The Massacre of the Innocents. A Mad World, My Masters.

Permanent Subjects.

Morris ...	...	Historical Outlines of English Accidence.
Smith ...	...	Students' Manual of the English Language.
Taine ...	...	History of English Literature, translated by Van Laun.
Dowden ...	...	Shakespeare: a Critical Study of his Mind and Art.
Sweet ...	...	Anglo-Saxon Primer.
Sayce ...	...	Introduction to the Science of Language.

GREEK.

Homer ...	...	Iliad, Books I—XII.
Pindar ...	...	The whole.
Æschylus ...	...	Prometheus; Agamemnon; Eumenides.
Sophocles ...	...	Œdipus Tyrannus; Ajax; Antigone.
Euripides ...	...	Hecuba; Medea; Ion.
Aristophanes ...	...	Knights; Clouds; Frogs; Birds.
Herodotus ...	...	Books II and III to the end of Chapter LXVI.
Thucydides ...	...	Books VI, VII, VIII.
Demosthenes ...	...	Orations against Leptines and Meidias; De Falsa Legatione.
Plato ...	...	Republic; Theætetus.
Aristotle ...	...	Politics.

Permanent Subjects.

Sayce ..	...	Introduction to the Science of Language.
Mahaffy ...	...	History of Classical Greek Literature.

Also passages from authors not prescribed beforehand to be translated into English.

LATIN.

Virgil	...	Bucolics (with the exception of II); Georgics; Æneid, Books I—VI.
Horace ...	...	Odes; Epodes; Satires, I (with the exception of 2 and 8); Epistles, I; De Arte Poetica.

Juvenal	...	Satires (except II, VI, and IX).
Persius	...	Satires.
Lucretius	...	Books I, V, and VI.
Catullus	...	1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 12, 22, 30, 31, 46, 49, 51, 63, 64, 65, 66.
Plautus	...	Aulularia; Trinummus.
Terence	...	Andria; Heauton Timoroumenos.
Livy	...	Books XXI—XXV.
Sallust	...	Bellum Catilinarium; Bellum Jugurthinum.
Cicero	...	Second Philippic; De Natura Deorum.
Tacitus	...	Histories.

Permanent Subjects.

Sayce	...	Introduction to the Science of Language.
Teuffel	...	History of Latin Literature.

Also passages from authors not prescribed beforehand to be translated into English.

HEBREW.

Isaiah.	Psalms.	Song of Solomon.
Jeremiah.	Proverbs.	Daniel.
Ezekiel.	Job.	Ezra.
The Minor Prophets.	Ecclesiastes.	Nehemiah.

Permanent Subjects.

Robertson Smith	...	Old Testament in the Jewish Church.
Davidson	...	Introduction to the Old Testament.
Ewald	...	History and Antiquities of Israel.
Sayce	...	Introduction to the Science of Language.

SANSKRIT.

GROUP A.

Śríharsha	...	Naisadhacharita, Cantos I—III.
Kálidása	...	Vikramorvasí.
Mágh	...	Sisupálabadh, Cantos XIII and XIV.
Bhababhúti	...	Mahávíracharita.
Súdraka	...	Mrichchhakatika.
Visákhadatta	...	Mudrá-Rákshasa.
Bánabhatta	...	Kádambari, Purvabhága.
Vyása and Sánkara	...	Vedánta-Sútra and Bháshya, first four Sútras of the 1st Adhyáya, and 1st and 2nd Pádas of the 2nd Adhyáya.
Gautama and Viswanátha	...	Nyáya Sútra and Vritti, Chapters I—IV.
Váchaspati Misra	...	Tattva-Kaumudi.
Upanishad	...	Katha, with Sankara Bháshya.
Rigveda	...	Hymns from the Rigveda Sanhitá, as edited by P. Peterson.
Vyása	...	Bhagavadgítá.
Pánini	...	Vaidika Prakriyá, Káraka and Samása, as contained in Sidhánta-Kaumudi.
Manu	...	Manu—1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 12.
Mammata Bhatta	...	Kávya-Prakása.
Vararuchi	...	Prakriyáprakása (edited by Cowell).

Permanent Subjects.

Max Müller	...	Science of Language, Vols. I and II.
Muir	...	Sanskrit Texts, Vol. V.

Students may take up the Inscriptions of Asoka instead of one of the following :—

(*a*) Nyáya-Sútra and Vritti (limited as above).
(*b*) Tattva-Kaumudi and Vedánta-Sútra (limited as above).

GROUP B.

I.	Gautama and Viswanátha	...	Sútra with Vritti.
	Kanada and Sankara	...	Sútra and Upaskára.
II.	Kapila and Aniruddha	...	Sútra and Vritti.
	Patanjali and Bhoja	...	Sútra and Vritti.

III.—Jaimini and Savara ... Sútra and Bháshya—Adhyayas 1, 2 and 3.
IV.—Vyása and Sankara .. Sútra with Bháshya—Adhyaya 1.
V.—Vyása and Sankara—Adhyaya II.
VI.—Essay and Comparative Grammar.

N.B.—Students may take up Indian Paleográphy and Epigraphy instead of any one of the subjects of the first five papers.

Permanent Subjects.

Max Müller ... ... Science of Language, Vol. I—Lectures II and VI. Vol. II—Lectures IV, V, VI and VII.
Colebrooke ... ... Philosophy of the Hindus as given in the first volume of the works.
Max Müller ... ... Six Systems of Philosophy.

GROUP C.

I. { Gautama and Viswanátha ... Sútra and Vritti.
{ Kanada and Sankara ... Sútra and Upaskára.
II.—Viswanátha .. ... Bhashaparicheda with Siddhanta Muktavali.
III. { Udayana and Haridasa ... Kusumanjali with Haridasa's tika.
{ Gangeśa and Jayadeva Iswaranumana with Aloka.
IV.—Gangeśa and Mathuranatha Anumiti Siddhintalakshan of Pakshata and Parámarsa.
V.—Gangeśa and Mathuranatha Avayava and Hetwabhaśa.
VI.—Essay and Comparative Grammar.

N.B.—Students may take up Indian Paleography and Epigraphy for the subjects of any one of the first five papers.

Permanent Subjects.

Max Muller's Science of Language as limited in group B.
Mill's Logic, Book III of Induction, Chapters 1 to 5 and 8.

GROUP D.

I.—Vyása and Sankara ... Sútra and Bhásya, Adhyayas I and II—1, 2.
II.—Vyása and Sankara ... Adhyayas II—3, 4; III and IV.
III.—Vyása and Sankara ... Gita with Bháshya.
IV.—Appaya Dikshita Siddhantalesa ... ... Dharmarajadhvarindra. Vedantaparibhasha and Vedantasara by Sarvananda.
V.—Upanishads—Chhandogya and Vrihadaranyaka with Sankara Bháshya.
VI.—Essay and Comparative Grammar.

N.B.—Students may take up Indian Paleography and Epigraphy for the subjects of any one of the first five papers.

Permanent Subjects.

Max Müller's Science of Language (limited as above).
Deussen—Elements of Metaphysics.

GROUP E.

I.—Rigveda ... ... Astaka I, with Sayana's Introduction and Commentary and Aitareya Brahma Kanda I.
II.—Samaveda, Adhyaya I, with Sayana's Introduction and Commentary and Atharva Vedá Vratya Kanda with Sayana's Commentary.
III.—Yajurveda Vajasaneya Sanhita ... ... Adhyayas 1 to 8 with Mahidhara's Commentary and Satapatha Brahmana Kanda I, with Sayana's Commentary.
IV.—Upanishads—Chhandogya and Vrihadaranyaka with Sankara's Commentary.
V.—Nirukta and Vaidikprakriya as in Siddhanta Kaumudi.
VI.—Essay and Comparative Grammar.

N.B.—Students may take up *Gupta and Kutilalipi* instead of any one of the following:—

(*a*) Chhandogya Upanishad with commentaries.
(*b*) Vrihadaranyaka Upanishad with commentaries.

Permanent Subjects.

Max Muller's Science of Language.
Sir William Muir, Vol. V.
Weber's History of Sanskrit Literature so far as it is concerned with the Vedas.

PALI.

Digha Nikāya, Vol. I.
Anguttara Nikāya, Vol. II.
Thera-theri-gāthā.
Milinda—Pañhā.
Kaccāyana's Pali Grammar.
Attha—Sālinī, pages 55-152.
Rhys David's Buddhist India and American Lectures.
Hopkins's "Religions of India," Chapters IX—XIV.

Questions will be set on the history and epigraphy of India during the Buddhist period and on the history of Buddhism and Buddhist literature.

ARABIC.

Prose.

Muquddamát-i-Ibn Khaldún		Chapter VI of Book I to the end of section 22.
Maqamát-i-Hariri	...	15 Maqamahs from the 11th.

Poetry.

Hamasah	... ...	From the beginning of Bâb-ul-marâsi to the end of Bâb-ul-Azyafi-wal-madîh.
Diwan-i-mūtanabbi	...	Pages 155 to 304 (Hooghly Edition, 1841).
Sab'h-i-muallaqah	...	The whole.

Two unseen passages shall be set at the Examination—one in prose and the other in poetry. The prose passage shall form part of Paper V, and the poetry passage shall form part of Paper II. Such passages shall not exceed in difficulty the general standard of the text-books prescribed for the Examination.

PERSIAN.

Prose.

Shams-uddin Faqir	...	Hadaiq-ul-Balaghat.
Saifi ...	...	Uruz.
Akhlaq-i-Jalâli	...	From the beginning to the end of Lama'h VI of Lami I (pages 1—98), and Lami II (pages 191—228), Newal Kishore's edition.
Inshai Abu'l Fazl	...	First Daftar.

Poetry.

Khâqâni ...	...	Qasaid, pages 1-200, Newal Kishore's edition.
Hakim Senâi ...	...	Hadiqah, Chapters 1 and II.
Habib Qâáni ...	...	Qasaid, pages 1-73 (Bombay edition), to the end of the ode in praise of Prince Hasan Ali Mirza.

Candidates are also required to possess a sufficient knowledge of Arabic to enable them to acquire a thorough knowledge of the Persian language.

Two unseen passages shall be set at the Examination—one in prose and the other in poetry. The prose passage shall form part of Paper V, and the poetry passage shall form part of Paper II. Such passages shall not exceed in difficulty the general standard of the text-books prescribed for the Examination.

HISTORY.

(*a*)	Green ...	...	History of the English People.
	Miss Martineau	...	History of the Thirty Years' Peace, Vols. I and II (to Book V, ch. 9).
	Mill ...	...	History of British India, edited by Wilson; Vols. III, IV, V (Books IV, V, VI, to the end of Ch. 6).
(*b*)	Stubbs ...	...	Constitutional History of England.
	Hallam ...	...	Ditto ditto.
	Erskine May ...	...	Ditto ditto.

(*c*) As a period—The History of India from 1772—1793:—

Forrest ...	...	Selections from State Papers preserved in the Foreign Department, 1772—1785, 3 vols.
Burke ...	...	Speeches on the Impeachment of Warren Hastings.
Seid Gholam Hossain Khan		Seir Mutaqherin, sections XII—XVIII (from page 39 of Vol. III to page 119 of Vol. IV of the Calcutta Reprint of the English Translation published by Cambray & Co.).

Fifth Report from the Select Committee on the affairs of the East India Company, 1812—Bengal Presidency, the Report and Appendices 1-5 (pages 1-635 of Vol. I of the Madras Reprint published by Higginbotham & Co.).

Grant Duff	...	... History of the Maharattas, Vol. I, Chapter 24 to end, and Vol. II, Chapters 1—12 of the Bombay Reprint published at the "Times of India" office.
Lt.-Col. Wilks		... Historical Sketch of the South of India, Chapters XIX—XLII (as in Vols. I and II of the Madras Reprint, published by Higginbotham & Co.)
(*d*) Bluntschli	...	... The Theory of the State, English Translation (Clarendon Press Series).
Wheaton	...	... International Law, Parts I and II.
Strachey	...	... India, its Administration and Progress, 3rd edition.
(*e*) Adam Smith	...	... Wealth of Nations.
Mill	...	... Political Economy.
Pierson	...	... Principles of Economics.

PREMCHAND-ROYCHAND STUDENTSHIP EXAMINATION, 1904.

MATHEMATICS.

Candidates for the Premchand-Roychand Studentship Examination in 1904, who take up Pure Mathematics, will be examined in the following subjects:—

(*a*) Algebra.
(*b*) Trigonometry, Plane and Spherical.
(*c*) Theory of Equations.
(*d*) Analytical Plane Geometry, including the Higher Plane Curves.
(*e*) Analytical Solid Geometry.
(*f*) Differential Calculus.
(*g*) Integral Calculus, including the elements of the Calculus of Variations.
(*h*) Differential Equations.

The following books are recommended:—

Chrystal	...	... Algebra, Part II, Chapters XXIII—XXVIII, XXXII, XXXV.
Hobson	...	... Plane Trigonometry.
Casey	...	... Spherical Trigonometry.
Burnside and Panton		... Theory of Equations (4th Edition).
Salmon	...	... Conic Sections.
Salmon	...	... Higher Plane Curves, Chapters I—V, omitting Section V.
Salmon	...	... Geometry of three Dimensions (omitting the last three Chapters).
Scott	...	... Modern Analytical Geometry.
Williamson	...	... Differential Calculus (9th Edition).
Williamson	...	... Integral Calculus (7th Edition).
Forsyth	...	... Differential Equations.

Candidates for the Premchand-Roychand Studentship Examination in 1904, who take up Mixed Mathematics, will be examined in the following subjects:—

(*a*) Analytical Statics.
(*b*) Dynamics of a Particle.
(*c*) Rigid Dynamics.
(*d*) Hydro-mechanics, including the elements of the Theory of Sound.
(*e*) Astronomy.
(*f*) Newton's Principia, Sections I, II, III, IX, XI.

The following books are recommended:—

Minchin	...	... Statics (4th Edition), omitting Chapter XIV.
Routh	...	... Analytical Statics, Volumes I—II.
Routh	...	... Dynamics of a Particle.
Routh	...	... Rigid Dynamics, Part I.
Besant	...	... Hydro-mechanics, Part I (Hydrostatics).
Greenhill	...	... Hydrostatics.
Bassett	...	... Elementary Treatise on Hydrodynamics and Sound.
Godfray	...	... Astronomy.
Newton	...	... Principia, Sections I, II, III, IX, XI.

PHYSICS.

The following books are recommended for candidates who take up Electricity, Magnetism and Sound at the Premchand-Roychand Studentship Examination in 1904:—

Maxwell	Electricity and Magnetism.
Maxwell	Scientific Papers, Volume I (Papers Nos. 8 and 23).
Mascart and Joubert ...	Electricity and Magnetism.
Hertz	Electric Waves
Faraday	Experimental Researches in Electricity.
Gordon	Electricity and Magnetism.
Tyndall	Researches on Diamagnetism.
Rayleigh	Theory of Sound.
Donkin	Acoustics.
Helmholtz	Sensation of Tone.
Stewart and Gee ...	Practical Physics.
Glazebrook and Shaw ...	Practical Physics.
Poynting and Thompson ...	A Text-book of Physics—Sound.
Thompson	Discharge of Electricity through Gases.

The following books are recommended for candidates who take up Heat, Molecular Physics and Physical Optics at the Premchand-Roychand Studentship Examination in 1904:—

Fourier	Analytical Theory of Heat.
Preston	Theory of Heat.
Maxwell	Theory of Heat.
Maxwell	Scientific Papers, Volume II (Papers Nos. 62, 73, 83).
Watson	Kinetic Theory of Gases.
Tyndall	Contributions to Molecular Physics.
Airy	Undulatory Theory of Optics.
Preston	Theory of Light.
Bassett	Physical Optics.
Roscoe	Spectrum Analysis.
Glazebrook and Shaw ...	Practical Physics.

INORGANIC CHEMISTRY AND CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY AND ORGANIC CHEMISTRY.

Inorganic Chemistry shall include—

(*a*) History of Chemistry.
(*b*) Principles of Chemistry and Chemical Physics.
(*c*) Chemistry of non-metals and metals and their compounds.

Chemical Technology shall include a general knowledge of the more important manufacturing and Metallurgical processes.

Organic Chemistry shall include—

Chemistry of the Hydrocarbons of fatty and aromatic series and their derivatives.
Chemistry of Sugars, with special reference to Chemistry of Fermentation and Stereo-Chemistry.

NOTE—Questions to be fairly distributed among the various heads of definitions.

The following books are recommended for candidates who take up Inorganic Chemistry and Chemical Technology and Organic Chemistry at the Premchand Roychand Studentship Examination in 1904:—

E. Meyer	History of Chemistry, translated by McGowan.
Wurtz	History of Chemical Theory, translated by Watt.
Thorpe	Essays in Historical Chemistry.
Roscoe and Haiden ...	A New View of Origin and Dalton's Atomic Theory.
Schorlemer	Rise and Development of Organic Chemistry.
Ostwald	Outlines of General Chemistry, translated by Walker.
L. Meyer	Modern Theories of Chemistry.
Ostwald	Solutions
Vant Hoff	Chemistry in Space, translated by Marsh.
P. Muir	Elements of Thermal Chemistry.
Ostwald	Scientific Foundation of Analytical Chemistry.
Roscoe and Schuster ...	Spectrum Analysis.
Mendeleeff	Principles of Chemistry, translated by Greenaway.
Ostwald	Principles of Inorganic Chemistry, translated by McGowan.
Menschatkin	Analytical Chemistry, translated by Locke.
Roscoe and Schorlemmer ...	Treatise on Chemistry, Vol. III (Parts bearing on Organic Chemistry as above defined).
Wagner	Chemical Technology, edited by Crooke.
Richter	Organic Chemistry.

BOTANY, PHYSIOLOGY, ZOOLOGY, GEOLOGY AND MINERALOGY.

No limits are prescribed in the above subjects.

HISTORY, POLITICAL ECONOMY, AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY.

The subject for History at the Premchand and Roychand Studentship Examination in 1905 shall be *either* the Hindu *or* the Mahomedan Period of Indian History. Two papers shall be set on each alternative.

The examination in Political Economy and Political Philosophy shall be in a standard higher than that prescribed for the M.A. Examination, and shall include a knowledge of the historical development of these sciences. Two papers shall be set on these subjects.

The following books are recommended.

HISTORY.

(*a*) *Hindu Period*, two papers:—

1. Mahabharata—Santi Parva—on the duties of a king and on the art of war Sections 56-157 (pages 168-515 of Pratapchandra Roy's English translation).
2. Manusamhita—Translation by Bühler, in Sacred Books of the East.
3. Muir's Sanskrit Texts—Vol. I; Vol. II; Chs. 1 and 3 only: Vol. V, Sections 22 and 23 only.
4. Weber's Indian Literature—the Vedas and Vedic Literature only.
5. Duff's Chronology of India.
6. The Indian Antiquary—on the Asoka Inscriptions—articles in Vols. IX, X, XVII, XVIII, XIX, XX and XXI.
7. Corpus Inscriptionum Indicarum—Vols. I and III, the English portions only.
8. Epigraphia Indica—Vol. II, portions relating to Asoka only.
9. Cunningham's Geography of India.
10. *Greek writers* on India—Ktesias, Megasthenes, Arrian, the Periplus of the Erythraean Sea, Nearchus, and Ptolemy—all translated by McCrindle.
11. *Chinese writers* on India— { Fa Hian, translated by Legge. / Hiouen Tsang, translated by Beal.
12. *Mahomedan writers* on the Hindu Period—Alberuni's India, omitting the Mathematical details.
13. Vincent Smith's Ancient History of India from the monuments.
14. Bhandarkar's Early History of the Deccan.
15. Tod's Rajasthan—Vol I (pages 1-174 only, of the Madras Reprint) "History of the Rajpoot Tribes" and "The Feudal System in Rajasthan."

(*b*) *Mahomedan Period*, two papers:—

1. Elliot's History of India, 8 Vols.
2. Bayley's Guserat.
3. Briggs's Ferishta, 4 Vols.
4. Thomas's Chronicles of the Pathan Kings.
5. Tabakat-i-Nasiri, translated by Raverty, 2 Vols.
6. Muntakhab-ut-Tawarikh, translated by Ranking, 2 Vols.
7. Ain-i-Akbari, translated by Blochmann and Jarrett, 3 Vols.
8. Akbar-Nama, translated by Beveridge (1 Vol. out only).
9. Timur's Institutes, translated by Davy.
10. Baber's Memoirs translated by Erskine.
11. Stewart's History of Bengal.

POLITICAL ECONOMY AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY.

(*c*) *Political Economy* (one paper):—

1. Adam Smith—Wealth of Nations.
2. Mill—Political Economy.
3. Pierson—Principles of Economics.
4. Ricardo's Political Economy.
5. Jevons's Theory of Political Economy (omitting the mathematical portions).
6. Marshall's Principles of Economics.

7. Ingram's History of Political Economy.
8. Dictionary of Political Economy by Palgrave:—Select Articles on the following subjects:—

(*a*) The English, French, and German Schools.
(*b*) The Doctrines of the leading Economists of these Schools wherever further stated under their names.
(*c*) The more important Articles on Economic Facts and Theories.

(*d*) *Political Philosophy* (one paper):—

1. Plato's Republic, translated by Jowett or by Davies and Vaughan.
2. Aristotle's Politics, translated by Welldon or Walford.
3. Bluntschli's Theory of the State, English Translation (Clarendon Press Series).
4. Wheaton's International Law.
5. Strachey's India: its Administration and Progress, 3rd edition.
6. Maine's Early Institutions.
7. Lewis's Government of Dependencies.
8. Lee-Warner's Protected Princes of India.
9. Ilbert's Government of India.

EXAMINATION FOR HONOURS IN LAW, 1905.

3. The following books are recommended:—

(1) HINDU LAW OR MUHAMMADAN LAW.

Hindu Law.

Manu ...	... Institutes, Chapters 1, 3, 7, 8, and 9.	
Yajnavalkya ...	... Institutes, Book II, on Vyavahára or Positive Law.	
Vijnánesvara ...	... Mitákshara ...	The portion relating to inheritance.
Devánanda Bhatta	... Smriti-Chandriká ...	
Váchaspati Misra	... Viváda-Chintámani ...	
Nilakantha ...	... Vyavahára Mayúkha ...	
Mitra Misra ...	... Víramitrodaya ...	
Jimútaváhana ...	... Dáyabhága.	
Nanda Pandita	... Dáttaka-Mímánsá.	
Raghumani or Kuvera	... Dáttaka-Chandriká.	
G. D. Banerjee	... Marriage and Stridhana.	
G. C. Sarkar ...	... Law of Adoption.	
Mayne ...	... Hindu Law and Usage.	

Muhammadan Law.

Serajuddin ...	... Al Sirajiya.
Baillie ...	... Digest of Muhammadan Law, Sunni and Shia.
Ameer Ali ...	... Muhammadan Law, Vols. I and II.
Wilson ...	... Digest of Anglo-Muhammadan Law.

(2) JURISPRUDENCE AND PRINCIPLES OF LEGISLATION.

Austin ...	... Jurisprudence.
Holland ...	... Jurisprudence.
Mayne ...	... Ancient Law, Village Communities, Early History of Institutions, Early Law and Customs.
Holmes ...	... Common Law.
Bentham ...	... Theory of Legislation.

(3) ROMAN LAW.

Justinian ...	... Institutes (translated by Sanders).
Gaius ...	... Institutes (translated by Poste).

(4) PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW.

Dicey ...	... Conflict of Laws.

(5) and (6) *Two* of the following subjects:—

Principles of Equity.

Story ...	... Equity Jurisprudence.
Lewin ...	... Law of Trusts.
Agnew ...	... Law of Trusts (Tagore Lectures, 1881).
White and Tudor	... Leading Cases in Equity (7th Edition), omitting cases in the following subjects:—

Conversion, Donatio Mortis Causa, Election, Equitable Estoppel, Husband and Wife, Jurisdiction, Legacies, Satisfaction, Trustees, Waste.

LAW RELATING TO TRANSFER OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY AND LAW OF PRESCRIPTION.

Dart	...	Law of Vendors and Purchasers.
Clarke and Humphrey	...	Sale of Land.
Rashbehary Ghose	...	Law of Mortgage.
Goddard ...	...	Law of Easement.
		The Transfer of Property Act.
		The Indian Easement Act.

LAW RELATING TO WILLS.

Underhill and Strahan	...	On the interpretation of Wills and Settlements.
Theobald ...	...	Law of Wills.
Walker and Elgood	...	Law of Executors and Administrators.
Henderson ...	...	Law of Wills (Tagore Lectures, 1887).
		The Indian Succession Act.
		The Hindu Wills Act
		The Probate and Administration Act.

LAW OF CONTRACTS AND TORTS.

Pollock ...	...	Principles of Contract, Law of Torts.
Fry ...	...	Specific Performance.
Finch ...	...	Cases on the Law of Contract.
Ball ...	...	Leading Cases on Torts.
		The Indian Contract Act.
		The Specific Relief Act.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 14th September 1903.

K. C. BANURJI,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that for the ensuing half-yearly departmental examination of Junior Civilians, Deputy Magistrates and others, to be held at 11 A M. on the 16th November 1903 and the two following days, a Local Examination Committee will be convened at the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at No. 3 Charnock Place, Calcutta, for officers employed in the districts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

KRISHNAKALI MUKHARJI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., *the 8th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN connection with the second half-yearly departmental examination in 1903 of Assistant Magistrates and others to be held on Monday, the 16th November 1903, and the two following days, it is hereby notified that there will be a local centre at Dacca for officers employed in the districts of the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions.

The examination will be held in the Commissioner's Court-room, and will begin at 11 A.M. and 2 P.M. each day.

GUNGA N. ROY, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 7th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that the five second grade junior scholarships allotted to the Burdwan Division will be awarded in accordance with the results of the next Entrance Examination to the best boys irrespective of the districts they belong to, and that the eleven third grade junior scholarships assigned for the said Division will be apportioned on the results of the same examination among the districts of this Division as stated below :—

Burdwan	... 2	Midnapore	... 3
Birbhum	... 1	Hooghly	... 2
Bankura	... 2	Howrah	... 1

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 12th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN reference to the List of Candidates to whom Primary Scholarships have been awarded, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 8th April 1903, it is hereby notified that the 20th Scholarship has been awarded to Margaret Isabel Toogood, aged 11 years, from the Rockingham Girls' School, Darjeeling.

CALCUTTA,
The 9th September 1903.

WILLIAM W. HORNELL,
Offg. Inspr. of European Schools.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that on the result of the ensuing Entrance Examination being known, the four second grade scholarships allotted to the Rajshahi Division will be awarded to the best students in the Division irrespective of districts, and the eight third grade scholarships will be distributed as follows:—

Rajshahi	...	...	2
Dinajpur	...	...	1
Jalpaiguri	...	...	1
Darjeeling	...	...	1
Rangpur	...	...	1
Bogra	...	...	1
Pabna	...	...	1
		Total	8

Besides the above, there are two special scholarships—one of the second grade and the other of the third grade—open to competition among the students of all High English Schools in the district of Rangpur.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commr. of Rajshahi.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVISION, DARJEELING, *the 3rd September 1903.*

Office Memorandum by the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1904.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. *Private students* are those who do not appear from any school or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector. The term "private students" includes *schoolmasters*.

2 Private students must appear at the test examination of one of the following institutions:—

Those from the	At the Test Examination of	Date of Test Examination.
1	2	3
1. Howrah district ...	Howrah Municipal School ...	4th January 1904.
2. Bankura „ ...	Bankura Zilla School ...	18th December 1903.
3. Birbhum „ ...	Birbhum ditto ...	14th „ „
4. Midnapore „ ...	Midnapore Collegiate School ...	4th January 1904.
5. Hooghly „ ...	Uttarpara Government School ...	2nd „ „
	Hooghly Branch School	14th December 1903.
6. Burdwan „ ..	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School (with the Principal's permission).	14th „ „

The examinations will begin as stated above, and each private student will pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the head of the institution at which he appears for examination. The balance, after payment of expenses (stationery, etc), will go as remuneration to the examiners. No private student will be admitted to the test examination unless accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to the Headmaster of the institution at which he appears.

3. Applications for permission to appear must be sent so as to reach *this office* not later than the 15th November, with the following information, etc.:—

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.

(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate from the same; or

(*c*) in the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.

(*d*) Age of the candidate.

(*e*) In the case of schoolmasters, a certificate of good conduct from the Secretary or Proprietor of the school in which the candidate is serving.

4. If this office is satisfied that all is in order, the Inspector will countersign and return the application, and this then will be the candidate's passport for admission *to the test examination.*

5. The Headmaster of an institution (one of those named above) should direct private students to appear before him not later than the 12th January with their applications for admission to the Entrance examination; and in the case of those candidates who have satisfied the test, he will cause them to sign their application forms in his presence, and will grant the necessary certificates, and then forward the applications to this office for countersignature, after which they will be sent by the Inspector *direct* to the candidates.

6. Expedition is necessary in carrying out all these instructions, and candidates should be *most careful* to give their names and addresses written legibly and distinctly, so that no mistake may be likely to occur.

7. *Under no circumstances should the entrance fee be sent to this office*, but it should be sent to the Registrar by the candidates themselves, together with the countersigned applications, which will be returned to the respective Headmasters for delivery to candidates.

8. Private students will understand that the test examination of any schools other than those named above will not be accepted by this office.

9. Addresses of private students should be supplied to this office.

10. The Entrance examination in 1904 will be held on the 7th March 1904 and following days. Applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 25th January 1904.

F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bonâ fide* masters of English schools who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or of six months after the examination of the same class last held by the University in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations.

2. Candidates for the F.A. and B A. examinations must produce certificates of character and length of service from the Secretaries of their respective schools, together with their *Entrance* or *F A.* certificates. Those candidates who have been admitted to a former examination must produce the Registrar's receipt in addition.

3. The printed form of application should be carefully filled up, and submitted to this office *on or before the 20th January 1904*, together with other papers as mentioned in rule 2, after which no applications will be received.

4. By *bonâ fide* masters of schools are to be understood masters who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools, teaching at least the M. E. course.

5. The F A. and B.A Examinations in 1904 will be held on the 21st March 1904 and following days. The applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 6th February 1904.

HOOGHLY,
The 3rd September 1903.

RADHA NATH ROY
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Addenda and corrigenda to the publication containing the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to 31st December 1902).

No. 3.

IN rule 2 of the rules that issued under Notification No. 3959B., dated the 29th April 1903, regarding the payment of refunds of duty on salt bonded in Inland Bonded Ware-

houses, published in Part I, pages 551-555 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th May 1903 and incorporated in pages 67-68 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 31st December 1902), *for* the words "Rule 25 of the rules published at page 1329, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th December 1900," *substitute* the words "Rule 33 of the rules published under Government Notification No. 1390T—F., dated the 6th July 1903, in Part I, pages 922-932 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th July 1903," and *strike out* the foot-note on page 68.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

No. 8791B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 12th October 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Total	...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 17th and 27th October 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 17th October 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 27th October 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Monday, 2nd November 1903 ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	4,000	4,000	8,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

E. H. WAISH, for *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 31st August 1903.*

Statement showing the quantity of Salt (Private Property) in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the River Hooghly on the 31st day of August 1903, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 31st August 1903.

Description of salt.	In Bonded Warehouses in Calcutta.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	Transactions during half-month from the 16th to the 31st August 1903, inclusive.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the Port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	.. ..	7,21,788	7,57,889	14,79,677	72,869	15,52,546	1,45,571	2,37,922	40,105	1,22,680
Other European countries—										
Hamburg salt ..	.....	2,08 035	75,460	2,83,495	..	2,83,495	37,350	34,309	17,950	10,650
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	.....	93,503	.....	93,503	.....	93,503	71,119	3,523	...	52,627
Salif salt . ..	.....	51,948	... ..	51,948	...	51,948	51,417	..	. ...	40,147
Salif rock salt	... ..	20 209	... .	20,209	... .	20,209	2,330	. .	..	1,630
Hawayah salt . .	. .	2,19 912	8,335	2,27,547	.....	2,27,547	24,360	.	4,500	17,900
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Rock salt.	.....	2,620	.....	2,620	... ..	2,620	500	... .	... ..	1,000
British India—										
Bombay salt	... ..	13,670	... ..	13,670		13,670	19,410*	...	... .	18,120
Coconada salt				..	.....	. .	6,000	6,000	....	. ..
Total ..	....	13,30,985	8,41,684	21,72,669	72,869	22,45,538	3,52,050	2,81,844	62,555	2,64,980

* This quantity includes 18,396 maunds 20 seers Bombay kaikach salt on which the duty was paid at Bombay.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

L. F. MORSHEAD, *Offg. Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 8th September 1903.*

CUSTOM HOUSE NOTICE.

DURGA AND LAKSHMI PUJA HOLIDAYS.

ON the 26th instant and the 2nd, 3rd and 5th proximo the Custom House (including its treasury) will be open for work as usual.

2. On the 28th, 29th and 30th instant and the 1st, 6th and 7th proximo, the treasury will be closed, but the office will be open for the despatch of urgent business from 11-30 A.M. to 1-30 P.M.

L. F. MORSHEAD, *Collector of Customs.*

CUSTOM HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 11th September 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, at the seventh general election held on the 29th August 1903:—

Ward No. I, Kantalpara ...	Babu Trailokya Nath Pal. „ Suresh Chandra Dutta.
„ „ II, Naihati ...	Babu Baroda Kanto Mitra. „ Jogendra Nath Banerjee.
„ „ III, Garifa ...	Babu Bepin Behari Mozumdar. „ Hari Prosad Ghosal.

KRISHNAKALI MUKHARJI, *Offg. Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the seventh general election of the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, the undermentioned persons have been duly elected as Commissioners of the said Municipality:—

Ward A.

Babu Haran Chandra Gupta.
„ Chooraman Munder.

Ward B.

Babu Suraj Mall.
„ Ram Sahay Ray.

Ward C.

Babu Mannu Lal.
„ Sagar Mall.

Ward D.

Babu Boonead Munder.
„ Punit Lal Munder.

Ward E.

Babu Nilmoney Bromochari.
„ Jethoo Munder.

Ward F.

Election failed.

O. R. MARRIOTT, *Offg. Commissioner.*

BHAGALPUR, *the 10th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under rule 21 (*b*) of the rules for the management of Charitable Dispensaries and Hospitals, that the District Board of Dacca, at their meeting held on the 28th July 1903, appointed the following gentlemen to be members of the Mulchar Charitable Dispensary:—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Munshiganj, Chairman ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Civil Surgeon of Dacca ... ... }
3. Babu Durga Charan Ghosh.
4. „ Saroda Charan Mukherjee.
5. Rai Akshoy Kumar Sen Bahadur, Vice-Chairman.
6. Babu Dinobandhu Sen.
7. „ Ananta Kumar Sen, Secretary.
8. Rai Abhoy Charan Mitter Bahadur.

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 7th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, under Rule 21 of the Dispensary Manual, that the Revd. E. S. Summers and Dr. B. L. Bose have been appointed members of the Managing Committee of the Serampore Dispensary, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* the Revd. Bhagabati Charan Ghose and Babu Upendra Nath Moitra, resigned.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR 'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, under Rule 21 of the Dispensary Manual, that Babu Nasiram Banerjee has been appointed as a member of the Managing Committee of the Mahesh-Rishra Dispensary, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Kisori Lal Banerjee, resigned.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Commissioner on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 9th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE Subdivisional Officer, Sitamarhi, and Mr. D. J. Reid, Manager of Belsund Factory, are appointed to be members of the Rani Syedpur Dispensary Committee (formerly called Janarh Dispensary Committee), in the district of Muzaffarpur, *vice* Mr. Jeffries and Mr. Macdonald, transferred.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 9th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that the following gentlemen have been appointed additional members of the Committee for the management of the Sitlai Dispensary, in the district of Pabna :-

Babu Girish Chandra Rai	Babu Manik Chandra Mazumdar.
„ Umesh Chandra Sanial.	„ Baikuntha Nath Sanial.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Commissioner, Rajshahi Division.*

DARJEELING, *the 9th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following officers are appointed additional members of the Managing Committee for the Deoghur Charitable Dispensary in the district of the Sonthal Parganas :—

(1) Second Deputy Magistrate, Deoghur.
(2) General Manager of the Court of Wards' Estates (with head-quarters at Deoghur). } *Ex-officio.*

C. R. MARRIOTT, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 10th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of this office notification dated the 23rd November 1900, published at page 1319 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem, it is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the revised Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Sreedharpur Dispensary, in the district of Jessore :—

1.	Civil Surgeon, Jessore.	7.	Babu Indu Bhusan Bose.
2.	Subdivisional Officer, Narail.	8.	„ Jotindra Nath Bose.
3.	Babu Dejoraj Bose.	9.	„ Krishto Prasad Bose.
4	„ Narendra Nath Bose.	10.	„ Bhuban Mohan Bose
5.	„ Radha Charan Bose.	11.	„ Hari Charan Chakravertty.
6.	„ Bhola Nath Bose.	12.	„ Chandra Kanto Bhattacharjya.

KRISHNAKALI MUKHARJI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr. on tour*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, Babu Dina Nath Bhattacharji has been appointed a member of the Committee for the management of the Garrett Charitable Hospital and Dispensary at Nadia, in the district of Nadia, in the place of Babu Jagabandhu Banerjee, deceased.

KRISHNAKALI MUKHARJI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that under section 43 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Mohendra Chandra Gupta is appointed to be a member of the Union Committee of Laksam within the jurisdiction of the Sadar (Comilla) Local Board in the district of Tippera, *vice* Babu Purna Chandra Das, deceased.

C. J. S. FAULDER, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 10th September 1903.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 11th September 1903.

No. 1630.—In continuation of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department No. 817, dated the 23rd May 1902, publishing revised rules as to cases in which persons subject to military law shall be tried by a court to which the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, applies, or by a court-martial, and in exercise of the powers referred to therein, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that for the word "fifteen" in rules (2) and (3) of the said rules the word "five" shall be substituted.

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 11th September 1903.

No. 2147-E.C.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the provisional appointment of Mr. H. J. Sanders as Consul for Guatemala at Calcutta.

L. W. DANE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 11th September 1903.

No. 5616-P.—The services of Mr. W. S. Adie, Indian Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Home Department, with effect from the 5th of September 1903.

E. N. BAKER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 11th September 1903.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps (Naval Division).

No. 942.—Engineer John Henry Bews resigns his commission, with effect from the 10th August 1903.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 943.—Joseph O'Brien, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, with effect from the 1st August 1903, *vice* Panton, transferred to the supernumerary list.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2256T.M.—The 8th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Barasat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Bani Kanto Mukherji to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 2258T.M.—The 8th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. R. Koettlitz to be a Commissioner of the Kurseong Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Mr. C. R. Newton, deceased.

Darjeeling.

No. 2260T.M.—The 8th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Berhampore Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, of the Hon'ble Moharaja Manindra Chandra Nandy to be their Chairman.

Murshidabad.

No. 2264T.M.—The 8th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Syam Chand De Chaudhuri to be a Commissioner of the Ranaghat Municipality, in the district of Nadia.

Nadia.

No. 2266T.M.—The 8th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Daltongunge Municipality, in the district of Palamau:—

Palamau.

The Civil Medical Officer, Palamau ... ...
The Senior Deputy Magistrate at head-quarters ... } *Ex-officio.*
The District Engineer ... ...

Raja Bhagwat Dayal Sing.	Mirza Abdul Sattar.
Babu Bhuban Mohan Barat.	Munshi Naurangi Lal.
,, Mathura Prosad.	Babu Kali Pada Chatterji.

Palamau.

No. 2268T.M.—The 8th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Deputy Commissioner of Palamau to be the Chairman *ex-officio* of the Daltongunge Municipality, in the district of Palamau.

Dacca.

No 2278T.M.—The 9th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the rules framed under section 138 (*a*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to fix Tuesday, the 10th November 1903, as the date for holding an election under section 19 of the Act in thana Manikgunge, in the district of Dacca, for the purpose of filling the vacancy in the representation of that thana on the Local Board of Manikgunge caused by the death of Babu Harendra Kumar Sarkar.

Puri.

No. 2295T.M.—The 10th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 15 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the several Local Boards in the district of Puri:—

Local Boards.		Names of members.
Sadar	1.	The Deputy Inspector of Schools, *ex-officio*.
	2.	Babu Jagabundhu Patnayak.
	3.	„ Surendra Nath Mitter.
	4.	„ Mahendra Parsad Ghose.
	5.	„ Bidhu Bhusan Banerjee.
	6.	„ Bipin Behary Ganguli.
	7.	„ Jogendra Chandra Mitra.
	8.	„ Lokenath Bidyadhar Mahapatra.
Khurda	1	The Subdivisional Officer of Khurda, *ex-officio*.
	2.	Babu Harakrishna Mahanty.
	3.	„ Chandra Sikher Mukherjee.
	4.	„ Radhanath Mahanty.
	5.	„ Chaitan Patnayak.
	6.	„ Ganeswar Ray.
	7.	„ Satish Chandra Chakraverti.
	8.	„ Chintamani Patnayak.
	9.	„ Sridher Patnayak.
	10.	Munshi Chaudhury Aziz Mahamed.
	11.	Babu Narsingh Charan Bhramarabar Ray.
	12.	„ Lingaraj Dora.

Hooghly.

No. 2297T.M.—The 10th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 32 of the Rules framed under clause (*a*), section 138, of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to fix Monday, the 26th October 1903, as the date for holding an election under section 19 of the Act in thana Khanakul, in the district of Hooghly, for the purpose of filling the vacancies in the representation of that thana on the Local Board of Arambagh caused by the death of Babus Braja Nath Samanta and Gonesh Chandra Chatterjee.

Backergunge.

No. 2306T.M.—The 11th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Jnanendra Chandra Bose to be a Commissioner of the Pirojpur Municipality, in the district of Backergunge.

Backergunge.

No. 2308T.M.—The 11th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Purna Chandra Ghosh to be a Commissioner of the Nalchitti Municipality, in the district of Backergunge, *vice* Babu Ambica Charan Das Gupta, resigned.

Darbhanga

No. 2310 T.M.—The 11th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Darbhanga Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 9 (*b*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to revise the boundaries of the said Municipality so as to exclude from its limits the area covered by mahallas Maulagunge and Gangwara, and to include within them a strip of land situated in village Bahadurpur, lying within the following boundaries, unless good reasons are shown to

the contrary within six weeks from the date of publication of this notification within the Municipality :—

On the North.—The southern boundary of the Rai Saheb's tank; thence westward along the southern boundary of the said tank; thence the western boundary of the tank to the north west corner of the tank, and thence a line drawn from east to west to the Railway line.

On the South.—The Government drain.

On the East.—A line from north to south along the two pucca boundary pillars of that drain.

On the West.—The Railway line.

The areas which it is proposed to exclude from the municipal limits are bounded thus :—

Mahalla Maulagunge.

On the North.— } by village Basdeopur.
On the South — }

On the East.—Sunderpur Kach road

On the West.—Village Basdeopur.

Mahalla Gangwara.

On the North.—Muzaffarpur road.

On the South.—Pandaul road.

On the East.—Muzaffarpur and Pandula road.

On the West.—Mahalla Jamalpura.

The revised boundaries of the Municipality after the inclusion and exclusion respectively of the above areas will be as follows:—

On the north.—Mahallas Azamnagar, Bishunpur Taj, Alinagar, Mahesh patti and the Railway line

On the south.—Mahalla Khajeserai.

On the east.—The Railway line, mahalla Lachmi Sagar and the Railway line up to a point opposite to the north-west corner of the Rai Saheb's tank, and thence a line drawn from west to east to the north-west corner of the said tank; thence along the western and southern banks of the tank to a line between the two pucca boundary pillars of the Government drain, and thence along that drain westward up to the Railway line and again along the Railway line to Panda Sarai near the junction of the Panda Sarai road with the Railway line.

On the west.—Mahallas Panda Sarai, Laheria Sarai, Saidnagar, Balbhadarpur, Bakerganja, Sarai Sattar Khan, Maharajganj, Dum-Duma and Jamalpur; thence the right bank of the river Baghmatty to Mahdauli; thence the mahallas Mahdauli, Bajidpur, Ratnapatti and Subhankarpur, and thence the river Baghmatty to mahalla Azamnagar.

The mahallas mentioned above on the revised boundaries of the Municipality shall be considered as lying wholly within the Municipality.

Shahabad.

No. 2315 T.M.—The 12th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Buxar Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, having at a meeting requested the Local Government, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. F. M. Luce, I.C.S., to be their Chairman.

Howrah.

No. 2320 T.M.—The 12th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Ulubaria Municipality, in the district of Howrah, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of Part VI of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

ERRATUM.

No. 2262 T.M.—The 8th September 1903.—In Government Notification No. 1741T.M, dated 14th July 1903, published at page 144 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, sanctioning the imposition in Wards Nos. II, III and IV of the Deoghur Municipality of a rate on the annual value of holdings under section 85 (*b*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, as amended up to 1st November 1896 :—

Omit from lines 7 to 9 the words "in lieu of the tax on persons according to their circumstances and property at present in force in those wards," and *for* "section 35" in line 12 *read* "section 80."

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2490M.—The 15th September 1903.—In Government Notification No. 2071T.M., dated the 29th August 1903, published at page 195 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd September 1903, confirming a declaration by the Corporation of Calcutta under clause (1) (*c*) (*iv*) of section 367 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, *for* "Part Street" in the penultimate line of the declaration *read* "Park Street."

Calcutta.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2286T.M.—The 10th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the District Board of Champaran for a public purpose, viz., for a diversion of the Bhounra to Raxaul frontier road in the villages of Bhounra and Bhounri, pargana Majhawa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 22 bighas 12 chitaks of standard measurement, marked out by the District Engineer and situated within the aforesaid villages, is required.

Champaran.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Bettiah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION

No 2290T.M.—The 12th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a footpath from the dispensary to the *post-mortem* house at Sassaram, in the village of Chandawthoo, pargana Sassaram, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north by the dispensary land, on the south by the land of *post-mortem* house, on the east by the field of Narain Koiri and part of the fields of Bangali Koiri and Jaimangal Tewari and Sukhdeo Tewari, and on the west by part of the fields of Bangali Koiri and Jaimangal Tewari and Sukhdeo Tewari.

Shahabad.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector's office at Arrah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

This cancels Declaration No. 944Medl., dated the 26th February 1903, published at page 47, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1903.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 16, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at Berhampur for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
223	Pardesr taraf, pargana Rajpur.	Rs. A. P. 665 15 1	Whole ...	.....	Dharma Dass Mustafi and others of Shubharia, thana Baligar, district Hooghly.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 0 3 9	Rs. A. P. .....

Berhampur, the 5th August 1903.

A. C. MACKERTICH, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
249	Sribatshadas taluq, pargana Gunanandi.	Rs. A. P. 1,233 11 7	Whole ...	.....	Srish Chandra Banerjee and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 19 2 3	Rs. A. P. .....

Tippera Collectorate, the 4th August 1903.

N. C. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon, corresponding to 1st Asvin 1310 B S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1533	Taluk Krishna Prosad Guha, pargana Rajirgaondpur.	Rs. A. P. 3,960 15 8	Whole estate.	.....	Brojo Lal Rai Chowdhury and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 32 1 6½	Rs. A. P.
1720	Zamindari pargana Chandradvip 8a. 1g 2c 2k share, pargana Chandradvip	44,337 13 6	...	Separate account No. 6, share 14g 3c. 1kt 7t. 3ch.	Raj Kumar Rai Chowdhuri	3,827 7 10½	... ..	592 4 11½
1764	Zamindari, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur, 8a. 1g 2c 1kt share, pargana Dakhin Shahbazpur.	8,543 6 8	Whole estate	.	Ananda Chandra Rai	...	820 7 5½	... ..
1997	Taluk Fate Muhammad, pargana Khanja Bahadurnagar	738 3 9	Ditto .	.....	Kusum Kumari Debi Chowdhurani.	... .	98 7	... .
3843	Zamindari pargana Selimabad, 18g, pargana Selimabad	3,599 9 1½	Ditto ..	....	Nabin Chandra Sen Chowdhuri and others.	.....	282 11 11	... ..
3844	Ditto ...	3,599 9 1½	Ditto .	.... .	Sarada Prosad Sen Chowdhuri and others	... .	312 5 4	.....
4534	Char Barikal, pargana Zanira	3,441 11 3	Ditto .		Rahumunnessa Khatun and others.	.. .	2,641 11 3	...

Barisal, the 24th July 1903. D. WESTON, Offg Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 9 h November 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Cuttack will be put for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th day of November 1903 at 12 A M. for the said arrears —

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of the demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
26	Ta. Sunderpur, pargana Jajpur	Rs. A. P. 1 092 5 9	Whole ...	... ..	Sahadeb Rai and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 350 12 5	Rs. A. P.	Civil Court attachment.
65	Ta. Bhimkalpur, pargana ditto.	... .	... ..	12a. 10p 11kt. 14b.	Chandra Sekher Mahapatra	668 1 8	.....	56 4 3	Ditto.
3175	Ta. Madhusasan, pargana Hariharpur.	.....	..	12a. 2p. 14kt. 1b. 12g. 2c.	Jasoda Kuaur, mother and guardian of Ganesh Prasad Bhagat, minor.	1,474 13 5	.....	270 12 7	Ditto.

Cuttack Collectorate, the 31st August 1903. F. N. FISCHER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2035	Kristobati Chur, pargana Raipur.	Rs. A. P. 632 12 9	Entire ...		Rajendra Nath Rai, Receiver to the estate of Brindabon Chunder Thacoor.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 60 4 9	Rs. A. P.

Hooghly, the 8th August 1903. A. W. BOTHAM, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1903 at noon for arrears of revenue due for the kist ending 28th June 1903, and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
17	Chak Durga, pargana Ranihati.	9,939 2 11	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Syedani Aymana Bibi ...	....	1,298 1 4	.....

Burdwan Collectorate, the 14th August 1903. A. J. CHOTZNER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4	Senbhum, pargana Senbhum, thana Bolpur.	41,236 7 3	...	Residuary share, excepting separate accounts Nos. 1, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rajabalika Goswamini and others.	1,426 15 11	.....	34 7 7
17	Kagas, pargana Moureswar Sabek, thana Labpur.	17,182 13 0	.....	Separate account No. V ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Mukherjee and others.	4,645 4 0	.....	36 10 11
145	Bagdola, pargana Akbarshahi, thana Suri.	1,033 7 0	.....	Residuary share amounting to 12 annas' share, excepting separate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Gnanendra Chandra Mukherjee and others.	775 1 3	.....	17 9 6

Birbhum Collectorate, Suri, the 27th July 1903. A. AHMAD, Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the Collector's office of that district on 17th September 1903 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
14	Pargana Bandarkhole, His. dahammad Reja	1,670 14 10½	.	Residuary	Harendra Lal Rai Chowdhury	916 10 2¼	.	13 8 11¾
193	Pargana Rajnagar, His. Raj Krishna Sen Khajah Pitros Markal.	688 5 4¼	16 annas ..	.....	Rani Bilasmoni Debi and others.	.....	32 1 0¼	.....
8878	Pargana Nasti, kismat Aligunge	561 9 10	Ditto ...	.....	Kumar Sattya Sankar Ghosal and others.	.....	106 0 0	.....
9762	Pargana Bardakhal, char Delwarpur.	4,106 0 0	Ditto ...	.....	Krishna Chandra Saha Sarder and others.	.....	648 0 0	.....

Dacca Collectorate, the 5th August 1903. A. R. EDWARDS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs A. P.
154	Pargana Bajarpore, mahal Panchbasati.	650 10 8	Entire ..	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.		71 2 8 up to June 1903.	.....
276	Pargana tappa Balisita, mahal Bhitarbinode.	1,658 14 9	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra	1,105 15 3	.	121 0 1
277	Pargana tappa Balisita, mahal Bhitarbinode, 8 annas' share.	2,209 13 0	Entire .	... .	Ditto ditto ...	.....	264 5 1	
382	Pargana Bhuniamutha, mahal Khajurasi *alias* Kushaidighi	3,276 1 5	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ditto ditto ...	1,638 0 9	.... .	174 9 5
588	Pargana Dakhinmal, mahal Haripore.	6,769 1 5	... ..	S. A. No. II	Hari Priya Debi	3,384 5 9	.....	740 0 9
598	Pargana Danthamutha, mahal Danthamutha *alias* Brenda.	1,021 5 3	Entire ...	.....	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	.....	102 10 0	...
759	Pargana Egrachore, mahal Bhatda.	3,613 6 4	.. ...	Residuary share, excluding S. A Nos. 3, 4, 10 to 23.	Ditto ditto .	1,370 1 9	.....	109 14 6 up to June 1903.
803	Pargana Gagane swar, mahal Kanpore.	702 9 0	Entire ..	.....	Panchanan Mallik and others.	.....	6 2 6 up to June 1903.	..
921	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Chakdaha *alias* Radha ballav Chak	9,185 8 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 to 6.	Radhika Nath Banerjee ...	2,583 7 0, including police.	...	282 11 9, including police.
921	Ditto ditto ...	9,185 8 0	.....	S. A No. I	Ditto ditto ...	717 9 10, including police.	.....	78 5 0, including police
921	Ditto ditto ..	.....	.....	S. A. No. V	Ditto ditto ...	1,148 5 0, including police.	... ..	125 10 9
937	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Garr Purushutumpore *alias* Chaitanyapore	738 10 8	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Ganga Naran Maity and others.	590 14 8	.....	37 7 3
944	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Gumookpota.	3,185 0 0	.....	S. A. No. I	Manimohan Ray ...	1,592 8 0, including police.	.....	174 6 6, including police.
972	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Kesore Chak	1,450 14 1	Entire ...	.....	Devendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	.....	141 9 0	. ...
1051	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Kesapat.	800 6 2	Do. ...	.....	Dwarika Nath Sen ...	.....	55 3 2	.. ...
1066	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Palsyutter.	2,039 1 2	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 to 4	Amar Nath Ghose and others.	583 5 2, including police.	... ..	59 5 2, including police.
1113	Pargana Kurulchore, mahal Paxima.	740 5 4	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	636 7 1	.....	17 5 4
1467	Pargana Khandar, mahal Banagerya *alias* Saharda.	2,097 5 6	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 4, 5, 6, 8 to 16.	Bisseswa Banerjee, Receiver of estate, Janmajoy Mallik and others.	975 12 4	... .	16 5 4
1731	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Ankhapurba.	1,001 7 2	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ganga Naran Maity ...	500 11 7	.....	53 4 6
1815	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Putputya	2,715 2 9	Entire ...		Indra Naran Maity and others.	.....	297 0 0	.. .
1884	Pargana Majnamutha, mahal Nankarbazapti.	2,130 9 0	... ..	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7.	Abinash Chandra Deb ...	746 13 2	.....	163 5 1
1884	Ditto ditto .	.....	. . .	S. A. No. I	Ditto ...	703 12 5	.....	154 0 0
2031	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Nunkargakulpore.	3,366 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Gopendra Nandan Das Mohapatra	..	368 6 7	.....
2247	Pargana Sabong, mahal Mohar.	1,845 9 0	Do. ...	... ..	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	.....	156 9 0	...
2309	Pargana Sabong, mahal Rambhadrapore.	736 0 0	....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	562 0 0	.....	60 11 10
2474	Pargana Sahapore, mahal Narenbati.	536 0 5, including police.	Entire ...		Mathuralal Bhakat and others.	.....	29 12 0, including police.	...
				Part II.—Temporarily-settled estates.				
2717	Pargana Jalamutha, mahal Kooramal Erench, Bisnan, Baindabasar jaipal.	3,360 14 2	Entire ...	.....	Sreemati Hari Priya Debi	.....	367 9 5	.....
2734	Pargana Khallasbhograi, mahal Paharpore, jaipal Khaspatit	1,470 9 7	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	162 5 6	.....
2864	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mankalpore	2,491 0 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. II.	Upendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	2,016 2 6	.....	220 6 0
2886	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Manoraj.	1,037 0 0	Entire ...	... .	Radha Gobinda Das Mahapatra.	.....	69 0 8	

Midnapore, the 14th August 1903.

L. BIRLEY, Covtd. Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 19th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Names of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
22	Ramjangal, pargana Mondolghat.	Rs. A. P. 19,343 4 9	.....	Residuary share consisting of 7 annas 5 gandas share of the estate.	Rajendro Narain Ghose and others.	Rs. A. P. 5,760 9 8	....	Rs. A. P. 6,044 4 10

The 14th August 1903.

L. E. B. COBDEN-RAMSAY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 14, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
47	Pargana Amarshi, mahal Palpara.	Rs. A. P. 800 0 2	Entire, i.e., residuary, and S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.	.....	Ram Charan Dey and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 69 14 6*	Up to Mar. 1903.
1840	Pargana Moynachora, mahal Sridharpore.	929 14 2	Entire, i.e., residuary, and S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.	.....	Abdul Ohed Khan and others.	.....	98 14 0†	

* Balance of separate account No. V.
† Ditto ditto No. IV.

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th October 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1903 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
478	Pargana Chandrakona, mahal Kuldaha	Rs. A. P. 10,764 7 2	Nil ...	S. A. No. I	Paran Chandra Ray and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,675 13 8	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 338 4 3	Rs. A. P. Land revenue— 338 4 2 Road cess— 37 10 0

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1903 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
431, share No. 2.	Dihi Gangail, pargana Chapila.	Rs. A. 755 4	Whole estate.	.....	Bhabani Charan Majumdar and others.	.....	Rs. A. 12 11	.....

Rajshahi Collectorate, Rampur Boalia, the 5th August 1903. A. GARRETT, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2524	Dhiraundh, pargana Jarra.	Rs. A. P. 892 13 0	The whole	. ..	Nawab Saiyad Mahammad Akbar Ali Khan *alias* Chottey Nawab and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 26 8 0	Rs. A. P. .....
2737	Simra Salempore Bazidpore nisf, pargana Kabar.	900 9 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. 1. Simra Salempore 12 2. Bazidpore nisf 12	Thakur Prasad Singh and others.	720 7 0	.....	73 0
4149	Bishunpore Vagaiyah, pargana Pachrukhi.	1,788 13 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. D. 1. Bishunpore ... 8 10 2. Gobindpore ... 8 10 3. Madhopore ... 12 5 4. Dhanpuri ... 12 5 5. Mahbara ... 16 0 6. Delwa Bagaria 16 0	Iswi Prosad and others.	1,317 3 0	.....	15 3 0
4548	Gurua taluqa, pargana Sherghati.	15,997 14 0	The whole		Sheikh Mosaheb Ali and others	.....	2,223 11 10	.....
4579	Jaipore Dumrawan, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	... ..	The residuary ijmali share, exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— A. 1. Jaipore Dumrawan 8 2. Akhari Khap ... 8 3. Pindra .. ... 8 4. Zari Khap ... ... 8 5. Doudpore *alias* Punoul. 8 6. Deoghar Khap ... 4 7. Ibrahimpore .. 8 8. Hardia ... .. 8 9. Kolua ... ... 8 10. Loki Khap ... 8 11. Makhdompore .. 8 12. Manjhar ... 8 13. Basir Khap 4	Durga Prasad and others.	1,066 8 0	...	239 4 0
4979	Jaipore Dumrawan, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	.....	Separate account No. 1, consisting of the following villages, will be sold— A. P. 1. Jaipore Dumrawan 5 4 2. Alahdadpore *alias* Punoul. 5 4 3. Ambadih ... 5 4 4. Bagha Khap ... 5 4 5. Badar Khap ... 5 4 6. Zari Khap 5 4 7. Doudpore *alias* Punoul. 5 4 8. Deoghar Khap .. 5 4 9 Ibrahimpore . 5 4 10. Hardia ... 5 4 11. Kolhua ... 5 4 12. Loki Khap ... 5 4 13. Makhdumpore .. 5 4 14. Sugaria .. ... 5 4 15. Sadheo Khap ... 5 4 16. Basir Khap ... 5 4	Khaje Ubaidullah *alias* Nanhe Nawab.	43 10 0	.....	10 2 0
4613	Komal Khap, pargana Sherghatti.	573 14 0	The whole	.....	Mussamat Bibi Tauhidan and others.	.....	5 12 6	.....
6940	Aldopore, pargana Kabar.	1,196 0 0	Ditto	.....	Bhekha Singh and others.	..	139 1 0	.....

Gaya Collectorate, the 22nd August 1903. F. W. DUKE, Collector.

APPENDIX XXX.

[See Chapter III, Rule 9.]

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Barun-Daltonganj Railway, in the district of Gaya, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Friday, the 18th September 1903, corresponding with the 12th Asin 1311 Fusli, at the Gaya Collector's Court.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of the original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each plot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Gaya .	Pargana Sirish, mauza Pahborcha.	2 (a) ...	East of the main line, Bengal Duars Railway.	3 16 5	1 1 1·818	Nil		Nil	*North*—Mogulsarai-Gaya Railway. *South*—Land of mauza Karandih. *East*—Land of mauza Pahborcha. *West*—Ditto ditto.

Gaya, the 18th August 1903.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTTA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th September 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
14	Anandpur Siwan and Mustafapur Siwan, pargana Beswak.	858 13 11	Entire ...	.....	Aditi Narain and Ajodhya Prasad under the guardianship of Mosamat Gulab Kuer.		213 7 7	.....
18	Bhubanpur, Beyaspur Goberdhanpur, pargana Azimabad.	1,223 7 10	.....	8a. and 10ds. ijmali share. Besides this other shares are exempted from sale.	Pabiter Singh and others.	649 13 11	.	44 14 9
				As.				
160	Lakhenpur, pargana Azimabad.	1,350 13 1		Dowlotpur 2	Mosamat Piriam Bada Dasi, mother and guardian of Mohnimohon Ghosh and Rajni Mohon Ghosh.	658 2 1		126 15 1
				Rampur Hasan 4	Ditto.			
				Mirzapur 2	Ditto.			
				Lakhenpur 2	Awdhesh Kumar Singh.			
				Kutubpur urf Hari 2 chak.	Ditto.			
				Kutubpur 2	Ditto.			
				Ijmali share. Besides this other shares are exempted from sale.				
169	Rampur Bedhna nisf, pargana Bhimpur.	908 8 0		15a. 8d. 13k. 6b. 10p. 7r. ijmali share. Besides this other shares are exempted from sale.	Kesho Lal and others ..	962 1 6	.....	4 13 16

Bankipore, the 23rd August 1903.

J. G. CUMMING, Collector of Patna.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th October 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Taun No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2093 2100 1813	Thanas Patia, town Raozan, Satkania and Hathazari, taraf Krishna Kishore Kanungoe.	Rs. A. P. 645 6 7	A share will be sold.	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859. Only share No. 1, Fazal Ahmed and others, will be sold.	Fazal Ahmed Choudhri and Basal Samad Choudhuri.	Rs. A. P. 524 13 6	.....	Rs. A. P. 656 0 10

The amount shown in column 9 above represents the arrears remaining unpaid on the 25th May 1903.

Chittagong, the 25th August 1903.

F. P. DIXON, Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares are excluded from sale.

Consecutive No.	Taun No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	1	Magura, Chetla and others.	5,428 9 3		Excluding 3a. 4r. 2k. 18t., the remaining 12a. 15g. 10k. 16st., of the entire estate, and excluding 8a. share in each of the mauzas Sripur, Nagarghole and Raju Molla Chak, the remaining 8a. share.	Kali Chundra Roy Chaudhury and others.	3,928 5 3	.....	356 15 '6½
2	2	Magura, Kanganberia and others.	2,828 15 2½		Excluding mauzas Chetla and Alipore and excluding 11a. 14g. 1k. 3½d. of the entire estate, the remaining 4a. 1g. 2k. 5½d. share	Surendra Nath Deb	738 11 11½	.....	46 7 11
3	3-1	Magura, Nuskerpur and others.	9,214 2 11½		Excluding 10a. the remaining 6a. share.	Bindoo Bashini Debi and others.	3,108 11 8½	.....	199 11 2½
4	88	Magura, Amgachia	984 14 7	.....	Excluding 9a share in mauza Kantalia, the remaining 7a. share, excluding 13a. 1g. 2k. share in each of the mauzas Bahimpore and Nona, the remaining 2a 1g. 2k. and the 10a. share in other mauzas.	Hori Charan Bose ...	861 11 10		86 3 3
5	314	Murugachia, Harinarayanpur.	12,212 13 4½	...	8a. 3g. 6k. 8t 2k. 2kr. share ...	Trylokha Nath Biswas.	5,747 8 3	.	47 11 6½
6	314-4	Ditto	12,212 13 4½	...	17g. 5k. 15t.	Sarat Chandra Ghose	740 4 4½	. .	111 12 7½
7	315-3	Muragachia, Raghunathpur.	10,229 15 6	.	Excluding 13a. 11g. 2k. 2kr., the remaining 2a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. share	Gopi Kisor Mandal and others.	1,509 3 3½	.....	140 8 8½
	315-11	Ditto ...	10,229 15 6	. .	Excluding 14a. 17g 2k., the remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi	721 2 10	.	139 5 11
9	385-4	Azimabad, Huda Ruskhali.	19,484 5 0½		Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kr. share, the balance 15g. 1k. 1k. share	Brojendra Nath Mandal.	928 8 7½	.	97 4 5½
10	385-5	Ditto ...	19,484 8 0½	... .	Excluding 14a. 14g. 2k., the remaining 1a. 5g. 3k. 1kr. share.	Gopi Kishor Mandal and others.	1,564 6 4	.....	81 13 7
11	385-6	Ditto ...	19,484 8 0½	...	Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k., 2kr share, the remaining 15a. 1g. 1k., share.	Kristo Prosanna Mandal.	928 8 7½	.....	97 4 2½
2	385-9	Ditto ..	19,484 8 0½	.	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, the remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi	1,362 8 7½	.....	142 13 5½
3	391-5	Muragacha, Gomukhi.	5,538 8 6		Excluding 13a. 11g. 2k. 2kr. share, the remaining 2a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. share.	Gopi Kishor Mandal and others.	836 8 9½	...	46 12 3
14	391-6	.....	5,538 8 6	.. .	Excluding 14a. 6g. 2k. 2kr share, the remaining 1a. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share.	Sasi Bhusan Biswas and others.	576 14 11	... ..	32 3 10
15	392-1	Azimabad, Huda Joy Chundipur.	8,313 7 8	.....	Excluding 12a., the remaining 4a. share.	Radha Binod Mandal and others.	2,078 5 11	.	140 3 4½
16	2883	Sunderban, Lot No. 16.	2,351 0 0	Whole ...	.	Meherrubbani Jamadar.	.	2,351 0 0	

Alipore, the 24th August 1903.

RAJENDRA CHANDRA GHOSH, Deputy Collector, *for* Collector.

Notificaton B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz, the 28th September 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the date to be fixed for the sale of the estates in arrears of revenue for the kist of September 1903 for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1356 / 4	Badooraj, Panapur, Noorjahan Begam, tuppa Bhutaula, pargana Bisara.	17,594 1 5	... ..	Separate account, 2a. 8p 8kt. 5mt. 10 4/23d.	Musamat Nanhi Begam and others.	2,704 11 6	.....	164 7 0	On account of arrears of land revenue due for kist June 1903. 164 7 0
1356 / 14	Ditto	17,594 1 5	.....	Separate account, 7p. 9kt. 9mt. 1½d.	Musamat Noor Jahan Begam *alias* Imami Begam and others.	657 13 9	.....	149 10 1	Ditto. 149 10 1
3618 Rs.	Gobindpur, Raghu nandan, pargana Hajipur.	2,670 6 11	.....	Residuary share, 8 annas in each of the following villages—Gobindpur, Aspatpur Singhia, Sadullahpur, Malipur, Sohrabpur, Chuk Mohamad, Saifpur Deora Dharampur, Panapur Daud, Gumti, Saidpur, Rajauli, Saidpur Rajauli Hissa, Ismailpur, Daulatpur, Bhadai Chuk, Gaziadam, Ibrahimpur, Karunpoora, Harauli with Fatehpur, Gaura.	Avadh Bihari Narain Singh and others.	1,207 2 9	.....	261 8 0	Ditto. 261 8 0
				Temporarily-settled Estate.					
18966	Dumri Kalam, 4 annas, pargana Goa.	663 0 0	Entire estate.	.. ...	Harjnundon Sahai and others.	.....	641 4 0	.....	On account of arrears of land revenue due up to kist June 1903.

Muzaffarpur Collectorate, the 22nd August 1903.

E. V. LEVINGE, Collector.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 8th September 1903.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 60,99,011 7 11			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 95,42,965 9 10	1,56,41,977	1	9
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	9,26,46,454	0	1
Bank Post Bills, &c.	5,17,947	0	3
Sundries	19,12,248	12	1
Rupees ...	14,28,68,626	14	2

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	1,87,29,434	8	0
Other authorised investments	64,84,442	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	2,09,84,119	13	5
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	1,36,99,138	11	4
Bills discounted and purchased	2,12,95,941	10	11
Balances with other Banks	20,46,582	14	8
Bullion	1,120	9	7
Dead Stock	18,10,289	9	1
Stamps	11,952	13	10
Sundries	10,55,317	2	8
	8,61,18,339	13	6
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 2,85,00,725 11 9			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches† ... „ 2,82,49,561 4 11	5,67,50,287	0	8
Rupees ...	14,28,68,626	14	2

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,35,795 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 1,65,982 0 0
Rs. 3,01,777 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 10th September 1903.

H. F. FRESHWATER, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 51·25.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(1049—1)

NOTIFICATION.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Monghyr.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 397 OF 1903.

Rai Kamleshri Persad Singh Bahadur, decree-holder, *versus* Mossamat Najmunnissa and others, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold in the above case by the Nazir of the Court at 12 o'clock noon on the 14th September 1903, the right title and interest of the judgment-debtors on the following properties :—

Serial No.	DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTIES.	Tauzi No.	Jama, Sadar.	Approximate Value given by the Decree-holder.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs.
1	Whole share of Mossamat Najmunnissa Begum in mahal Lahra.	336	4,391 12 0	20,115
2	Whole share of Mossamat Bano Begum of mahal Misir Mamada.			
3	Whole share of Mossamat Sayudunnissa Begum of Merzaganj.			
4	Whole mauza Darkha.			
5	Ditto Mahua.			
6	Ditto Gahlour.			
7	Ditto Khajoara.			
8	Ditto Mohamadpur.			
9	Ditto Manpur Hust Mahla.			
10	Ditto Manikpur.			
11	Share in mauza Bala Parsanda			
12	Ditto Lakhapur			
13	Ditto Bishunpur	336	4,391 12 0	20,115
14	Whole share of Babu Lakun Singh of mauza Parsanda ..	336	4,162 1 5	19,800
15	Whole mauza Barooi, share of Babu Bankey Beharei Singh			
16	Whole mahal Mahkali Nawada.			
17	Ditto Gidha Kachabra.			
18	Ditto Dharhara urf Dhapder Ghat.			
19	Ditto Moujni urf Macholin.			
20	Ditto Salsanda.			
21	Share in mauza Rata.			
22	„ in Hasoura Chak.			
23	„ in Babrowan Rungnia.			
24	„ in Bala Parsanda.			
25	„ in Bishunpur.			
26	„ in mauza Sundorbad.			
27	„ in mauza Baghour.			
28	„ of Maulvi Amir Safdor in mauza Sundorbad ...	336	11 0 0	53
29	„ of Munshi Latafat Husain in mauza Sundorbad ...	336	6 0 0	30

MOTI LAL HALDAR, Subordinate Judge.

Monghyr, the 8th September 1903.

(1048 -1)

Abstract statement of the audited accounts of the Hindu Family Annuity Fund for the quarters ended 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December 1902.

RECEIPTS.	Quarter ended 30th June 1902.	Quarter ended 30th September 1902.	Quarter ended 31st December 1902.	DISBURSEMENTS.	Quarter ended 30th June 1902.	Quarter ended 30th September 1902.	Quarter ended 31st December 1902.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
General subscription ...	8,840 4 5	9,167 13 6	9,547 14 4	Annuity	6,805 3 6	7,303 2 0	7,115 7 9
Interest ...	14,131 10 1	0 4 8	14,362 10 0	Government of India for deposit	24,272 6 1	9,353 2 8	23,907 7 7
Miscellaneous receipts ...	311 4 8	3 1 9	4 3 0	Deposits	23 10 0	.....	5 6 3
Government of India ...	8,100 0 0	9,100 0 0	14,800 0 0	Interest on Reserve Fund ...	3,178 4 0	.....	
Abatement Fund	2,234 11 5	..	..	Relief Fund	217 15 3		8 3 9
Guarantee Fund	297 15 4			Abatement Fund		1,114 14 9	5,848 4 9
Relief Fund	446 15 0	.....		Management charges. ...	817 14 6	770 13 9	908 0 3
Deposit	1,078 9 9	54 14 9	99 5 6	Closing balance	1,626 15 9	1,528 8 3	2,376 9 3
Entrance fees ...	12 0 0	30 0 0	14 0 0				
Advances recoverable ...	140 15 7	..	..				
Building accounts ...			26 3 9				
Opening balance	1,457 15 3	1,713 7 6	1,555 0 3				
Total ...	36,948 5 1	20,068 9 5	40,269 8 10	Total ...	36,948 5 1	20,068 9 5	40,269 8 10

Published by order of the Directors agreeably to Rule 90.

SHAMA CHARN MUKERJI, NOGENDRA KRISHNA BOSE, } *Auditors.*

PRAN KISSEN BOSE, *Secretary.*

No. 1 MIRZAPORE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 12th September 1903.*

(1058—1—941)

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1	Pound	tin	Rs.	16,	or,	post	free,	Rs. 16-8
½	,,	,,	,,	8	,,	,,	,,	8-6.
¼	,,	,,	,,	4	,,	,,	,,	4-6

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

CINCHONA Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12 This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

NOTICE.

WANTED 12 Bengali-knowing Inspectors on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 each and 80 Bengali-knowing amins, on a monthly salary of Rs. 20 to Rs. 25 each, for survey and settlement work in the Sundarbans during the ensuing cold weather.

Applicants must either have served in the Survey of India Department or have certificates of their acquaintance with offset cadastral survey work. They should also be able to prepare the necessary settlement records.

WANTED also 4 clerks on Rs. 25 each and 8 muharrirs on Rs. 20 each per mensem for settlement work. Only men who have experience in such work need apply.

Applicants should state their age and send their applications with copies of testimonials to the undersigned not later than the 30th October 1903.

D. SUNDER, Commissioner in the Sundarbans.

Sundarbans Commissioner's Office, Alipur, the 7th August 1903.

J. W. CHIPPENDALE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(948—4—767)

RATAN CHAND BARAL, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(956—4—769)

Notice.

SAILESWAR SEN, M.A., B.L., of 10 and 11, Sarbessur Sen's Lane, Calcutta, intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel, High Court, Calcutta. (957—4—786)

MAULVI SHAMSUDDIN AHMED, B.L., intends to be enrolled as Vakeel, Calcutta High Court

(998—4—814)

HEM CHANDRA SEN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(1041—4—862)

Wanted

THREE qualified Surveyors knowing cadastral survey for Land Acquisition Work on salaries of Rs. 30 each per mensem with two chainmen at Rs. 8 each for a period of about six months. Selected candidates to join immediately on appointment.

D. R. GHOSH, Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Ranaghat-Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

Krishnagar, the 2nd September 1903.

WANTED a Head Clerk for the Sadar Registration Office at Midnapore on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem. Preference will be given to candidates who have thorough knowledge of the Departmental Rules and Circulars and are thoroughly acquainted with the details of the work of District Registration Office and can write a good and swift hand. Candidates should state their educational qualifications and furnish statements showing their relationship with other persons in Government service and also produce certificates of good character and respectability. Those who are not now in Government service must state their age. The selected candidate will have to execute a bond in the sum of Rs. 100 with one substantial surety for the due performence of his duties.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th September 1903.

JOGESH CHANDRA SANYAL,
Special Sub-Registrar.

Midnapore District Registration Office, the 3rd September 1903.

WANTED at once by the District Board, Ranchi, a temporary Surveyor for four months on a consolidated pay and travelling allowance of Rs. 75 per mensem. Candidates must be qualified under rule 7 (1) (*a*) of the Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901. Applications with copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned up to the 15th September 1903. Preference will be given to active, energetic and experienced candidates.

G. C. BANERJI,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Ranchi.

Ranchi, the 1st September 1903. (996—2)

WANTED temporarily an experienced Photographer to photograph cattle in the mufassal. Apply with copies of testimonials and specimen of work to the undersigned, stating terms.

F. RAYMOND,
Vety.-Major, Supdt., Civil Vety. Dept., Bengal.

Belgachia, Calcutta, the 7th September 1903.

WANTED six Amins on Rs. 20 each per month for the Settlement work of Estate Kendgoria in the district of Birbhum. None need apply who has not passed the Survey Examination from any Government Survey School, or has no experience in Settlement work. Applications will be received by Babu Charu Chandra Chaudhary, Settlement Officer, Birbhum, up to the 7th October 1903.

A. AHMAD, Collector.

Suri, the 9th September 1903.

Wanted

A CLERK for the District Engineer's office on Rs 20 rising to Rs. 30 a month. None need apply who have no experience in office work and write a good hand.

Apply with copies of testimonials to the District Engineer.

Applications will be received up to 8th of October 1903.

Address to—

The District Engineer, Darbhanga, Laheriasarai.

Laheriasarai, the 7th September 1903. (1052—1)

Wanted

A HEAD CLERK for the Kotrung Municipal Office. Pay Rs. 25 a month, but for the first year of probation Rs. 20 a month. Strong in English and Accounts. Must be industrious and of good character. Security of Rs. 100 in Postal deposit required.

A Clerk conversant with routine work of the Head Clerk of a Municipality is preferable. Apply (with copies of certificates) to the Chairman, Kotrung Municipality, district Hooghly, up to 10th October 1903

(1060—1)

WANTED by the District Board of Puri a Sub Inspector of Schools on a salary of Rs 50 a month with usual travelling allowance. Candidates must be qualified under the rules published under Bengal Government Notification Nos. 486T.G. and 1057 G., dated the 2nd September 1893 and 24th July 1899, respectively, and have a thorough knowledge of Uriya.

Applications with copies of testimonials and necessary certificates will be received by the undersigned up to 30th September 1903.

HARISH CHANDRA GHOSE,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Puri.

Puri District Board's Office, the 8th September 1903.
(1051—2)

WANTED at once by the District Board, Ranchi, a Second Pandit for teaching Bengali at the Silli Middle Vernacular School on a pay of Rs. 12 a month. No one need apply who has not passed the third-year examination from a training school. Preference will be given to those having experience in teaching. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th of September 1903.

G. C. BANERJI,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Ranchi.

Ranchi, the 7th September 1903. (1050 - 2)

WANTED a Sub-Overseer for six months for the Sirajganj subdivision in the district of Pabna, on a salary of Rs. 40 per mensem, with a horse allowance of Rs 15. In addition he will get 3 per cent. remuneration for supervising Public Works Department building works Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 25th September 1903.

None need apply who is not qualified under the rules.

F. M DEROZARIO, District Engineer.

Pabna District Engineer's Office, the 10th September 1903. (1054—2)

WANTED by the District Board of Faridpur an experienced Overseer on Rs. 60 a month, rising, on approved service, to Rs. 75 by annual increments of Rs 3, and fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 30 a month.

None need apply who are not qualified under Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901, paragraph 7 (1) (*a*) to (*c*).

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to 20th October 1903

R. S. ASHE, Vice-Chairman.

Faridpur District Board's Office, the 14th September 1903. (1061—2)

WANTED four Traverse Surveyors for the settlement operations of Bamanghatti subdivision, Mayurbhanja State, at present for four months, on Rs. 50 each per month. Preference will be given to those who are well up in Theodolite Survey, can take Azimuth observation, and have at least three years' experience in field works. Apply stating age, qualifications, previous service, etc., to the Settlement Officer (Bahalda P. O.), Mayurbhanja, by the 15th October

P. M. MUKERJI, Acting Settlement Officer.

Bahalda, the 10th September 1903.

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Monghyr Municipality a Head Clerk and Accountant having experience in municipal office correspondence and accounts works on a monthly salary of Rs 60 rising to Rs. 75 by biennial increments of Rs. 3. Security required Rs. 300.

Preference will be given to one who, besides possessing experience in municipal office work, is a passed Accountant.

The selected candidate will have to join at once and be on probation for one year.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 23rd September 1903.

S. P. SINGH, Vice-Chairman

Monghyr, the 10th September 1903. (1065—2)

Notice.

WANTED a Nazir for the District Judge's Court of Chittagong on a monthly salary of Rs. 100 rising to Rs. 200 No one need apply who has not experience of Nezarat or Civil Court work. The selected candidate will have to furnish security of Rs. 5,000 in cash or promissory notes. Applications with testimonials in original (which will be returned if postage is supplied) will be received up to 1st November next.

H. E. RANSOM, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 10th September 1903.

Notice.

WANTED temporarily from November next—

1 Native Surveyor at Rs 50 per month.
2 Native Surveyors at Rs. 40 each per month.
6 Amins at Rs. 35 each per month.
13 Amins at Rs. 20 each per month.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 20th October 1903.

S. S. SKINNER, Depy. Commr., Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri, the 8th September 1903.

NOTICE

Rangpur Collectorate.

WANTED some Amins (pay Rs. 25 per mensem) and Inspectors (pay Rs. 35 per mensem) with a thorough knowledge of plain-table survey for the cadastral survey and settlement of the estates Panga and Lot Haranarayon belonging to His Highness the Maharaja of Cooch Behar.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned till the 15th October 1903. Preference will be given to those who have worked with a Cadastral Survey Party.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Rangpur, the 10th September 1903.

NOTICE.

Bank of Bengal.

MR. A. M. LINDSAY, C.I.E., has been granted short leave. In his absence Mr. W. D. McKewan, Officiating Inspector of Branches, will officiate as Deputy Secretary and Treasurer.

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 12th September 1903. (1059—1)

IT is notified for general information that there are in the district of Chittagong many commissions under section 392 of the Civil Procedure Code waiting to be executed, and that there is therefore employment for a few pleaders who have passed the requisite Survey examination. Applications with the necessary certificate should be made to the District Judge of Chittagong.

Caution.

WHEREAS Jugal Kissory Dassy, widow of Assiny Coomar Adhya, mother of her infant son, since deceased, and daughter of Rashbehary Datta, at present residing at her father's house, No. 55 Serpentine Lane, Calcutta, has under a conveyance dated the 29th Sraban 1310 (duly executed and registered) absolutely sold the one-fifth undivided share which she had in the estate of the late Babu Govinda Chunder Adhya, of Chetla, to Babus Rakhal Dass Adhya and others, and whereas it is rumoured that it is in the contemplation of the said Dassy again to transfer or otherwise dispose of the said share by suppressing the fact of the aforesaid sale by her, the public are therefore hereby warned against puchasing or otherwise taking by any kind of transfer whatsoever from her all or any portion of the said one-fifth share of the said estate at their own risk.

N. C BURAL & Co.,
Attorneys for RAKHAL DASS ADHYA.

The 2nd September 1903. (995—4—921)

Notice.

List of unclaimed goods lying in the Custom House Wharf.

Name of vessel.	Marks and Nos.	Description of packages.	REMARKS.
S.S. "Somali" ..	Durnford	1 Deck chair ...	Broken.
" "Pentakotta"	4th Punjab Infantry.	3 Guns ...	
" "Laisang"...	Nil	7 Packages sundries.	Damaged.
" "Kumsang"	A H A G H or nil ...	1 Case gambier .	Half empty.
" Do. ...	Ditto ...	3 Bags betelnuts	More or less damaged.
" "Ujina" ..	G C L or nil ...	1 Cask sulphur.	
" "C. Apcar"	Mr. D. Ellias ..	1 Parcel sundries.	
" "Manora" ...	Nil	1 Wooden box	Broken.
" "Carthage"	L H I	1 Case coral.	
" Do. ...	Nil	1 Deck chair.	
" "Peninsular"	F F A	1 Package unknown.	
" Ditto ...	F N B	1 Deck chair.	
" Ditto ...	Mr. Fox	1 " "	
" Ditto ...	Nil	3 Chairs.	
" Ditto ...	J Done or J D ...	1 Chair.	
" Ditto ...	Dunstanville ...	1 "	
" "Laisang"	A H A G H or nil ...	5 Bags betelnuts	More or less damaged.
" "A. Apcar"	Yakub	1 Basket Chinaware.	Broken, more or less empty.
" "India" ...	Geo. L. I. Sheffield, 3rd Officer, Poste Restante, Calcutta.	1 Box gold watch.	
" "Sumatra"...	Robinson	1 Deck chair.	
" "Palamcotta	Godor Ram ...	1 Revolver.	
" "Wardha"	M	4 Bundles gunny	Loose.
" "Ellora" ...	Barber Agra Polsa	1 Case unknowr.	
" "Suisang"...	F. A. D. Esikel ...	1 Parcel sweetmeats.	
" "Goorkha"	W. Willis ...	1 H. M. carbine with M tubes.	
" "Clan Robertson."	Shipping Master.	1 Package unknown.	
" "Somali" ...	Nil or care of P & O.	1 Package unknown.	
" "Goorkha"	Nil	5 Packets containing 500 cartridges for M tubes.	
" "Rewa" ...	M. A. Thomson ...	2 Deck chairs.	
" "Sirsa" ...	M N H 1..	1 Case silk.	
" "Collegian"	717 & 17 M W	1 Case gun.	
" "Scindia" ...	D or P	1 Case C. oil.	
" "Bangala"	J. S. Arathoon	1 Package unknown.	
" "Dupleix"	T C & S 98, 99-91	3 Cases unknown	

The above will be disposed of if not cleared on or before the 21st September 1903.

L. F. MORSHEAD, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta Custom House, the 29th August 1903.

Education Department, Bengal.

AS the Appointment Register of the Office of Director of Public Instruction is now under revision, the undersigned is prepared to receive applications for appointments in the Education Department. No one will be registered who has not taken the degree of M.A. or that of B A. with honours. Candidates for employment should send in applications whether their names have been previously registered in this office or not. Full details of qualifications must be given. A printed form of application will be sent on receipt of a stampe addressed envelope. The new Appointment Register will supersede all former lists.

A. PEDLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

The 1st September 1903.

Notice.

APPLICATIONS for an apprenticeship in the Second Munsif's Court at Kushtia will be received by the undersigned up to the 23rd October 1903. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination and does not fulfil the following conditions:—

(1) His age must not exceed 25 years.

(2) He must produce a certificate of age and of good moral character.

(3) He must state his relationship, if any, to any amla in the Civil Courts of the district.

(4) He must produce a certificate of sound health from a Government Medical Officer.

RAJENDRO COOMAR BOSE, Offg. District Judge.

Nadia Judge's Office, the 2nd September 1903.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of claimants.
		Rs.	
W/2 of 03/04	LA/97 61234	100	Babus Brojo Nath De and Sarbananda De, Balaganj, Sylhet.
	„ 61235	100	

A. H. CLARKE,
Asst. Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Calcutta, the 1st September 1903.

Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Notes—

No.							Rs.
025899	of the	3	per cent.	loan of	1896-97	for	1,000
025900	„	3	„	„	„	„	1,000
025902	„	3	„	„	„	„	1,000
025903	„	3	„	„	„	„	1,000
025904	„	3	„	„	„	„	1,000
030671 to 74	„	3	„	„	„	„	500 each.

originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal, and last endorsed to Sarat Kumar Das, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest, and for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of the Proprietor—SARAT KUMAR DAS.
Residence—Village Sabajpur, police-station Thakurgaon, zilla Dinajpur.

Dinajpur, the 16th August 1903. (930—3—812)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that the two lots comprising about 4,600 bricks, which have been lying unclaimed on the Commissioners' Wharf at Chowlputty Ghat since July 1903, willbe sold by public auction on or after the 28th September 1903.

C. H. WINDLE, Traffic Manager.

Traffic Manager's Office, Calcutta, the 14th September 1903. (1065—1)

SUIT No. 505 OF 1902.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

Brajendra Nath Sinha, residing at No. 16 Jelliatola Street, in the town of Calcutta, landholder, plaintiff, and Shaik Abdul Aziz, son of Shaik Najibulla, deceased, zamindar of village Shaplanja, in the district of Mymensing, now residing at Chandbali, in the district of Balasore, and carrying on business at Barabazar, in the town of Calcutta. and also at Chandbali aforesaid, defendant.

ALL persons who are indebted to the defendant Shaik Abdul Aziz either on the footing of decrees obtained against them by the latter, or otherwise, are hereby informed that by the decree made in the above suit and dated the 4th day of August 1903, I have been appointed Receiver to realise all debts and decrees due to, or obtained by, the said Shaik Abdul Aziz, and they are hereby requested to pay the sums due by them to the undersigned at his address No. 16 Jelliatola Street, Simla, Calcutta.

The debtors of the said Shaik Abdul Aziz are hereby warned not to pay the amounts of their debts either to the said Shaik Abdul Aziz or any other person or persons representing him and without the signed receipt of myself or my attorney empowered to receive the same.

If, after this, they pay any body else other than myself or my attorney as aforesaid, they will do so at their own risk and peril.

BRAJENDRA NATH SINHA.

The 12th September 1903. (1057—1—940)

In the Court of Rai Srigopal Chatterji Bahadur, Subordinate Judge of Purnea.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 248 OF 1903.

Mr. G. S. Hayes and others, executors to the estate of Babu Dhurum Chand Lall, deceased, decree-holders, *versus* Syed Asgur Reza, Khan Bahadur, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold in the above case by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at 12 o'clock noon on 26th October 1903, for realization of the judgment-debt, Rs. 1,32,906-3-3, the right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor in the following property:—

Two annas 11 gandas 2 cowries 2 kranhis share out of 2 annas 16 gandas 1 cowri ¼ danti share of the judgment-debtor, estate Busldah, with all its appertenances, pargana Surjapur, tauzi No. 265, the annual revenue of which, amounting to Rs. 4,502-6-4¼, is payable for 16 annas to the Collectorate of Dinajpur in the jurisdiction of thana Thakurgaon and Ranisankal, Sub-Registry Thakurgaon and Pirganj, district Dinajpur. The total share of the judgment-debtor, 2 annas 16 gandas 1 cowri ¼ danti, has not been partitioned. The judgment-debtor's share, 2 annas 16 gandas 1 cowri ¼ danti and decree-holders' share, 2 annas 16 gandas 1 cowri ¼ danti, total shares 5 annas 12½ gandas ¾ danti, has been partitioned in the Collectorate. The annual revenue of 5 annas 12½ gandas ¾ danti share is Rs. 1,513-6; 2 annas 11 gandas 2 cowries 2 kranths which is mortgaged has not been partitioned, and the revenue of which is about Rs. 689-11, and the value of the mortgaged property, *i.e.*, 2 annas 11 gandas 2 cowris 2 kranths, is about Rs. 11,000.

SRIGOPAL CHATTERJI, Subordinate Judge.

Purnea, the 9th July 1903. (1053—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of ARCHIBALD BRANTZ, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 3rd day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1010—2)

In the matter of KALAGUELA SURYANARAYANA, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 22nd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. Mitter and Survadhicary, Attorneys. (1011—2)

In the matter of EDGAR HUNTER, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 3rd day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1012—2)

In the matter of BEMALA CHARAN MOOKERJEE, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 26th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Amar Nath Ghose, Attorney. (1013—2)

In the matter of GOPAL CHANDER NATH and ROJONI KANTO NATH, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 25th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Raj Kissore Bysack, Attorney. (1014—2)

In the matter of RAM TARUCK MOHAPATRA and SARODA PRASAD MOHAPATRA, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 25th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1015—2)

In the matter of GOOZOOR MULL, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 28th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Akshoy Kumar Mitter, Attorney. (1016—2)

In the matter of MOGUL KHAN, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 26th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. C. Dutt, Attorney. (1017—2)

In the matter of JOHN REMFRY, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1018—2)

In the matter of GEORGE SANGWELL, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 28th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1019—2)

In the matter of CHUNI LAL DAS, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Monmotho Nath Sen, Attorney. (1020—2)

In the matter of ARTHUR JOHN CHARLES JOSEPH SUTHERLAND, an insolvent.

On Friday, the 4th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1021—2)

In the matter of ABDOOL WAHED KAZI, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 2nd day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Prannauth Paul, Attorney. (1022—2)

In the matter of MANGOLA CHARAN MOOKERJEE and JITENDRA NATH MOOKERJEE, insolvents.

On Friday, the 4th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. K. Mitter, Attorney. (1023—2)

In the matter of KOYLASH CHUNDER SINHA and TARUK NATH SINHA, insolvents.

On Saturday, the 5th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Amar Nath Ghose, Attorney. (1024—2)

Chief Clerk's Office, the 7th day of September 1903.

In the matter of HENRY WILKINSON, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 22nd day of September instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

A. K. Thakur, Attorney. (1062—1)

In the matter of KHEM KARAN and GHONOSHYAM DASS insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvents, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 22nd day of September instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvents desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Ambica Churn Dey, Attorney. (1063—1)

In the matter of MAHOMED AHMED YACKOOJI, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 22nd day of September instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

H. H. Remfry, Attorney. (1064—1)

Chief Clerk's Office, the 15th day of September 1903.

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1903.

Sadari Mondal, petitioner.

SADARI MONDAL, son of Sagu Mondal, deceased, of Kaji-Nagor, pargana Sherpur, station Nalitabari, district Mymensingh, was declared an insolvent by this Court under section 351 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

BIHARI LAL BANERJI, Subordinate Judge.

Mymensingh 1st Subordinate Judge's Office, the 8th September 1903. (1046—1—942)

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 20 OF 1903.

Jhulu Bepari, petitioner.

JHULU BEPARI, son of Malu Bepari, deceased, of Ilsa, station Sherpur, district Mymensingh, has, on the 8th August 1903, been declared an insolvent by his Court under the provision of section 351 of the Code of Civil Procedure. All the creditors of the insolvent are hereby invited to prove their respective debts due by the insolvent debtor.

BIHARI LAL BANERJI, Subordinate Judge.

Mymensingh 1st Subordinate Judge's Office, the 8th September 1903. (1047—1—943)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta		Route by which despatched.
	1903	P.M	
Melbourne and Sydney ...	17th Sept	At 8 30	Per steamer *Euryalus*
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	17th ,,	At 6-30	Per P. & O steamer from Bombay
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	16th ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ..	21st ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo *
† Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	18th ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *Lawang*
Burma	17th ,,	,, 7-30	Per B I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore	19th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	19th ,,	,, 7 30	Ditto
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	21st ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Port Blair	25th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Shahjehan.*
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte, Nossi Be and South Africa	16th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Itria* from Colombo

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P M.
For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
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Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 11th September 1903.

Name of river	Reach of river	Least depth of water sounding		REMARKS
		Ft	in	
Bhagirathi	Entrance from Ganges	22	6	
	Thence to Geriah	20	0	Momintola
	From Geriah to Jangipur	19	0	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	19	0	Fadilpur.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa	17	0	Kedafi
	,, Katwa to Nadia	18	0	Dewanganj
Bhyrab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ..	15	6	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	14	9	Akhriganj
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhyrub and Jalangi	15	0	Kasiadanga.
	Thence to Patkabari . .	22	0	Lalnagar
	Patkabari to Nadia . .	19	0	Rudranagar.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges	14	0	
	Thence to Dewanganj	14	9	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	15	0	Meghna.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia .	15	6	Peernola.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga	16	3	Seelmari.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengunj and Hanskhali ..	16	6	Ganjo.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date	Hour.	Height above zero	Height above mean sea-level.	REMARKS.
Ganges ...	Sahibganj	11-9-1903	A.M. 6	Ft. 21 16	Ft. 89 16	Steady.
	Rampur Boalia	12-9-1903	A M 12	20 25	88'25	Falling.
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah	13-9-1903	A.M. 7	...	72 00	Rising
	Entrance of Bhairab-Jalangi Akriganj ..	13-9-1903	A.M. 7	...	61 15	Do
	Entrance of Mathabhanga .	12 9-1903	..	20 25	.	
Bhagirathi	Jangipur ..	13-9-1903	..	...	69 40	
	Berhampore ..	14 9-1903	A M 10	25'25	89 00	
	Katwa ..	11-9-1903	A M 6	25 00	40 16	
Jalangi ..	Krishnagar .	11-9-1903	..	21'00	..	
	Sarupganj	12-9-1903	M 12	.	21 80	
Mathabhanga	Hanskhali	13-9-1903		18 00	.	

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APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1903.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 295.

[First Publication.]

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—PERSIAN GULF.

Bahrein harbour—Buoys painted in terms of International Buoyage System.

HIS MAJESTY'S British Vice-Consul at Bushire has given notice, dated 25th August 1903, that the buoys marking the channel at the entrance of Bahrein harbour will, in future, be painted in terms of the International Buoyage System, and will be coloured as follows:—

Outer	buoy	...	... Red.
Inner	do.	...	... Red.
Khaseifa	do.	...	... Black.
Weat spit	do.	...	... Red.

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CALCUTTA, *the 8th September 1903.*

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[First Publication.]

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE.

Keppel (new) harbour—Buoys withdrawn.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 648 of 1903) that the two white buoys in the north channel, Keppel (New) harbour, formerly situated 60 yards S. 85° E. and 180 yards N. 30° W. respectively of the southernmost red stone beacon marking Tembága rocks, have been withdrawn.

Approximate position of the southern red stone, lat. 1° 15¾′ N., long. 103° 50¼′ E.

(Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Singapore road, No. 1995; Keppel harbour, No. 2023:. Also, China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 216.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 297.

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JAPAN, WEST COAST—SIMONOSEKI STRAIT.

Wreck in western entrance.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 652 of 1903) that the wreck of the sailing vessel *Yebisu Maru*, with a mast 6 feet above water, lies sunk on the track through the western entrance to Simonoseki strait 5 cables S. 44° W. from Maiko jima (Hamo island).

Approximate position, lat. 33° 56′ N., long. 130° 52¾′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Approaches to Simonoseki strait, No. 532; Simonoseki strait, No. 1578: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 432.

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[Second Publication.]

INDIA, SOUTH—CEYLON COAST.

Colombo—Lightship foundered.

A TELEGRAPHIC communication has been received from the Master Attendant, Colombo, stating that the lightship, South end, north-east breakwater, has foundered, and that it will be replaced as soon as possible.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No 291.

[Second Publication.]

JAPAN, NORTH-WEST COAST—MIYADSU HARBOUR.

Rock.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 635 of 1903) of the existence of a rock named Shishiguri, with a depth of 2¾ fathoms over it at low-water springs, in Miyadsu harbour, situated with Hora iwa bearing S. 43° W., distant 5¼ cables, and the rocky point immediately northward of Shishi village S. 66° E., distant 3¾ cables.

Approximate position, lat. 35° 34′ N., long. 135° 13¼′ E.

About 130 yards to the eastward and northward of this rock there are depths of from 3¼ to 4¼ fathoms and from 4¼ to 6 fathoms in other directions.

(*Variation 5° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Amarube saki to Ando saki, No. 2174; Miyadsu harbour, No. 61: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 542.

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[Second Publication.]

CHINA SEA, WESTERN SHORE—Cochin China.

Kam Ranh bay—Dangers reported.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 639 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned dangers in Kam Ranh bay:—

1. A rock, with a depth of 2¼ fathoms over it at lowest tide in the approach to Little pass on the north side of the entrance to the bay, situated with the southern point of Little pass bearing S. 81° W, distant 1¼ miles, and the outer rock off the south-east point of Tagne island S. 34° W.

   Approximate position, lat. 11° 51½′ N., long. 109° 15½′ E.

2. Two coral heads, with depths of 3 feet and 13 feet, situated at distances of 4 cables S. 7° W., and 6¼ cables S. 16° E. respectively from South-west rock off the village of Bangai.

Note.—Mariners are advised not to pass the westward of a line joining De la Prise island and Hon Chut, as there is a ledge with a depth of only 2¼ fathoms over it between the latter island and the mainland.

(Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kam Ranh bay to Vung Ro bay, No. 1008; Kam Ranh bay, No. 3088: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, pages 397, 398.

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[Second Publication.]

CHINA SEA, WESTERN SHORE—Cochin China.

Nhatrang bay approaches, and port Dayot—Dangers in—.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 640 of 1903) of the existence of the following dangers in the approaches to Nhatrang bay, and in Port Dayot:—

Nhatrang bay approach—

1. A rock, with a depth of 4 feet over it at lowest tide, about 3 cables to the eastward of Séche point.
   Approximate position, lat. 12° 21¼′ N., long. 109° 17¼′ E.
   The bay between Séche point and cape Sec is blocked almost entirely by coral reefs, and must not be entered.
2. A rock, which has two pinnacle heads, the least water over them being 6 feet at lowest tide, is situated about 7 cables S. 12° E. from Middle island, Van Fong bay.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 29′ N., long. 109° 18¾′ E.

Port Dayot—

A coral reef of small extent, with a depth of 1 foot over it at lowest tide, exists in Port Dayot in lat. 12° 39′ 35″ N., long. 109° 22′ 15″ E.

(Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kam Ranh bay to Vung Ro bay, No. 1008: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, pages 401, 403, 405.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 294.

[Second ublication.]

INDIA, SOUTH—CEYLON COAST.

Signal announcing arrival of Tuticorin Mail.

THE Master Attendant, Colombo, has given notice, dated 4th August 1903, that in future a Blue Pennant having a White St. George's Cross in the centre will be hoisted at the Masthead of Signal Mast at the Pilot's Tower, daily when the Tuticorin Mail is sighted, and hauled down one hour after she is berthed.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 285.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA, EAST COAST—AMOY, INNER HARBOUR.

Impérieuse rock—Buoy marking the rock placed to the north-eastward.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 273, dated 14th August 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 614 of 1903) that the rock situated three-quarters of a cable north-eastward of Impérieuse rock has been marked by a black conical buoy, surmounted by staff and ball, moored in a depth of 6½ fathoms a quarter of a cable eastward of the rock, with Cornwallis stone bearing N. 64° E, distant 3¼ cables. Vessels should pass to the eastward of this buoy.

Approximate position, lat. 24° 26′ N., long. 118° 4¼′ E.

The previous information received and published in the last of the abovementioned Notices that this buoy marked the Impérieuse rock is therefore erroneous.

Notice is also given that a pinnacle rock, with a depth of 15 feet over it at low water, exists about 50 yards north-eastward of Impérieuse rock, situated with Cornwallis stone bearing N. 67° E., distant 4 cables.

(*Variation Nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Amoy harbour, Nos. 1767, 1764. Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1894, page 177; and Supplement, 1898, page 15.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 286.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA SEA—TONG KING GULF.

Kao Tao islands—Dangers between—.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 616 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned dangers between the Kao Tao islands:—

(*a*) A shoal, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, situated with the northern extremity of Tsham shao bearing N. 73° E., distant 1¼ miles, and the western extremity of Tankan shao N. 33° W.

(*b*) A shoal, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, situated with the cone (541 feet) on Sha Pak Wan island bearing S. 87° W., distant 2$\frac{5}{10}$ miles, and the eastern extremity of Afo shao N. 21° W.

(*c*) A shoal, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, situated with the cone (541 feet) on Sha Pak Wan island bearing N. 79° W., distant $2\frac{5}{10}$ miles, and the eastern extremity of Afo shao N. 13° W.

(*d*) A rock awash, situated with the cone (541 feet) on Sha Pak Wan island bearing S. 15° E., distant $2\frac{1}{4}$ miles, and the northern extremity of Uli pai N. 85° W., distant $1\frac{5}{10}$ miles.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 3′ N., long. 107° 43′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kua Lacht to Kao Tao islands, No. 1965: Shieng Mun to Tra ko island, No. 776: Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. II, 1899, page 459.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 287.

[Third Publication.]

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—CAROLINE ISLANDS.

Guam island—Banks to the south-westward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 622 of 1903) that the following banks were found by Lieutenant F. H. Schofield, commanding U.S.S. *Supply*, when searching for Galvez and Santa Rosa reefs, to the south-westward of Guam island:—

(1) A bank, about $2\frac{1}{4}$ miles long in an easterly and westerly direction, and $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles broad, with depths of from 22 to 40 fathoms over it, the centre being approximately lat. 12° 58′ N., long. 144° 22′ E.

(2) A bank of small extent, with depths of from 22 to 32 fathoms over it, in approximately lat. 13° 2′ N., long. 144° 26′ E.

(3) A bank, extending about $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles in a northerly and southerly direction, with depths of from 26 to 46 fathoms over it, in approximately lat. 13° 4′ N., long. 144° 25′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Plan of Mariana or Ladrone islands on Chart No. 1101: Also, Pacific Islands, vol. I, 1900, pages 444, 445.

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[Third Publication.]

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT, WESTERN APPROACHES.

Proudfoot shoal light ship removed.

THE Portmaster, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 7 of 1903) that on and after 31st January 1904, the light exhibited from the Lightship at Proudfoot Shoal, Western Approach to Torres Strait, will be discontinued, and the Lightship will be withdrawn.

The shoal patch of $1\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms marked P.D. on charts south-easterly from the Lightship is believed to be identical with the Bramble Patches. There is no evidence to the contrary, the report of its existence being extremely vague.

Masters of vessels approaching Torres Strait from the westward are recommended to get on the parallel of 10 degrees 45 minutes south before reaching the 20-fathom contour, and continue on that parallel until Booby Island is visible bearing north-easterly, then to steer to pass 2 miles to the north of the Island and thence continue as hitherto.

Vessels bound to the westward after passing Booby Island are recommended to steer south-west magnetic 16 miles, then to steer west half south until a safe direction can be made for their destined port.

NOTE.—Booby Island is visible a distance of 14 or 15 miles; the light (a second order) is visible 17 to 19 miles by night from an ordinary ship's bridge.

Charts affected.—Nos. 447 and 1043; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

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[Third Publication.]

AUSTRALIA—GULF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide river—Alterations consequent on Light's Passage Harbour Works, being in progress.

THE President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 4 of 1903) that in consequence of the Light's Passage Harbour Works being now in progress, the following alterations will be made on or about the 20th August next:—

No. 1 Leading Beacon and No. 2 Light Beacon will be removed altogether.

In lieu thereof two Beacons showing Green Lights will be placed on the North Bank, one near the present Reflecting Beacon and the other opposite the present No. 1 White Light.

Two Light Beacons (both red) will be placed on the North Bank, which, when in line, will lead through the Cutting to the Bend.

Two Beacons, having White Lights, will be placed on the South Bank, which, when in line, will show the Bend in the Channel.

Sailing Directions.—To enter the River pass the Occulting Buoy at a distance of about 50 feet, and steer between the White Light on a Pile abreast of the old Lighthouse and the first Green Light, which is placed between the Reflecting Beacon and the Cutting, on a N.E. by E. course, passing the second Green Light at a similar distance until the New Lead on the North Bank (now No 1 Lead) comes in line. Keep them in line until the two lights on the South Bank are in line, then steer for No. 3 as before.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 1750.

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13	836	Ditto ditto. No. 718	Ditto ditto ..	Ditto ditto . ...
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		MISCELLANEOUS.		
5	725	Jyotirvid. The Astrologer. A monthly paper. 2nd year. No. 8.	Edited by K. Datta and Vimalá Prasád Siddhánta Sarasvatí.	133, Musjidbári Street; 181, Mániktalá Street; Calcutta.
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7	901	Ditto ditto. 2nd year. No. 10 ...	Ditto ditto ..	Ditto ditto ... ...
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No.	Language.	Books— Non-educational.	Books— Educational.	Total.
	Uni-linguals.			
1	Assamese	7	7	14
2	Bengali	180	66	246
3	English	56	20	76
4	Garo	1	...	1
5	Hindi	22	12	34
6	Khasi	1	...	1
7	Manipuri	...	2	2
8	Mundari	1		1
9	Musalmani-Bengali	6	...	6
10	Oraon	1	...	1
11	Sanskrit	24	...	24
12	Santali	1	...	1
13	Tangkhul-naga	1	...	1
14	Urdu	6	5	11
15	Uriya	50	6	56
	Total Uni-linguals	357	118	475
	Bi-linguals.			
1	Assamese and English	...	1	1
2	Assamese and Sanskrit	2	...	2
3	Bengali and English	19	4	23
4	Bengali and Sanskrit	21	1	22
5	Bengali and Uriya	1	...	1
6	English and Hindi		1	1
7	English and Sanskrit	2	3	5
8	English and Urdu	...	1	1
9	Hindi and Sanskrit	3	...	3
10	Sanskrit and Uriya	7	..	7
	Total Bi-linguals	35	11	66
	Tri-linguals.			
1	Bengali, English and Sanskrit	...	12	12
2	English, Hindi and Urdu	...	1	1
	Total Tri-linguals	...	13	13
	Uni-lingual Periodicals.			
1	Bengali Periodicals	110	.....	110
2	English Periodicals	100	.....	100
3	Garo Periodicals	3	.....	3
4	Hindi Periodicals	2	.....	2
5	Urdu Periodicals	4	.....	4
	Total Uni-lingual Periodicals	219	.....	219
	Bi-lingual Periodicals.			
1	Bengali and English Periodicals	8	.....	8
2	Bengali and Sanskrit Periodicals	5	.....	5
3	English and Sanskrit Periodicals	2	.....	2
	Total Bi-lingual Periodicals	15	.....	15
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WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 14th September, 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·17, Kalna 4·30, Katwa 1·83, Raniganj 3·38. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of *aman* nearly over except in parts of Katwa subdivision, where water is insufficient. *Aus* and jute being reaped in places. Indigo and sugarcane fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Scarcity of water still prevails in thanas Katwa and Mangalkot. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 10 seers per rupee.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·36, Rampur Hât 2·92. Weather cloudy at times and hot Transplantation of paddy is still going on. Latest rainfall has done much good to seedlings. Sugarcane in good condition. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·05. Vishnupur 3·99. Transplantation going on. Rice sells at 11¼ seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·06, Contai 4·69, Tamluk 9·33, Ghatal 4·82. Winter paddy still being transplanted. More rain needed at Pataspur and Egra thanas and Sadar subdivision. *Aus* being harvested at Ghatal. Prospects favourable. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	9 0	per rupee.
Contai	12 0	
Tamluk	10 10	
Ghatal	10 0	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·66, Serampore 8·67, Arambagh 5·60. Transplantation of winter paddy complete in Arambagh and Sadar, still proceeding in a few places in the Serampore subdivision. Harvesting of *aus* continues. The recent rainfall has done much good, and has given sufficient water for steeping jute. Prospect of standing crops fair. Winter paddy is expected to yield over 12 annas. Rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Serampore	10	0	
Arambagh	10	7	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·79. Transplantation of paddy seedlings is almost completed. The recent rainfall will do immense good to the crop. Jute is being cut and steeped. Sugarcane is being reared. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice is selling at 10½ seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·07, Barasat 8·08, Basirhat 8 64, Diamond Harbour 7·98. Raining almost daily. *Aus*, jute, and sugarcane doing well. Prospect of *aus* and jute good and that of *aman* fair. Jute being cut and steeped. Harvesting of *aus* continues. Transplantation of *aman* nearly finished. Common rice sells at 11¼ seers except in Barasat and Diamond Harbour, where it sells at 10 seers per rupee. Condition of cattle, good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·6, Kushtia 2 55, Meherpur 2·27, Chuadanga 1 8 Ranaghat 7·66. The rainfall has been general throughout the district, and has done much good to the standing crops. Jute and *aus* are being harvested. Ploughing of lands for *rabi* is going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Kushtia	12	8	
Meherpur	12	4	
Chuadanga	13	0	
Ranaghat	11	0	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·87, Kandi 3·03, Jangipur 0·37, Lalbagh 3·10. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* continues, but more rain wanted. Harvesting of *aus* goes on. Jute being cut and steeped in Jangipur. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kandi	10	14	
Jangipur	12	0	
Lalbagh	11	8	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·41, Jhenida 3·08, Magura 4·53, Narail 6·11, Bangaon 2·04. Weather seasonable. Recent rain has done much good to the standing *aman* paddy. Harvesting of *aus* and steeping of jute going on. Cattle-disease reported from Bangaon and Muhammedpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Jhenida	13	0	
Magura	13	8	
Narail	13	0	
Bangaon	12	4	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 2 54, Bagerhat 3·49, Satkhira 4·21. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice is now estimated at 80 per cent. Prospect of the crop is fair. Cattle-disease reported from Khulna, Dumuria, Kaliganj and Budhata. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	12	per rupee.
Bagerhat	12	8	
Satkhira	10	0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·76, Nator 2·05, Naugaon 0·10. More rain wanted. Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of *aus* and jute continues. Transplantation of winter rice nearly over. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling on an average at 15½ seers per rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·16, Thakurgaon nil. Weather hot. More rain wanted. Harvesting of *bhadoi* and steeping of jute continue. Transplantation of winter rice is nearly over. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice selling at 13 seers at Sadar and at 12 seers at Thakurgaon.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar ·48, Alipur Duars ·49. Weather hot. Transplantation of winter rice and harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy nearly finished. Cutting and steeping of jute going on. Common rice sells at 11½ seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·51. Rains apparently breaking. *Hills*—Maize, *chota marua*, *bhadoi* paddy, and winter rice being harvested. *Terai*—Transplantation of winter rice and reaping of jute continue. Prospects fair. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Hills	9 0	per rupee.
Terai	11 0	

Maize sells at Darjeeling at 15 and at Kalimpong at 24 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·07, Gaibanda ·68, Nilphamari ·12. Weather hot. Transplantation of *aman* and washing of jute going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	12 0	per rupee.
Gaibanda	12 0	
Nilphamari	11 0	
Kurigram	12 0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar ·15, slightfall everywhere. Weather sultry and occasionally cloudy. Harvesting of *aus* and transplantation of *aman* nearly finished. Steeping of jute going on in places. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·02, Sirajganj 0·10. General rains throughout on the 12th. Weather cloudy and hot. Prospects of standing crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. The reaping of jute and *aus* paddy almost finished. Common rice (*aus*) sells at 14½ seers a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar ·66. Fall general. Prospects of crops good. Weather hot. Fodder available No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·24, Jamalpur 2·19, Kishorganj 0·99, Netrokona 3·03, Tangail 0·22. Weather seasonable. Condition of crops good. Harvesting of *aus* and jute and transplantation of rice continue. *Bhadoi til* sown 55 per cent. Fodder and water ample. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	14 0	per rupee.
Jamalpur	15 4	
Kishorganj	13 0	
Netrokona	13 11	
Tangail	12 0	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·94, Goalundo 1·00, Madaripur 1·90. Weather sultry, varied by cyclonic disturbances. Harvesting of jute crop still continues. Prospects of winter rice very promising. Fodder available. Common rice sells at 13 seers per rupee.

Backergunge.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·39, Patuakhali 7·82. Fall general. Jute and sugarcane promise fair crop. Transplantation of *aman* and harvesting of *aus* not yet finished. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Aman	12 0	per rupee.
Aus	14 8	

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·20, Brahmanbaria 1·35, Chandpur 1·88. Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* not yet completed. In Sadar transplantation of *aman* and harvesting of jute still going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease in Kotwali thana. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	16 0	per rupee.
Brahmanbaria	16 0	
Chandpur	13 0	

Noakhali.—Rainfall at Sadar 8·61, Feni 2·57. Weather seasonable. Prospects good. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Sudharam. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12 and at Feni at 17 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·63, Cox's Bazar 8·33. Transplantation of *aman* crop still going on. *Aus* crop being reaped. Cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 12 seers 10 chitaks per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Rainfall 1·48. Weather hot. Prospect of standing crops fair. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·06, Barh 0·35, Bihar 0·57, Dinapore 0·12, Bikram 1·09, Asthawan 0·60, Islampur 0·90. Weather hot and cloudy. *Bhadoi* crops still fair, but required rain at the end of the week. The possibility of transplanting paddy in the greater part of Bihar and in the south of Barh subdivision has passed. In the Dinapore and Sadar subdivisions the area transplanted is below the normal, but the crop in the ground is safe. More rain required. Preparation for *rabi* going on. Fodder sufficient. Price of common rice hardening slightly. Prices of common rice as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Barh	10	0	
Bihar	12	0	
Dinapore	13	0	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·81, Nawada 1·78, Jahanabad 1·96, Aurangabad 0·92. Weather hot and rainy. Transplantation of paddy continues. Sugarcane and *bhadoi* crops doing well. More rain wanted for paddy. Distribution of rain is often very unequal. Average price of common rice is 11¾ seers per rupee. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.

Shahabad.—Rainfall at Arrah 0·67, Buxar 2·85, Bhabhua 2·43, Sasaram 4·68, Dehri 2·95. Paddy transplantation progressing. More rain wanted in Bhabhua subdivision. Standing crops doing well. Fodder and water abundant. Rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers per rupee.

Saran.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·09, Siwan 1·08, Gopalganj nil. Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Transplantation of paddy still continues. More rain wanted at Sadar and Siwan. Cattle-disease reported from Pursa and Manjhi. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 and maize at 22½ seers per rupee at Chapra.

Champaran.—Rainfall at Motihari ·82, Bettiah 1·03. Transplantation of winter rice nearly finished. Harvesting of *makai* commenced. Prospects good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 16½ and maize 23 seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·10, Hajipur ·09, Sitamarhi 1·39. Weather hot and seldom cloudy. Transplantation of paddy finished. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops going on. Prospects fair. More rain wanted in Hajipur and Sadar subdivisions. A few cases of rinderpest reported from Sitamarhi subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 13 and maize at 22 seers a rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·05, Samastipur 0·06, Madhubani 6·31. Prospect of winter rice is good in Sadar and Madhubani. Rain urgently wanted in Samastipur. Harvesting of *bhadoi* in progress. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	6	per rupee
Samastipur	14	0	
Madhubani	14	5	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·61, Begusarai ·70, Jamui 1·92. Weather hot and cloudy in Sadar. Transplantation of paddy going on. *Makai* ripe for cutting in Begusarai. Harvesting of *makai*, *sama* and *koeni* continues. Winter paddy still transplanted. In Jamui practically no paddy transplantation. Maize being reaped in places. Sugarcane doing well. Prospect of *bhadoi* poor and that of paddy still very poor. More rain badly wanted everywhere. No cattle-disease. Plenty of fodder and water. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Begusarai	13	0	
Jamui	11	0	

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·53, Banka 2·42, Madhipura 1·57, Supaul 0·23. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of paddy still going on in places in Banka and harvesting of *makai*. More rain needed in Sadar, Supaul and Banka. Harvesting of *bhadoi* and *marua* going on in Madhipura and Supaul. Winter crops doing well at Supaul and Madhipura, except in high lands of Supaul. There is little hope now of anything more than eight-anna paddy crop in Sadar and Banka, if as much, as transplantation has only been done in irrigated tracts, and broadcast paddy is withering for want of rain. Some cases of cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	14	per rupee.
Banka	11	9	
Madhipura	15	0	
Supaul	17	0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·47, Kishanganj 4·01, Araria 3·33. Fall confined to the north of the district only. More rain wanted at the Sadar subdivision. Harvesting of *bhadoi* going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	12	0	
Araria	12	0	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·71, Chanchal ·30, Gazol ·40, Sibganj 2·79. Weather hot. Transplantation of winter rice and harvesting of *bhadoi* still going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-pox reported from thana Kharba. Common rice sells at 12½ seers per rupee.

Sonthal Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·98, Deoghar 1·13, Godda 1·63, Jamtara 0·01, Pakaur 0·71, Rajmahal 2·40. Weather hot. Transplantation of winter rice nearly completed. More rain needed, specially at Godda and Jamtara. Indian-corn being harvested. Outturn good. Sugarcane doing well. *Kurthi* begins to be sown. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Dumka at 11 seers per rupee.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·25, Jajpur 2·36, Kendrapara 1·42, Banki 1·58. Weather hot and cloudy. *Beali* being harvested. *Sarad* growing; *mandua* getting maturity. Outturn of late cotton estimated at 100. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers 7 chitaks per rupee at Cuttack.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·75. *Beali* ripening and being harvested at places. Transplanting and weeding of *sarad* and winter rice continue. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. More rain wanted in Bhadrak subdivision. Rice sells at 14½ and 14 seers per rupee at Sadar and Bhadrak respectively.

Angul.—Report not received.

Puri.—Rainfall 1·59 inches. Weather hot, cloudy and rainy. Weeding and transplanting of winter rice paddy continues. *Beali* and *mandua* are being harvested. The outturn of these crops is expected to be 12 annas. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 18 seers 6 chitaks per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·86, Giridih 1·89. Weather hot. General rain throughout the district at close of the week, which has done immense good to paddy. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops going on. Outturn 12 to 16 annas expected. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 11½ seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·05. Weather cloudy. Prospects improved by the recent rains. Harvesting of *gora* commenced in places. Cattle-disease reported from five thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Gumla	17	0	

Palamau.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·10. Weather seasonable. All last week there were showers all over the district, and heavy rain on 12th and 13th. The *bhadoi* crop cannot now be less than a twelve-anna one as the district average; rice promises 8 annas. Prospects in Uttary and Hussainabad enormously improved. *Suwan* and *gondli* being harvested. *Kurthi* and *til* have been sown in very increased quantities. Rice sells at 12 seers 6 chitaks, *makai* at 16 seers 14 chitaks with tendency to fall in cheaper grains.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·61, Gobindpur 1·64. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops fair. Transplantation of tobacco estimated at 50 per cent. in Gobindpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Jhalda and Bara Bazar. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers and at Gobindpur at 11 seers per rupee.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 2·39. Recent rain has been favourable, but too late for the autumn rice which will be a very short crop. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells at 11 seers per rupee.

General Summary.—Rainfall during the week was general and moderately heavy in places. More rain is needed in the districts of Burdwan, Midnapore, Murshidabad, Rajshahi, Dinajpur, Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Saran, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea, Sonthal Parganas, and Balasore. Harvesting of autumn crops going on. Transplantation of winter rice continues. Sugarcane doing well. Cattle-disease reported from nine districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in five districts, has fallen in 14, and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 15th September 1903.

Meteorological Report of the Province of

STATION OBSER

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District	Representative stations.	Air Pressure.					Wind.		Temperature.					
				Highest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Lowest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Mean, 8 A.M., reduced to 32°.	Mean reduced to sea-level and constant gravity, Lat. 45°.	Variation from normal mean.	Mean direction at 8 A.M.	Mean velocity in miles daily.	Highest of month.	Lowest of month.	Mean daily maximum temperature	Mean daily minimum temperature.	Mean daily temperature.	Variation from normal mean.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Burdwan	29·661	29·414	29·532	29·599	+·005	S16°E.	80	92·9	75·8	89·5	79·0	84·5	+0·1
			Raniganj	29·416	29·152	29·316	29·598	+·010	S73°E	24	94·9	75·4	90·6	78·2	84·5	+1·0
		Birbhum	.....													
		Bankura	Bankura	29·454	29·163	29·329	29·569	+·009	S85°E	81	94·6	74·9	89·7	78·3	84·1	+0·9
		Midnapore	Midnapore	29·617	29·367	29·496	29·593	−·009	S10°E	62	92·3	74·7	89·4	78·8	84·1	+0·9
		Hooghly	.....													
		Howrah	.....													
	Presidency	24-Parganas	Saugor Island	29·771	29·479	29·634	29·593	+·0 3	S7°W	399	93·9	77·1	88·4	80·6	84·5	+1·0
		Calcutta	Calcutta	29·766	29·506	29·643	29·609	+·018	S14°E	99	91·9	74·9	83·1	78·4	83·3	+0·8
		Nadia	Krishnagar	29·732	29·488	29·632	29·617	+ 031	S29°E	92	93·8	76·0	89 7	78·8	84·3	+0·1
		Murshidabad	Berhampore	29·677	29·445	29·593	29·606	+·006	S14°E	101	93 8	75·3	89·1	78·4	83 8	+0 1
		Jessore	Jessore	29·746	29·495	29·639	29·617	+·014	S30°E	74	92·0	75 7	88·8	78·4	83 4	−0·3
		Khulna	.....													
North Bengal.	Rajshahi	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	29·676	29·434	29·594	29·613	+·011	S14°E	111	93·1	76·1	88·7	79·0	83·9	+1·0
		Dinajpur	Dinajpur	29·625	29·438	29·548	29·625	+·016	S51°E	62	93 3	74·8	88 7	78·5	83 6	−0·1
		Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	29·479	29·284	29 392	29 634	+·004	S83°E	24	93 4	74·1	87·7	77·1	82·4	+0·4
		Darjeeling	Darjeeling	23 010	22·873	23·944	—	−·007	S27°E	86	70·7	55·6	63·2	57·5	61·8	+0·5
		Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	29·606	29·417	29·559	29 640	—	S63°E	39	93 4	74·1	88·4	75·5	82·5	—
		Rangpur	Rangpur	29·644	29·456	29·566	29 614	+·020	S63°E	68	93 2	74·3	88·9	78·1	83·5	+0·1
		Bogra	Bogra	29·685	29·496	29·611	29·624	+·020	S68°E	78	93·2	75·7	88 5	78·6	83 6	+0·1
		Pabna	Sirajganj	29·719	29 534	29 640	29·639	+·017	S2°E	111	91 3	75·7	86 8	78 3	82·6	−0·1
East Bengal.	Dacca	Dacca	Narayanganj	29·747	29·532	29·669	29·643	+·022	S21°E	162	91·1	74 3	87·4	(c)78·2	(c)82·6	−0·4
		Mymensingh	Mymensingh	29·716	29·535	29 637	29·647	+·015	S67°E	85	91·2	74·6	86·5	77 8	82·2	−0·4
		Faridpur	Faridpur	29 735	29·515	29·643	29 657	+·008	S19°E	104	90·3	74·9	87 1	78·1	82·6	0
		Backergunge	Barisal	29 754	29·509	29·674	29·633	+·022	S18°E	108	89·8	75·1	86·7	78 1	82·4	−0·1
	Chittagong	Tippera	Comilla	29·765	29·543	29·674	29·658	+·023	S30°E	137	92 8	73·3	87·8	76·5	81·9	+0·1
		Noakhali	Noakhali	29·790	29 536	29 668	29 653	+·019	S34°E	177	89·2	74·9	85·6	77·4	81·5	+0·4
		Chittagong	Chittagong	29·758	29·501	29·632	29 667	+·005	S29°E	216	91·5	74 6	86·1	76·6	81·4	+0·4
		Chittagong Hill Tracts	.....													
Bihar.	Patna	Patna	Bankipore	29·588	29·267	29·451	29·536	+·001	S58°E	161	100·5	75·3	90 5	79·0	84·8	+0·5
		Gaya	Gaya	29·352	29·055	29·248	29·576	−·001	S43°E	83	101·2	74·8	92 8	78·8	85·8	+1·4
		Shahabad	Deuri	29·360	29·055	29·255	29 558	−·014	S27°E	107	100·9	74·0	90 7	79·3	85·0	+1·0
			Buxar	29·472	29 170	29·371	29 564	−·017	S41°E	126	102·0	73 6	90·8	78·3	84·1	+0·6
			Arrah	29·524	29·254	29 453	29 574	+·013	S76°E	85	103 0	75 6	91·1	79·3	85·2	+1·7
		Saran	Chapra	29 531	29·254	29·434	29 568	−·004	S57°E	93	101 9	76 1	91·6	79·2	85·5	+1·5
		Champaran	Motihari	29·484	29·248	29·413	29·595	+·009	S54°E	136	97 4	73·5	89 4	78·4	83·9	+0·1
		Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	29·528	29 283	29·453	29·589	+·009	S48°E	86	97·2	74 2	88·7	78·7	83·7	−
		Darbhanga	Darbhanga	29·551	29 307	29·478	29 597	+·005	S59°E	67	96·8	75 0	88·1	79·7	83·9	0
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr	.....													
		Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	29·552	29·319	29·432	29·591	+·023	S39°E	(a)60	98·2	75 6	90·2	79·0	84·6	+1·9
		Purnea	Purnea	29·663	29·388	29·532	29·611	+·007	S68°E	61	94·7	74 7	88·9	78·5	83 7	+ 0·1
		Malda	Malda	29 639	29·413	29·567	29·590	+·002	S47°E	143	94·6	76 5	89·6	79·0	84 3	−0·1
		Santhal Parganas	Naya Dumka	29·538	29·292	29·152	29 601	+·007	S42°E	79	94·0	74 4	88·9	77·6	83·3	+0·9
Orissa.	Orissa	Cuttack	Cuttack	29·731	29·432	29·573	29 595	+·004	S48°W	67	93·4	76·7	90·4	79·1	84·8	+1·1
			False Point	29·793	29·440	29·635	29 598	+·001	S53°W	268	91·5	75 1	87·2	79·1	83 2	+0·5
		Balasore	Balasore	29·742	29·446	29 598	29·590	+·005	S34°W	136	90·9	75·7	88·6	78·5	83·6	+0·6
		Puri	Puri	29·795	29 453	29 641	29·604	+·006	S47°W	396	91·7	76·6	(b)87·3	80·4	(b)83·9	−
			Gopalpur	29·792	29·504	29·648	29 608	+·016	S40°W	351	90·2	76·0	86·7	79·0	82·9	−0·8
Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh	27·748	27·454	27·638	29·581	−·003	S31°W	160	89 2	70·3	85·9	74·0	80·0	+1·9
		Ranchi	Ranchi	27·636	27·351	27·532	29·585	+·003	S40°W	209	87·2	70 9	84·4	73·2	78·8	+0·8
		Palamau	Daltonganj	29 002	28·706	28·889	29·571	—	S68°E	86	98·6	74·0	91·6	77·6	84·6	—
		Manbhum	Purulia	28 925	28·653	28·830	29·579	—	S23°E	115	91·5	73·4	89·1	76·5	82·8	—
		Singhbhum	Chaibasa	29·003	28·736	28·874	29·581	+·014	S63°W	25	93 1	73·0	88·9	77·4	83·2	+0·4
Assam.	.....	Dibrugarh	Dibrugarh	29·484	29·275	29·361	29·675	—	N82°E	19	95·2	70·0	86·2	74·9	80·6	—
		Sibsagar	Sibsagar	29·450	29·285	29 379	29·669	−·004	S85°E	55	93·2	73·0	86·8	77 2	82·0	−1·5
		Tezpur	Tezpur	29·530	29·357	29·452	29·664	—	S23°E	60	92·1	73·4	87·4	77·0	83·3	—
		Kamrup	Gauhati	29·504	29·412	29 509	29·658	—	N63°E	43	94·5	74·5	89·2	77·4	83·3	—
		Goalpara	Dhubri	29·548	29·470	29·570	29·640	+·007	S48°E	101	91·2	75·8	86·4	78·1	82·8	+0·1
		Cachar	Silchar	29·724	29·530	29 635	29·671	+·017	S45°E	50	93·5	75·.	88·6	76·7	82·7	−0·1
		Khasi and Jaintia Hills.	Shillong	25·065	24·946	25·035	—	—	N45°E	65	81·7	59·0	75·4	64·0	69·7	—
			Cherrapunji	25·033	25·406	25·573	—	—	S27°W	187	78·3	63·0	71·0	64·8	68 9	—

(a) Mean of 22 days. | (b) Mean of 30 days.

ngal for the month of August 1903.

ATIONS.				DISTRICT OBSERVATIONS.										
UMIDITY.	CLOUD.			RAINFALL—										DISTRICT.
				Of month.					Since 16th of May 1903.					
Variation from normal mean.	Mean cloud amount, 8 A.M.	Variation from normal mean, 8 A.M.	Rainfall.	Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Mean of district	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	
+2	8·6	0	14·15	9·45	11·76	−2·31	14·60	15·20	25·70	37·13	−11·43	39·50	45·83	Burdwan.
—	6·6	—	8·93											
				13·44	11·45	+1·99	17·83	15·13	25·98	39·02	−13 04	38·66	46·20	Birbhum.
—	6·7	—	11·58	9·91	11·89	−1·98	13·50	14·69	25·35	37·69	−12 34	38·10	45 43	Bankura.
—	5·2	—	6·35	10 09	12·86	−2·77	13 63	15·24	27·06	38·56	−11·50	43·27	45·30	Midnapore.
				9·38	12·55	−3·17	15·67	16·67	29 85	38 03	−8·48	43·00	49·04	Hooghly.
				10·94	11·39	−0 45	17·00	16·90	35·14	36·72	−1·58	47·00	50·78	Howrah.
−4	9·0	+0·7	11·34	13·91	13 29	−0 38	16 45	16·70	31·34	40·18	−8·84	43·58	49 86	24-Parganas.
+1	8·5	−0·3	10·17	10·17	12·69	−2·52	17·00	18·88	38·45	38·99	−10·54	45·00	56·40	Calcutta.
—	7·6	—	11·73	14·62	10·96	+3·66	15·30	15·00	38·13	35·02	−1·89	45 20	47·63	Nadia.
+3	9·1	−0·1	9·10	11·37	10 45	+0 92	15·25	14·53	29 84	34·76	−4 92	40·13	45 95	Murshidabad.
+2	8·6	−0·6	8·86	10·68	10·67	+0·21	16·00	15·87	34·03	36 77	−3·74	47·80	49·77	Jessore.
				11·70	12 32	−0·62	18·40	16·71	31·61	41·60	−10 05	47·00	52·81	Khulna.
—	7·0	—	9·58	13·51	10·35	+2 16	17·00	14·53	30·17	36·48	−6·25	40·00	46·40	Rajshahi.
—	9 0	—	13·58	14·65	12·41	+2·24	17·40	15·28	38·68	46 23	−7·55	47·00	48 79	Dinajpur.
—	6·0	—	39·16	48·55	26·53	+16 05	23·17	18·90	106·30	95·39	+10·91	66·67	65·50	Jalpaiguri.
+5	(d)9·4	+0·5	26·89	35·87	24·94	+8·93	27·50	23·20	84·97	85·14	−0·17	75·84	75·51	Darjeeling.
—	[8 9	—	26·61	23·17	19·28	+3·89	20·40	16·78	86·30	79 75	+6·55	63·20	60·22	Cooch Behar.
—	7·0	—	12·88	13·09	12 58	+0·51	15·50	13·70	56·24	51 00	+5·24	50·01	47·65	Rangpur.
—	8·5	—	11·96	13·88	11·48	+2·37	14·75	14·69	42·50	42·39	+0·11	43 75	49 17	Bogra.
—	7·6	—	11·28	14·03	11·04	+2·99	15·00	15·20	32·55	38·03	−5·48	42·50	49·19	Pabna.
+2	8·5	+0·3	13·74	13·99	12·59	+1·40	17·20	17·37	40·92	43·71	−2·79	51·20	55·38	Dacca.
—	8·0	—	24·01	21·43	14·05	+7·99	21·56	16 43	67 35	56·23	+11·12	64·82	58·73	Mymensingh.
—	8·8	—	14·00	13·78	11·49	+2·29	19·00	15·79	37·93	40 15	−2·23	49·35	51·79	Faridpur.
—	8·9	—	17·85	15·04	16·21	−1·17	23·29	19·90	41·56	55·94	−14·38	60·73	63·12	Backergunge.
—	7·8	—	14·98	15·10	12·78	+2·32	19·00	15·69	46·50	46·46	+0 04	51·33	52·20	Tippera.
—	6 8	—	21·93	22·75	23·92	−1·17	22·75	21·14	56·68	76 29	−19·61	58·75	65·77	Noakhali.
−2	7 9	0	17·87	27 81	21·72	+5·89	22·80	19·16	62 04	78·79	−16·75	59·00	63·51	Chittagong.
				15·76	16·44	+0·32	24·50	20·53	51·51	63·58	−11·27	68·50	67·41	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
+4	8·6	+0·4	8·49	9·11	11·21	−2·10	13 67	15·18	14·99	32·49	−17·50	24·00	36·87	Patna.
0	6·9	−1·1	9·33	9·36	11·72	−2·36	13·67	15·83	15 34	31 46	−16 14	24·52	36·65	Gaya.
—	7·6	—	11·98											
—	7·4	—	14·13	11·33	11·66	−0·33	14·08	12·96	18·09	31·14	−13·05	25·75	35 54	Shahabad.
—	4·6	—	11·40											
—	7·4	—	11·91	15·56	11·00	+4·56	15·17	12·19	24·67	31·48	−6·81	27·67	34·47	Saran.
—	7 1	—	20·90	25 44	12·81	+12·63	16·50	15·19	46·51	37·44	+9·07	39 25	38·91	Champaran.
—	5·1	—	12·89	11·85	11·00	+0·85	13·00	13 27	25·47	31·88	−6·41	26 63	35·15	Muzaffarpur.
+4	8 1	+1·2	9·44	8·35	12·51	−3·96	13·40	13 74	24·50	33·99	−9·49	33·80	37·71	Darbhanga.
—	7·3	—	8·15	7·76	11·41	−3·65	15·89	15·53	16·04	33·59	−17·55	26·20	38·18	Monghyr.
+4	7·0	−0·5	13·22	13·22	11·66	+1·56	14·50	15·53	26·06	34·78	−6·72	34·13	40·22	Bhagalpur.
—	8·3	—	7·04	19·66	14 98	+4·68	19·00	15·33	41·49	49·21	−7·72	41·86	46·51	Purnea.
—	9·2	—	13·78	10·98	11·07	−0·09	15·78	14·69	26·59	37 07	−10 48	39·50	46·36	Malda.
				10·61	11·66	−1·05	15·71	15·60	23·75	35·69	−11·94	36·70	45 38	Santhal Parganas.
+1	6 6	−0·8	13·09	11·68	13·77	−1·09	15·68	15 51	34·61	37·33	−2·72	43·84	45·46	Cuttack.
−2	8·6	+0·6	12·04											
—	5·8	—	9·51	8·84	11·83	−2·99	14·33	14·96	31·99	36·47	−4·48	44·16	45·92	Balasore.
—	6·0	—	7·17	11·05	13·14	−1·06	15·83	14·68	34·13	33 46	+0·67	38 66	39 45	Puri.
—	5·1	—	8·30											
−3	9·9	+0·5	13·18	9·79	13·58	−3·79	15·17	16·51	20 26	36 61	−16·23	36·17	45 09	Hazaribagh.
—	8·9	—	8·90	12·08	15 31	−1·23	19·33	16·91	29 62	38·34	−9·32	43 00	46·95	Ranchi.
—	6·4	—	6·11	8·00	13 42	−4·82	11·75	14·91	17·29	34·83	−17·54	26 33	40 19	Palamau.
—	6·6	—	10·66	11 53	13·55	−1·02	17·71	16·27	25·16	36·75	−11·59	41 79	46·37	Manbhum.
—	5 6	—	9·63	9·04	14 56	−5·52	15·83	17·03	33·71	42·31	−8·60	44·83	48·98	Singhbhum.
—	9·5	—	25·52											Dibrugarh.
+5	9·9	+0·9	26·03											Sibsagar.
—	9·3	—	11·86											Tezpur.
—	9·0	—	13·79											Kamrup.
−3	9·0	+1·6	16·56											Goalpara.
+1	9·4	+1·0	25 17											Cachar.
—	8·2	—	18·90											Khasi and Jaintia Hills.
—	9·7	—	107·72											

Mean of 25 days. | (d) Mean of 24 days.

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL.	Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	Kalna	...	0·65	0·41	...	0·08	0·93	0·64	2·80	0·03	0·83	0·05	0·32	...	0·60		0·07	0·67	0·61	0·28	..
			Burdwan ..	...	...	0·76	0·19	...	1·11	1·47	3·40	0·75	1·16	0·97	0·01	0·02	1·64	0·08	0·01	0·07	0·16	0·30	0·35
			Katwa ...	...	0·04	0·09	0·17	...	0·11	0·19	1·41	0·26	0·83	0·56	0·09	0·33	0·29	0·31	..	...	...	0·08	0·55
			Raniganj	...	0·05	0·03	0·16	0·03	0·14	1·30	2·23	0·08	0·63	0·55	...	0·55	0·02	0·18	0·08	0·40	...	0·03	0·93
			Mankur ...	...	..	0·72	...	...	...	1·53	0·60	0·42	0·23	0·17	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·73	...	0·11
		Birbhum ...	Suri ..	.	0·31	0·42	0·10	0·11	0·44	0·35	0·30	...	1·18	2·20	0·45	...	...	0·82	0·82	0·08	0·48	0·86	0·14
			Hetampur ..	0·01	0·38	...	...	...	0·50	0·62	0·06	...	1·11	1·48	0·33	...	...	0·87	0·51	0·25	...	0·06	0·48
			Rampur Hât	..	...	0·01	0·46	...	0·56	0·50	1·90	2·95	0·80	2·80	0·05	0·61	...	0·63	0·71	...	...	0·15	
			Bolpur ..	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·26	0·41	0·52	0·65	0·53	0·56	...	0·19	0·30	1·63	1·56	0·07	0·22	0·07	0·11
			Murari ...	...	0·20		0·26	...	0·44	...		0·45	1·08	0·76	0·85	...	...	2·50	..	..	...	0·24	...
			Labpur ...	0·02	0·09	0·10	0·03	0·14	...	0·74	0·58	1·33	0·09	2·13	0·04	0·28	0·06	0·08	0·08	0·02	0·13	0·80	0·12
		Bankura ...	Bankura ..	...	0·12	0·09	0·07	...	0·58	1·38	2·79	0·03	1·30	...	...	0·22	...	1·61	0·57	0·65	0·32	0·08	0·02
			Vishnupur ...		0·13	0·30	0·02	...	1·21	1·01	1·04	0·41	0·24	0·58	0·05	..	...	0·81	0·11	...		...	0·08
			Mallara	...	0·31	0·29	..	...	0·90	1·33	1·61	0·20	1·80	0·21	...	0·15	...	0·04	0·11	0·76	0·36	0·05	..
			Khatra ...	...	0·56	0·05	0·06	...	1·91	2·01	1·81	0·31	.	...	...	...	0·26	0·33	0·35	0·02	0·06	0·50	...
			Indas ...	..	0·13	0·27	...	0·03	1·03	0·41	1·95	0·89	1·63	0·06	...	...	2·15	0·05	0·07	...	...	0·03	0·29
			Kotalpur ...	...	0·17		...	...	2·56	0·85	2·55	1·39	0·41	...	...	0·35	1·50	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·21
			Onda ...	...	0·05	0·41	...	0·05	0·35	2·24	1·08	...	0·79	0·21	...	...	...	1·35	0·58	0·12	...	...	0·08
			Gangajalghati	..	0·17	0·11	0·87	...	1·00	1·35	2·63	...	0·85	0·04	...	0·21	...	0·02	0·28	1·67	0·19	0·35	0·07
			Raipur ...	0·03	0·93	...	...	...	0·69	1·91	0·45	...	...	...	0·25	1·20	0·22	0·21	...	.	0·82	...	..
			Sonamukhi ...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	1·26	2·11	...	1·30	...	0·13	...	...	...	1·40	0·72	...	...	
		Midnapore ..	Contai ...	0·18	0·42	2·47	0·05	...	0·65	0·59	0·29	...	...	...	0·06	..	0·02		0·05	...	1·46	...	...
			Tamluk .	..	0·92	0·09	0·10	...	4·83	2·26	0·82	..	...	...	0·06	0·29	0·56	0·02	...	...	0·68	...	0·79
			Midnapore ..	0·37	0·13	0·38	0·01	...	0·48	0·28	0·55	0·61	0·02	...	0·11	0·66	0·31	...	...	...	0·45	0·14	0·05
			Ghatal ...	0·22	0·20	0·17	...	0·32	3·50	0·88	0·37	0·48	0·01	.	...	0·15	0·50	...	...	...	0·28	0·23	0·21
			Kukrahaty ...	...	0·72	0·41	0·07	..	5·97	1·12	0·24	...	...	0·21	...	0·36	0·72	...	0·32	1·26	0·08	...	0·18
			Garhbeta ...	0·37	0·38	0·08	...	...	1·00	0·72	1·42	0·53	0·47	...	...	0·65	1·33	0·26	...	0·15	0·24	..	0·65
			Panskura ...	0·12	0·93	...	0·01	...	1·21	0·18	0·24	0·39	0·01	...	0·10	0·58	0·01	...	...	...	1·15	...	0·05
			Dantan ...	...	...	..	0·11	...	0·29	0·48	...	...	...	1·09	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·11
		Hooghly ...	Serampore ...	...	0·32	0·25	...	...	0·28	3·12	1·35	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·32	0·02	1·18	0·44	0·04	0·02	0·08
			Hooghly ...	...	0·08	0·13	...	0·10	0·32	1·80	1·50	...	0·25	.	...	0·22	0·18	...	...	0·35	...	0·25	0·06
			Arambagh (Jahanabad).	...	0·13	0·16	1·16	0·11	2·16	0·69	0·73	0·09	0·12	0·04	0·21	1·39	0·53	...	...	...	...	..	0·21
		Howrah ...	Howrah ...	0·08	0·22	0·42	0·10	..	0·11	1·79	0·13	...	0·04	...	...	0·43	.	0·58	0·08	.	...	0·14	0·22
			Mohesreka ..	...	0·35	0·43	0·05	...	4·63	0·75	0·52	0·29	...	0·02	0·19	0·50	0·13	..	0·02	1·25	0·15	0·10	0·04
			Uluberia ...	0·05	0·37	0·33	0·12	...	4·50	1·48	1·05	...	...	..	0·04	0·04	0·34	..	0·04	0·62	...	0·42	0·40
			Amta ...	0·35	0·58	0·42	0·01	...	3·10	0·43	0·40	...	...	0·27	0·10	0·24	1·18	0·01	...	0·06	...	0·67	0·35
	Presidency.	24-Parganas ...	Saugor Island	0·07	0·15	0·25	0·50	.	0·68	0·32	0·49	0·03	0·08	0·03	0·03	..	...	0·03	0·11	1·02	0·42	0·12	..
			Diamond Harbour.	0·02	0·70	0·05	0·54	...	5·54	0·85	0·80	...	...	0·11	0·04	0·02	...	0·19	1·40	0·30	0·23	0·10	0·41
			Budge-Budge	0·17	0·48	1·45	0·33	0·02	2·29	0·93	1·17	...	0·16	...	0·04	0·24	0·02	0·02	0·30	0·72	0·06	0·48	0·26
			Canning Town	..	0·28	...	3·71	..	...	1·75	0·49	...	...	1·28	...	...	...	0·21	0·40	.	0·07	.	...
			Alipore (Obsy.)	0·04	0·71	0·59	0·10	...	0·45	2·31	1·06	...	0·09	0·07	..	0·04	0·02	0·04	0·26	1·01	...	0·44	0·10
			Barrackpore .	0·10	...	0·27	...	0·25	...	3·56	1·10	..	0·12	...	...	.	0·75	...	0·15	0·62	...	..	0·11
			Dum Dum ...	...	...	0·21	...	...	0·30	2·81	2·23	..	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	1·19	1·27	...	0·22	0·15
			Barasat ...	...	0·55	0·19	0·07	...	..	5·25	2·05	0·17	0·75	...	...	1·02	0·02	0·04	0·06	0·04	0·03	...	0·27
			Basirhat	0·11	...	0·18	1·00	...	0·32	1·41	1·57	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·19	...	0·14	0·04	0·17	...	0·28
		Nadia ...	Ranaghat	.	...	0·80	...	...	0·25	0·32	6·58	0·04	1·40	0·32	0·12	...	5·04	...	0·28	...	0·05	...	...
			Krishnagar ...	0·01	0·11	0·17	0·04	0·07	1·17	0·15	5·46	0·25	1·16	0·09	0·20	0·10	0·70	0·15	0·50	...	...	0·08	0·03
			Chuadanga ..	...		0·06	..	0·13	3·68	0·38	3·05	0·42	0·45	1·17	...	1·44	7·05	0·40	...	0·08	...	0·29	0·04
			Meherpur .	...	0·05	...	0·52	...	2·14	0·52	1·80	2·25	0·82	1·05	...	1·45	0·56	0·40	...	0·70	0·24	0·12	0·02
			Kushtia	0·03	0·55	0·05	0·37	...	0·52	0·28	1·50	0·68	0·28	0·73	0·02	1·70	0·56	0·15	...	0·50	0·03	0·08	0·04
		Murshidabad	Kandi ..	...	0·03	...	0·08	0·35	4·91	0·86	1·92	0·50	0·22	1·46	0·18	0·65	0·54	0·01	0·01	...	...	0·51	0·16
			Berhampore ...	...	0·05	0·02	0·25	0·05	0·19	0·47	0·49	1·08	0·12	0·30	0·03	0·22	0·19	0·22	0·02	0·51	0·03	0·06	0·08
			Lalbagh ..	...	0·50	0·10	0·03	0·03	1·70	0·17	0·40	1·85	4·00	2·40	0·10	1·25	0·90	0·10	..	0·70	...	...	0·25
			Azimganj ...	...	0·06	0·50	0·37	...	0·11	0·49	0·38	0·68	4·00	0·81	0·18	0·88	0·09	...	...	0·60	..	0·01	0·04
			Jangipur ...	...	...	...	1·22	..	0·93	0·30	0·42	0·38	0·12	1·24	0·98	0·33	0·02	0·34	0·54	0·20	...	...	...
			Lalgola ...	...	..	...	1·00	0·25	0·15	...	1·23	0·13	0·07	0·31	0·80	0·60	0·03		...	...	..	...	...
			Akriganj ...	...	0·14	...	...	...	0·25	0·31	0·73	0·40	0·71	0·05	0·00	0·48	0·82	0·03	...	...	0·09	0·02	...
			Patkabari Dumkal ...	...	0·67	...	0·68	...	0·15	...	1·23	3·50	...	0·80	0·05	0·39	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	
		Jessore ...	Narail ...	...	0·21	0·24	...	0·03	1·15	0·68	0·52	1·55	...	0·41	..	0·28	...	–	...	...	...	0·52	...
			Jessore ..	...	0·08	0·50	0·22	0·47	0·17	0·70	1·10	0·36	1·24	...	..	0·13	0·91	0·09	0·11	0·13	0·11	0·25	0·08
			Jhenida ..	..	..	0·10	...	0·14	0·15	2·36	1·65	..	1·70	0·40	0·75	0·05	1·70	1·65	...	2·48	...	0·15	...
			Magura	0·10	0·07	0·04	0·02	...	0·04	0·54	0·46	1·50	0·74	0·97	...	2·59	1·65	0·02	...	0·15	0·05	0·06	..
			Bangaon ..	0·24	0·27	...	...	0·14	0·09	1·05	2·03	1·12	0·19	...	...	0·41	0·06	0·24	...	...	...	..	...
		Khulna ...	Satkhira .	0·10	...	...	0·31	0·86	0·32	1·87	0·85	...	0·06	...	0·07	0·28	0·08	0·31	0·28	...	0·10	0·12	0·16
			Bagerhat .	...	0·13	0·20	0·52	0·03	1·40	0·91	6·36	0·01	..	...	0·16	0·40	0·27	1·73	2·42	0·18	0·09	...	..
			Khulna .	0·04	0·30	0·10	0·30	...	0·16	0·35	0·60	0·04	1·04	0·10	0·05	0·70	0·02	0·60	...	0·68	0·08	0·44	0·04
			Kaliganj .	..	0·70	0·00	3·00	...	1·65	2·01	0·67	0·10	0·04	0·10	...	...	...	0·22	3·00	0·20	0·40	0·05	0·30
			Nakipur	...	...	0·46	0·92	.	2·61	3·45	0·30	..	...	1·35	...	0·05	...	2·05	...		1·10	...	...
			Damuria ...	0·41	0·13	0·21	0·25	...	0·03	1·84	0·72	0·11	1·21	0·03	...	0·22	2·82	...	1·88	1·99	0·07	0·12	0·34
			Rampal ..	0·15	0·40	0·60	0·14	0·20	1·33	0·80	0·60	0·20	...	...	1·29	0·71	0·40	1·01	1·47	0·09	0·19	0·03	0·10
			Kalaroa ...	0·02	0·10	0·37	1·30	0·12	0·10	0·30	1·90	0·23	0·11	...	...	...	0·14	...	3·50	2·09	...	0·08	0·02
			Paikgacha ...	..	0·51	1·36	0·40	...	0·12	2·19	1·29	...	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	0·59	0·47	...	0·20	0·19
			Mollahat .	0·15	0·44	0·03	...	...	1·86	0·95	0·43	...	0·45	0·50	...	0·19	...	0·25	0·45	...	...	...	...
			Morelganj ...	...	0·25	0·22	1·07	0·05	0·49	0·09	0·40	0·05	..	0·45	0·40	0·43	1·14	0·01	0·10	1·39	0·11	0·01	0·14
			Tala ...	0·06	...	0·17	0·20	...	...	3·07	0·08	0·19	0·34	0·25	...	...	0·35	0·06	0·24	0·04	...	...	0·17
NORTH BENGAL.	Rajshahi.	Rajshahi ...	Boalia ...	0·25	0·02	0·19	0·11	...	0·14	0·14	0·58	0·45	0·23	2·50	0·25	0·45	0·27	0·04	...	0·91	...	0·06	0·05
			Nator ..	...	0·46	0·20	...	0·04	0·20	0·17	1·09	0·33	0·20	2·15	0·03	0·75	0·46	0·18	...	...	...	0·48	..
			Naugaon ...	...	...	0·34	0·26	...	0·06	0·16	0·82	..	2·02	1·26	0·22	0·80	1·20		...	...	0·10	0·41	...
			Lalpur ...	.	0·09	...	0·11	0·03	0·14	0·24	0·90	2·03	0·49	3·85	0·10	0·77	1·47	0·56	...	0·12	...	0·05	0·21
			Manda ...	0·06	0·04	0·04	0·07	...	0·80	...	0·32	0·61	0·48	0·54	0·85	0·44	2·70	0·02	0·40	0·20	0·53	...	0·10
			Mahadebpur	...	..	0·79	...	1·89	0·93	0·21	0·72	0·73	0·62	0·55	1·35	0·24	1·40	0·15	0·58	0·58	...	...	0·05
			Tanor ...															...	...	...	...	...	
		Dinajpur ...	*Nithpur* ...	...	...	..	...	1·18	...	0·20	0·88	...	0·47	0·80	0·50	0·37	...	0·10	1·90	...	0·07	0·69	...
			Nawabganj ...	...	...	...	...	0·35	0·68	0·18	0·21	0·22	.	0·12	0·01	4·28	0·41	0·16	0·57	1·10	...	...	...
			Gangarampur	...	...	..	0·16	.	0·90	0·13	0·85	0·01	0·05	0·04	0·90	3·30	0·50	0·37	0·90	..	0·13	...	.
			Churaman .	...	0·06	0·08	0·42	.	...	0·45	0·54	0·52	1·70	0·04	0·25	1·33	0·12	0·04	0·07	0·48	0·12	0·18	..
			Raiganj .	...	..	0·04	0·05	...		0·34	0·83	0·03	2·26	0·17	1·04	0·46	0·15	0·88	...	0·64	0·44	0·75	...
			Dinajpur ...	...	0·03	0·06	0·09	0·01	0·16	0·24	0·70	0·30	0·29	0·48	0·58	3·40	0·98	1·12	2·11	0·02	0·01	0·09	0·01
			Balurghat	...	..	...	0·08	...	1·31	0·41	1·12	0·61	...	0·04	0·50	0·27	1·11	0·71	0·02	0·38	...	0·07	..
			Thakurgaon ..	...	...	...	0·28	...	0·47	...	0·14	0·07	2·45	0·95	1·00	1·54	0·95	2·68	...	...	...	...	..
			Setabganj ...	0·60	0·40	...	0·40	0·30	.	...	0·60	...	0·70	0·84	0·75	1·70	0·30	1·70	0·12	...	0·20	.	...
			Ramganj ...	..	0·45	0·25	0·05	1·03	0·02	.	0·14	0·10	0·28	0·47	0·76	4·01	0·03	2·73	0·05	2·37	0·45	0·08	0·20
			Atwari ...	0·10	0·22	...	0·61	0·14	0·26	0·64	0·04	1·30	1·55	0·57	3·30	1·26	...	1·63	1·23	0·06	0·72	...	...
			Birganj ...	...	0·27	...	0·04	0·21	0·00	0·06	0·15	0·18	0·34	0·80	1·25	1·12	0·37	0·94	0·31	0·71	0·06		0·05
			Parbatipur ...	...	0·34	0·08	...	0·13	0·25	0·53	0·05	0·13	...	0·45	0·62	4·42	0·45	1·46	0·15	0·14	0·00	.	...

in Bengal in August 1903.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st May up to 31st August 1903.	Average rainfall from 1st May up to 31st August.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
...	0·49	0·13	0·16	0·05	0·7	...	...	...	0·30	0·23	17	18·90	11·09	11·34	2·89	35·92	35·60	Kalna ...	Burdwan.		
0·10	0 01	...	...	...	0·19	0·06	...	...	0·41	0·43	16	16·48	14·15	11·40	3·40	36·10	37 24	Burdwan			
..	...	...	...	...	0 39	...	0·06	...	...	0·61	14	16 29	8·92	11·18	1·41	17·89	34·78	Katwa.			
0 02	...	1·08	0·18	...	0·47	0·03	0·73	...	...	0·27	13	16·00	8·92	13·01	2·23	21·96	39 56	Ramkanj			
0·53	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	0·16	...	...	0·74	13	14·31	6·15	11·79	1·53	16·63	38·47	Mankur.			
0·20	0·03	0·70	2·03	1·55	0·40	0·05	...	..		0·38	21	16·19	14·30	15·68	2·20	35 62	51·85	Suri ...	Birbhum.		
0·21	0·45	1·79	0 47	0 29	0·06	..	...	1·04	0·10	0·37	18	16·18	10·94	12·09	1·79	32 30	37 93	Hetampur.			
...	...	0·28	...	0·24	.	0·46	.	...	0·38	0 84	16	15·68	13·76	11·75	2 96	27·43	36·04	Rampur Hát.			
0·06	0·32	2·04	0·07	0·05	0·10	1·15	1·72	...	0·05	0·68	19	14·31	13·83	10 18	2·04	26·51	35·40	Bolpur.			
0·08	0·04	..	1·50	0·15	1·80	0·95	0·22	...		0·55	15	15·77	12 70	10 56	2·50	25·11	39·65	Murari			
0·67	...	3·05	0·04	1·54	0·78	0·18	0·45	...	0 60	0·95	18	14·71	15·11	8·43	3·05	29·21	33·28	Labpur			
0·14	...	0·89	...	...	0·19	0·14	...	0·07	0·15	0·33	16	16·66	11·58	11·66	2 79	26·33	37 16	Bankura ...	Bankura.		
0·07	...	0·05	...	0·57	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·52	14	15·22	7·54	13·18	1·21	21·44	29 21	Vishnupur			
0·37	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	0 25	18	15·67	8·99	11·35	1·80	23·23	30·49	Waiara			
...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·05	...	0·01	0·10	0·40	11	16·43	8·64	13·01	2·01	23·87	40·46	Khatra			
0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0 57	0·13	...	0 12	0·23	13	15·00	10·36	9 95	2·15	28·20	36·06	Indas.			
0 38	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·60	...	0·01	...	14	13·63	13·28	11·07	2·56	24·15	33·04	Kotalpur.			
...	...	2·91	...	...	...	.	.	0·17	0·19	0·96	13	13·69	11 30	11·76	2·91	23·91	34·08	Onda.			
...	...	...	0·10	0·37	0·01	0·10	0 12	0·08	0·04	1·05	17	13·63	11·06	12·17	2·63	23·16	33 37	Gangajalghati.			
...	...	0·59	...	0·30	0·30	...	...	...	...	..	12	16·13	8·03	14·34	1·91	33 79	41·86	Raipur.			
...	...	0·25		...	...	...	...	...	0·36	0·13	10	13·56	8·35	10 52	2·11	24·23	35 41	Sonamukhi.			
0·18	0·65	0·05	4·61	0·65	...		0·38	...	0·60	0 10	15	15·38	14 35	13·26	4·61	31·80	40·48	Contai ...	Midnapore.		
0·04	0·15	...	0·76	0·13	0·61	0·18	0·17	...	0·20	0 33	17	14·30	13·05	13·18	4·55	30·91	37·83	Tamluk.			
0·30	...	...	0·01	..	0·39	...	0·02	...	0·16	0·90	16	16·09	6·21	12 51	0·90	25·34	39·14	Midnapore.			
0·07	0·14	...	0·06	...	...	...	1·32	...	0·08	0·14	18	15·13	10·02	13·63	3·50	33·29	38·97	Ghatal			
0·11	0·11	0·07	0 61	0·08	...	0·08	0 85	...	..	0·39	16	15·64	13 34	13·02	5·97	28·08	38·40	Kukrahaty.			
0 58	...	...	...	...	0·15	.	.	..	0·29	1·15	17	15·13	10·42	13·74	1·42	26·23	40 68	Garhbeta.			
0·27	...	...	0 31	...	0·33	0·01	1·28	...	0·47	0·11	15	15·75	7·96	13·48	1·28	23·54	37·41	Panskura.			
0·27	..	...	0·19	0·12	...	...	0·05	...	0 65	0·50	11	14·38	4·36	12·07	1·09	18·78	36·75	Dantan.			
0·51	...	...	0·28	...	0 30	0·03	1·30	...	0·38	0·06	14	17·43	10·38	13·08	3·13	31·89	37·29	Serampore ..	Hooghly.		
...	..	...	0·23	...	0·05	...	0·70	...	0·27	0·04	14	16·26	7·23	11·73	1·30	26·42	37·29	Hooghly.			
0·79	0·12	...	...	0·16	0 23	0·24	0·66	...	0 50	0·04	19	16 33	10·23	13·86	2·16	30·44	39·23	*Arambagh* (Jahanabad).			
0·11	0·11	0·03	0·42	...		...	0·09	0·35	0·30	0·05	15	17·74	5·85	13·10	1·79	28·45	36·15	Howrah ...	Howrah.		
0·35	0·28	...	1·34	0·09	1·15	..	0·06	1·95	0·33	0 55	19	16 73	14·44	13·00	4·63	40·03	36·23	Moheer-ka			
0·16	0·07	0·21	0·38	0·08	0·27	...	.	0·68	0·27	0·17	17	16·23	12 85	9·08	4·50	36·96	33·83	Ulubaria			
0·13	0·16	...	0 34	0·03	...	...	0·36	...	0·34	0·41	15	?	10·21	?	3·10	31·39	?	*Amta.*			
0·14	0·03	0·32	1·63	0·80	...	3·40	0·07	0·15	0·39	0·06	17	17·00	11·34	15·18	3·40	31·76	44·39	Saugor Island	24-Parganas.		
0·12	0·38	1·40	0·88	0 31	...	0·05	...	...	0·27	0·09	19	18·06	14·91	14·18	5·54	28·51	44·32	Diamond Harbour.			
0·16	0·01	...	1·16	0·20	0·13	...	0·69	0·13	0·21	0·14	21	?	13·18	?	2·29	37·68	?	*Budge-Budge.*			
0·21	0·11	0·13	2·30	0 31	...	0·40	0·35	...	0·59	0·13	17	16·69	13·32	14·96	3·71	29·41	42·71	Canning Town.			
0·67	0·24	0·22	0·89	0·04	0 04	...	0·19	...	0·41	0·13	17	18·86	10·17	12 69	2·31	26·45	38 99	Alipore (Obsy).			
0·46	...	...	0·22	...	0·30	...	0·98	...	...		14	15·94	8 99	11·77	3·56	26·13	36·80	Barrackpor-			
0·68	0·35	...	0·94	...	...	...	1·21	...	0·51	0·32	15	16·71	13·01	13·22	2·81	27·37	38·41	Dum-Dum.			
..	0·55	0·84	0·25	...	..	...		...	0·10	0·46	14	16·45	13·61	13 04	5·25	33·25	36 17	Baraset.			
0 49	0·53	...	2·57	0·10	1·02	0·89	3·30	0·25	0·24	0·07	19	16·06	15·00	13·56	3·30	30·81	40·40	Basirhat.			
0·25	...	...	0·30	.	...	0·19	...	...	1·15	...	13	14·74	10·96	11·60	6·58	41·24	35 33	Ranaghat ...	Nadia.		
0·04	0·05	0·13	0 03	0·01	0·20	0·01	0·36	...	0 46	0·10	17	14·26	11·73	10·35	5·46	31·65	33·66	Krishnagar.			
0·03	...	0·02	0·56	...	0·08	0 03	...	..	0·10	0·07	13	14·68	20·11	11·11	7·05	37·45	34·01	Chuadanga.			
0·03	...	...	0·73	.	...	0·10	...	0·34	0·35	0·04	16	15·33	13·79	11·27	2·33	28·07	34·83	Meherpur			
0·16	...	...	0·15	0·01	0·61	0 81	...	...	...	0·19	17	10·10	10·51	10·58	1·70	27·20	36·28	Kushtia.			
...	0·07	0·01	...	0·47	0 03	0·21	0·04	...	...	0·13	16	15 23	14·27	10·76	4·01	29·34	35·80	Kandi ...	Murshidabad.		
0·23	...	...	0·03	1·31	0·89	0 44	0·01	...	0·12	0·47	17	16·39	9·10	10·98	1·69	24·83	34·46	Berhampore.			
...	...	...		1·70	0·30	1·50	0·30		...	0·65	20	16·99	19·40	13·28	4·00	49·26	36 96	Lalbagh.			
0·04	...	...	0·03	0·50	0·26	0·15	0·22	...	0·04	0·37	17	16·10	13·31	11·35	4·60	30 99	34·81	Asimganj.			
...	...	...	...	0·06	3·20	1·25	0·04	.	0·07	1·20	18	14·30	13·89	10·92	3·20	31·37	34·35	Jangipur			
...	0·43	...	0·05	...		0·07	...	...		...	9	14·79	4·62	10·53	1·23	20·95	35·63	Lalgola.			
...	...	...	...	0·80	0·29	0·03	0·32	...	0·20	0·75	14	13·67	6·80	9·11	0·80	26 43	36·16	Akriganj.			
												9·79		6·82			29·39	Patkabari.			
...	0·26	...	0·50	1·60	0·48	...	0·40	...	0·10	...	14	13·79	11·54	11·04	3·50	24·87	35·27	Dumkal.			
...	...	...	1·47	0·11	0·64	0·21	...	...	0·53	0·17	15	14·30	6·72	10·19	1·35	31·59	34·71	Narail ...	Jessore.		
0·13	0·07	0·03	0·87	0·09	0·04	0·42	...	...	0·31	0·34	19	17·03	8·36	11·28	1·24	31·97	39·98	Jessore.			
...	...	...	0·41	...	0 62	0·28	...	...	...	0·60	17	15·70	19·00	10·90	2·48	43·45	36·83	Jhenidah.			
...	...	...	1·94	0·04	0 06	0·20	...	...	0 13	1·23	14	14·97	13·18	9·47	2·59	37·47	35·13	Magura			
...	...	0·44	0·52	0·38	0·27	...	...	...	0·29	0·41	15	14·87	8·14	11·37	2 03	23·75	36·19	Baugaon.			
0·10	0·08	...	1·05	0 08	0·20	0·38	0 80	0·15	...	0·30	19	16·45	8·31	11·82	1·67	29·70	39·31	SatKhira ...	Khulna.		
0·41	...	0·06	0·42	0·23	0·34	...	0·04	0·04	0·58	0·29	18	17·37	11·49	13·40	2·42	31·38	46·13	Bagerhat.			
0 09	0·05	...	0·30	0·20	0·90	...	...	0 15	0·70	0·17	18	17·35	8·90	11·78	1·04	29·95	40·12	Khulna			
0·10	0·05	...	1·80	..	0·61	...	2·28	...	0·24		18	?	18 12	?	3·00	44·93	?	*Kaliganj.*			
...	0·35	...	1·79	0·60	..	.	...	...	0·50	0·28	18	14·91	15·96	12·17	3·45	33·20	40·72	Nakipur.			
0·02	0·06	...	1·12	...	0·75	. .	...	0·15	0·47	0·58	19	?	15·61	?	2 42	36·80	?	*Dumuria.*			
0·43	0·64	0·71	0·43	0·41	0·01	...	...	0·15	0·23	0·88	24	17 50	13·34	13·42	1·47	33·84	43·12	Rampal.			
0·08	0 28	0·10	1·16	0 20	0 13	0·35	0·12	0·03	0·16	0·21	21	?	13·42	?	3·50	33·16	?	*Kalaroa.*			
0·17	0·33	0·24	3·20	...	...	0·47	0·37	0·07	0·50	0·34	19	?	13·19	?	3·20	37·38	?	*Paikgacha.*			
0 90	1·10	0·69	...	0·01	0·32	...	...	.	0·64	0·08	16	?	9·46	?	1·36	28·01	?	*Mollahat.*			
0·30	0·08	0·20	2·14	1·18	0·11	1·90	...	0·09	0·38	0·72	22	?	13·32	?	2·16	44·31	?	*Morelganj.*			
0·34	0·27	1·07	1·59	0·05	0 33	0 07	0·34	0·06	0·15	0·26	18	?	10·16	?	3 07	37 58	?	*Tala.*			
...	0·36	...	...	0·01	0·33	0·03	3·13	...	0·08	0·26	16	16·68	9·83	10·53	3·13	37·56	36·07	Boalia ...	Rajshahi.		
0·17	...	0·78	...	0·07	2·30	1·05	1·73	...	.	0·04	17	16·39	12·81	11·54	2·30	29·64	39·39	Nator.			
.	...	...	...	0·06	0·56	0·23	1·56	...	0·05	0·19	15	14·39	10·72	9·36	1·01	30·80	37·58	Naugaon.			
0·08	0·08	0·36	...	0·13	0·89	0·50	0·71	0·02	...	0·05	0·35	19	14 81	15·90	9 61	3·35	33·15	Lalpur.			
...	...		0·13	0·20	1·10	1·06	...	...	0·73	1·30	18	12·44	13·20	9·45	2·70	26·20	34·20	Manda.			
...	...	0·07	0·08	0 03	0 46	3·86	0 46	...	...	...	17	14·52	15·00	11·58	2·86	34 25	39·02	Mahadebpur.			
0·35													?	?			?	Tanor.			
...	0·05	...	0·10	...	1·02	0·05	0·91	0·79	0·05	1·84	15	?	12·87	?	1·92	29·48	?	*Nathpur* ...	Dinajpur.		
...	...	0·01	...	1·55	..	1·45	0·11	...	...	..	18	?	13·08	?	4·28	?	?	*Nawabganj.*			
...	...	0·07	0·33	0·40	2·60	1·84	..	2·00	...	0·50	17	?	16·26	?	3·30	40·07	?	*Gangarampur.*			
...	...	0·45	...	0·26	1·18	2·16	0·82	...	...	0·18	17	15·33	13·51	11·08	2·96	24·71	39·99	Churaman.			
0·10	1·67	0·85	0·10	1·48	1·57	3·95	0 42	0·02	0·02	0·22	21	15 80	19·03	13·47	3·95	40·19	44·90	Raiganj.			
0·01	0·36	0·01	0·01	0·84	0·06	0·89	0·08	0·15	...	0·08	16	15·71	13·58	13·48	3·40	46·90	49·40	Dinajpur.			
...	...	1·32	0·21	0·30	...	0·32	0·54	0·03	..	0·04	15	15·11	10·32	10·03	1·28	35·16	38·48	Balughat			
...	0·75	0·88	0·20	0·95	1·55	1·70	0·12	0·28	...	..	18	14 77	17·54	14·97	2·68	46·53	58·36	Thakurgaon			
...	0·43	0·23	...	...	...	1·80	...	0·05	...	0·46	17	?	11·03	?	1·70	48·03	?	*Setabganj.*			
...	0·04	0·78	0·18	...	0·83	1·03	0·81	0·11	0·77	0·29	20	?	17·77	?	4·91	56·31	?	*Ramganj.*			
...	0·85	4·33	0·33	2·95	0·53	2·14	0·13	0·90	0·26	0 23	25	?	26·67	?	4 33	54·20	?	*Atwari.*			
...	2·13	0·62		0·10	0·37	0·64	0·73	...	...		18	?	11·58	?	2·13	47·78	?	*Birganj.*			
...	0·03	2·37	0·33	0·18	0·61	1·87	0·26	...	...	0·07	18	?	15·00	?	4·42	53·39	?	*Parbatipur.*			

NORTH BENGAL. SOUTH-WEST BENGAL.

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
North Bengal—concluded.	Rajshahi—concluded.	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri	0·13	1·06	1·25	0·41	0·63	0·12	0·48	0·31	0·82	0·74	1·93	4·45	0·79	0·40	2·27	5·80	0·26	0·11	0·38	0·01
			Alipur Duar	...	...	...	1·24	...	0·07	0·05	0·11	0·09	0·82	4·15	5·14	1·58	8·38	2·77	0·12	...	...	...	..
			Falakata ...	...	...	0·70	0·01	0·17	...	0·49	0·32	..	0·30	0·98	3·02	0·50	5·20	1·15	2·35	..	...	...	
			Debiganj ...	0·23	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·06	.	0·80	0·58	0·09	2·47	1·19	...	2·55	2·16	1·38	..	..	0·11
			Bhagatpur (*Nagrakatta*).	...	1·12	0·90	0·72	0·80	0·82	1·08	0·10	0·75	1·62	1·24	5·76	1·92	1·60	2·20	4·50	0·55	0·65	0·60	...
			Buxa .	0·04	...	0·10	1·15	0·16	1·16	0·35	1·30	2·16	2·10	2·56	10·73	9·87	5·20	1·14	6·02	0·25	0·82	0·16	..
			Kalchini ..	0·76	0·34	0·08	1·24	0·54	0·09	0·17	0·20	0·44	4·20	6·99	4·39	5·75	1·84	0·99	0·24	...	0·23	..	0·65
		Darjeeling .	Siliguri ...	1·21	..	0·62	1·09	0·29	0·42	1·22	1·19	0·09	1·16	0·15	2·73	1·95	0·71	2·30	1·95	1·36	0·37	0·05	...
			Darjeeling ...	0·20	0·05	0·50	1·36	1·35	0·44	1·10	2·61	0·17	0·54	0·67	0·63	0·96	0·02	1·49	2·54	0·14	0·14	0·84	0·03
			Kalimpong	...	..	0·25	1·81	1·39	0·08	1·88	1·15	0·16	0·16	0·05	0·31	1·47	0·18	1·27	0·37	...	0·69	0·57	.
			Mongpoo ...	0·11	0·17	0·98	1·56	0·58	0·16	1·30	0·90	0·11	0·23	0·20	0·61	1·75	0·11	1·53	1·02	0·05	1·50	0·72	
			Kurseong ...	0·30	0·52	1·55	2·51	1·85	0·42	0·56	4·74	0·12	1·64	0·46	2·37	3·43	0·86	3·40	1·43	0·32	2·30	1·13	0·12
			Pedong ...	0·16	0·10	0·18	0·34	2·44	0·07	1·83	1·43	0·66	0·43	0·38	0·89	2·41	0·42	0·80	1·26	0·25	1·00	0·57	0·10
		Tibet ..	Yatung	0·12	0·03	0·09	0·02	0·67	0·40	0·35	0·22	0·16	0·17	1·40	0·45	0·43	0·25	0·58	0·45	0·14	0·37	0·21	0·06
		Cooch Behar	Dinhatta .	0·03	..	1·07	0·18	0·35	1·14	0·04	0·08	0·06	0·13	0·58	1·26	2·99	5·86	0·35	0·72	1·35	..	0·01	
			Cooch Behar ..	...	0·17	0·67	0·64	...	1·42	0·46	0·19	...	0·14	0·67	2·63	1·15	4·06	1·70	3·83	0·43	0·08	0·12	
			Mekliganj	...	0·28	0·22	0·12	0·91	0·30	0·02	0·18	0·07	1·30	1·61	4·05	0·83	0·07	3·95	2·23	0·14	0·14	...	...
			Mathabhanga	...	0·25	0·40	0·07	...	0·75	0·53	0·28	0·08	0·05	0·38	3·51	0·52	2·56	2·20	2·54	0·23	...	0·07	0·43
			Fulbari ...	...	0·87	0·06	0·26	0·94	0·15	0·04	0·09	0·05	...	0·25	3·70	0·88	4·80	3·90	2·18	...	...	..	...
		Rangpur ...	Bhawaniganj (*Gaibanda*).	...	...	0·33	0·10	...	0·01	0·13	0·30	...	0·03	0·73	2·18	2·14	0·18	0·14	...	...	...	...	...
			Rangpur ...	...	0·12	...	...	0·31	0·18	0·39	0·19	.	0·18	...	1·12	3·34	1·31	1·15	0·06	..	0·36	...	0·06
			Peerganj ...	...	...	...	..	...	0·42	0·17	0·25	0·23	...	0·76	0·76	3·86	0·30	1·35	0·49	0·25	...	...	...
			Kurigaon	0·03	...	...	...	0·80	0·03	0·04	0·13	...	0·20	...	0·70	3·75	0·45	0·41	...	...	..	...	...
			Gobindganj ...	...	...	..	...	0·36	0·18	...	0·41	..	0·25	0·56	1·50	1·03	1·72	1·22	0·06	...	...	...	0·07
			Bagdogra (*Nilphamari*).	0·20	...	...	0·46	...	...	0·10	...	1·01	0·95	0·07	0·60	1·90	0·55	1·75	1·01	4·50	...	...	...
			Ulipur ...	...	0·07	0·17	0·06	1·07	0·10	0·40	...	0·24	0·07	0·80	0·86	4·80	0·47	0·27	...	...	...	...	...
			Sunderganj ..	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	.	...	0·34	1·64	0·84	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·75	1·26
			Saidpur	...	0·35	...	...	...	0·23	0·18	0·12	0·29	0·30	0·63	1·20	3·70	0·60	1·70	0·10	0·81	0·22	0·03	...
		Bogra .	Sherpur ...	...	...	0·66	...	...	...	0·36	0.66	0·90	...	1·62	2·14	0·61	0·66	...	..	0·56	...	...	...
			Nowkhilla ..	...	...	0·33	0·08	..	.	0·44	1·23	1·84	0·83	3·16	3·76	0·83	2·07	0·12	...	.	...	0·08	..
			Bogra ...	...	...	0·03	0·05	0·08	0·93	0·06	0·42	0·54	0·28	0·63	2·60	0·63	0·35	0·42	0·06	0·77	0·02	...	
			Panchbibi ..	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·41	1·20	0·09	0·33	0·73	0·95	1·63	...	0·16	...	0·26	...	0·02
		Pabna ..	Pabna ..	0·13	...	0·08	0·38	..	..	0·21	1·36	1·08	0·31	1·14	...	1·72	6·04	0·20	0·22	0·59	1·02	0·14	0·03
			Sirajganj ..	0·07	0·02	0·22	...	0·03	0·24	0·06	1·03	0·22	0·24	3·50	0·16	0·90	0·48	0·85	0·08	0·43	0·04	.	...
East Bengal.	Dacca.	Dacca ..	Munshiganj ...	...	0·16	0·33	0·26	...	0·31	0·02	1·10	0·05	1·86	0·16	0·36	4·91	1·55	0·11	1·25	...	0·05	0·10	
			Dacca .	...	0·23	0·11	0·03	0·03	0·28	0·02	4·41	0·84	0·95	1·34	0·86	2·96	1·46	0·36	1·30	...	0·01	0·07	0·05
			Narayanganj	...	0·14	0·43	0·20	0·08	0·47	...	0·08	0·09	0·43	0·42	0·04	6·01	0·68	0·54	1·85	0·18	...	0·08	...
			Manikganj ...	...	0·09	...	...	0·06		0·18	1·05	...	1·36	0·43	0·02	1·95	0·32	1·05	3·81	0·09	...	...	...
			Jaydebpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·20	0·90	...	1·86	0·70	0·50	2·00	3·50	0·22	...	...	...	0·48	0·65
		Mymensingh	Kishorganj	0·57	1·07	0·25	0·15	0·10	0·72	...	0·31	0·17	0·02	1·34	1·28	4·62	1·39	1·80	1·65	0·14	0·02	0·06	0·25
			Atia (*Tangail*)	...	..	.	...	...	...	0·15	0·60	0·08	0·40	0·66	0·18	1·92	0·62	0·18	2·25	0·34	0·13	0·04	0·03
			Mymensingh	0·35	0·08	0·12	0·09	0·27	0·72	0·10	0·08	0·06	0·80	5·40	3·44	1·78	3·82	1·59	0·43	0·28	0·04	0·07	0·22
			Jamalpur ..	0·07	0·09	0·56	0·23	0·44	0·54	0·10	0·45	0·50	...	0·50	2·19	4·42	0·70	1·73	...	0·22	0·35	0·08	...
			Netrakona ...	1·06	0·15	0·31	1·53	1·56	0·32	0·12	0·43	1·24	0·11	3·05	2·36	4·95	1·12	2·76	0·23	0·56	0·24	0·42	0·31
			Subarnakhali	...	...	0·30	0·27	...	0·20	0·50	0·20	0·49	2·23	0·60	0·80	0·37	0·63	...	.	0·39	...	...	...
			Durgapur .	0·30	1·50	2·26	1·40	1·60	0·70	0·10	1·45	1·15	0·63	2·15	3·10	5·35	0·65	2·15	0·60	0·20	0·10	0·30	...
			Sherpur Town	..	0·10	0·08	0·08	0·95	0·60	0·40	0·47	0·25	0·47	0·45	2·27	5·65	1·60	5·15	...	.	...	.	1·05
			Diwanganj ...	..	0·71	...	..	...	...	0·77	...	...	1·20	2·30	2.63		...	1·40	...	1·40	1·00	..	...
			Nalitabari ...	0·03	0·06	2·70	2·08	0·12	0·34	0·24	0·11	0·74	5·31	6·32	5·61	..	0·24	0·17	0·36	...	0·25	0·34	0·73
		Faridpur	Madaripur ...	..	0·50	0·20	...	...	0·17	0·20	0·58	..	0·60	0·20	0·50	0·89	0·34	1·91	1·86	0·60	0·30	...	...
			Faridpur .	0·05	0·27	.	0·08	0·16	1·00	0·14	0·87	0·15	1·62	0·23	0·02	1·81	0·22	0·03	0·71	0·16	0·02	0·23	...
			Goalundo .	...	0·24	0·11	0·16	...	0·93	0·18	0·78	0·16	0·49	1·75	...	2·75	0·54	0·33	...	...	...	...	...
		Backergunge	Patuakhali ..	0·01	0·87	0·37	2·11	0·61	0·33	1·72	1·47	0·10	1·31	0·08	0·40	0·13	0·47	0·08	0·10	0·30	0·24	0·28	0·07
			Pirojpur ...	0·05	0·90	0·65	0·53	.	3·30	0·55	0·90	...	0·59	0·11	0·02	0·60	0·80	0·18	0·27	0·21	0·36	0·03	0·13
			Barisal ...	0·31	3·42	0·65	0·79	0·25	0·80	1·12	0·70	...	1·53	0·09	0·36	0·87	0·31	0·24	1·32	0·16	0·22	0·34	0·15
			Gaurnadi .	0·05	0·94	0·42	0·35	..	0·61	0·23	0·35	...	0·13	0·89	0·04	0·98	0·08	1·70	1·38	0·01	0·06	0·10	0·10
			Bhola .	0·07	1·46	0·17	0·13	1·04	0·58	0·84	0·65	0·07	...	0·23	0·25	0·11	0·42	0·31	1·08	0·60	0·30	0·44	...
			Daulatkhan ...	..	1·20	0·42	0·17	...	0·23	1·18	2·13	...	...	0·12	...	0·82	0·34	0·46	0·83	...	0·30	..	...
			Bauphal ..	0·26	3·20	0·50	0·20	1·00	1·50	1·44	0·27	...	...	...	0·40	0·58	1·42	0·43	...	...	0·12	0·24	0·30
	Chittagong.	Hill Tippera	Agartala ..	2·01	..	0·60	0·50	...	.	0·10	0·30	...	0·75	2·60	2·40	1·70	0·40	...	1·10	...	...	...	...
		Tippera ..	Comilla	0·12	0·21	1·12	1·20	0·05	0·02	0·25	0·40	0·03	..	1·20	0·10	4·25	0·41	0·10	1·58	0·11	0·02	0·08	...
			Chandpur .	...	0·54	0·40	0·52	0·15	0·56	0·31	0·66	0·02	.	1·17	0·25	1·35	0·57	0·26	0·15	0·14	0·38	0·13	.
			Brahmanbaria	0·55	...	0·91	0·56	0·22	0·25	0·38	0·50	...	0·90	2·28	2·15	1·81	0·50	0·11	1·02	0·30	0·22	0·49	..
			Ramchandrapur.	.	...	0·40	1·10	0·10	...	...	...	...	1·50	0·30	0·20	0·10	0·30	0·10	0·10	0·25	...	...	0·30
			Nasirnagar ..	...		...	2·30	...	0·80	.	0·65	...	1·00	...	2·83	2·10	0·80	.	0·20	...	...	1·37	...
			Daudkandi ..	.	.	0·50	0·60	..	..	0·24	0·50	...	0·45	0·63	0·25	2·53	0·80	1·40	0·70	0·15	0·15	0·15	...
			Kasba ...	0·14	0·75	0·13		.	1·59	0·30	0·05	...	4·38	4·31	2·74	0·50	0·15	0·15	...	0·47	..	...	
			Laksam ...	...	0·30	1·05	0·83	0·80	0·04	0·30	1·00	..	0·24	1·00	0·04	1·50	0·50	0·46	1·40	...	0·10	...	.
		Noakhali ..	Noakhali .	0·06	1·09	1·42	0·72	0·40	0·36	0·71	2·48	0·20	0·28	1·20	0·26	0·53	0·27	1·21	0·74	0·08	0·42	0·20	0·16
			Fenny ...	0·03	0·98	1·42	1·04	2·75	0·13	1·15	2·01	0·18	..	0·66	0·61	2·25	0·13	1·24	0·82	0·40	0·14	0·02	0·04
			Harishpur ...	0·12	2·40	0·70	1·28	1·45	0·98	2·50	4·00	0·44	0·42	4·00	0·01	0·59	1·18	2·50	0·54	0·42	0·07	0·01	0·05
			Ramganj ...	..	0·45	0·15	0·60	1·00	0·00	0·50	1·60	...	...	...	.	.	1·05	0·86	1·35	0·45	0·15	...	. .
			Chhagalnaya	0·04	1·20	1·95	2·45	1·76		2·15	0·60	0·15	0·04	0·66	0·62	1·90	...	2·15	0·56	0·45	0·16	0·14	...
			Hatya ...	0·09	0·60	1·00	1·73	1·35	0·50	1·40	2·35	0·06	1·00	0·89	0·15	0·72	0·34	2·14	0·74	0·34	0·30	0·24	0·10
			Lakhmipur .	0·05	0·58	0·49	0·27	0·61	0·12	0·28	1·29	0·02	...	...	0·04	...	1·13	1·40	0·64	0·05	0·55	0·10	.
		Chittagong ...	Cox's Bazar ...	...	2·14	3·57	2·65	3·11	1·60	3·27	2·18	3·16	1·83	3·65	0·31	2·04	3·30	3·09	0·14	0·34	0·40	..	0·07
			Chittagong	0·19	1·50	0·69	0·65	3·56	0·02	1·45	2·60	0·72	0·07	0·71	3·03	0·33	0·23	0·67	0·09	0·19	0·12	0·20	0·07
			Kutubdia ...	..	3·47	3·86	0·54	3·87	0·22	2·08	5·43	.	5·46	2·03	3·13	1·39	0·42	3·40	0·22	0·10	.	...	0·26
			Satkania ..	0·27	3·62	2·13	1·61	1·52	0·83	1·12	1·75	0·78	0·15	0·92	2·45	0·22	0·25	0·31	0·12	0·33	0·48	0·52	0·10
			Kodala ...	0·25	1·21	0·65	2·03	0·43	0·59	0·34	0·50	..	0·51	3·30	0·55	0·10	2·70	0·42	0·11	0·17	...	0·30	0·08
			Fenua	0·04	0·65	0·57	4·65	0·04	0·74	1·25	0·38	0·06	1·25	1·05	0·81	...	3·25		0·07	0·18	0·20	0·07	0·20
			Mirsarai ..	0·06	1·50	1·62	1·00	4·38	0·16	2·50	1·70	0·49	0·05	3·90	1·30	1·28	0·30	3·20	0·20	0·10	0·03	0·06	
		Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati .	0·99	0·77	0·17	0·40	1·74	0·68	0·34	0·38	0·24		0·50	2·05	1·90	1·43	1·35	0·18	0·10	0·05	0·45	0·12
			Bandarban ...	0·62	0·10	1·18	1·75	1·79	.	0·35	0·88	0·40	0·04	1·05	2·15	0·35	0·31	0·80	1·20	...	0·06	..	0·05
			Barkal ...	...	...	...	...	..	1·60	...	0·50	0·30	1·50	2·50	2·05	2·25	1·30	2·30	0·25	...	0·15	...	0·35

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21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 31st August 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 31st August.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
0·05	0·17	4·19	1·19	1·18	1·91	0·65	...	2·09	1·65	1·58	28	18 38	37·79	24·40	5·80	98·87	86·35	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri.	Rajshahi—*concluded.*	North Bengal—*concluded.*
...	0·11	...	2·57	1 63	0·38	1·40	0·42	2·75	2·15	0·61	18	16·58	31·87	23 00	8·38	97·20	93·56	Alipur Duar.			
0·01	...	0·10	0·21	0·39	1·11	0·31	0·77	3·40	0·90	4·40	20	16 67	26·10	21·56	5·20	63 3?	61·15	Falakata.			
0·63	...	0 43	0·34	0·04	0 71	0·58	0·05	0 27	0·81	17	15·80	15·43	14·39	2·56	53·46	62·00	Debiganj.				
0·20	4·60	4·34	6 60	2 55	0·88	2·00	0·04	6·00	0·10	1 17	24	22·58	55·43	32 36	6 60	134·51	103·37	Bhowalpur (*Nagrakatta*).			
0·90	4·11	0·53	5·07	4·27	0·51	1·42	0·28	7 06	5·21	8·76	24	23·41	93·70	42·76	10·73	195·33	145·30	Haza.			
2·05	0·04	2·19	5·43	...	0 35	0·57	1·58	5·60	9·35	2·93	34	?	58·95	?	9·35	122 11	?	*Kalchini.*			
2·61	0·05	7·58	1·22	2·00	5·56	1 52	0·05	2·11	0·32	1·20	26	21·28	41·22	24·17	7·84	97·36	86 47	Siliguri	Darjeeling.		
0·17	0·61	1·77	0·37	2·01	3·13	0·97	0·15	0·06	0·71	0·24	27	24 13	35 89	25·98	5 13	73 49	85 96	Darjeeling.			
1·05	0 83	2·80	0·29	1·40	1·97	0·63	0·18	0·06	0·35	0·41	24	20·39	32·33	18·15	2·90	54·92	63·58	Khlimpong.			
0·86	1·84	5·53	0·23	4·33	4 89	0·70	0·35	0·43	0·10	0·39	32	21 61	33·13	24 77	5·55	91·09	86 20	Mongpoo.			
2·45	2·11	3·40	0·14	4·11	3·96	0·57	0·56	2·24	0 07	0·91	30	26·08	50·57	33·57	4·74	121·07	118·00	Kurseong			
0·57	1·47	2·26	0·46	·57	1·50	0·80	0·07	0·45	0·26	0·17	29	26·23	46·06	23·00	2·44	69·87	69·67	Pedong.			
1·07	0·12	0·14	0·43	0·96	0·34	0·12	0·10	0·03				24·43		9·68			28·84	Yatung ...	Tibet.		
...	...	0·22	1·94	1·01	0 67	1·19	2·04	0·11	...	...	19	15·80	23 37	17·02	5·86	88·47	72·29	Dinhatta	Cooch Behar.		
0·65	...	0·02	2·57	0·44	1·60	1·90	0·96	0 52	...	0·27	21	16·72	26·61	20·43	4·06	97·04	87·17	Cooch Behar			
...	1·12	1 96	0·23	0·77	1·00	0·35	1·09	0·17	0 61	2·80	24	17·77	26·12	22·05	4·05	74·19	80·29	Mickliganj.			
...	...	1·33	0·64	0·12	0·80	0 73	1·00	0·77	0·25	0·15	22	17·61	30·60	21·68	3·51	81·42	85·07	Matabhanga			
...	...	0·02	0 63	0·74	0·64	0·94	0·55	0·07	0·37	0·06	16	16 29	19·17	15·21	4·80	91·50	75·90	Fulbari.			
...	0·06	0·44	...	0·05	1·31	1·23	0·80	...	0·25	0·53	15	13·03	10·66	11·17	2·18	51·40	45·66	Bhawaniganj (*Gaibanda*)	Rangpur.		
...	...	1·14	0·02	...	0·08	2·20	0·08	0·24	...	0·03	14	13 35	12·88	13 02	3 34	56·21	55·67	Rangpur.			
0·40	0·20	0·10	0 50	0·13	0·30	1·30	...	0·13	...	0·10	20	13 28	12·06	12·83	3·86	48·80	46·01	Peerganj.			
...	0·08	...	0·54	0·80	1·00	0·01	2·44	0·02	..	...	12	12·12	11·73	11·36	3·7·	58 81	57·40	Kurigaon.			
..	0·58	...	...	0·24	0·25	0·35	0·31	0·01	0·09	0·06	14	12·63	9·93	13·64	1·73	47·05	45·07	Gobindganj.			
0·32	0·18	1 13	0·06	1·25	1·04	0·66	0·38	0·20	...	0·50	20	15·76	19·11	15 27	4·50	55 31	61·83	Haidoora. (*Nilphamari*)			
...	0·55	...	0·76	0·07	1·05	...	0·27	0·04	...	...	14	11·15	12·14	10·42	4·80	60·51	50·13	Ulipur.			
0·86	3·06	...	1·36	0·85	1·25	2·06	0·93	0·58	0·33	0·04	15	11·29	16·44	14 01	3·06	71·41	49·27	Sunderganj			
0·15	...	1·27	0 03	0·55	0 32	1·35	0·75	...	...	0·03	20	?	14 89	?	3 70	50·33	?	*Saidpur.*			
...	0·14	...	...	...	2 74	0·85	1·30	...	...	0·34	14	15·20	13·44	11·74	3·74	56·75	41·76	Sherpur ...	Bogra.		
...	0·21	..	...	0 75	3 06	0·12	...	...	0·10	0·30	16	14·12	19·60	10·38	3·76	52·02	40·18	Nowkhilla.			
...	...	...	...	0·16	2·53	0·43	0·63	...	0·08	0·26	15	15·90	11·96	13·10	2·40	41·74	46·93	Bogra			
...	...	1·30	...	0·84	0·02	0·56	0·30	0·06	0·04	1·36	14	13·52	10·41	11·70	1·63	37 17	41·55	Panchbibi.			
0·05	0·31	0·06	0·28	...	0·49	0·38	...	...	0·37	0·24	20	16·52	16·78	11·23	6·04	84 23	37·46	Pabna ...	Pabna.		
...	0·11	...	...	0·56	0·40	0·32	...	...	...	1·32	16	13·87	11·28	10·86	3·50	30·81	39 53	Sirajganj.			
0·11	...	...	0·76	...	0·42	...	...	...	0·25	0·46	18	18·24	14·61	13·56	4 91	38·90	47·24	Munshiganj ...	Dacca.	Dacca.	
0·30	0·07	0·03	1·01	0·30	0·28	...	...	...	0·07	0 02	16	17·43	12·32	12·38	2·96	38·80	43·10	Dacca			
0·14	...	...	1·09	0·11	0·24	0·06	...	...	0·26	0·69	19	17·83	15·80	13 50	6·01	45·14	44·40	Narayanganj.			
...	...	0·18	0·78	0·36	0·46	0·45	...	...	0·66	0·32	15	15·03	13·07	11·45	3·81	43 72	38 71	Manikganj.			
0·39	...	...	0·70	0·20	0·60	0·32	...	...	0·50	0·30	18	17·80	18·07	13 08	3·50	41·20	45·15	Jaydebpur.			
...	...	...	0·49	0·50	0·31	...	...	...	2·02	0·19	22	16·48	20·07	13·64	4·62	67·62	52·90	Kishorganj ...	Mymensingh.		
0·05	0·13	..	0·04	0·28	0·30	0 20	0·60	..	0·25	0·19	18	13 04	9·79	11·13	2·25	35·03	39·41	Atia (*Tangail*).			
0·15	0·75	0·26	0·14	0·30	1·43	0·36	0·01	0·18	0·44	0·16	24	18·90	24 01	14 70	5·40	83·12	58·29	Mymensingh.			
...	0·10	0 20	0·03	0·45	1·46	0 09	...	...	...	1·47	19	18·19	17·03	13·04	4·43	54·39	47·68	Jamalpur.			
0·34	0·15	0·37	0·68	0·56	2·36	0·88	...	0·79	0·98	0·33	30	19 56	39·22	17·86	4·95	98 00	67·81	Netrakona.			
...	0·32	...	...	0·93	..	0 20	...	...	0·80	...	16	13·71	9·80	10·13	2 23	31·93	40·54	Subarnakhali.			
0·10	1·25	0·67	0·50	2·55	3·10	2 33	0·30	...	0·45	2 10	29	19·79	30·08	24·94	5·31	93·33	92·70	Durgapur.			
0·17	...	...	1·00	1·65	1·55	0·13	1·50	...	0·10	0·95	21	16·75	26 32	16·18	5·65	73·08	55·98	Sherpur Town.			
1·65	0·50	0·60	1·40	1·20	0·24	...	...	0·18	..	..	15	12·53	16·06	13·48	2 63		50·90	Diwanganj.			
...	...	2 39	2·29	1·44	1·84	1·87	0·25	...	0·76	0 85	24	?	42·91	?	6·32	96·29	?	*Nalitabari.*			
	0·33	2·83	0·40	0·56	0·05	...	...	...	0·40	0·10	20	16 32	13·31	11·85	2 53	30·52	39·92	Madaripur ...	Faridpur.		
0·03	...	...	0·56	0·19	2 62	2·22	...	...	0·23	0 61	19	16·23	14·00	13 08	2·62	38·14	42·36	Faridpur.			
...	0·59	...	1·36	...	1·27	0·47	...	...	0·16	1·33	18	14 83	14·04	10·55	2 75	45·11	38·18	Goalundo.			
0·03	0·12	0·30	0·21	1·00	1·31	0·24	...	0·10	0·70	0·34	25	21·21	18·49	18·14	2·11	40·03	63·50	Patuakhali ..	Backergunge.		
0 35	0·35	0·71	1·15	0·36	0·10	0·20	...	...	0·23	0·43	24	18·65	13·08	13·98	3·30	34·62	43 37	Pirojpur.			
0·13	0·81	1·02	0·88	0·35	0·16	0·91	0·03	0·03	0·45	0·31	27	18 74	15·27	13·80	3·82	44·84	49·97	Barisal.			
0·05	0·10	..	0·60	0·58	0·72	0·17	...	0·01	0·25	0·30	20	17·25	10·67	12 78	1·76	25·34	44·01	Gaurnadi.			
0·16	0·01	0·48	0·92	0·77	0 44	0·39	0 09	...	0·50	1·55	24	21·83	14 01	17·53	1·55	47·42	57·73	Bhola			
...	0·48	0·36	1·47	1·38	0·51	0·05	...	0·03	1·80	2·74	19	20·44	16·44	19·61	2·74	48·37	68·06	Daulatkhan.			
0·18	0·18	0·44	0·98	0·72	0·11	0·39	...	...	1·00	1·05	24	21·19	16·75	18·72	3·30	47·20	58·93	Banphal.			
...	0·90	...	0·50	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	16·24	14·16	11·84	2·50	37 89	43·61	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera.	Chittagong.	
0·01	0·40	0·34	0·49	0·92	0·43	0·03	...	..	0·13	0·45	21	17·14	15·34	15·80	4·25	60 86	56·56	Comilla ...	Tippera.		
0 08	0·74	0·21	1·11	0 07	0·26	0·49	0·03	0·03	0·48	1·61	23	20·70	13·64	17·31	1·01	38·23	52 37	Chandpur			
...	1·60	0·10	0·30	0·10	0·14	...	0·04	..	0·20	0·04	23	15·35	15 65	13·25	2·38	51·52	44·57	Brahmanburia.			
...	...	0·10	0·20	0·30	1·35	...	...	0·60	0·50	...	18	12·87	7·77	10·72	1·50	19·00	30·17	Ramchandrapur.			
...	1·16	..	...	0·38	..	...	..	...	...	1·31	13	13·60	14·50	11·25	2·83	45·84	41·83	Nasirnagar.			
...	0 65	0·50	0·21	0·19	0·30	0·47	0·05	...	0·05	1·87	21	15·60	14·39	10·80	3·53	39 09	41·04	Daudkandi.			
0·26	0·09	0·47	0·22	0·19	...	0·23	...	0·08	0·08	0·11	19	14·00	17·94	9·95	4·38	51·90	43·05	Kasba.			
...	0·02	0·20	1·40	1·50	2·45	...	...	...	0·95	0·36	19	15 73	16·18	15·71	2·45	56·54	55·79	Laksam.			
0·26	0·43	0·22	0 60	3 13	2·02	0·04	0·20	...	0·05	2·10	26	22·58	21·93	23·93	3·13	59·73	75·21	Noakhali ...	Noakhali.		
0·04	0·27	0 40	2·13	2 39	2·30	..	...	0 03	0·32	0·09	23	21·46	24·34	23 54	2·75	61·49	78·64	Penny.			
0·53	2·01	0·17	0·09	1·26	0 93	...	0·11	...	0·06	0·33	24	20 80	30·75	29 87	4·00	65·73	93·13	Harishpur.			
0·21	0·30		2·80	...	0·27	0·96	...	...	0·18	1·20	19	19·73	13·98	18·33	2·80	39·74	58·16	Ramganj.			
0·15	0·31	0·05	0·33	1·31	1·05	...	...	0·05	0·33	0·03	21	?	20·47	?	2·45	55·88	?	*Chhagalnaya.*			
0·10	0·44	0·05	1·41	1·43	1·61	0·15	0·14	...	0·43	0·79	27	?	24·10	?	2·35	55·14	?	*Hatya.*			
0·30	0·13	0·30	1·51	0·52	0·21	0·40	...	...	0·40	0·75	21	?	11·90	?	1·40	42·17	?	*Lakhmipur.*			
0·39	1·01	0·31	0·35	2·15	1·70	...	...	...	0·59	0·68	25	20·45	44 83	27·07	3·05	86·88	106·02	Cox's Bazar	Chittagong.		
0·44	0·02	..	...	1·38	0·12	...	...	0·03	0·14	0·21	20	17·04	19·11	20·17	3 56	54·15	71·73	Chittagong.			
0·21	0·08	0·08	0·43	0·30	2·05	...	...	...	0·23	0·16	21	18·19	40·90	23·81	5·46	77·00	85·80	Kutubdia.			
0·35	0·31	0·15	0·45	0 41	0·31	0·19	0·17	0 06	0·91	0·47	30	19·81	23·76	13·17	3·03	46·56	70 54	Satkania.			
...	...	...	0·38	0·80	0·10	0·07	...	1·80	0·35	0·05	23	21·28	17·19	18·73	3·39	47·61	62·06	Kodala.			
...	0·10	0·09	1·08	1·12	...	...	0·18	0·28	0·23	0·10	19	18·58	18·45	19 35	4·65	54·54	71·48	Fenoa.			
...	3·20	...	0·13	0 80	0·80	...	0·20	0·03	...	0·35	22	18·75	30·61	23·57	4·33	67 51	58·67	Mirsarai.			
0·51	0·14	...	0·43	0·53	0·20	...	...	0·06	1·13	0·45	23	21·55	17·86	17 61	2 65	54·71	89·03	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.		
0·10	0·11	0·86	0·24	0·31	0 17	0·34	0·30	...	0·59	0·17	24	19·30	15·96	15·27	2·15	47·90	66·11	Bandarban.			
0·25	0·56	...	...	0·05	...	1·35	1·25	2·30	1·15	0·60	19	?	23·55	?	2·50	60·17	?	*Barkal.*			

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BIHAR.	Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	...	...	...	...	0·88	...	..	0·09	1·03	0 18	...	0·88	1·09	0·46	0·14	0·06	...	0·03	...	...
			Dinapore	...	...	...	..	1·27	0·23	0·11	1·18	0·60	0·45	...	0·42	1·36	0·31	0·03	0·08	0·79	0·08	...	
			Bihar	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	0·77	0·21	0·57	...	...	0·15	0·15	0·13	...	0·09	0·27	0·58	...	
			Barh	...	0·10	0·15	...	0·90	...	0 10	1 10	0·35	...	...	1·35	0·45	0·43	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·14
			Bikram	...	...	...	...	0·23	0·03	0·50	0·60	1·25	...	...	1·15	0·49	0·17	0·12	1·20	...	0·05	...	...
			Hilsa	...	...	...	...	...	..	0 20	0·25	1·75	0·13	...	0·20	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Islampur	0·25	...	...	...	0·70	0·09	0·40	0·11	1·04	..	...	0·20	0·10	...	0·13	...	1·74	...	...	...
			Asthawan	...	...	...	...	0·17	..	0·49	0·25	0·38	...	0·02	0·15	0·01	0·46	0·02	0·23	...	0·42	...	0·04
		Gaya ...	Aurangabad	...	...	0 08	...	0·42	0·35	1·32	1·20	0·09	0·04	0·24	0·05	...	1·34	0·11	0·23	0 ·2	0·01	...	
			Gaya	...	...	...	...	...	0·37	0 75	0·61	0·08	2·80	0·38	0·34	0·13	0·07	...	0·79	..	0 14	0 11	..
			Nawada	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·77	5·60	1·24	0·13	..	0·01	0·33	0·02	0·01	...	0·10	0·04	...	0·03	...
			Jahanabad	...	0·01	...	0·15	0·62	0·02	0·38	0·23	1·45	0·57	...	0 50	0·13	0·16	0·02	...	0·16	0·13	0·01	...
			Arwal	...	0·09	...	0·03	0·60	3·03	.	0·68	1 11	0·02	...	0·00	0·29	0·59	0·60	...	0·02	.	...	...
			Daudnagar	...	...	...	...	2·45	1·41	0·16	0·92	0·44	0·05	0 04	0·01	0·02	0·21	0 27	0·35	0·02	0 62	0 43	...
			Sherghati	..	...	...	0·03	0·07	0 20	0·37	0·13	...	0·10	...	0·28	...	0·56	0·10	0·05	...	1·86	0·02	...
			Rajauli	...	...	..	...	2·00	0 90	1·00	1·10	...	...	0·30	...	0·80	0·15	...	...	..	..	..	0·30
			Pakri Barawan	...	...	...	0·80	0·07	0 15	0·16	0·5	...	0 05	0 04	0 05	...	...	0·02	0·40	0·25	0·43	0·01	..
			Deo	...	...	...	...	0·50	1·90	0·40	0·55	0·15	...	0 25	...	...	0·75	...	0·82	0·75	...	...	..
		Shahabad ...	Buxar	...	0·01	...	...	1·70	1·48	0·70	1·20	0·57	...	...	0·16	0·57	0·18	0·03	1·66	0·52	0·05	0·17	0·15
			Dehri	..	...	...	...	0·45	2·97	1 34	1·40	0·28	..	...	0·06	0·03	1·18	0·12	0·19	2·24	0·24	0·13	..
			Rhabhua	..	...	..	...	0·88	1·45	0·38	1·12	0·15	0·03	0·43	0·15	0·06	0·76	...	0·10	0·85	0·22	0·16	0·06
			Sasaram	..	...	...	...	1·32	4·58	0·65	1·07	0·04	0·15	0·10	0·17	0·02	1·80	...	0·27	1·77	..	0·02	...
			Arrah	...	...	..	...	0·23	0·86	1·37	0·39	0·68	...	...	0·26	0·23	1·06	0 40	0·30	0·74	0·90	0·02	..
			Mohanea	...	0·15	...	...	0 75	3·00	1·00	1·00	...	...	0·40	0·15	0·20	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ageaon	..	...	...	...	0·10	0·38	0·83	0·05	...	...	0·19	0·15	0·62	0·75	...	0·17	...	...	...	...
			Ramnagar	...	...	0 05	...	0·03	2·42	0·34	0·32	...	...	...	0·56	0·38	0·03	...	...	0·13	0·19	...	...
			Koath	...	...	...	...	...	3·95	1·05	1·38	0·03	...	...	..	...	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Sikroul	...	...	...	...	...	3·32	0·40	2·66	0·35	...	0·03	0 39	0·20	0 10	0·26	0·28	0·03	0·09	...	...
			Bassowan	...	...	...	2·08	2·05	0·74	0·87	0·13	...	0·10	0·04	0 14	0·39	0·25	0·09	0·30	...	...	...	...
			Monaharpur	...	...	...	...	0·73	6·40	1·11	1·58	0·16	..	...	0·10	0·34	0·46	0·57	0·80	..	..	...	...
		Saran ...	Gopalganj	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·95	0·03	0·33	...	.	...	1·00	2·42	0·35	0·80	1·00	..	...	...	...
			Siwan	...	...	...	...	1 47	0·20	0·35	0 12	0·20	0·15	...	1·40	3 30	1·60	0·38	0·33	1·75	...	...	..
			Ekma	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·98	0·13	0·85	0·60	...	...	1·20	1·20	0·15	...	0·24	0·93	...	...	0·07
			Chapra	...	...	...	...	0·43	0 83	0·25	0·41	0·03	...	...	0·44	0·64	...	0·04	0·24	1·02	...	...	...
			Hathwa	...	...	...	...	1·42	0·43	0·09	0·27	0·15	...	...	1·24	2·44	0·25	0·24	0·45	...	1·20	...	...
			Amnour	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	0·80	...	1·30	...	...	1·40	1·25	0·04	0·25	...	...	...	0·17	
			Basantpur	...	...	...	...	5 00	1·30	...	(·32	0 75	...	1·30	1·45	0·08	...	0·11	0·80	0·02	...	0·08	...
			Dewauli	...	...	...	...	0·43	0 65	2 14	0·17	0·13	...	0·10	1·15	1·80	0·10	0·45	0·18	0 02	...	...	..
			Bhorsh	...	0·33	...	...	2·00	0·50	0·15	0 15	...	...	...	2·00	4·20	...	1·00	0·85	...	0·02	...	...
			Sripur	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·97	0·61	0·05	0 10	...	...	3·02	2·01	...	0·30	0·51	...	0·25	...	0·02
		Champaran ...	Motihari	...	...	...	...	0·39	3·45	...	0·03	0·11	...	...	3·05	1·95	0·06	2·05	1·72	0·21	0·30	0·11	...
			Bettiah	...	...	...	...	0·19	2·37	0 20	0·14	0·18	0·02	0·05	1·77	4·97	0·38	1·20	3·50	2·08	1·33	0·15	...
			Bagaha	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·28	0·02	0·11	0·03	0 04	0·20	6·00	8 64	2·34	0·89	1·18	0 05	...	0·05	...
			Barhurwa	...	0·11	...	...	0·29	0·49	0·48	0 09	...	0·14	...	1·25	2·00	0·14	1·00	1·71	...	0·16	...	...
			Ramnagar	...	...	...	...	0·70	0·75	...	0·21	0·20	0·31	1·11	7·00	6·30	3·12	1·30	0·20	...	0·60	...	...
		Muzaffarpur...	Sitamarhi	..	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	0·36	0·26	2·37	0·02	3·41	1·00	1·07	0·75	0·48	0·18	...	...	0·03
			Muzaffarpur	0·01	...	...	...	0·01	..	0·04	0·19	...	...	...	1·41	1·42	0·89	0 37	0·87	0·82	...	0·01	...
			Hajipur	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	0·02	0·73	1·50	0·07	...	0·54	0·30	0 57	0 42	..	0 46	0·03	0·13	0·03
			Paru	...	...	...	...	1·00	0 64	...	0·22	0·50	...	0·37	2·53	1·30	0·50	0·03	1 29	0·03	0·90	0·06	...
			Mahua	...	...	...	...	0·01	..	1·00	1·34	..	0·32	0 60	0·86	0·57	0·54	0·09	0·17	0·02	0·08	..	.
			Shitalhar	...	...	0·03	0·12	0·20	...	...	0·72	...	...	...	2·50	1·30	0·27	0·62	0·88	...	...	0·28	..
			Papri	...	...	..	...	...	0·30	...	0 31	0·23	1·94	...	4·00	1·54	1·70	...	1·45	0 38	...	0·07	...
	Bhagalpur.	Darbhanga ..	Tajpur (Samastipur).	...	...	...	0·03	0·41	...	...	0·31	0·21	...	...	0·44	0·45	0·17	0·09	0·10	0·21	0·09	...	0·06
			Darbhanga ..	...	...	...	0·04	0·02	0·01		0·41	...	...	0·85	1·15	1·54	1·24	0·07	0·76	1·20	...	0 32	0·01
			Madhubani ..	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	0·30	1·04	0·10	0 05	0·71	1·98	1 24	1·10	0·07	0·04	1·50	...	...	0·03
			Rahera ...	...	...	...	...	2·90	0·10	0 50	0·54	0·28	...	0·50	2·38	1·50	0·65	...	0·30	1·60	...	0·74	0 05
			Koserha	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	0 70	...	...	...	0·72	0 59	0·35	...	0·70	...	...	...	..
			Khutauna	...	...	...	0·01	0·11	2·50	..	0·79	...	0·44	0·34	6 77	0·40	0·78	0·57	0·87	0·04	...	...	0·05
			Ladania	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	0·09	0·08	8·00	0·20	0 05	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Laukahi	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·10	0·82	...	0 24	0·23	3·16	2·57	0 23	0 05	...	0·19	0·13	0·11	...	...
		Monghyr ...	Begusarai	...	0·02	0·09	0·03	0·25	0·20	0·26	2·64	0·37	...	0·15	0·43	0·93	0·16	...	0·23	...	...	...	0·03
			Monghyr	...	...	...	...	0·65	0·61	0 25	1·03	0·19	...	0·06	0·48	0·39	0·13	0·09	0·06	...	...	0·43	
			Jamui	...	...	0·04	...	0·71	1·51	0·37	0·39	0·31	0·34	...	0·07	0 08	...	...	0·17	0·45	0·74	...	0·04
			Gogri	...	...	...	...	0·91	1·40	0 33	0·80	...	...	...	1·23	0 20	0·88	...	...	...	0·14	0·15	...
			Jamalpur	...	...	...	...	0·32	2 63	..	1·00	0 39	...	0 04	0·55	0·23	0·14	0·24	...	...	...	...	0·03
			Shaikhpura														1·10				0·80	...	
			Chakai Banda	...	0·05	...	...	0·03	...	1·24	0·46	0·36	0·02	0 17	0·19	...	0·16	0·12	0·03	0·01	0·78	0·21	0·15
			Chupreon	...	...	...	0·48	0·05	...		0 76	0 20	...	0·05	1·15	0·31	0 05	0·01	0·54	0·38	...	0·32	0·01
			Gidhour	...	...	...	...	0·80	0·20	0·25	0 15	0·57	0·25	0·11	0·25	...	0·10	0·55	0·20	...	0 10	0·20	0·00
			Kharagpur	...	...	0 01	...	0·20	1·11	0 15	0·47	0 31	...	0·15	0·78	0·06	0 16	0·95	0·54	...	0·11	0·28	...
		Bhagalpur ..	Madhipura	0·29	...	...	...	4·85	...	0 15	0·46	0·10	...	0·05	2·00	1·15	...	0·38	...	1·20	...	0·24	...
			Bangaon (Sylabad).	..	...	...	...	0·34	...	0·45	1·11	..	...	0·16	1 95	1·16	...	0·06	...	2 00	...	0·04	0·11
			Supaul	...	0·03	0·01		0·63	...	0·04	0·68	...	0·44	0·22	1·52	1·50	0·27	0·28	0·74	1·70	0·05	0·33	0·48
			Pratapganj	...	...	0·02	0·37	0·01	0·28	1·75	0·41	2·35	0·05	1·60	2·48	0·31	1·25	0·70	0 07	0·10	0·05	...	0·04
			Bhagalpur	...	...	0·12	0·09	1·53	0·48	0·10	0·30	...	...	0·02	1·37	0·18	0·40	0·71	0·60	...	0·32	0·03	...
			Banka	...	...	0·44	...	4·80	...	...	0·58	0·19	...	0·59	0·92	0·05	0·08	0 82	...	0·10	0·20	0·10	0·05
			Colgong	...	...	..	...	0·09	2·50	0·10	0 50	0·06	0·28	0·55	1·08	0·11	0·16	0 22	...	...	1·54	0·10	...
			Bansil	...	..	...	0·08	0·22	...		0·37	...	...	1·20	0·50	...	...	...	0·40	0·90	0·70	...	0·40
		Purnea ...	Kushanganj	...	0·03	1·35	...	0·11	0·42	0·18	...	0·35	0·45	0 73	0·21	2·86	1·47	0·02	0·62	0·07	4·75	0·24	0·04
			Araria	..	...	0·48	...	0·07	1·50	...	0·10	1·70	0·75	0·17	...	2·50	0·80	0·19	1·61	1·11	...	...	...
			Purnea	...	...	.	0·10	...	0·23	0·30	0·08	0·78	0·42	0·35	0·06	0·44	1 84	0 04	1·12	0·05	0·23	0·37	0·20
			Gondwara (*Korah*).	...	...	...	1·70	0·10	...	0·15	..	0·84	0·14	0·56	0·57	...	0·85	...	0·27	..	0·07	0·08	...
			Barsoe	...	...	0·20	0·30	1·90	1·10	0·70	0·30	0·30	1·10	0·30	0·30	1·05	1·40	1·16	0·40	0·30	0 60	0·70	...
			Forbesganj	...	...	...	0·10	0 50	0·25	...	1·00	0·45	0·97	0·10	1·05	2·00	0·60	0·15	0·10	...	0·45	...	...
			Kaliagan	..	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	1·80	...	0·50	2·50	1·50	...	1·00	3·10	..	...	...	0·10
		Malda ...	Malda	...	...	...	0·07	0·19	0·25	...	0·53	0·18	0·35	0·01	0·31	1·12	0·24	0·10	0·39	0·33	..	0·42	0·04
			Chanchal	...	...	..		0·26	0·03	...	1·31	0·15		1·36	0·02	0·39	2·90	0·47	0·38	0·05	...	...	0·45
			Gajol	...	...	...	0 13	0·25	...	...	0·50	0·21	0·10	1·75	0·12	0·67	0·26	0 74	0·46	0·13	...	0·17	0·35
			Sibganj	...	...	...	0·03	1·27	0·03	2·35	0·03	0·50	0·41	0·18	0·42	1·74	0·62	0·16	0·06	0·56	...		
		Sonthal Parganas.	Rajmahal	...	...	...	0·13	1·03	0·21	..	0·06	0·07	0 06	..	0·18	1·20	0·05	0·20	0·28	0·17	...	0·20	0·27
			Godda	...	...	...	0·03	..	0·73	...		0·43	0·03	1·80	1·27	0 25		0·27	.	0·45	0·07	...	0·08
			Pakaur	...	...	...	0·03	0·18	0·05	...	0·09	0·51	0·88	0·35	0·73	2·45	0·16	0 35	0·25	0 05	...	0·35	0·20
			Naya Dumka	...	0·27	0·03	1·45	0·41	0·03	0·44	0·80	1·05	0·20	0·30	0·30	0·39	0·73	0·05	0·24	0·87	1 37	0·28
			Deoghur	..	...	...	...	2·35	.	0·78	1·07	0·16	.	...	0·65	...	...	0·23	...	...	1·67	1·92	0·34	...
			Jamtara	.	0·01	...	0·45	...	..	0·65	0·67	1·13	.	0·33	2·15	0 04	...	0·54	0·03	0·75	0·75	1 65	0 25
			Mohagama	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·60	.	0 29	0 07	0·44	...	1·53	0 08	0·43	...	...	...	0·30	...
			Nanihat	.	..	...	0·38	1·13	...	0·12	1 29	0·54	0·14	0·21	0·52	...	...	...	...	0·80	0·23	0·15	0·14

in Bengal in August 1903—*continued.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 31st August 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 31st August.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
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...	...	...	3·34	0·30		2·37	0·81	...	0 41	...	12	11·75	13 34	11·74	3·34	21·44	34·15	Amnour.			
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...	...	...	0·74	0·11	1·23	2·47	0 54	...	...	...	16	?	12·25	?	2·47	19·85	?	*Daraulı.*			
...	...	...	3·70	0·50	1·53	3·05	0·35	...	...	..	14	?	20·93	?	4·00	31·03	?	*Bhorah.*			
...	...	...	3·09	0·50	1·71	3·35	0·11	...	...	...	14	?	16·76	?	3·35	27·10	?	*Sripur.*			
. .	...	...	1·95	2·08	1·15	0·59	1·04	0 04	..	...	15	12·97	20·90	12·23	3·45	38·66	35·40	Motihari ...	Champeran.		
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. .	0·09	0·22	3·90	0·09	2·83	0·84	0·20	0·03	...	...	15	14·19	28·93	14·01	8·84	59·76	43·84	Hagaha.			
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...	0·23	0·20	0·80	...	5·00	0·32	1·00	...	...	...	18	?	29·54	?	7·00	55·59	?	*Ramnagar.*			
...	...	0·35	0 88	1·29	0·56	0·01	0·04	...	0·20	0·02	15	11·63	13·47	9·61	3·41	31·56	33·47	Sitamarhi .	Muzaffarpur.		
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...	...	...	0·46	0·19	0·30	0·04	...	...	0·15	...	13	12·38	12·97	11·38	4·00	24·83	34·53	Pupri.			
...	...	0·05	0·82	0 04	0·94	0·14	0·14	...	...	0·04	12	12·87	4·74	11·64	0·94	16·80	32·46	Tajpur (Samastipur).	Darbhanga.		
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...	...	3·88	0·45	...	2·33	1·12	...	...	0·02	0·04	16	14·12	18·24	12·27	3·88	48·74	35·56	Supaul.			
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...	...	0·20	...	0·05	0·51	0·01	..	1·80	0·05	1·35	19	18·23	12·78	13·41	1·80	27·44	39·67	Naya Dumka.			
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0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...											
...	...	0·06	...	0·26	1·82	0·31	0·35	...	0·11	0·73	18	17·78	18·31	13 09	2·15	23·17	37·92	Jamtara.			
...	...	0·09	...	0·10	2·18	...	0·18	0·20	...	0·39	12	?	9 35	?	2·00	22·10	?	*Mohagama.*			
...	...	0·24	0 20	0·15	0·62	0·10	...	0·54	...	0·90	19	11·31	6·30	9·49	1·23	15·54	30·33	Nanihat.			

Table of Rainfall recorded at stations

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BIHAR—*contd.*	Bhagalpur—*contd.*	Santhal Parganas—*contd.*	Asansoni	...	...	0·16	..	...	0·65	0·39	0·71	0·57	0·71	0·12	...	0·41	1·00	0·80	0·25	0·60	0·74	0·37	...
			Karikund ...	...	..	...	1·80	...	1·12	0·35	0·43	...	1·15	0·18	0 60	1 26	1·10	0·36	...	...	...	0·50	0·43
			Madhapur ...	.	.	...	...	...	...	0·47	0·77	0·04	.	.	1 00	0·07	...	1·70	0·40	0·71	0·10	0 80	0·04
			Sarwan .	..	0·40	...	.	0·60	..	1·20		0 40	0·45	1·30	...		0·50	...	2·00	1·10	0·12	0·08	...
			Sarath ...	...	...	0 87	0 11	0 11	...	...	1·24	..	0·05	2·40	0 50	0·07	0·56	0 70	0·10	0·40	1·04	0·27	...
			Barkope .	...	...	0·45	0·15	0·46	...	0·10	0·34	0·10	1·21	2·50	0 96	0·02	...		...	0·12	0·21	0·11	0·10
			Bhagya ...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	...	2·17	...	...	1·31	...	1·03	...	...	...	...	.
			Mohespore .	...	.	...	0·31	..	0·09	0·43	0·15	0·39	0·35	0 43	1·07	0·30	0·03	1·80	0·16	...	. .	0·28	0 12
			Hiranpur ...	..	0·94	0·75	0·58	0 57	0·10	0·23	0·85	0·97	...	0·70	0 20	0·43	0·93	0·44		0·51	0·36	0 11	
			Barharwa ...	...	...	0·12	...	0 45	0·98	0 03	0·26	0·72	...	0·86	0·34	0·40	0·02	0 65	0·44	...	.	0·27	...
			Sahibganj ...	..	...	0·00	0·04	0·02	0·38	0·80	0·30	0 15	0·07	0 31	1·50	1·00	0·22	0·04	0·02	...	0·32	0·47	0·03
			Barlo ...	..	. .	0·48	...	0 29	1·02	0·17	0·53	0·36	0·21	0·44	0·38	0 11	0 24	0·15	...	...	0·19	0·37	...
	Orissa.	Cuttack ..	Jagatsingpur	0·53		...	...	...	1·00	0·43	..	...	...	1·05	..	..	..	...	1 85	1·07	0·12	...	0·09
			Banki ...	1·20	5·80	...	...	0·10	0 27	1 59	0·01	0·30	...		0·50	...	0·99	...	0·08	0·24	0·84	...	0·18
			Cuttack ...	2 08	4·53	0·08	1·28	0·02	0·51	0 20	0·03	0·08	...	0·21	...	0 07	0·12	...	0·21	...	0 88	...	1·08
			False Point ...	0·24	1·63	0·90	...	0·75	3·08	0·18	0·83	0 26	...		...	...	..	...	0·25	0·46	1·09	...	...
			Kendrapara ..	0 36	1·02	0·11	...	..	0·58	0·29	0·77	0·93	0·21	1·02	...	...	0·03	...	1·87	0·03	0 04	.	0·12
			Jajpur ...	1·00	2 21	0·35	0·17	0·25	...	0 55	0·37	0·07	0 13	0 21	0 60	...	0 67	...	1·54	0 02	1·24	0·25	0·24
			Dharmsala ...	2 93	0·66	0 30	0·02	1·78	0·84	0·20	0·26	0 11	0·33	..		0·24	0·48	1·14	0·06	...	. .	0·16	0·08
			Balepur ...	1·40	3 60	.	0·50	0 14	0 50	0·20	0·88	0 70	0·71	0·30	...	...	0·03	...	0·20	0·01	0·20	0·06	0·04
		Balasore ...	Akhyapada ...	1·35	3·09	0 18	0·06	0·02	0 08	0·16	...	0 48	0·48	...	...	...	1·17	...	0·70	0·09	0·03	...	0·19
			Chandbali ..	0·52	0·75	0 20	...	0·47	..	0 03	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	3 05	...	..	..	0·23	...	0·21
			Bhadrak .	0·88	1·01	0·04	0·20	...	0·05	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·45	0 56	...	0·25	...	...	0·07
			Soro ..	1·04	0 56	...	0·43	...	0·08	0 51	0·11	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·03	0·13	0·07	0·79	2·06	...	0·21
			Balasore ...	0·85	0·05	...	0·18	...	0·10	0·08	0·44	...	1·83	...	1 15	0 05	0·10	0·35	0·12	0·06	...	0·36	0·35
			Jellasore .	0·15	0·73	0 05	0·05	.	0 26	0·55	0·30	0 03	...	0·15	2 85	0·81	0·08	0·05	...	...	0·11	0 23	0·05
			Baliapal ...	0·90	0 06	...	.	0·03	0 03	0·03	...	...	...	4 05	0·05	3 17	.	2·32	0·03	...	...	0·06	0·19
		Angul ...	Angul ...	0 01	3 25	0·06	1·18	..	0·46	0·01	...	...	...	...	0 15	0·16	0·05	..	0·72	0 05	0·46	0·19	.
			Bisipara ..	0·30	0 28	0 11	.		0·65	0·43	...	...	0·04	..	0·26	0 00	0·06	0·24	0·37	0·04	0·11	...	0·72
			Chhendipada	0 27	1·48	0·50	0 40	...	0·50	3·50	0·32	...	0·33	..		0 80	.A	0 16	0 71	...	...	0·60	.
			Tikerpara ...	1·75	1·15	1·48	0·13	...	2·23	0·04	0·06	..	...	0·14	1 13	0·04	0·13	0 04	0·06	...	1·04	0·05	1·45
			Kumarkhole	0·80	0·57		...	...	0 93	0·67	...	0·12	...	...	...	.	1·85	0·11	...	0·19	...	0·77	0 40
		Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	0·02	0 85	0·53	...	...	1·00	0·51	...	0·16	...	...	3·37	0 03	1·36		...	0·30	0·24	...	0·01
			Kunjabongar	0 35	1 20	0·18	...	...	0·62	1·02	0·13	...	0·38	1·58	2 03	0 24	0·03	0·18	0 71	0 47	0·23	0·10	0 09
			Dhenkanal ...	1·02	3 21	0 10	0·34	...	0·50	0·42	0 03	...	..	0·18	0 12	0 92	0·42	...	0·10		0·24	...	0·23
			Baisinga ...	2·16	3 24	1 44	0·15	...	1·51	0 02	...	...	...	...	0·35	1·61	1·02	...	0·38	0·04	0·12	0 04	0·33
			Keonjhar ...	0·37	0·07	0·17	..	0·50	0·58	0·21	...	...	...	0 50	0·27	...	0·26	0·47	0 13	0·33	0 21	0 30	0·17
			Anandpur ...	0·65	1 71	1·55	0·20	...	0·45	0 41	..	0·16	0·40	.	0·50	0·61	0·80	...	0·40	0 00	. .	0·12	0·13
			Baripada ...	0·80	0·51		0·07		1·71	0 11	0·03	0·47	...	...	0 28	1 10	...	0·09	...	0·12	0 03	2·09	0 88
			Narsinanpur ...	1·80	0·64	0·03	0·13	0 40	0·80	0 13	0·26	...	0 11	0 53	0·29	0 95	...	0 21	...	0·24	0·20	0 03	1·30
			Nayagarh ...	1·35	1·75	...	...	...		5 15	...	...	...	...	0 35	...	0 13	0·18	0·11		0 37	...	0·88
			Pal Lahara ...	0·10	4 03	0·05	0 50	..	1·24	1 80	0·02	0·25	...	...	0·02	2 00	0 50	0 90	0·15	1·44	0·28	0·50	0·28
			Ranpur ...	3·20	0 25	. .			3 70	0·35	..	...	0·40	0·93	0 77	..	...	...	0·61	...	0·45	...	0·48
			Talcher ...	0·83	4·61	0 28	0·91	0·05	0·31	0·87	0·05	...	0·21	0·37	.	0·06	0·16	1·04	0·85	0·07	1·29	0·59	...
			Athmalik ..	2·33	...	...	..	3 00	1·00	0·03	0 37				0 01	..	...	...	0·03	...	...	0·38	0·17
			Hindol ..	3·91	0 29	0·38	0·83	0·09	0 40	0·05	0·14	0·42	0·38	...	0 35	0·32	...	0·16	0·20	0·40	...	0·09	...
			Boad ...	1·25	0·30	0 04	0 35	3·25	0·92	0·13	...	..	...	...	1 27	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	0·22	..
		Puri ...	Puri ...	0·69	0·71	...	...	..	1·05	1·52	...	..	0·08	0·16	...	...	0·05	0·97	0·28	0·32	0·23	...	...
			Khurda ...	2·14	0·69	..	0·17	0·03	1·35	0·11	...	0·40	0·03	0·32	0·05	...	0·50	...	0·07	0 27	0·15	0·03	0·46
			Bhanpur ...	1 32	1·07	1 01	0 37	0 0.	0·20	2·33	0·01	...	0·20	0·25	0·08	.	0·54	...	2·47	0·20	0·14	0·18	0 05
			Gop .	0·49	0 03	.	.	0·50	0·62	1·10	...	...	0·43	...	...	...	0·06	0·01	0·18	0·34	...	0·43	0·34
			Satpara ...	1·03	0·39	0·06	0 30	.	0·40	2·43	..	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	0 31	0·70	1·28	0·12	0·10
			Pipli ...	3 05	1·05	0·07	0·09	0·85	1·05	1·08	0·03	...	...	0 10	0·02	...	0·02	...	1·23	1·82	0·13	0 03	0·30
			Konas ...	2·00	0·75	0·25	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	..	...		0 10	...	...	2·00	0·75	0·35	0·10	...
	Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh ...	Pachamba (*Giridih*).	...	0·04	0·05	0·12	...	0·30	0·24	1·83	0·11	0 80	0 05	0 73	.	0·05	0·37	1·20	0·36	0·29	0·10	0·23
			Hazaribagh ...	...	0·05	0·01	0·12	2 84	2·29	1·40	0·33	0·04	...	0·03	0·03	...	0·02	1 95	0·45	. .	0·23	0·36	0·05
			Barni ...	..	0·14	...	0 03	0·25	4·31	0·78	0 31	0 23	0·15	0·13	0·21	...	...	0 18	...	0·38	0·27	...
			Chatra ...	.	0·15	0·06	0·06	0·47	2·70	0 60	0·12	...			...	0·05	..	1·09	0·56	0·57	...	0·14	...
			Kharagdiha ...	0·20	0 22	0·42	...	0·04	...	1·20	0·90	..	...	0 20	0·30	...	...	0·77	0·15	...	...	...	...
			Ramgar ...	0·80	0 10		...	0·80	0·30	0·30	...		0·30			0·10	0·10	0·80	0·60	0·10	...	0·20	0·30
			Kodarma ...	...	0·07	0·03	...	2·66	4·39	1·45	0·34	0·73	0·05	0·89	0·15	0·45	...	0 45	...	0·04	...	0·11	0·03
		Ranchi ...	Lohardaga ...	0 80	0·11	0·24	..	1·17	1·82	0·50	0·08	0·44	...	...	0·80	0·50	0·80	3·17	0·23	0·16	...	0·13	0·07
			Ranchi ...	0 12	0·26	1·42	0·23	0·31	2·36	0 44	0 11	...	...	...	0·40	.	0·24	0 30	0·31	0·45	0·00	0 46	0·48
			Silli ...	0·58	0·40	0·20	...	0·20	1·65	0 55	0·10	...	0·53	1·18	...	...	1·80	0·10	1·25	0·23	...	0·05	1·35
			Palkot ...	0·18	0·32	0·42	0·80	1·78	1·00	1·25	0·40	0·12	0·15	...	0·50	1·50	0·25	0·18	0·12	0·58	0·25	0·71	0·30
			Bano ...	0·30	1·07	0·66	0·23	1·00	1·25	1·62	0·56	...	...	...	0·03	..	...	...	1·00	0·71	0·45	...	...
			Tamar ...	0·51	0·30	0·32	..	1 16	0 30	0·23	...	0 35	...	...	...	...	. .	0·21	0·18	0 07	0·26	0·35	0·29
			Kurdeg ...	1·06	1 29	0·75	1·80	2·00	2 10	2·03	0 60	...	0 20	0·37	0·15	1 80	3 20	0 25	0·40	0 35	0·10	0·15	0·20
			Gumla ...	0·55	0·30	0·53	0·10	0 19	1 76	1·46	0·26	0 08	0·00	...	1·07	0·37	0·23	0·04	0·50	1·93	0·48	0·29	...
			Chainpur ...	...	1·24	0·65	0 41	1·11	1 00	...	...	.	...	...	0·20	1·00	0 50	0 80	0 30	0 42	...	0·00	...
		Chota Nagpur Tributary States.	Sirguja ...	...		...	1·30	7·00	4·00	1·00		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Jashpur ..	0·17	0·79	0·28	1·21	1·10	3·20	1·18	0·36	...	...	2·45	0·63	0 83	0 41		0·35	0·33	0·58	...	0·47
			Gangpur ...	...	0·18	0 25	...	0 45	3·31	0·40	0·51	...	0·18	...	0·15	0 58	1·70	0·36	0·26	0·07	0·81	0·34	0·95
		Palamau ...	Palamau (*Daltonganj*).	...	...	0·11	0 23	0·05	1·03	0·17	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·13	0·04	1·47	0·08	...	0·03
			Balumath ...	...	...	0·30	...	1·54	2·85	0 07	0·45	. .	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·15
			Hussainabad ..	...	...	..	...	0·58	4 15	0·17	1·03	...	...	0·05	..	...	0 47	0·10	1·65	0·18	...	...	...
			Garuwa ...	..	...	0·13	...	0·20	0·44	3·34	..	...	...	...	0·58	...	0·31	0 80	...	1·58	...	...	...
			Mahualasr ...	0·01	0·13	0 4.	0·03	0·03	2 11	0·08	0·13	...	...	...	0·25	0·13	0 05	0·03	0·16	0·03	0·19	0·99	...
			Panki ...	...	.	.	1·44	...	3·00	0·30	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·19	0 15	...	...	...	0·50	0·17	...
			Latehar ...	...	...	...	0 27	...	0·92	0·60	0 10	..	...	...	...	0·20	0·57	0·12	0·80	0·28	0·08	...	..
			Nagaratari ...	...	...	0·09	...	...	0·87	0·28	0·04	0·03	...	...	0·33	...	1·24	0·34	0·61	0·75	1 01	0·19	...
			Ranka ...	...	0·15	0·17	0 01	...	1·03	1·23	0·03	...	...	...	...	0 03	0·10	0·03	2·41	1·82	1·00	...
			Chattarpur ...	..	...	..	..	0·24	3 82	0·68	...	...	...	0·30	0·82	0·04	1·35	..	0 10	0·17	...	...	...
		Manbhum ...	Purulia ...	...	0·46	0·35	0·13	0·01	1·47	0·61	0·21	0·05	0·01	0·15	0·70	0·10	0·64	0·38	0·90	0·76	0·37	1·14	0·17
			Jobundpur ...	0·09	0·03	...	...	0·17	0·80	4·62	..	0·35	0·40	0 03	...	0 01	1·61	1·63	0·05	0·07	0·03	0·35	0·03
			Raghunathpur		..	...	0·15	...	2·35	1·62	0 45	...	0·38	1·00	...	0·10	0·03	0·42	0·80	..	0·48	1·11	0·51
			Barabhbhum	0 17	0 63	0·06	0·30	...	0·26	0 85	0·40	...	0·05	...	...	0 10	0·03	0·98	0·37	2·75	1·07	0·03	0·48
			Jhalda ...	0·35		...	...	...	0·70	0 40	0·20	..	...	...	0·80	0·04	2·53	0 84	0·80	0·22	...	0·10	1·40
			Chas ...	0·15	0·23	...	0·73	...	0·45	0·25	..	...	..	0 43	0·28	0·04	...	...	0·13	0·40	0·88	0·27	0 48
			Pandra ...	...	0 38	...	...	..	0·07	0·27	3 40	...	0·59	1·35	0·02	0·03	0·08	2·47	0·75	0·03	0·40	0·23	0·38
		Singbhum ...	Chaibasa ..	0·94	0·29	0·08	2·94		1·00	0·39	0·10	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·03	0·30	0·78	0·09	0·03	0·05
			Chakradharpur	0·2)		...	...	0·50	0·21	...	2 13	..	...	...	0·53	...	...	0·31	...	.	0·76	0 25	..
			Ghatsila ...	0·04	0·81	...	0·83	..	0·22	0·65	0 05	0·78	...	...	0 40	0 34	0 81	1·74	...	0·30	0 12	0·18	0·20
			Baharagora ...	0·14	0·15	...	...	0·52	1·13	0·48	0·34	0·45	...	...	..	..	..	1·35	...	0·78	...	0·73	0·32
			Gaikura ...												Not recorded.								
			Kaliksur ...	0 86	0·10	...	...	0 26	0·16	0·47	0·17	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·67	3·19	...	0·16	0·34	0 30	0·30
			Monoharpur ...	1·57	...	...	0·36	...	1·10	2·73	0 14	0 33	0·46	0·34	...		1 10	0·30	..	0·21	1 10	0 50	...
			Katbari ...	0·20	0 16	0 3)	..	...	2 06	0·08	0·17	..	0·13	...	...	0·38	0·35	0·53	2 10	0·83	1·09	...	0·33
			Seraikilla ...	0 08	0·43		0·60	...	0·22	2 32	0·11	0·03	0·01	...	...	0 01	1·34	0·04	0·13	0·07	0·08	0·25	0·10
			Kharsawan ...	0 17	0·60	0·21	0 17	..	1·81	3 30	0·02	0·21	0·10	...	...	0 35	...	0 70	0 47	0·43	0 22	...	0·05

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21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May up to 31st August 1903.	Average rainfall from 16th May up to 31st August.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
..	0·56	0·37	0·64	1·22	0·62	..	0·18	0·25	0·60	0·21	28	17·33	12·14	14·50	1·22	24·17	37·95	Assenboni ...	Sonthal Parganas—*concld.*	Bhagalpur—*concld.*	BIHAR—*concld.*
	...	..	2·05	...	1·38	0·90	...	0·21	...	.	16	15·29	13·64	13·31	2·05	20·99	42·43	Katikund.			
..	0·05	0·10	...	.	1·60	...	0·90	0·01	0·06	0·50	12	18·43	9·34	12·57	1·70	22·29	37·10	Madhupur.			
.	..	..	...	0·70	...	0·75	0·20	..	...	...	13	16·14	10·00	10·31	2·00	21·01	34·80	Sarwan.			
0·09	...	0·08	0·14	0·20	0·12	0·15		.	0·12	0·30	18	10·29	10·10	11·89	2·40	19·00	34·89	Sarath.			
0·23	...	...	...	1·60	.	...	1·00	...	...	...	17	17·83	9·76	11·47	2·50	?	32·23	Baikopa.			
.	. .	0·28	...	0·58	0·14	.	...	...	. .	...	7	10·14	6·00	9·70	2·17	21·56	29·25	Bhagya.			
0·36	0·03	1·18	..	0·88	1·52	0·84	...	0·02		...	17	16·00	11·22	12·20	1·80	28·86	36·41	Mohespur.			
...	0·30	...	0·32	1·14	1·77	0·55	0·95	...	0·09	0·08	22	?	13·68	?	1·77	26·23	?	*Hiranpur.*			
.	...	0·07	.	0·35	1·74	2·07	0·57	...	—	..	15	16·57	10·34	10·76	2·07	28·54	34·95	Barharwa.			
	0·07	0·09	0·12	0·51	0·85	0·10	...	0·07	...	0·08	14	13·86	7·72	11·38	1·50	22·24	36·55	Sahibganj			
. .	.	0·16	...	1·36	0·33	0·67	...	0·96	...	0·59	19	?	8·21	?	1·36	20·89	?	*Bario.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	..	0·25	0·30	11	14·38	8·25	12·48	1·97	31·27	34·48	Jagatsingpur	Cuttack.	Orissa.	Ibid.
2·13	0·02	...	0·03	...	...	0·01	...	..	0·08	0·35	13	15·33	12·79	11·55	3·80	37·04	33·90	Banki.			
0·44	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·32	0·16	16	16·19	13·50	12·43	4·59	37·94	38·22	Cuttack.			
0·81	0·21	0·60	0·54	..	...	...	...	0·09	0·19	0·16	17	16·16	12·04	13·01	3·08	34·48	40·00	False Point.			
0·02	0·01	1·22	0·04	...	0·02	0·33	0·89	0·03	0·13	0·07	15	13·50	11·66	13·17	1·92	32·66	37·51	Kendrapara			
0·07	. .		0·79	0·13	...	...	...	0·33	0·13	0·12	20	15·45	11·85	12·32	2·31	35·34	38·42	Jajpur.			
.	0·16	0·03	0·19		...	0·83	0·46	0·59	0·12	0·56	19	14·88	11·95	12·55	1·78	34·31	38·39	Dharmsala.			
0·54	0·03	0·09	..	0·02	...	0·08	0·50	...	0·20	0·07	15	16·20	11·40	13·76	3·06	33·21	37·71	Salepur.			
...	...	...	0·81	0·40	...	...	0·25	0·15	0·25	0·14	15	15·35	9·99	12·92	3·09	36·65	36·63	Akhyapada	Balasore.		
0·08	.	...	2·12		...	...	1·53	0·20	0·24	0·22	13	14·29	10·24	11·97	3·05	28·60	35·60	Chandbali			
...	..		0·33	0·07	...	0·12	.	0·18	0·66	0·05	10	14·61	5·86	11·68	1·43	31·88	36·98	Bhadrak			
0·08	.	. .	0·74	0·42	..	...	0·06	0·14	0·87	0·12	15	15·11	9·03	10·68	2·06	29·70	34·13	Soro			
0·05	...	...	0·18	0·20	0·12	...	...	0·15	2·00	0·32	17	16·03	8·87	12·27	2·00	31·87	37·60	Balasore			
0·16	...	...	0·15	..	...	0·30	0·08	0·36	0·81	0·83	16	14·36	9·08	11·44	2·55	32·12	36·10	Jellasore			
...	..	1·46	...	.	...	0·34	...	1·10	1·50	0·19	12	?	15·64	?	4·05	?	?	*Baliapal.*			
0·28	0·72	..	1·67	0·05	...	...	...		0·82	...	14	14·21	11·79	10·01	3·25	33·23	38·53	Angul	Angul.		
0·02	1·02	...	...	...	0·03	0·13	0·08	0·53	0·64	0·12	15	16·42	6·94	10·89	1·64	25·28	35·17	Bissipara.			
..	1·10	0·10	..	...	...	..	..	0·40	0·60	0·34	17	?	12·14	?	3·50	30·82	?	*Chhendipada.*			
0·26		...	0·61	...	...	0·06	0·45	0·56	0·35	2·32	17	?	16·07	?	2·32	37·10	?	*Tikerpara.*			
0·32	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·10	0·13	.	4·25	15	?	11·08	?	4·25	35·76	?	*Kumarkhole.*			
0·72	...	.	0·40	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·46	0·45	14	16·75	11·53	11·84	3·37	35·97	33·97	Baramba ..	Orissa Tributary Mahals.		
0·72	1·26	0·17	0·25		0·08	...	0·19	0·07	1·03	0·48	22	14·74	13·83	9·87	2·06	36·21	31·30	Kunjabangarh			
0·50	0·26	0·20		0·26	...		...	0·18	1·12	1·00	20	16·32	12·10	11·97	3·21	30·97	37·35	Dhenkanal.			
1·52	0·36	...	0·11	1·12	...	0·08	.	0·04	1·02	0·29	17	?	17·26	?	3·28	36·29	?	*Baysinga*			
0·77	—	. .	0·11	0·15	...	0·07	0·14	0·70	0·45	0·11	21	13·78	7·00	7·70	0·77	29·00	26·15	Keonjhar.			
0·10	..	...	0·75	.	.		0·48	...	..	0·26	19	13·75	10·36	10·78	1·74	36·34	35·54	Anandpur.			
0·52	0·09	...	...	0·03	...	0·04	0·04	0·04	0·94	0·20	13	16·30	9·95	12·04	3·09	30·40	38·46	Baripada.			
0·23		0·38	0·30	...	...	...	0·03	0·43	0·15	1·45	22	15·83	11·67	9·76	1·80	34·57	29·67	Narsinghpur			
1·05	.	. .	0·80	0·44	...	...	...	. .	0·61	0·84	14	12·80	14·03	12·40	5·13	32·19	37·07	Nayagarh.			
0·31	0·05	...	0·63	0·35	0·23	...	...	0·04	...	0·16	18	16·45	15·78	10·98	4·00	29·70	51·16	Pal Lahara.			
0·85	...	...	0·05		...	...	...	0·08	1·24	1·21	13	16·85	14·14	13·23	3·70	35·08	35·42	Ranpur.			
1·89	0·03	...		0·52	...	...	...	0·25	0·41	0·31	19	14·32	16·20	11·29	4·81	40·39	35·92	Talcher			
...	.	...	0·30	...	...	1·04	0·87	...	0·04	1·05	10	?	9·63	?	2·33	36·69	?	*Atmalik.*			
0·45	0·10	0·10	0·11	0·09	...	...	0·04	1·55	0·84	0·40	20	?	11·79	?	3·03	40·14	?	*Hindol.*			
...	.	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	0·96	.	2·21	13	?	12·74	?	3·25	32·11	?	*Boad.*			
0·20	0·12	...	..	0·01	...	...	0·45	...	0·11	0·12	14	12·85	7·17	12·13	1·52	25·33	32·07	Puri	Puri.		
2·80	..	..	...	0·02	...	0·27	0·03	0·19	0·30	0·58	16	16·61	11·33	13·00	2·80	37·91	37·28	Khurda			
1·06	...	. .	0·10	0·10	...	..	0·00	0·18	0·85	0·82	20	15·55	15·60	11·89	2·83	34·01	31·15	Bhanpur.			
0·50	0·49	.	0·08	—	...	0·15	0·42	0·28	0·07	0·19	14	14·87	6·81	12·53	1·10	27·29	33·07	Gop.			
.	...	...	...	..	...	...	0·81	0·32	0·40	0·37	14	11·73	9·66	8·81	2·43	31·83	25·11	Satpara			
1·85	0·30	...	...	0·03	...	0·18	1·55	0·20	0·88	0·30	17	16·13	16·02	14·45	3·05	48·43	36·65	Pipli.			
0·05	0·15	0·35	1·45	...	..	0·25	0·60	0·75	0·95	2·10	17	?	13·80	?	2·10	30·91	?	*Kanas.*			
0·17	...	.	...	...	0·43	0·53	0·04	1·76	0·05	0·32	18	17·35	9·86	12·11	1·88	19·02	35·43	Pachamba (*Giridih*)	Hazaribagh.	Chota Nagpur.	CHOTA NAGPUR.
0·06	0·08	0·03	0·00	0·39	0·53	0·16	...	1·52	...	0·03	13	17·77	13·18	12·62	3·84	26·28	36·31	Hazaribagh			
...	0·07	...	0·35	..	1·47	0·28	..	3·41	..	0·11	17	15·31	13·20	11·98	4·34	20·79	33·69	Barhi.			
...	...	0·43	1·25	0·48	0·38	0·08	...	0·02	...	...	13	16·25	9·41	11·75	2·70	19·54	37·88	Chatra.			
0·40	..		..	..	1·50	...	..	0·70	...		12	15·69	7·00	13·31	1·50	16·81	38·54	Kharakdiha.			
...	...	0·30	0·30	0·70	0·30		...	0·20	...	0·10	19	16·67	6·40	13·69	0·80	20·72	37·78	Ramgarh.			
.	...	0·09	3·03	0·15	2·14	0·78	.	0·05	...	0·12	15	?	13·18	?	4·30	27·05	?	*Kodarma.*			
...	0·11	0·37	4·15	0·08	2·05	0·20	..	...	...	.	19	18·00	18·46	13·31	4·15	35·24	35·41	Lohardaga	Ranchi.		
0·08	..	0·07	...	...	0·62	0·11	...	0·24	...	0·08	18	17·34	9·24	11·97	2·36	28·17	34·94	Ranchi			
0·60	0·08		.	0·08	0·82	0·55	0·30	..	...	0·35	19	14·64	12·96	13·25	1·80	29·03	36·00	Silli.			
0·15	0·25	0·70	0·20	0·24	0·50	...	0·22	0·20	...	...	27	16·29	12·91	17·59	1·78	34·92	48·58	Palkot.			
...	...	...	...	0·77	0·45	0·23	...	0·20		0·25	17	?	11·70	?	1·62	23·81	?	*Bano.*			
0·05	...	...		. .	0·91	0·31	...	.	0·39	0·23	17	19·57	7·21	12·62	1·36	23·39	29·34	Tamar.			
0·20	0·21	0·10	1·20	0·50	1·15	0·25	..	0·12	...	0·15	28	?	21·41	?	3·20	40·47	?	*Kurdeg.*			
0·13	1·07	0·38	0·30	0·10	[illegible]	...	...	...	...	0·08	21	?	12·57	?	1·09	32·57	?	*Gamla.*			
...	0·30	0·50	0·40	2·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	15·14	11·68	11·10	2·15	25·49	34·83	Chainpur			
...	.	..	..	.	...	..	...	...		10·50	5	18·89	23·80	21·52	10·50	48·40	50·55	Sirguja .	Chota Nagpur Tributary States.		
0·86	...	...	0·53	0·60	0·42	0·76	..	0·10	0·19	0·29	24	20·21	17·67	16·62	3·20	36·15	45·07	Jashpur.			
0·50	0·60	. .	0·24	0·11	0·42	0·00	...	...	0·05	0·70	21	18·37	13·64	16·63	3·31	31·62	44·94	Gangpur.			
0·05	0·04	0·25	0·14	1·19	0·29	0·21	...	...	0·34	0·02	13	15·74	6·11	13·11	1·47	13·91	31·53	Palamau (*Daltonganj*)	Palamau.		
	...	0·40	1·10	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	..	10	16·13	8·61	14·51	2·85	21·97	37·90	Balumath.			
.	...	...	.	.	0·31	0·21	...	...	1·63	...	11	12·38	10·18	12·49	4·15	17·88	36·13	Husainabad			
...	. .	...		0·82	...	0·09	0·10	...	0·18	0·44	13	15·40	9·19	14·58	3·94	14·71	33·75	Garhwa.			
...	...	1·14	0·25	0·22		...	...	...	0·38	0·07	13	?	6·95	?	2·11	18·87	?	*Mahuadanr.*			
...	0·27	1·77	0·27		0·79	0·30	...	...	...	.	12	?	9·37	?	3·00	15·67	?	*Panki.*			
0·10	0·08	..	0·08	0·88	1·05	...	0·02	...		0·05	12	?	6·14	?	1·06	14·77	?	*Latehar*			
	...	0·08	0·11	0·14	0·10	0·31	0·15	...	0·02	0·05	14	?	6·54	?	1·24	10·86	?	*Nagaruntari*			
	...	0·92	0·15	0·20	...	...	0·58	...	...	...	12	?	9·03	?	2·41	24·63	?	*Ranka.*			
...	...	1·67	0·11	...	0·48	0·42	0·26	...	0·03	...	13	?	9·17	?	3·22	23·29	?	*Chatturpur.*			
0·10	...	0·01	...	0·40	0·08	0·40	0·08	..	0·02	0·35	20	16·52	10·66	13·30	1·47	23·79	30·58	Purulia	Manbhum		
0·09	.	.	..	0·23	0·03	1·58	0·04	0·03	0·35	0·20	14	16·87	14·54	11·76	4·84	27·89	36·87	Gobindpur			
0·28	.	0·15	0·02	0·15	. .		0·30	0·63	0·03	0·04	16	14·85	10·68	12·73	2·36	18·25	35·47	Raghunathpur			
0·06	0·15	1·47	...	0·14	0·26	0·03		..	0·20	0·28	20	15·75	13·26	11·73	2·75	31·20	37·43	Barahabhum.			
0·16	...		..	1·10	0·50	0·23	0·43	0·13	0·09	0·35	18	16·75	10·59	15·00	2·53	22·75	39·45	Jhalda.			
0·30	0·32	0·23	...	0·08	0·50	0·00	...	0·51	0·12	0·20	20	16·69	6·93	12·46	1·35	28·69	34·18	Chas.			
...	0·06	0·15	...	0·54	2·18	0·30	.	...	0·41	0·50	16	16·41	15·00	11·86	3·40	21·90	36·90	Pandra.			
0·67	...	...		1·06	0·12	...		0·02	0·15	0·01	13	16·04	9·63	13·23	2·04	25·80	37·28	Chaibassa	Singhbhum.		
...		...			...	.	0·25	0·72	0·21	0·05	11	18·20	6·50	12·25	2·13	25·88	37·11	Chakradharpur			
0·41	0·05	0·29	..	0·31	...	0·15	.	0·12	0·34	0·05	10	15·71	8·60	14·71	1·72	27·56	40·79	Ghatsila.			
0·05	...	.			0·74	0·05	0·03	0·39	0·41	.	14	14·39	7·84	11·35	1·25	30·56	30·27	Baharagora.			
0·36	not recorded											19·00		10·68			44·54	Galkuria.			
	0·17	.		...	...	0·37	...	.	.	0·16	17	16·00	7·78	13·?0	3·10	31·35	46·10	Kalikapur.			
...	0·80	0·42	0·00	0·30	0·52	0·30	...	0·20	0·25	0·80	22	18·83	13·16	10·88	2·71	43·04	54·08	Manoharpur.			
0·15	.	0·05		..	0·14	...	...	0·04	0·23	..	17	?	10·48	?	2·10	32·51	?	*Katbari.*			
0·45	0·22	0·02	...	0·85	0·01	...	...	0·06	0·15	0·01	15	?	10·03	?	2·22	30·06	?	*Seraikela.*			
1·00	0·03	...	..	0·09	0·03	...	0·97	0·30	0·34	—	17	?	13·76	?	3·30	38·50	?	*Kharswan.*			

SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL AND RAINFALL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL, AND OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN ASSAM, FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1903.

DURING July rainfall had been much in defect over a great part of the Province owing, apparently, to the repeated occurrence over the north of the Bay of small cyclonic disturbances, which moved westward instead of in the usual north-westerly direction. The last of the series was in the north of the Bay at the beginning of August, and weather was unchanged in Bengal. Light showers fell in Orissa and Bengal Proper, but in Bihar skies were almost cloudless, rainfall practically nil, and temperature about 10° above the normal of the season.

A change, however, was in progress, and was first shown by the course of the shallow depression after it crossed the Orissa coast. It moved in the same westerly direction as the earlier members of the series, until it was over Central India; but instead of continuing towards the west, it recurved and entered Bengal from the west about the 4th. General rain began on the 5th in Bihar and continued during the four succeeding days. Well-marked monsoon weather prevailed over the Province, and rainfall was heavy in places. After four days of generally unsettled weather pressure rose rapidly about the 8th, rainfall partially ceased, and weather was fine in the western districts.

On the 10th and 11th pressure was high over the north of the Bay, excess at the Orissa stations being nearly ·2 inch. But on the latter date a noticeable change had commenced. Pressure began to fall along the hills, and extended southward over the Province during the day. Strong southerly winds were general over the Province, and very heavy rain fell in the northern and eastern districts and in Assam. The falls were exceptionally heavy near the Himalayas Between the 12th and 14th Baxa received 26 inches, and several other North Bengal stations had daily falls of 4 to 5 inches, while in Champaran the rainfall was in places even heavier than in North Bengal. The fall at Bagaha on the 12th and 13th was 15 inches, and at Ramnagar 13 inches.

Over the Province during these days rainfall was general, and was probably caused by local thunderstorms

The fall of pressure, which began in the east and passed along the Himalayan range, was followed by the usual rise and its accompaniments—heavy rainfall and low temperature. The area of lowest temperature was over North Bengal on the 12th, Bihar on the 13th, and after a local fall in Assam on the 14th a general recovery took place on the 15th.

For some days subsequently ordinary weather prevailed, with light general showers in all parts of the Province. About the 18th a shallow depression began to form over the Bay farther south than is usual at that season of the year. It developed very little and crossed the Orissa coast on the 20th. The strongest winds experienced after the depression passed inland were just over 20 miles an hour at Puri.

As usual rainfall diminished inland while the depression was over the Bay, and almost ceased in Bihar, but afterwards there were several days of general rainfall, beginning in Lower Bengal on the 21st and in Bihar on the 24th. This burst of rainfall continued until the 27th, when another depression began to form over the Bay.

As before, the depression was off the coast of the Circars and attained to no great depth. Weather was more disturbed, however, over the Bay, and became squally over a wide area The central area of the depression crossed the coast on the 30th, and thereafter strong winds were reported from stations on the coast between Puri and Vizagapatam.

The strongest wind was 32 miles an hour at Gopalpur on an average for the 31st.

On the 30th and 31st rainfall was again general in all parts of the Province except Bihar, to which the showers extended in the early days of September.

Pressure oscillations were generally small, and the variation from the normal was rarely more than moderate in Bengal. Over the Bay the greatest defect occurred near the end of the month when the third depression developed, and then it was only 2 inch. The depression at the beginning of the month and the second just after the middle of the month were shallow for the time of the year.

The changes of greatest interest were those which occurred in Bengal at the end of the first week and early part of the second. An important general change was then in progress, shown by the recurving of the depression at the beginning of the month, probably due to the development of low-pressure conditions to the north of the area of observation. The large oscillations of pressure on the 7th and 8th were no doubt connected with that general change. Three days later the fall of pressure was shown along the Himalayan range, and a period of disturbed weather began with heavy rainfall in the extreme north.

During the latter part of the month pressure changes were generally unimportant in Bengal.

Mean pressure for the month as a whole was in slight excess except in the west of Bihar, where there was a small defect.

Temperature was very high for the season in the north of the Province at the beginning of the month, especially in the west of Bihar, where excess was in places as much as 10°. As the general change then in progress developed and cloud with rain increased in the northern districts, this excess disappeared and was followed by a considerable defect—greatest in North Bengal.

Maximum temperature for the month was above the normal by 1° to 2° except in North Bengal and the east of North Bihar, where there was defect of half a degree. The difference from normal minimum temperature varied from defect of half a degree in East Bengal to excess of nearly 1° in Orissa and Chota Nagpur.

Mean excess was about 1° in North Bengal and Bihar, and about half a degree in other divisions except East Bengal, where mean temperature was practically normal. In Assam there was defect of nearly 1°.

Rainfall.—The partial drought, which was so noticeable a feature in the north of the Province in July, came to an end on the 4th of August, when with the recurving of the shallow depression from the Bay general rain began in all parts of Bengal. From that time onwards to the end of the month showery weather continued with brief interruptions when the depressions during the latter half of the month were forming over the west of the Bay.

The most noteworthy occurrence, subsequent to the important change which was developing during the early days of August, was the very heavy rainfall in the northern districts and the Lower Himalayan slopes—on the 12th and 13th, general along the hills, but most marked in North Bengal and the west of Bihar. Chiefly owing to the falls of those days a large excess is shown in the Jalpaiguri district and the northern parts of the Purnea, Bhagalpur, and Champaran districts. A large excess is also shown in Mymensingh and the south of Chittagong.

Generally over the Province there was a small and somewhat irregular excess in the eastern districts with the exception of the Sundarbans, and a small defect in the western districts. In small isolated tracts defect was as much as 5 inches. The more important of these areas of deficient rainfall are in the Midnapore, Singhbhum, and Lohardaga districts, showing an irregular and comparatively narrow tract of country, extending from the mouth of the Hooghly north-westward as far as Shahabad, in which the deficiency averaged about 5 inches. The average defect in Chota Nagpur is 3 inches, in Orissa 1·7 inch, and in South-West Bengal half an inch. In the other divisions there was excess, small in Bihar, but considerable in East and North Bengal.

The comparison of the actual rainfall in the various large divisions of the Province with the normal is most accurately and conveniently shown in the form of a percentage. The figures representing the rainfall for the month, calculated in this way, are included in the table below under the heading of August. This table really gives a condensed summary of the rainfall statistics of the present year up to date for each meteorological division, the first eight columns giving the actual average rainfall in each division in each month, expressed as a percentage of the normal, while the ninth column gives the total rainfall for the first eight months expressed as a percentage of the normal rainfall for that period:—

Meteorological Divisions.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July	August.	Actual rainfall of first eight months of 1903 expressed as a percentage of the normal fall for the period.
South-West Bengal	153	107	155	58	64	86	51	96	78
North Bengal ...	66	40	96	9	67	116	76	129	94
East „ ...	138	134	139	17	57	112	57	117	87
Bihar ...	31	62	42	44	43	80	32	102	66
Orissa ...	342	128	55	55	57	77	123	87	92
Chota Nagpur ...	176	96	58	148	98	58	60	78	71

The following table gives full data for the comparison of the actual and normal rainfall of the month of August in all districts in the Province:—

Percentage Table for August 1903.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for August.	Actual district rainfall for August 1903.	Percentage of actual to normal rainfall.	Percentage excess (+), defect (—).
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	11·76	9·45	80	—20
	Birbhum	11·45	13·44	117	+17
	Bankura	11·89	9 91	83	—17
	Midnapore	12·86	10·09	79	—21
	Hooghly	12 55	9·38	75	—25
	Howrah	11·39	10·94	96	— 4
	24-Parganas	13 29	12 91	97	— 3
	Calcutta	12·69	10·17	80	—20
	Nadia	10·96	14·62	133	+33
	Murshidabad	10 45	11·37	109	+ 9
	Jessore	10·67	10·88	102	+ 2
	Khulna	12·32	11·70	95	— 5
North Bengal	Rajshahi	10·35	12 51	121	+21
	Dinajpur	12·41	14 65	118	+18
	Jalpaiguri	26·53	42·58	161	+61
	Darjeeling	24·94	33·87	136	+36
	Cooch Behar	19 28	23·17	120	+20
	Rangpur	12·58	13 09	104	+ 4
	Bogra	11·48	13·85	121	+21
	Pabna	11 04	14·03	127	+27
East Bengal	Dacca	12·59	13 99	111	+11
	Mymensingh	14·96	21·42	143	+43
	Faridpur	11·49	13·78	120	+20
	Backergunge	16·21	15·04	93	— 7
	Tippera	12·78	15·10	118	+18
	Noakhali	23·92	22·75	95	— 5
	Chittagong	21·92	27·81	127	+27
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	16·44	16 76	102	+ 2
Bihar	Patna	11·21	9·11	81	—19
	Gaya	11·72	9·36	80	—20
	Shahabad	11·66	11·33	97	— 3
	Saran	11·00	15 56	141	+41
	Champaran	12·81	25·44	199	+99
	Muzaffarpur	11 00	11·85	108	+ 8
	Darbhanga	12·51	8·55	68	—32
	Monghyr	11·41	7·76	68	—32
	Bhagalpur	11·66	13·22	113	+13
	Purnea	14 98	19·66	131	+31
	Malda	11·07	10·98	99	— 1
	Sonthal Parganas	11·66	10·61	91	— 9
Orissa	Cuttack	12·77	11·68	91	— 9
	Balasore	11·83	8·84	75	—25
	Puri	12·14	11·08	91	— 9
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	12·58	9 79	78	—22
	Ranchi	13·31	12 08	91	— 9
	Palamau	13·42	8·60	64	—36
	Manbhum	12·55	11 53	92	— 8
	Singhbhum	14·56	9 04	62	—38

The following table gives the summary of the temperature and rainfall data of each of the seven meteorological divisions of the Province for the month of August 1903:—

Meteorological Divisions.	Temperature.						Rainfall							
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	Averages for month			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month	Of month.			Rainy days			Since 16th May 1903.	
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.		Average.	Normal average.	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal	94·9	74·7	89·2	78·8	84·0	+0·6	11·29	11·80	−0·51	15·79	15·53	+0·26	29·21	37·70
North Bengal	93·4	74·1	88·2	76·8	83·3	+0·3	19·66	15·23	+4·43	18·03	15·32	+2·71	59·10	57·61
East ,, ...	92·8	73·3	86·7	77·5	82·1	0	18·88	16·14	+2·74	21·18	17·89	+3·29	52·53	57·32
Bihar	102·0	73·5	90·0	78·3	84·4	+0·7	12·04	11·83	+0·21	14·54	13·80	+0·74	23·69	34·67
Orissa	93·4	75·1	88·0	79·2	83·7	+0·9	10·65	12·30	−1·65	15·30	15·08	+0·22	33·66	35·57
Chota Nagpur*	95·6	70·3	87·7	75·6	81·7	+0·9	10·84	13·29	−2·05	16·21	16·44	−0·23	25·84	33·07
Assam	95·2	70·0	87·4	76·9	82·2	−0·7								

* Purulia not included.

Meteorological Office, Bengal,
The 15th September 1903.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 12th September 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 12th September 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 13th September 1902.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy ...	234	68,475	1,145	668	83,775	1,079
Jute	59	13,075*	174	156	38,275†	605
Firewood	49	25,600	383	46	28,660	431
Other articles	473	1,20,850	1,406	538	1,20,725	1,336
Total ...	815	2,28,000	3,108	1,408	2,71,435	3,451

* Weight by canal measurement, 14,600 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 37,712 „

Divisions.	Districts.	Population under registration.	Births. Number registered.	Births. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Cholera. Number registered.	Cholera. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Small-pox. Number registered.	Small-pox. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Plague. Number registered.	Plague. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Fever. Number registered.	Fever. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa. Number registered.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Respiratory diseases. Number registered.	Respiratory diseases. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Injury. Number registered.	Injury. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Other causes. Number registered.	Other causes. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Total of all causes. Number registered.	Total of all causes. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Average of corresponding month of previous five years. Number registered.	Average of corresponding month of previous five years. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Burdwan ...	Burdwan	1,582,475	3,246	25 32	53	·36	57	·36	...	...	2,269	17 64	74	·48	2	·01	83	·60	583	4 56	3,113	24 36	2,696	21·00	
	Birbhum	902,290	2,413	32 01	90	1 20	123	1 56	...	...	1,172	15 48	9	·10	...	—	35	·36	456	6 00	1,893	25 08	1,654	21·96	
	Bankura	1,116,411	3,156	33·84	189	2 04	40	·36	...	...	1,546	16 56	45	·36	...	...	49	·48	538	5 76	2,415	25 92	2,013	21 60	
	Midnapore	2,789,114	6,646	28 56	524	2 16	138	·48	...	...	3,397	14 52	140	·60	19	·07	94	·36	827	3 48	5,148	22 08	5,638	24 24	
	Hooghly, including Serampore.	1,049,282	1,726	19·68	46	·48	11	·19	...	...	1,450	16·56	145	1·56	19	·12	67	·79	299	3 36	2,443	23 28	2,034	23 88	
	Howrah	850,514	1,6 5	22·68	108	1·44	18	·24	3	·03	740	10 44	281	3 96	12	·12	40	60	438	6·00	1,643	23 16	1,691	23 64	
Presidency ...	24-Parganas	2,078,359	4,392	25 32	235	1 32	14	·07	...	...	2,374	13·68	112	·60	13	·07	136	·72	497	2·76	3,394	19 44	3,079	17 76	
	Calcutta	847,796	1,070	15 12	70	1 20	4	·04	52	·72	340	4 80	140	1 92	203	2 76	47	·60	613	8 64	1,488	21 00	1,677	23·64	
	Nadia	1,667,491	2,794	20 04	34	·24	1	·006	...	—	2,296	16·44	10	·06	2	·12	148	·96	348	2 10	2,799	20 04	2,958	21·24	
	Murshidabad	1,333,184	3,215	28 92	123	1 08	36	·24	...	...	2,294	20 64	14	·12	...		101	·84	480	4·32	3,043	27 36	2,700	24 24	
	Jessore	1,813,155	2,680	17 64	11	·07	..	.	...	...	2,273	15 00	9	·04	2	·01	121	·72	186	1 20	2,612	17 28	3,414	22 56	
	Khulna	1,253,043	2,865	27 36	54	·48	...	...	...	...	1,493	14 28	14	·10	1	·008	88	·84	530	5 04	2,178	20 76	2,476	23 64	
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi	1,462,407	3,109	25·44	10	·07	47	·36	...	...	2,121	17 40	1	·007	5	·03	108	·84	209	1 68	2,501	20·52	3,618	29 64	
	Dinajpur	1,567,080	3,679	28 20	97	·72	10	·07	...	...	3,221	24 60	15	10	...	...	119	84	143	1 08	3,605	27·60	4,140	31 68	
	Jalpaiguri	787,380	1,508	22·80	20	·36	11	·12	...	...	1,756	26·76	35	·48	...	..	19	·24	59	·84	1,908	29 04	2,146	32 64	
	Darjeeling	249,117	592	28·44	1	·04	...	—	...	...	633	30 36	353	15 96	...	...	19	·84	117	5·52	1,162	53 04	957	45 12	
	Rangpur	2,154,181	4,105	22 80	64	·24	137	·60	...	...	3,850	21·60	16	·08	...	...	81	·36	180	·96	4,357	24 24	4,684	26 04	
	Bogra	854,533	1,671	23·40	51	·72	73	·96	...	...	1,239	17 28	2	·02	...	...	57	·72	100	1 32	1,530	21 48	1,831	25 68	
	Pabna	1,420,461	2,3 5	19 68	4	·02	114	·96	...	...	1,792	15 00	3	02	...	..	84	60	150	1 20	2 137	18 00	2,614	22 08	
Dacca ...	Dacca	2,649,522	4,441	20·04	9	·03	83	·36	...	...	2,876	12 96	129	·48	7	·09	131	·48	656	3 00	3,911	17 64	4,464	20·16	
	Mymensingh	3,915,068	7,487	22 92	61	·12	43	·12	...	...	5,154	15 72	51	·12	4	·01	139	·36	1,039	3 24	6,511	19 92	6,727	20 52	
	Faridpur	1,487,646	2,701	22 92	12	·07	1	·006	...	...	2,531	15 60	43	·24	...	...	96	·48	604	3·72	3,2[illegible]8	20·28	4,055	25 08	
	Backergunge	2,291,752	5,283	27·60	111	·60	6	·02	...	...	3,764	14 52	37	·12	...	...	176	84	1,361	7·08	4,478	23·40	4,429	23 52	
Chittagong ...	Tippera	2,117,991	3,114	17 64	44	·24	18	·09	...	...	2,466	13 92	19	·09	4	·01	133	·74	487	2 64	3,170	17 88	3,440	19 44	
	Noakhali	1,141,728	2,542	22 72	98	·96	7	·07	...	.	1,971	20·64	8	·08	...	...	89	·84	245	2 52	2,418	25 52	3,006	31·56	
	Chittagong	1,353,250	4,197	37 20	327	2·82	—	—	...	...	3,997	35·40	49	·36	...	—	105	84	143	1 20	4,63	41 04	3,421	30 24	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts ...																								Not under registration.
Patna ...	Patna	1,624,996	5,161	38 04	2,044	15 00	206	1·44	6	·03	2,368	17 40	588	4 32	26	·12	131	·96	2,366	17 40	7,745	57 12	5,826	42·96	
	Gaya	2,060,533	7,984	46·44	1,369	7 98	225	1 20	...	...	6,738	39·36	145	·84	..	..	125	·72	1,340	7 80	9,964	57 96	7,120	41 40	
	Shahabad	1,962,696	5,038	31 08	6,110	37 32	75	·36	...	...	6,754	41·28	33	·12	...	...	61	·36	881	5 88	14,019	85 68	5,739	35 04	
	Saran	2,409,509	6,847	34·08	2,693	13·32	116	·48	53	·24	4,129	20 52	370	1 80	45	·12	197	·96	3,191	15 84	10,794	53 64	6,399	31 80	
	Champaran	1,790,463	5,031	33·60	3,847	25·40	140	1 20	...	...	4,216	28 20	13	·08	...	...	200	1·32	1,275	8 52	9,841	65 88	6,096	40 80	
	Muzaffarpur	2,754,790	8,572	37 32	3,313	14 40	250	1 08	...	...	6,164	26 76	145	·60	6	·02	248	96	1,723	7 44	11,847	51·60	7,597	33·00	
	Darbhanga	2,912,611	8,247	33 96	3,090	12 72	61	·24	...	...	6,586	27 12	93	·36	...	...	275	1 08	1,228	5·04	11,331	46 68	7,245	29 76	
Bhagalpur ...	Monghyr	2,068,804	6,615	38·28	3,623	21 00	110	·60	...	...	4,433	25 68	31	·12	1	·008	121	·60	992	5 64	9,316	54 00	4,870	28 20	
	Bhagalpur	2,088,953	6,058	34·80	1,650	9·36	53	·24	...	...	3,926	22·44	53	·24	...	..	105	·60	585	3 00	6,370	36 48	4,546	26·04	
	Purnea	1,874,794	3,416	21 84	51	·24	14	·08	...	...	3,227	20 64	2	·01	...	..	91	·48	109	·60	3,494	22 32	3,947	25 20	
	Malda	884,030	1,972	26 76	253	3·36	10	·12	...	...	1,459	19 80	4	·04	...	.	24	·24	247	3 24	1,996	27 00	1,961	26 52	
	Sonthal Parganas ...	1,809,737	6,210	41 16	430	2 76	231	1 44	...	...	3,191	21 12	39	·24	2	·01	85	48	381	2 52	4,359	28 80	3,107	20·52	
Orissa ...	Cuttack	2,062,758	6,265	36·36	2,950	17·16	40	·12	...	...	1,946	11·28	944	5 40	47	·24	155	·84	1,655	9 60	7,737	45 00	5,518	31 92	
	Balasore	1,071,197	2,778	31 08	625	6 96	12	·12	...	...	890	9 96	158	1·68	1	01	74	·72	1,048	11 64	2,811	31 44	2,612	29·16	
	Puri	1,017,284	3,008	35 40	1,134	13·32	30	·30	...	...	474	5 52	400	4 68	32	·36	53	·60	1,109	13·08	3,243	38 16	3,314	39 00	
	Angul and Khondmals ...																								Not under registration.
Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh	1,177,961	4,690	47·76	380	3 84	18	·12	—	...	1,863	18 96	60	·60	...	...	40	·30	588	5·88	2,949	30 00	2,547	25 92	
	Ranchi	1,187,925	5,023	50 64	4	·03	33	·24	...	...	1,190	12 00	101	·96	...	...	64	·60	835	8 40	2,227	22 44	2,192	2 08	
	Palamau	619,600	2,201	42 60	718	13 80	21	·36	...	...	1,118	21·60	36	·60	1	·01	44	·84	307	5 88	2,245	43 44	1,860	36 00	
	Manbhum	1,301,364	5,596	51 60	374	3 36	24	·12	...	...	1,727	15·84	36	·24	...	..	48	·36	691	6·36	2,900	26 64	2,663	24·48	
	Singhbhum	614,579	1,913	37 32	9	·12	45	·84	...	...	653	12 72	10	·12	1	·01	48	·84	193	2·40	858	17·28	835	19 44	
	Total ...	74,428,133	186,358	30·00	87,286	6·00	2,754	·36	114	·01	121,133	19 44	5,008	·72	455	·07	4,557	·72	33,074	5·16	203,375	32 76	167,806	27·00	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	......	197,664	31·80	14,159	2·28	2,196	·24	Data not available.		115,860	18·12	3,981	·60	Data not available.		4,785	·72	29,717	4·68	167,806	27·00	......	......	
	Difference + or − ...	......	−11,306	−1·80	+23,127	+3·72	+558	+·12			+5,273	+1·32	+1,021	+·12			−228	Equal	+3,357	+·48	+35,569	+5·76	...	......	

Office of Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal,
The 12th September 1903.

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Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of July 1903.

Districts.	Towns.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.																AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS		Remarks.
					CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURY.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.				
			Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Burdwan	1. Burdwan	35,022	40	13·68	...	...	5	1·68	...	...	36	12·24	12	4·08	...	...	4	1·32	10	3·36	67	22·32	69	23·64	
Bankura	2. Bankura	20,737	54	31·20	15	8·64	...	...	...	...	23	12 72	2	1 08	...	...	1	·48	17	9 72	57	32 88	55	31 80	
Midnapore	3. Midnapore	33,140	77	27 84	119	43·08	...	...	...	...	56	20·16	17	6·12	...	...	...	...	23	8·28	215	77·76	98	35 40	
Hooghly	4. Hooghly and Chinsura	29,383	38	15 48	1	·36	...	...	...	...	37	15 00	10	4 08	2	·72	3	1 20	21	8·52	75	30 00	85	34 68	
	5. Serampore	44,451	51	13·68	2	·48	...	...	...	...	43	11·52	14	3 72	...	...	3	·72	11	2·68	73	19 68	98	26·40	
Howrah	6. Howrah	157,594	216	15 96	36	2 64	3	·19	3	·19	119	9 00	49	3 72	12	·84	7	·48	99	7·44	328	24·96	350	26 64	
24-Parganas	7. Cossipore-Chitpur	40,750	21	6·19	·1	·24	...	...	...	...	16	4·68	3	·84	...	...	...	...	4	1 08	24	6 96	37	10·80	
	8 Maniktala	32,387	29	10·68	6	2·16	...	...	...	...	5	1·08	5	1·80	...	...	...	...	6	2 16	20	7·32	27	9 96	
	9. South Suburban	26,374	54	24 48	1	·36	...	...	...	...	34	15·36	4	1 08	...	...	1	·36	2	·84	42	19 08	74	33·60	
	10. Garden Reach	23,211	41	17·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	7·68	7	2 88	...	...	1	·36	...	..	26	11·16	47	19 92	
	11. Barnagore	25,452	27	12 72	5	2·28	...	...	...	...	13	6·12	4	1·80	...	...	...	...	11	6 60	36	16 92	75	35·28	
	12. Bhatpara	21,540	23	12 72	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	13·32	1	·48	...	...	3	1·56	6	3·24	34	18 84	Data not available.		
Calcutta	13. Calcutta	847,796	1,070	15·12	90	1·20	4	·04	52	·72	340	4·80	140	1 92	203	2 76	47	·60	612	8·64	1,488	21·00	1,677	23·64	
Nadia	14. Krishnagar	24,847	26	12 60	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	13·68	1	·48	...	...	...	...	1	·48	30	14 64	41	20 04	
	15. Santipur	26,598	47	20 88	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	29 88	...	...	...	...	2	·84	5	2 16	74	33·00	57	25 32	
Murshidabad	16. Berhampore	24 397	35	17·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	35·88	9	4 32	...	...	1	·48	1	·48	84	41 28	50	24 48	
Rajshahi	17. Rampur Boalia	21,589	28	21 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	19·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2 16	39	21 60	47	26 04	
Pabna	18. Sirajganj	23,114	22	11 40	...	...	1	·48	...	...	18	9·24	1	·48	...	...	...	...	3	1 44	23	11 88	32	16 56	
Dacca	19. Dacca	90,542	175	23·16	1	·12	...	...	...	...	85	11·16	26	3·36	1	·12	2	·24	70	9·24	185	24 48	212	28 08	
	20. Narayanganj	24,472	24	11 76	1	·48	...	...	...	...	9	4 32	2	·96	...	...	...	...	9	4 32	21	10·20	25	12 24	
Chittegong	21. Chittegong	22,140	18	9 72	13	6·96	...	...	...	...	42	22·68	2	1 08	...	...	2	1·08	5	2 64	64	34 68	49	26 52	
Patna	22. Patna City	134,785	339	30 12	51	4 44	19	1 68	...	...	141	12·48	72	6 36	...	...	16	1 32	159	14 04	458	40·68	467	41 52	
	23. Bihar	45,063	130	34 56	17	4·44	2	·48	...	...	49	12·96	10	2·64	...	...	6	1 56	59	15 60	143	38 04	181	48 12	
	24. Dinapore	33,699	43	15·24	14	4·92	5	1·68	...	...	24	8·52	9	3·12	...	...	4	1·32	51	18 48	108	38·40	98	34 80	
Gaya	25. Gaya	71,288	204	34 32	133	22 32	13	2·16	...	...	163	27·24	45	7·56	...	...	6	·96	90	15·12	449	75·48	283	47·88	
Shahabad	26. Arrah	46,170	64	16 56	141	36 60	2	·48	...	...	46	11·88	4	96	...	...	...	...	26	6 72	219	56 88	106	27 48	
	27. Sasaram	23,644	87	44 04	127	64·44	...	...	...	...	81	41·04	2	·96	...	...	3	1 44	36	18 24	249	126 36	114	57 84	
Saran	28. Chapra	45,901	118	30 00	31	8·04	4	·96	...	...	12	3·12	2	·48	5	1·20	...	...	124	32 40	178	46·44	172	44 88	
Champaran	29. Bettiah	24,626	69	33 48	14	6·72	1	·48	...	...	61	29·64	2	·96	...	...	...	...	29	14·04	107	51·96	75	36·36	
Muzaffarpur	30. Muzaffarpur	45,617	104	27 24	2	·48	...	...	...	...	57	14 88	6	1 56	6	1·56	8	2·04	64	16 80	148	37·56	111	29·16	
	31. Hajipur	21,398	68	38 04	40	22·32	...	...	...	...	20	11·16	14	7·80	...	...	2	1 08	50	27 96	126	70 56	75	42·00	
Darbhanga	32. Darbhanga	66,244	185	27·96	6	1·08	1	·12	...	...	43	7 68	2	·36	...	...	5	·84	123	22·20	180	32 52	160	28·99	
Monghyr	33. Monghyr	35,880	128	42 72	27	9 00	1	·24	...	...	41	13·68	6	1·92	...	...	3	·96	80	26·64	158	52·80	151	50 40	
Bhagalpur	34. Bhagalpur	75,760	139	21 96	71	11 16	2	·24	...	...	154	24·36	19	3 00	...	...	2	·24	64	10·08	312	49·32	191	30 24	
Cuttack	35. Cuttack	31,364	119	27 72	159	37·08	...	...	...	...	43	9 96	33	7·68	5	1 08	1	·12	66	15 36	307	71 64	133	30 96	
Balasore	36. Balasore	20,880	40	22 92	1	·48	...	...	...	...	6	3·36	11	6 24	...	...	...	...	8	4 56	26	14·88	46	26 40	
Puri	37. Puri	49,334	49	11·88	67	27 84	...	...	...	...	64	15 48	19	4 56	...	...	1	·24	51	12·36	202	49 08	385	93·60	
Ranchi	38. Ranchi	25,970	53	24·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	5·04	3	1·32	...	...	...	...	6	2 76	20	9 24	51	23·52	
	Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	2,418,209	4,027	19·92	1,192	5 88	64	·24	55	·24	2,133	10·56	568	2·76	234	1·08	134	·60	2,010	9·96	6,390	31 68	6,008	29·76	
	Average of the corresponding month of previous five years	.....	3,824	18·96	808	3·96	60	·24	Data not available.		2,356	11·64	600	2·88	Data not available.		125	·60	1,969	9·84	6,006	29 76	...	...	
	Difference + or —	.....	+203	+·96	+384	+1·92	+4	Equal			−223	−1·08	−32	−·12			+9	Equal	+21	+·12	+384	+1·92	...	...	

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,
The 12th September 1903.

F. C. CLARKSON, *Major*, I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 6th to 12th September 1903.

Month.	Date	Max sun in sun	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature				Hygrometry				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
					Mean	Maximum.	Range	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction	Miles recorded.		
1903.				Inches	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.	°	%			Inches.	
Sept.	6th	141·9	0·6	29 689	81·6	86·7	9·6	77·1	78·8	0·949	77·6	88	S by E ...	37	0·12	Chiefly cloudy, o, d.
,,	7th	139·3	0·7	·711	81·5	85·3	8·1	77·2	79·1	·963	78·1	89	S ...	57	1·14	Chiefly cloudy, o, p.
,,	8th	156 8	5 5	·678	82 2	89·4	12 3	77·1	78·6	·931	77·1	85	S and SSE ...	47	0 02	Partially cloudy, d.
,,	9th	150·6	6·7	653	83·7	89·9	12·0	77·9	79·6	·957	77·9	83	SSE and Calm ...	40	Nil	Partially cloudy, d.
,,	10th	92·8	Nil	·653	79 8	81·9	4·0	77 9	77·2	·900	76·0	89	SE by S and NE by E.	46	0·02	Cloudy, o, d, p, t.
,,	11th	85·7	,,	·636	77·2	78·4	2·5	75·9	75·6	·866	74·9	93	NE by E and W by S.	89	0·52	Cloudy, o, g, d, p, t.
,,	12th	151·2	2·4	·709	80·3	87·7	14·9	72·8	75·8	·852	73·7	80	WSW and SSE ...	95	6·35	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p, t.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·676
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·652
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		15·9
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		86·6
		°
The mean temperature of the seven days		80·9
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·2
The extreme variation of temperature		17·1
The maximum temperature		89·9
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		8
		%
The mean relative humidity		87
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		86
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 6th to 12th September 1903		8·17
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		3·03
The total fall from 1st January to 12th September 1903		40·40
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		53·14

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. Rainfall reported on any day is for the 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; g, gloomy; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 14th September 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,
for Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th August 1903 on 1,936·05 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	339,383	3,12,099 0 6	46,09,083 0	7,23,595 0 0	26,708 0 0	10,67,402 0 0	118,887	155,635	236,492
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	161 3 3	.....	376 5 3	13 12 9	551 5 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year	2,974,763*	27,60,815 0 0*	3,40,77,090 0†	55,54,022 0 0†	2,09,834 0 0‡	86,26,671 0 0	851,1235§	1,208,2235§	2,063,360
Total for 8½ weeks ...	3,314,115	30,72,914 0 0	3,86,86,123 0	63,84,617 0 0	2,36,542 0 0	96,94,073 0 0	961,980	1,357,858	2,319,838
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	317,170	3,29,525 14 3	44,37,208 10	7,34,808 9 7	20,325 7 3	10,84,659 15 1	110,511	178,048	288,559
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	172 3 8	.....	384 0 11	10 10 0	566 14 7	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 8½ weeks of previous year	3,264,798	30,53,064 9 11	4,06,81,782 0	63,73,336 15 7	1,82,977 0 5	96,09,378 9 11	936,466	1,315,772	2,472,238

* Deducted No. of passengers 4,377 and added Rs. 1,278 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week
† Added Mds. 7,05,460 and ,, 86,685 } ended 18th July 1903.
‡ Deducted ,, 2,806
§ Audited figures up to 18th July 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*1,936·05	11 days of July ...	729,371	6,13,588	70,94,191	12,31,029	40,779	18,84,996	974	425,403	4 6 11
*1,936·05	Week ended 18th ,, ...	379,988	3,58,825	51,37,073	8,34,753	26,181	12,19,758	630	272,657	4 7 7
1,936·13	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	371,039	3,70,253	47,23,385	7,78,800	30,403	11,79,546	612	277,344	4 4 1
1,926·13	,, ,, 1st August ...	377,369	3,53,800	48,10,261	7,77,014	28,339	11,59,753	602	282,251	4 1 9
1,926·13	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	398,178	3,88,186	44,93,580	7,34,844	28,387	11,51,417	598	276,993	4 3 6
1,926·13	,, ,, 15th ,, ..	373,542	3,82,674	39,25,351	6,58,923	28,287	10,39,894	540	260,734	3 15 10
1,936·05	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	346,625	3,34,329	39,03,261	6,39,960	27,038	9,91,727	512	257,973	3 13 6
1,936·05	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	339,383	3,12,099	46,09,083	7,23,595	26,708	10,67,402	551	266,432	4 0 1
	Totals up to date ...	3,314,115	30,72,914	3,86,86,123	63,84,617	2,36,542	96,94,073	584	2,319,838	4 2 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,913·28	12 days of July ...	716,003	6,65,787	86,38,962	14,63,289	31,611	21,60,687	1,129	509,575	4 3 10
1,913·28	Week ended 19th ,,	441,138	3,78,481	47,42,891	8,02,446	16,685	11,97,612	629	288,530	4 2 6
1,913·28	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	370,367	3,75,306	45,66,017	7,07,453	16,816	11,(0,075	575	279,023	3 15 1
1,913·28	,, ,, 2nd August ...	343,735	3,31,083	40,81,101	7,56,933	28,773	10,36,789	568	285,468	3 12 11
1,913 28	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	353,306	3,36,908	46,06,089	7,26,710	27,580	10,31,198	565	277,583	3 14 4
1,913·28	,, ,, 16th ,, ..	361,658	3,38,319	47,51,171	7,35,191	28,467	10,03,977	573	274,190	4 0 3
1,913·28	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	358,929	3,17,094	41,56,743	6,65,506	18,780	10,02,380	524	270,391	3 11 4
1,913 28	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	317,170	3,29,525	44,37,208	7,34,809	20,325	10,84,659	567	288,559	3 12 3
	Totals up to date ...	3,264,796	30,53,004	4,06,81,782	63,73,337	1,82,977	96,09,378	588	2,472,238	3 15 6

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th August 1903 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	17,975	4,035 0 0	7,210 0	296 0 0	5 0 0	4,336 0 0	1,105	83	1,188
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	181 8 3	.....	13 5 1	0 3 7	195 0 10	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year	174,860*	40,857 0 0*	69,027 0†	2,781 0 0†	42 0 0‡	43,650 0 0	8,463§	730§	9,193
Total for 8½ weeks ...	192,835	44,892 0 0	76,237 0	3,077 0 0	47 0 0	47,986 0 0	9,567	813	10,380
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	15,615	3,464 3 5	8,519 10	371 8 0	9 4 3	3,834 15 8	1,108	80	1,188
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	155 6 2	.....	16 11 5	0 6 8	172 8 3	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 8½ weeks of previous year.	183,194	43,234 1 10	1,41,853 20	4,059 4 0	70 15 0	47,904 5 7	9,590	882	10,472

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,034 and Rs. 941 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 18th July
† Added Mds. 1,065 and deducted ,, 4 } 1903.
§ Audited figures up to 18th July 1903.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Rs	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Rs.	Other earnings. Rs.	Total. Rs.	Per mile of railway. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	11 days of July ..	57,028	12,534	18 186	467	7	13,198	594	1,980	6 10 8
*22 23	Week ended 18th July	21,725	4,564	10,239	410	7	4,991	224	1,188	4 3 1
22 23	,, ,, 25th ,,	20 622	4,330	10,847	437	5	5,291	238	1,188	4 7 1
22 23	,, ,, 1st Aug. .	19,728	4,501	9,415	330	6	4,837	218	1,188	4 1 2
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ..	21,388	5,597	7,920	316	6	5,919	266	1,188	4 15 9
22 23	,, ,, 15th ,,	19,025	4,386	6,471	306	6	4,698	211	1,188	3 15 3
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,,	19,144	4,436	6,559	295	5	4,736	213	1,278	3 11 7
22 23	,, ,, 29th ,,	17,975	4,035	7,210	296	5	4 336	195	1,188	3 10 5
	Totals up to date ..	192,633	44,392	76,837	3,047	47	47,986	232	10,380	4 10 0

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers.	Rs	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22 23	12 days of July	40,061	10,0°0	72,607	1,574	10	11,604	522	2,068	5 9 9
22 23	Week ended 19th July .	31,057	6,929	10,687	403	10	7,342	330	1,272	5 15 4
22 23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	29,840	5,357	19,055	504	6	5,867	264	1,188	4 15 0
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ..	16,806	3,760	8,881	334	11	4,105	185	1,188	3 7 3
22 23	,, ,, 9th ,, ..	19,493	4,746	7,568	559	5	5,310	252	1,188	4 11 7
22 23	,, ,, 16th ,, ..	20,417	4,867	5,783	241	13	5,141	231	1,188	4 5 3
22 23	,, ,, 23rd ,, .	18,909	4,080	8,803	373	7	4,460	201	1,188	3 12 1
22 23	,, ,, 30th ,, ..	15,615	3,455	8,519	371	9	3,835	173	1,188	3 3 8
	Totals up to date ...	185,194	43,234	1,41,843	4,659	71	47,964	248	10,428	4 9 7

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th August 1903 on 162·21 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Coaching receipts.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Weight carried.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Receipts.	Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run. Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	20,301	17,899 0 0	60,482 0	9,275 0 0	39 0 0	27,213 0 0	9,564	3,393	12,957
Or per mile of railway ..	.....	110 5 6	.....	57 2 11	0 3 10	167 12 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year	170,709*	1,44,418 0 0*	5,77,415 0†	71,481 0 0†	292 0 0‡	2,16,191 0 0	71,529§	27,349§	98,878
Total for 8½ weeks ...	191,010	1,62,317 0 0	6,43,897 0	80,756 0 0	331 0 0	2,43,404 0 0	81,093	30,742	1,11,835
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	20,452	20,617 5 7	97,406 20	10,494 5 4	47 0 0	31,358 10 10	8,394	4 308	12,762
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	128 5 0	.....	64 10 11	0 4 8	193 4 7	.....	... ..	.....
Total for corresponding 8½ weeks of previous year.	193,183	1,57,257 11 5	14,77,555 30	92,129 14 7	420 4 9	2,49,807 14 9	74,997	39,924	1,14,921

* Deducted No. of passengers 817 and Rs. 2,553
† Added Mds. 43,884 and ,, 2,548 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 18th July 1903.
‡ Deducted ,, 1
§ Audited figures up to 18th July 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period	Coaching Traffic No. of passengers	Coaching Traffic Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Rs.	Other earnings. Rs	Total. Rs.	Per mile of railway Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Rate. Rs A. P.
*162·21	11 days of July	35,738	29,466	1,36,811	16,775	74	46,315	286	20,878	2 4 9
*162·21	Week ended 18th July ...	20,883	16,954	1 31,806	14,630	41	31,625	195	13,177	2 6 5
162·24	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	22,307	20,318	75,3 0	9,287	34	29,659	183	13,646	2 5 6
162·24	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	22,747	19 757	62,819	8,017	34	27,808	171	13,979	2 2 5
162·24	,, ,, 8th ,, ..	24,147	19,735	53,833	7,906	35	27,566	170	13,961	2 2 1
162·24	,, ,, 15th ,,	23,502	19,253	63 768	6,978	35	26 246	162	13,162	1 15 11
162 24	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	21,965	18,915	53,938	7,988	39	26,972	166	13,287	2 0 3
162·24	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	20,801	17,899	60,482	9,375	39	27,313	168	12,957	2 1 7
	Totals up to date ...	191,010	1,62,317	6,43,897	80,756	331	2,43,404	175	1,11,835	2 2 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	12 days of July ...	40,898	32,090	1,44,404	19,647	94	51,831	319	22,783	2 4 5
162·24	Week ended 19th July .	22,411	17,9°2	5,02,416	15,208	43	33,272	205	13,707	2 6 10
162·24	,, ,, 26th ,, .	20,290	23 107	1,02,087	8,894	33	31,033	191	13,778	2 4 0
162 24	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ..	20,154	1 1 6	1 00,992	7,715	40	28,881	146	13,472	1 12 1
162·24	,, ,, 9th ,, ..	21 736	17 112	92,516	7,445	38	24,615	152	13,810	1 14 9
162·24	,, ,, 16th ,, ..	21,635	16,868	94,479	9,650	48	26,566	164	13,976	1 2 6
162·24	,, ,, 23rd ,,	19,731	14,375	279,113	13,017	59	27,451	169	13,253	2 1 2
162 24	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	20,462	20,618	97,499	10,494	47	31,359	193	12,703	2 7 4
	Totals up to date	193,183	1,57,938	14,77,556	92,130	420	2,49,508	177	114,931	2 3 9

* Audited figures.

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th August 1903 on 78 76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	9,243	4,673 0 0	40,813 0	2,588 0 0	27 0 0	7,288 0 0	1,859	693	2,552
Or per mile of railway	...	59 5 4	...	33 13 9	0 5 6	92 8 7	...	...	...
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year	89,156*	44,551 0 0*	2,73,654 0†	19,041 0 0†	219 0 0‡	63,811 0 0	13,168§	5,388§	18,556
Total for 8½ weeks ...	98,393	49,224 0 0	3,12,907 0	21,629 0 0	₹ 246 0 0	71,099 0 0	15,027	6,081	21,108
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	9,080	4,648 0 8	36,805 0	2,535 5 0	15 4 0	7,198 9 8	1,760	1,601	3,367
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	... ...	59 0 3	... ...	32 3 1	0 3 1	91 6 5	...	... ...	...
Total for corresponding 8½ weeks of previous year	98,934	50,182 8 3	3,49,671 0	21,538 9 0	117 15 3	71,839 0 6	16,475	8,340	24,813

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,259 and Rs. 1,418 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 18th July
† Do. Mds 6,736 ,, 69 } 1903
‡ Do. ,, 8 }
§ Audited figures up to 18th July 1903.

1903. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total	Per mile of railway	Train mileage	
		No. of passengers	Rs	Mds	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs	No.	Rate. Rs A. P.
*78·76	11 days of July ...	22,940	11,187	57,829	4,314	41	15,442	196	3,933	3 14 9
*78·76	Week ended 18th July ...	11,472	5,821	34,105	2,671	27	8,519	108	2,519	3 6 1
78·76	,, ,, 25th ,,	11,517	5,983	29,953	2,287	33	8,303	107	2,541	3 7 1
78·76	,, ,, 1st August ...	11 491	5,504	37,415	2,696	31	8,229	104	2,501	3 4 8
78·76	,, ,, 8th ,,	11,778	6,135	37,288	2,808	30	9,034	115	2,618	3 7 2
78·76	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	9,694	4,763	35,116	2,147	30	6,940	88	2,215	3 1 4
78·76	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	10,368	5,180	40,968	2,952	27	7,265	92	2,206	3 2 8
78·76	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	9,243	4,673	40,813	2,588	27	7,288	93	2,552	2 13 8
	Totals up to date ...	98,393	49,224	3,12,907	21,629	246	71,099	105	21,108	3 5 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902*

		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs A. P.
78·76	12 days of July ...	23,554	12,211	70,897	4,577	40	16,828	214	4,961	3 6 3
78 76	Week ended 19th July ...	12,110	6,581	33,421	2,135	8	8,724	111	2,078	3 4 1
78 76	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	11,775	5,894	41,404	2,643	9	8,361	105	2,635	3 14 7
78 76	,, ,, 2nd August	12,264	6,001	51,575	3,309	11	9,321	117	2,835	3 4 0
78 76	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	10,679	5,312	38,578	2,009	18	7,339	93	2,914	2 8 4
78·76	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	9,868	4,830	53,027	2,382	10	7,222	92	2,598	2 12 6
78·76	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	9,464	4,705	31,774	2,743	7	7,055	90	2,605	2 11 4
78·76	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	9,080	4 648	36,805	2,536	15	7,199	91	2,387	2 2 0
	Totals up to date ...	98,934	50,182	3,49,671	21,539	118	71,839	105	24,813	2 14 4

* Audited figures.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 5th September 1903 on 1,936 05 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs A. P. (a)	Mds S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	396,167	3,88,331 0 0	46,04,780 0	7,07,258 0 0	26,484 0 0	12,12,073 0 0	114,493	161,280	275,773
Or per mile of railway ...	...	200 9 3	...	411 12 9	13 10 10	626 0 10	...	...	...
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year.	3,313,246*	30,81,302 0 0*	3,91,21,860 0†	61,25,221 0 0†	2,32,282 0 0‡	97,38,805 0 0	982,945§	1,354,783§	2,317,728
Total for 9½ weeks	3,709,413	34,69,633 0 0	4,37,26,640 0	72,20,479 0 0	2,58 766 0 0	1,09,48,878 0 0	1,077,438	1,516,063	2,593,501
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	313,807	3,04,278 3 5	34,00,909 10	7,32,674 10 6	20,346 10 5	11,07,299 8 4	109,793	188,003	297,796
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	159 0 7		409 1 2	10 10 2	578 11 11	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 9½ weeks of previous year.	3,576,105	33,57,842 13 4	4,02,82,761 10	78,56,011 10 1	2,03,723 10 10	1,09,16,078 2 3	1,066,258	1,703,774	2 770,032

(a) The increase chiefly due to "Bhadra Purnima" and "Pitripaksha Mela"
* Deducted No of Passengers 869 and added Rs. 8,393 } on account of difference between the approximate and
† Added Mds. 4,35,746 ,, ,, 34,604 } audited figures for the week ended 25th July 1903.
‡ Deducted ,, 4,200 }
Audited figures up to 25th July 1903.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*1,936·05	11 days of July ...	728,571	6,12,588	70,94,101	12,31,629	40,779	18,84,996	974	425,403	4 6 11
*1,936·05	Week ended 18th ,, ...	379,988	3,58,825	51,27,073	8,34,752	26,391	12,19,768	630	272,057	4 7 7
*1,936·05	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	370,820	3,78,641	51,59,123	8,17,494	26,143	12,22,278	631	275,134	4 5 1
1,936·13	,, ,, 1st Aug. ,,	377,269	3,53,860	49,10,283	7,77,014	28,869	11,59,733	602	252,253	4 1 9
1,936·13	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	368,178	3,88,286	44,93,560	7,34,844	28,287	11,51,417	598	276,903	4 2 6
1,936·13	,, ,, 15th ,, ,,	372,542	3,82,674	39,25,341	6,58,033	28,387	10,30,894	540	260,736	3 15 10
1,936·05	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	346,525	3,24,393	30,03,261	6,39,960	27,038	9,91,317	513	257,973	3 13 6
1,936·05	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	389,353	3,12,049	40,09,033	7,28,595	26,708	10,67,402	551	266,492	4 0 1
1,936·05	,, ,, 5th Sept. ...	396,167	3,88,851	43,04,780	7,67,258	26,484	12,12,073	626	275,773	4 6 4
	Totals up to date ,,	3,709,413	34,09,033	4,39,26,649	72,20,479	2,58,766	1,09,48,878	591	2,593,401	4 3 7

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,913·28	12 days of July ...	716,603	6,65,787	86,38,982	14,63,289	31,611	21,60,687	1,129	509,575	4 3 10
1,913·28	Week ended 19th ,, ...	441,138	3,78,481	47,42,891	8,02,446	16,685	11,97,612	626	288,530	4 2 5
1,913·28	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	370,367	3,75,806	45,66,617	7,07,453	16,816	11,00,075	575	279,023	3 15 1
1,913·28	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	345,725	3,21,083	40,81,101	7,36,933	28,773	10,66,789	568	285,468	3 12 11
1,913·28	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	353,308	3,26,068	45,08,009	7,26,710	27,520	10,81,198	565	277,593	3 14 4
1,913·28	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	301,658	3,38,319	47,51,171	7,35,191	22,467	10,95,977	573	273,109	4 0 2
1,913·28	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	358,929	3,17,094	41,55,743	6,06,506	18,780	10,02,380	524	270,201	3 11 4
1,913·28	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	317,170	3,29,336	44,37,208	7,34,809	20,325	10,84,660	567	288,559	3 12 2
1,913·28	,, ,, 6th Sept. .	313,307	3,04,278	54,00,999	7,92,675	20,347	11,07,300	579	297,794	3 11 6
	Totals up to date ...	3,578,105	33,57,342	4,02,82,781	73,56,012	2,03,324	1,09,16,678	587	2,770,032	3 15 1

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 5th September 1903 on 23·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	19,249	4,986 0 0	7,296 0	314 0 0	5 0 0	5,305 0 0	1,105	83	1,188
Or per mile of railway	.....	224 4 8	.....	14 2 0	0 3 7	238 10 3	.....	.....	...
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	192,549*	44,815 0 0*	80,411 0†	3,063 0 0†	47 0 0	47,625 0 0	9,599§	783§	10,382
Total for 9½ weeks ...	211,798	49,801 0 0	87,707 0	3,377 0 0	52 0 0	53,230 0 0	10,704	866	11,570
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	17,119	4,094 9 8	8,425 30	332 3 6	6 9 0	4,433 5 8	1,053	136	1,185
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	184 3 1	.....	17 3 1	0 4 9	201 10 11	.....	.....	...
Total for corresponding 9½ weeks of previous year	202,313	47,329 11 6	1,50,279 10	5,041 7 0	77 8 9	52,447 11 3	10,648	968	11,616

* Deducted No. of passengers 286 and Rs. 77 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended
† Added Mds. 3,574 and ,, 16 } 25th July 1903.
§ Audited figures up to 25th July 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	11 days of July ...	53,028	12,534	18,186	657	7	13,198	594	1,980	6 10 8
*22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	21,725	4,564	10,229	410	7	4,981	224	1,189	4 3 7
*22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,336	4,702	14,421	453	5	5,220	235	1,190	4 6 2
22·23	,, ,, 1st Aug. .	19,728	4,501	9,415	380	6	4,887	218	1,188	4 1 2
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	21,388	5,597	7,980	316	6	5,919	266	1,188	4 15 9
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,025	4,386	6,471	306	6	4,698	211	1,188	3 15 3
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	19,344	4,458	6,559	295	5	4,758	213	1,273	3 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	17,975	4,035	7,310	296	5	4,336	193	1,188	3 10 5
22·23	,, ,, 5th September	19,349	4,986	7,296	314	5	5,305	239	1,188	4 7 5
	Totals up to date ...	211,798	49,801	87,707	3,377	52	53,230	250	11,570	4 9 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	12 days of July ...	49,061	10,020	72,607	1,574	10	11,604	532	2,068	5 9 9
22·23	Week ended 19th ,, ...	31,007	6,929	10,687	403	10	7,342	330	1,932	5 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	23,846	5,357	11,085	504	6	5,867	264	1,188	4 15 0
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	16,896	3,760	8,881	334	11	4,105	185	1,188	3 7 3
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,493	4,746	7,568	359	5	5,110	232	1,188	4 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,417	4,887	6,733	241	13	5,141	231	1,188	4 5 3
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	18,269	4,080	5,803	373	7	4,460	201	1,188	3 13 1
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	15,615	3,465	8,519	371	9	3,835	173	1,188	3 3 8
22·23	,, ,, 6th September	17,119	4,095	8,420	388	6	4,483	202	1,188	3 12 5
	Totals up to date ...	202,313	47,329	1,50,279	5,041	77	53,447	243	11,616	4 8 3

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 5th September 1903 on 162·21 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	21,046	21,859 0 0	62,980 0	9,199 0 0	41 0 0	31,099 0 0	9,669	3,614	13,183
Or per mile of railway	... ...	134 12 1	... ...	56 11 4	0 4 1	191 11 6	...	...	...
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year	189,422*	1,57,053 0 0*	6,46,258 0†	80,439 0 0†	350 0 0‡	2,37,932 0 0	80,868§	31,115	111,983
Total for 9½ weeks ...	210,468	1,78,912 0 0	7,09,244 0	89,638 0 0	391 0 0	2,69,031 0 0	90,537	34,629	1,25,166
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	20,187	20,291 15 4	332,089 0	11,246 7 5	50 12 3	31,598 3 0	8,961	4,910	13,871
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	125 1 2	...	69 5 1	0 5 11	194 12 2	.....	... ...	...
Total for corresponding 9½ weeks of previous year.	213,370	1,77,540 10 9	18,09,623 30	1,03,376 6 0	480 1 0	2,81,406 1 9	83,939	44,853	128,792

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,588 and Rs. 5,224
* Added Mds. 2,256 and deducted ,, 207 } on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 26th July 1903.
‡ Do. ,, 19
§ Audited figures up to 25th July 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·21	21 days of July ...	35,739	29,468	1,36,511	16,775	74	46,318	286	20 575	2 4 6
*162 21	Week ended 18th July ...	20,883	16,964	1,31,806	14,430	41	31,625	195	13,177	2 6 5
*162·21	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,679	15,114	77,007	9,020	53	24,187	149	12,796	2 14 5
162·24	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	22,747	19,757	62,619	8,017	34	27,808	171	13,978	2 2 3
162 24	,, ,, 8th ,,	24,547	19,725	53,853	7,406	35	27,166	170	13,941	2 2 1
162·24	,, ,, 15th ,, ..	22,562	19,233	63,368	6,978	35	26,246	162	13,162	1 15 11
162·21	,, ,, 22nd ,, ..	21,965	18,945	53,939	7,988	39	26,972	166	13,987	2 0 3
162·21	,, ,, 29th ,, ..	20,301	17 899	60,482	9,275	39	27,213	168	13,957	2 1 7
162·21	,, ,, 5th Sept ...	21,946	21,859	62,989	9,199	41	31,099	193	13,183	2 5 9
	Totals up to date ...	210,468	1,78,952	7,09,244	89,638	391	2,60,021	173	125,166	2 2 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162 24	12 days of July ...	40,898	32,090	1,48,494	19,647	94	51,831	319	22,783	2 4 5
162 24	Week ended 19th July ...	22,411	17,903	5,62,416	15,268	42	33,273	205	13,707	2 6 10
162·24	,, ,, 26th ,, ..	28,296	22,107	1,02 087	8,894	32	31,033	191	13,778	2 4 4
162·24	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	20,154	15,926	1,00,092	7,715	40	23,681	146	13,472	1 12 1
162·24	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	21,710	17,112	92,516	7,445	58	24,615	152	13,810	1 14 9
162·24	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,535	16,852	94,439	9,550	48	26,566	164	13,376	2 2 4
162·24	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,791	14,375	2,79,113	13,017	59	27,451	169	13,233	2 1 3
162·24	,, ,, 30th ,, ..	20,462	20,813	97,469	10,494	47	31,359	193	13,762	2 7 4
162·24	,, ,, 6th Sept. ...	20,187	20,293	3 33,063	11,846	60	31,598	195	13,871	2 4 5
	Totals up to date ..	213,370	1,77,550	18,09,624	1,03,376	480	2,81,406	179	128,792	2 3 0

* Audited figures.

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 5th September 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	11,601	6,238 0 0	31,556 0	1,990 0 0	27 0 0	8,254 0 0	1,689	910	2,599
Or per mile of railway ..	...	79 3 3	...	25 6 1	0 5 6	104 14 10	.....	.. ..	.. ..
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year	100,948*	80,832 0 0*	3,16,123 0†	21,862 0 0†	243 0 0‡	73,037 0 0	14,984§	6,202§	21,186
Total for 9½ weeks ..	112,549	87,070 0 0	3,47,679 0	23,851 0 0	270 0 0	81,291 0 0	16,673	7,112	23,785
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	9,001	4,837 1 10	29,725 10	1,943 15 0	10 14 3	6,791 15 1	1,694	2,086	3,780
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	... .	61 6 8	.....	24 10 11	0 2 2	86 3 9	.....	. ...	.....
Total for corresponding 9½ weeks of previous year	107,955	55,019 10 1	3,79,396 10	23,432 8 0	125 13 6	78,630 15 7	18,167	10,436	28,603

* Added No. of passengers 2,555 and Rs. 1,608 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 29th
Do. Mds. 3,136 ,, 233 } July 1903.
‡ Deducted ,, 3
Audited figures up to 28th July 1903.

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1903 *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*78·76	11 days of July ...	22,040	11,187	37,839	4,214	41	15,442	196	3,990	3 14 9
*78·76	Week ended 18th ,, ...	11,472	5,831	34,105	2,071	27	8,519	108	2,519	3 6 1
*78·76	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	14,072	7,591	33,089	2,620	30	10,241	130	2,519	4 1 1
78·76	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	11,461	5,502	37,415	2,696	31	8,229	104	2,501	3 4 8
78·76	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	11,778	6,135	37,288	2,868	30	9,033	115	2,618	3 7 2
78·76	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	9,594	4,743	35,116	2,147	30	6,920	88	2,245	3 1 4
78·76	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	10,708	5,180	40,988	2,058	37	7,265	93	2,226	3 2 8
78·76	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	9,343	4,673	40,313	2,588	27	7,288	93	2,552	2 13 6
78·76	,, ,, 5th Sept. ..	11,601	6,238	31,566	1,999	27	8,264	105	2,599	3 2 10
	Totals up to date ...	113,549	57,070	3,47,679	23,861	270	81,201	108	23,788	3 6 7

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. 1902.

		No of passengers.	Rs	Mds	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	13 days of July ...	23,554	12,211	70,807	4,577	40	16,828	214	4,961	3 6 3
78·76	Week ended 19th ,, .	13,310	6,581	33,421	2,135	8	8,724	111	2,678	3 4 1
78·76	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	11,715	5,894	41,404	2,348	9	8,251	105	2,835	2 14 7
78·76	,, ,, 2nd Aug.	12,264	6,001	53,575	3,209	11	9,221	117	2,535	3 4 6
78·76	,, ,, 9th ,,	10,679	5,312	38,578	2,009	18	7,339	93	2,914	2 8 4
78·76	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	9,968	4,850	53,627	2,343	10	7,223	92	2,598	2 12 6
78·76	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	9,454	4,705	31,774	2,343	7	7,055	90	2,905	2 11 4
78·76	,, ,, 30th ,, .	9,080	4,618	36,395	2,598	15	7,190	91	3,187	2 3 0
78·76	,, ,, 6th Sept.	9,001	4,837	29,725	1,944	11	6,792	86	2,780	1 12 8
	Totals up to date ...	107,955	55,019	3,79,396	23,483	129	78,631	103	28,593	2 12 0

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 29th August 1903 on 622 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	16,553	16,771 0 0	1,31,372 0	22,521 0 0	1,355 0 0	41,147 0 0	6,594	7,697	14,291
Or per mile of railway	43 69	26·96	282·67	36·02	2 88	64 86	10·60	11·97	23·57
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	234,951	1,37,377 0 0	8,17,700 0	1,21,320 0 0	20,347 0 0	2,79,044 0 0	51,014	48,197	99,211
Total for 9 weeks ...	251,504	1,54,148 0 0	9,99,072 0	1,43,841 0 0	22,202 0 0	3,20,191 0 0	57,608	55,894	113,502
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	24,267	14,418 0 0	9,04,235 0	16,727 0 0	2,296 0 0	33,441 0 0	6,415	8 264	14,679
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	43 49	25·84	346 75	26 40	3·90	58 14	11 50	14 03	25 53
Total to corresponding date of previous year	237,301	1,44,093 0 0	1,052,355 0	1,34,997 0 0	12,349 0 0	2,91,939 0 0	56 507	76,358	132,865

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 29th August 1903.			Receipts for week ending 30th August 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 29th August 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 30th August 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	41,147	64 86	589	33,441	58·14	643	8,53,708		589	7,69,030	...	64,278	....

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(Including N. B, K.-D., Dacca and Assam-Behar Sections.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1903 on 899 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	230,350	1,00,500 0 0	13,20,160 0	2,74,270 0 0	15,730 0 0	3,88,500 0 0	40,413	46,298	86,711
Or per mile of railway	256	112 0 0	1,357 0	303 0 0	1 0 0*	418 0 0*	... ...	... ...	... ...
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	2,065,570	9,21,900 0 0	96,98,990 0	16,14,690 0 0	1,55,440 0 0	26,92,030 0 0	320,948	344,456	665,404
Total for 10 weeks ..	2,295,920	10,22,400 0 0	1,06,88,550 0	18,88,960 0 0	1,69,170 0 0	30,80,530 0 0	361,361	390,754	754,115
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	230,056	1,00,969 0 0	11,91,605 0	2,21,857 0 0	15,720 0 0	4,38,536 0 0	37,304	50,956	88,260
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (801 miles)	288	117 0 0	1,334 0	275 0 0	1 0 0	493 0 0	.....	... ...	... ...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,177,093	9,19 628 0 0	1,03,65 736 0	19,13,259 0 0	1,71,925 0 0	30 89,813 0 0	369,274	394,721	760,995

* Excluding ferry earnings, Rs 12,360

N. B.—Decrease in goods is chiefly due to jute traffic.

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise	Total
		Rs A P.	Mds. s.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,560	2,180 0 0	45,170 0	4,630 0 0	40 0 0	6,850 0 0	996	1,004	2,000
Or per mile of railway ...	127	37 0 0	761 0	78 0 0		115 0 0	... .	... ..	... ...
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	65,830	20,180 0 0	2,32,170 0	20,140 0 0	310 0 0	40,630 0 0	9,886	7,034	16,920
Total for 10 weeks ..	73,390	22 360 0 0	2,77,340 0	24,770 0 0	350 0 0	47,480 0 0	10,882	8,038	18 920
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,563	1,806 0 0	48,572 0	5,405 0 0	17 0 0	7,227 0 0	806	1,362	2,160
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	111	31 0 0	818 0	91 0 0	.....	122 0 0	.. .	.....	.
Total to corresponding date of previous year	64,959	18,612 0 0	3,13 216 0	31,857 0 0	230 0 0	50,499 0 0	10,066	12,740	23 806

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1903 on 55·14 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs A. P.	Mds. s	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week .	8,280	2 050 0 0	43,160 0	2,170 0 0	60 0 0	4,280 0 0	1,142	433	1,575
Or per mile of railway	150	39 0 0	813 0	41 0 0	1 0 0	81 0 0	..	.. ..	.. ..
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	70,730	18 370 0 0	2,13,650 0	10,260 0 0	180 0 0	28,810 0 0	10,238	3,377	13 615
Total for 10 weeks ..	79,010	20 420 0 0	2,56,810 0	12,430 0 0	240 0 0	33,090 0 0	11,380	3,810	15 190
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	8,928	2 269 0 0	24,897 0	1 246 0 0	30 0 0	3,551 0 0	1,148	366	1 514
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	167	43 0 0	466 0	23 0 0	1 0 0	67 0 0	.. ...	..	
Total to corresponding date of previous year	80,388	21,818 0 0	1,77,362 0	8,436 0 0	261 0 0	30,215 0 0	11,451	4 620	16,074

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1903 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	29,170	8,110 0 0	55,980 0	4,730 0 0	270 0 0	13,110 0 0	2,763	1,640	4,403
Or per mile of railway	339	94 0 0	651 0	55 0 0	3 0 0	153 0 0	...		
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	249,040	69,330 0 0	3,62,080 0	20,100 0 0	1,420 0 0	90,850 0 0	25,833	13,323	39,151
Total for 10 weeks ...	278,190	77,440 0 0	3,18,060 0	24,830 0 0	1,690 0 0	1,03,960 0 0	28,106	14,963	43,569
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	30,857	8,413 0 0	23,497 0	2,510 0 0	100 0 0	11,023 0 0	2,710	1,596	4,306
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	359	98 0 0	273 0	29 0 0	1 0 0	128 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	274,939	76,962 0 0	2,57,001 0	20,956 0 0	7,518 0 0	1,05,436 0 0	26 670	17,316	43,986

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1903 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	2,510	840 0 0	5,900 0	630 0 0	30 0 0	1,500 0 0	365	(a)1,319	1,[illegible]
Or per mile of railway	75	25 0 0	176 0	19 0 0	1 0 0	45 0 0	.....	.....	...
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	23,600	8,640 0 0	68,760 0	8,170 0 0	290 0 0	17,100 0 0	4,203	11,202	15,405
Total for 10 weeks ...	26,110	9,480 0 0	74,750 0	8,800 0 0	320 0 0	18,600 0 0	4,768	12,511	17,279
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2,151	721 0 0	2,262 0	260 0 0	8 0 0	1,728 0 0	295	1,023	1,318
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	64	21 0 0	276 0	30 0 0	.....	51 0 0	.....	... ..	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	22,097	7,468 0 0	613,352 0	10,271 0 0	196 0 0	23,957 0 0	2 753	11,374	14,127

(a) Ballast train-miles 1,100.

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th August 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	29,130	12,110 0 0	1,06,841 0	21,481 0 0	61 0 0	33,902 0 0	4,942	6,255	11,197
Or per mile of railway	224	93 0 0*	1,101 0	165 0 0	...	248 0 0			
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	293,941	1,07,093 0 0	7,31,465 0	82,103 0 0	1,697 0 0	1,91,183 0 0	37,655	29,917	67,472
Total for 9 weeks ...	322,071	1,19,213 0 0	8,98,406 0	1,03,574 0 0	1,758 0 0	2,25,085 0 0	42,497	36,172	78,669
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	27,701	11,073 0 0	1,37,665 0	17,384 0 0	260 0 0	28,723 0 0	3,916	4,814	7,370
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	213	85 0 0*	990 0	125 0 0	2 0 0	213 0 0	.....	.....	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	305,043	1,10,703 0 0	6,83,757 0	65,803 0 0	3,344 0 0	1,55,830 0 0	29,407	27,531	56,93[illegible]

* Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 29th August 1903 on 1,330 (a) miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,330(a) miles open	186,280	(b)70,790	4,83,890	(c)57,140	(d)10,360	1,38,290	40,899	(e)29,575	70,474
Or per mile of railway	140·06	53·23	363·83	42·96	7·79	103·98	... ...	... ...	
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year	1,712,790	7,00,510	55,26,880	6,40,170	1,48,330	14,89,000	313,395	238,499	550,894
Total for 8½ weeks ...	1,899,070	7,71,300	60,10,710	6,97,310	1,58,690	16,27,290	353,294	268,074	621,368
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,261 miles open	176,716	60,433	6,43,550	63,620	27,279	1,51,332	41,399	(f)47,521	88,920
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	140·14	47·93	510·35	50·45	21·63	120·01	... ...	.....	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,645,765	6,43,075	50,81,946	5,33,693	1,60,213	13,35,980	368,593	269,987	638,58

(a) 0·76 miles lifted from Sewai ghat from April 1903, *vide* Statement No. XIII of half-yearly accounts.
(b) Increase under local and foreign inward traffic.
(c) Falling off owing to heavy rains.
(d) Decrease under hire of vehicles mileage and demurrage, land rent, &c., &c.
(e) Includes 5,351 miles of Ballast Trains.
(f) Ditto 13,823 ditto.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 29th August 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	.....	...	.....	...	... ..	.....	... ...	.....	.....
Or per mile of railway	.....	... ..	... .	..	....	.....	... ..	.....	.....
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year	8,286	1,332	77,224	1,471	91	2,794	2,333	868	3,201
Total for 8½ weeks ...	8,286	1,332	77,224	1,471	91	2,794	2,333	868	3,201
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	1,994	207	9,322	280	19	506	340	128	468
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	110·78	11·50	529·00	15·56	1·05	28·11	.....	...	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	15,801	1,335	70,064	1,617	73	3,225	2,826	816	3,642

Note.—The line closed for all descriptions of traffic from 15th August 1903 owing to floods.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 5th September 1903	Coaching ...	5,113	0	0			
	Goods ...	11,166	0	0	16,368	0	0
	Other earnings ...	59	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	5,162	0	0			
	Goods ...	12,890	0	0	18,114	0	0
	Other earnings ...	62	0	0			
	Decrease ...				1,746	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 5th September 1903					320	15	1
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					355	2	10
	Decrease ...				34	3	9
Receipts from 1st July to 5th September 1903					1,42,755	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					1,41,160	0	0
	Increase ...				1,595	0	0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3715A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2195A.D.—The 19th August 1903.*—Mr. W. S. Adie, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Muzaffarpur district, and is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 2827A.D.—The 9th September 1903.—Mr. B. R. Mehta, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tippera, is appointed to have charge of the Chandpur subdivision of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Jnanendra Nath Roy, or until further orders.

Tippera.

No. 2955A.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Mr. Donald Weston, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Backergunge, is appointed to be Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Judge of the Court for the trial of Pilots, *vice* Mr. T. A. Pearson, about to retire.

Backergunge. Calcutta.

No. 3009A.D.—The 16th September 1903.—Babu Mokunda Deb Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is appointed to have charge of the Barh subdivision of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. S. Milne, or until further orders.

Patna.

No. 3075A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Mr. William Augustus Bonnaud, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Abdur Rahim, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 3077A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Krishna Dayal Pramanik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Diamond Harbour, 24-Parganas, is appointed to have charge of the Pirojpur subdivision of the Backergunge district.

24-Parganas.
Backergunge.

No. 3079A D.—The 21st September 1903.—Mr. Manmatha Nath Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is appointed to have charge of the Diamond Harbour subdivision of the 24-Parganas district

Rajshahi.
24-Parganas.

No. 3081A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Uma Prasanna Guha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nilphamari, Rangpur, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Rajshahi district.

Rangpur.
Rajshahi

No. 3083A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Prakas Chandra Sinha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Fenny, Noakhali, is appointed to have charge of the Nilphamari subdivision of the Rangpur district.

Noakhali.
Rangpur.

No. 3085A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Charu Chunder Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pirojpur, Backergunge, is appointed to have charge of the Barasat subdivision of the 24-Parganas district.

Backergunge.
24-Parganas.

No. 3087A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Romani Mohun Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is appointed to have charge of the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district.

Mymensingh.
Jessore.

No. 3089A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Banku Behary Dutta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jamalpur, Mymensingh, is transferred to the head-quarters station of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 3091A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Tara Prasana Acharya, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Saran district.

Khulna.
Saran.

No. 3093A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Murali Dhar Roy Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Saran, is appointed to have charge of the Fenny subdivision of the Noakhali district.

Saran.
Noakhali.

No. 3095A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Gati Krishna Neogy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranaghat, Nadia, is appointed to have charge of the Jamalpur subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

Nadia.
Mymensingh.

No. 3097A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Amrita Lal Mukerji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Barasat, 24-Parganas, is appointed to have charge of the Ranaghat subdivision of the Nadia district.

24 Parganas.
Nadia.

No. 3101A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—The order of the 7th September 1903, transferring Babu Jagat Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, to the head-quarters station of the Pabna district, is cancelled.

Rajshahi.
Pabna.

No. 3105A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Krishna Kali Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to act as Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Chandi Das Ghose, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 3107A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Mr. Naw Ratten Misra, B.A., Probationary Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Monghyr district.

Monghyr.

POLICE.—*No. 3016A.D.—The 17th September 1903.*—Mr. C. A. Tegart, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Patna, is appointed to hold charge of the Police of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. F. C. Daly, or until further orders.

Patna.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3001A.D.—The 16th September 1903.*—Babu Sasi Bhusan Dutt, Professor in the Presidency College (Class IV of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to be Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division, on probation for six months, *vice* Mr. Manomohan Ghose, with effect from the date on which the Colleges re-open after the Puja vacation on the 21st October 1903.

Calcutta
Chota Nagpur Division

No. 3003A.D.—The 16th September 1903.—Mr. Manomohan Ghose, Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division (Class IV of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to be temporarily a Professor in the Presidency College, *vice* Babu Sasi Bhusan Dutt, with effect from the date on which the Colleges re-open after the Puja vacation on the 21st October 1903.

Chota Nagpur Division
Calcutta.

No. 3028A.D.—The 18th September 1903.—Maulvi Muhammad Ibrahim, Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, is appointed to be Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, *vice* Rai Radhanath Rai Bahadur, about to retire.

Dacca Division. Burdwan Division.

No. 3030A.D.—The 18th September 1903.—Mr. H. A. Bamford, Inspector of European Schools, Bengal, on leave, is appointed to be Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Ibrahim.

Calcutta. Dacca Division.

No. 3033A.D.—The 18th September 1903.—Mr. W. W. Hornell, Officiating Inspector of European Schools, Bengal, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Mr. H. A. Bamford.

Calcutta.

No. 3035A.D.—The 18th September 1903.—Babu Kumud Bandhu Bose, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, is appointed to act as Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. A. Bamford, or until further orders.

Dacca Division.

No. 3037A.D.—The 18th September 1903.—Babu Mohim Chandra Bose, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Dacca (Class II of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Assistant Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Kumud Bandhu Bose, or until further orders.

Dacca Division.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2980A.D.—The 15th September 1903.*—The Revd. N. A. Lash, River Chaplain, Calcutta, is appointed to perform the duties of Chaplain of Fort William, during the absence, on leave, of the Revd. A. S. Dyer, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 3053A.D.—The 19th September 1903.*—Mr. G. O. Ranger is appointed to be a member of the Committee of Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3007A.D.—The 16th September 1903.*—Mr. W. S. Milne, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Barh, Patna, is allowed leave for one month, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th September 1903.

Patna.

No. 3050A.D.—The 19th September 1903.—Mr. Surjya Kumar Agasti, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is allowed furlough for four days, under Article 566 (4) (*c*) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 2nd April 1903.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3057A.D.—The 19th September 1903.—Babu Braja Durlab Hazra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is allowed leave for one month and fifteen days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th September 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Backergunge.

No. 3059A.D.—The 19th September 1903.—Mr. A. H. Vernède, I.C.S., has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India extraordinary leave for four days, in continuation of the combined leave for six months granted to him under the order of the 30th March 1903.

No. 3065A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Gobind Chandra Das Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is allowed leave for two days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 3rd March 1903.

Khulna.

No. 3067A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Ram Sadan Bhattacharjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is allowed leave for ten days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1903.

Midnapore.

No. 3071A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—The order of the 20th June 1903, granting leave to Babu Nityanand Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakhali, for fifteen days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, is cancelled.

Noakhali.

No. 3073A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Mr. Abdur Rahim, Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is allowed leave for two months and twenty-three days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1903.

Calcutta.

No. 3103A.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Babu Chandi Das Ghose, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, is allowed leave for three months, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th September 1903.

Calcutta.

POLICE.—*No. 2998A.D.—The 16th September 1903.*—Babu Janki Pershad Tewary, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Pabna, is allowed leave for ten days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1903.

Pabna.

No. 3013A.D.—The 17th September 1903.—Mr. F. C. Daly, District Superintendent of Police, Patna, is allowed leave for ten days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th September 1903.

Patna.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 3069A.D.—The 21st September 1903.*—Babu Bepin Mohan Sehanavis, Special Sub-Registrar of Alipur, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under Article 262 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 27th August 1903.

24-Parganas.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2978A.D.—The 15th September 1903.*—The Revd. A. S. Dyer, Chaplain of Fort William, is allowed leave for six weeks, under Article 592 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th September 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 3042A.D.—The 18th September 1903.—The Revd. H. B. Cogan, Chaplain of Dum-Dum, is allowed leave for three months, under Article 592 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th October 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

24-Parganas.

The following order is republished from the *Assam Gazette*:—

No. 200.—The 17th September 1903.—Privilege leave of absence for two months and ten days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, is granted to Babu Chandra Kumar Datta, Assistant Surgeon, Naga Hills, with effect from the afternoon of the 11th September 1903.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2214T.R.—The 18th September 1903.—Mr. T. I. Pocock, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, attached to the Sundarbans Division, is allowed leave for one month, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1903, or any subsequent date on which he availed himself of it.

Sundarbans Division.

No. 2195T.R.—The 16th September 1903.—Mr. J. B. Ellis, Assistant Opium Agent, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India leave on private affairs for two months on medical certificate, in extension of that granted in this Department Notification No. 10110., dated the 21st February 1903.

Allahabad.

No. 2196T.R.—The 17th September 1903.—Mr. M. A. Cartland, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month and fifteen days, with effect from the 1st October 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Benares.

No. 2143T.R.—The 15th September 1903.—Babu Charu Chandra Kumar, Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Monghyr, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th September 1903, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

Monghyr.

No. 2229T.R.—The 21st September 1903.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 9 of the Sonthal Parganas Settlement Regulation, III of 1872, as amended by section 4 of the Sonthal Parganas Rent Regulation, II of 1886, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare that a revision of settlement shall be made in respect of the areas specified below, situated within the undermentioned estates in the district of the Sonthal Parganas:—

Sonthal Parganas.

Subdivision.	Name of estate.	Description of estate.	Tauzi No.	Approximate number of villages.	Approximate area in square miles.
1	2	3	4	5	6
DUMKA ...	Ghat Maharu	Government...	24	3	1·79
	,, Khejuria	Ditto ...	25	2	1·06
	,, Hatmari	Ditto ...	9	7	2·83
RAJMAHAL ...	Amanat Sarkar Sarfarazgunge ...	Ditto ...	117	1	0·90
	,, ,, Mauza Madia ...	Ditto ...	403	1	1·09
	Mauza Jamalpur, jagir Nathu Havildar.	Ditto ...	208	1	0·006
	Bhowani Chauki *urf* Bhowani Chuck.	Ditto ...	422	1	0·03

No. 2218T.R.—The 18th September 1903.—Whereas it is expedient that a survey shall be made and a record of rights be prepared in respect of all lands included in the estates mentioned below,* belonging to Government, in the district of the 24-Parganas:

24-Parganas.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*c*) and section 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record of rights be prepared in respect of all lands included in those estates.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record of rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record of rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

*1. Dosra Bhagabanpur, tauzi No. $\frac{\text{(new) } 2835}{\text{(old) } 1891}$.
2. Kamdebpur, tauzi No. $\frac{\text{(new) } 2834}{\text{(old) } 2876}$.
3. Barasat, tauzi No. 2694.
4. Srikristopur, tauzi No. 2115.
5. Sureswargari, „ No. 1197.

No. 2219T.R.—The 18th September 1903.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorise Babu Bhuban Mohan Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer in respect of estate Kamdebpur, bearing No. $\frac{\text{(New) } 2834}{\text{(Old) } 2876}$, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue Officers.

24-Parganas.

2. He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the said estate.

No. 2167T.R.—The 15th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under the powers vested in him by section 3 of Act XIII of 1899 (Glanders and Farcy Act), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorise the application of the said Act to the following municipalities in the district of Hooghly:—

Hooghly.

(1) Bansbaria.
(2) Hooghly-Chinsura.
(3) Bhadreswar.
(4) Baidyabati.
(5) Serampore.
(6) Kotrung.
(7) Utterpara.

No. 2168T.R.—The 15th September 1903.—Under the powers vested in him by section 4 (1) of Act XIII of 1899 (Glanders and Farcy Act), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following persons to be Inspectors under that Act, to exercise and perform, within the limits of the several municipalities in

Hooghly.

the district of Hooghly, as shown below, the powers conferred, and the duties imposed, by the said Act, XIII of 1899, on such officers:—

(1) The District Magistrate ...	Bansbaria, Hooghly-Chinsura, Bhadreswar, Baidyabati, Serampore, Kotrung, and Utterpara.
(2) The Inspectors of the Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal.	
(3) Veterinary Assistant Raghu Nath Das, employed by the District Board, Hooghly.	
(4) The Subdivisional Officer of Serampore ..	Bhadreswar, Baidyabati, Serampore, Kotrung, and Utterpara.
(5) The Chairmen of the municipalities of Bansbaria, Hooghly-Chinsura, Bhadreswar, Baidyabati, Serampore, Kotrung, and Utterpara.	Each within the limits of the municipality of which he is the Chairman.

No. 2169T R.—The 15th September 1903.—Under section 7 (1) of Act XIII of 1899 (Glanders and Farcy Act), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following persons to be Veterinary Practitioners in the municipalities of Bansbaria, Hooghly-Chinsura, Bhadreswar, Baidyabati, Serampore, Kotrung, and Utterpara, in the district of Hooghly, for the purposes of the said Act:—

Hooghly

(1) The Inspectors of the Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal.

(2) Babu Raghu Nath Das, Veterinary Assistant, employed by the District Board, Hooghly.

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 2, Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Tripura Charan Roy, General Manager of the Wards' and Encumbered estates in the district of Ranchi, is appointed to be the Manager, and the management is vested in him, of the undermentioned immoveable property of Maharani Kamal Kueri of Hurhuri, in the district of Ranchi, and of any other immoveable property to which the said holder is entitled in her own right, or which she is entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by, or devolve on, her or her heirs during the continuance of such management:—

Name of estate.	Name of holder.
Hathma estate, comprising thirty-eight entire villages	Maharani Kamal Kueri.

F. A. SLACKE,

Commissioner of the Chota Nagpur Division.

The 6th September 1903.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 2, Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Tripura Charan Roy, General Manager of the Wards' and Encumbered estates in the district of Ranchi, is appointed to be the Manager, and the management is vested in him, of the undermentioned immoveable property of Baraik Balkrishna Sai of Berki Bewra in pargana Biru, in the district of Ranchi, and of any other immoveable property to which the said holder is entitled in his own right, or which he is entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by, or devolve on, him or his heirs during the continuance of such management:—

Name of estate.	Name of holder
Berki Bewra estate, comprising seven villages ...	Baraik Balkrishna Sai.

F. A. SLACKE,

Commissioner of the Chota Nagpur Division.

The 6th September 1903.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 1316T.G.—The 19th September 1903.—It is notified for general information that during the ensuing *Durga Puja* holidays, the Imperial Library will remain closed on the 28th, 29th, and 30th September and the 1st October 1903. On all the other days (including Sundays) the Reading Room of the Library will remain open from 2 to 6 P.M.

No. 2313.—The 22nd September 1903.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, is published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1608—34-5, dated Simla, the 10th September 1903.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture.

THE following draft of a notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 80 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883 (XXI of 1883), is published, as required by section 81 of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on or after the 12th October 1903.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date fixed aforesaid will be considered by the Governor-General in Council.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 80 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883 (XXI of 1883), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment be made in the rules as published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 94-E., dated the 18th March 1884, and subsequently amended, namely—

For Rule 98 the following shall be substituted:—

"98. The articles specified in schedule E shall not be carried as cargo on board an emigrant vessel."

And the following added:—

"98A No pigs, male goats, dogs or ferocious or dangerous animals shall be allowed on board an emigrant vessel, but, subject to this prohibition, cattle may be carried as cargo on board such a vessel:

Provided—

(*a*) that the space set apart in the upper deck for the use of emigrants, in accordance with the provisions of Rule 150 is not encroached upon;

(*b*) that the cattle are not carried below any deck on which emigrants are berthed, nor in any compartment in which emigrants are berthed, nor in any adjoining compartment, except in a vessel built of iron, and of which the compartments are divided off by substantial water-tight bulk heads extending to the upper deck;

(*c*) that a greater number of cattle are not carried than two head for the first 500 tons, and one additional head for every additional 200 tons of the vessel's registered tonnage, nor more in all than ten head of cattle; and

(*d*) that proper arrangements are made to the satisfaction of the Protector of Emigrants at the port of embarkation for the housing maintenance, and cleanliness of the cattle, and for the storage of their fodder, so that the comfort and welfare of the emigrants may not be injuriously affected.

Explanation I.—For the purposes of the rule, the expression "cattle" includes horned cattle, deer, horses, and asses; and four sheep or four female goats shall be reckoned as one head of cattle.

Explanation II.—Nothing in this rule shall be deemed to refer to sheep carried solely for purposes of food for emigrants during a voyage, as prescribed by schedule G, scale 2, Part A."

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2103 T.F.—The 19th September 1903.—Babu Kshitish Chandra Sarkar, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Pabna, *vice* Maulvi Syed Abdus Salek, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Pabna.

No. 2109 T.F.—The 19th September 1903.—Mr. A. S. Judge, Superintendent of the Customs Preventive Service and Salt Department, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for six weeks under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th September 1903, or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 2110T.F.—The 19th September 1903.—Mr. G. H. Maflin, Chief Inspector, Customs Preventive Service, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Superintendent of the Customs Preventive Service and Salt Department, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. S. Judge, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3716A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2992J.D.—The 14th September 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen are re appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Benches in the district of Balasore, mentioned against their respective names :—

Balasore.

Babu Gobind Prasad Das	...	Sadar (Balasore) Bench.
„ Upendra Chandra Roy	...	
Mr. William George Mayston	...	Chandbali Independent Bench.
Babu Haribandhu Chowdhury	...	
„ Radha Shyam Das	...	Bhadrak „ „

No. 3022J.D.—The 16th September 1903.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Bose is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar (Barisal) Independent Bench, in the district of Backergunge

Backergunge.

No. 3044J.D.—The 16th September 1903.—Babu Loke Nath Datta is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Goalundo, in the district of Faridpur.

Faridpur.

No. 3048J.D.—The 17th September 1903.—Babu Amulya Chander Goswami is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Serampore, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 3106J.D.—The 17th September 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Asansol, in the district of Burdwan :—

Burdwan

Mr. Graham Peddie. | Mr. Andrew Constance Carr.

POWERS.

No. 2195A.D.—The 19th August 1903.—Mr. W. S. Adie, Assistant Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Muzaffarpur district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 2993J.D.—The 14th September 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Benches in the district of Balasore, mentioned against their respective names, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class :—

Balasore.

Babu Gobind Prasad Das	...	Sadar (Balasore) Bench.
„ Upendra Chandra Roy	...	
„ Haribandhu Chowdhury	...	Chandbali Independent Bench.
„ Radha Shyam Das	...	Bhadrak „ „

No. 2994J.D.—The 14th September 1903.—Mr. William George Mayston, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Chandbali Independent Bench, in the district of Balasore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the Subdivisional Officer of Bhadrak.

Balasore.

No. 3021J.D.—The 17th September 1903.—Under the authority conferred on him by section 185A, sub-section 1 of the Code of Civil Procedure, the Lieutenant-Governor directs that evidence in cases in which an appeal lies shall be taken down by Babu Bhagabati Charan Mitra, Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas, with his own hand in the English language.

24-Parganas.

No. 3023J.D.—The 16th September 1903.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Bose, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar (Barisal) Independent Bench, in the district of Backergunge, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Backergunge.

No. 3045J.D.—The 16th September 1903.—Babu Loke Nath Datta, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Goalundo, in the district of Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Faridpur.

Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Loke Nath Datta, an Honorary Magistrate of the Goalundo Independent Bench, in the district of Faridpur, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 3049J.D.—The 17th September 1903.—Babu Amulya Chander Goswami, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language

Hooghly.

No. 3107J.D.—The 17th September 1903.—The undermentioned gentlemen, who have been appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Asansol, in the district of Burdwan, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Burdwan.

Mr. Graham Peddie. | Mr. Andrew Constance Carr.

No. 3208J.D.—The 21st September 1903.—Dr. Alfred McCabe-Dallas, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, is empowered to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the Subdivisional Officer of Narayanganj.

Dacca.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 3206J.D.—The 21st September 1903.—In Notification No. 648J.D., dated the 9th May 1903, published at page 575, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem, appointing Doctor McCate Dallas as an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, *for* "Doctor McCate Dallas" *read* "Dr. Alfred McCabe-Dallas."

Dacca.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 3207J.D.—The 21st September 1903.—In Notification No. 649J.D., dated the 9th May 1903, published at page 579, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem, vesting Doctor McCate Dallas, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, *for* "Doctor McCate Dallas," *read* "Dr. Alfred McCabe-Dallas."

Dacca.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 21st September 1903.

No. 132.—Mr. G. G. Dey, Assistant Engineer, attached to the office of the Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for 21 days, with effect from 20th September 1903, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 133.—The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, are republished for information:—

No. 344, dated the 16th September 1903.—Mr. F. W. Eicke, Officiating Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Bengal, is appointed to officiate as Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Bombay.

No. 345.—Mr. A. G. Harrison, Examiner of Accounts, is, on return from leave, appointed Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Bengal.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL BUILDINGS.

The 21st September 1903.

No. 131.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a combined Post and Telegraph Office in mahalla Alamgunge,

in the town of Bihar, pargana Bihar, in the district of Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 17 cottahs of standard measurement, or 1 rood 4 poles and 25 square yards, bounded on the north by the houses of Ramkesenlal, Hakim Sarful Huq and Telanghi Kahar, on the west by the house of Mahadeo Mali, on the south by the road leading to the Bihar Railway station, and on the east by the Bihar police-station road, is required within the aforesaid mahalla Alamgunge, in the town of Bihar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Eastern Sone Division.

R. G. KENNEDY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

Calcutta, the 17th September 1903.

No. 193R.—The following Resolution of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Railway Traffic, is republished for information.

W. A INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 714R.T, dated Simla, the 22nd August 1903.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Public Works Department.

READ—

Section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890).

Letter from the Government of Bengal, Railway Department, No. 259T.R., dated 1st July 1903.

RESOLUTION.—The Managing Agents of the Bukhtiarpur-Behar Light Railway Company, Limited, have applied that the general rules for working open lines of railway in British India, which have been promulgated under Public Works Department Circular No. 6 Railway, dated 12th March 1895, and published under the Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 118, dated the 21st March 1895 (*vide* the *Gazette of India* of the 23rd March 1895), as modified by the Government of India circulars Nos. 3 Railway, dated the 22nd May 1896, 3 Railway, dated the 3rd February 1897, 1 Railway, dated the 3rd March 1898, III Railway, dated the 15th March 1898, V Railway, dated the 3rd July 1899, XII Railway, dated the 17th October 1900, II Railway, dated the 19th March 1901, III Railway, dated the 22nd March 1901, 2 Railway, dated the 16th January 1902, II Railway, dated the 21st January 1902, IV Railway, dated the 4th March 1902, V Railway, dated the 11th July 1902, and 1 Railway, dated the 4th March 1903, which were published under Public Works Department Notifications Nos. 257, dated the 28th May 1896, 55, dated the 5th February 1897, 104, dated the 10th March 1898, 134, dated the 23rd March 1898, 298, dated the 14th July 1899, 432, dated the 26th October 1900, 142 and 143, dated the 27th March 1901, 34 and 35, dated the 29th January 1902, 83, dated the 11th March 1902, 258, dated the 23rd July 1902, and 101, dated the 11th March 1903 (*vide* the *Gazette of India* of the 30th May 1896, 6th February 1897, 12th March 1898, 26th March 1898, 15th July 1899, 27th October 1900, 30th March 1901, 1st February 1902, 15th March 1902, 26th July 1902, and 14th March 1903, may be made applicable to the Bukhtiarpur-Behar Light Railway.

2. The Governor-General in Council is accordingly pleased to sanction the application of the general rules for working railways open for traffic, cited in paragraph 1 above, to the Bukhtiarpur-Behar Light Railway and to any extensions thereof which may hereafter be opened for the public carriage of passengers, animals or goods.

ORDER—Ordered that this Resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3) of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the general rules cited in paragraph 1, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section; and that this Resolution be communicated to the Government of Bengal and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Calcutta, for information and guidance.

The 21st September 1903.

No. 194R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for the explosives magazine in Khanoodih sub division, Jherria district, Grand Chord line, Bhojoodih-Harriharpur section, in the village of Minjra, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 35·69 poles, being equivalent to 13 cottahs and 14 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Minjra.

Mines of coal, ironstone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the works for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894 and section 3, clause I of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Jherria district Bengal-Nagpur Railway at Mhoda.

No. 195R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for the portion of the Bhoojoodih-Harriharpur Grand Chord line, from the crossing over the East Indian Railway, Khanoodih Coal Branch, to and including the junction station at Gumma, also of the line connecting the East Indian Railway Coal Branch with Khanoodih station, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the villages of Nowaghur, Minjra, Bendih, Dolordih, Borora, Joyramdih, Dumra, Tolotana, Bakaspur, Bagmarah, Bhimkanali, Pandadih, Bansoria, Bharwadee, Majla lih, Valuatand, Gharati, Kharia, Ghanghosia, Kesin and Gumma, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 428 acres 1 rood and 7 poles, being equivalent to 1,296 bighas 7 cottahs and 15 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages

Mines of coal, ironstone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction for the works for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894 and section 6, clause I of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Jherria district Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Mhoda.

No. 196R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the Chundore Branch, East Indian Railway, in the villages of Bus-eriya, Bowakhoord, Bowakullan, Gurba, Nichitpur, M eheleedeeh, Bansjorah, Pandehdeeh and Chundore, pargana Jheria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring, more or less, 371 bighas 5 cottahs and 14 88 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 122 acres 2 roods and 38·82 poles), 4 miles 9·80 chains in length, varying in width from 105 feet to 360 feet, running east to west from mile No. 170 feet 4488 of Jheriah Branch, East Indian Railway, close by the inclines of Messrs Bansaria Coal Company, N L. Mukherji & Co., Trigunite Brothers, United Coal Company, Pandehdeeh Coal Company, P. C. Ray & Co, and National Coal Company, is required within the aforesaid villages.

Mines of coal, ironstone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1,, Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

The 22nd September 1903.

No. 197R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for the construction of a well, pump-house, and drivers' quarters at Bankura Station, in the village of Murara, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 acre 3 roods 6 446 poles, being equivalent to 5 bighas 8 kottahs 5 chittaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Murara.

Mines of coal, ironstone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the works for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894 and section 3, clause 1 of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Adra district, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Adra.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 22nd September 1903.

No. 116Marine.—Mr. H. D. Lindquist, Junior Master Pilot, is granted leave on medical certificate, under Article 672 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 15th June to the 4th September 1903.

This cancels this Department Notification No. 92Marine of the 30th July 1903.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3717A.

No. 3046A.D.—The 19th September 1903.—Babu Chandra Kumar Mathur, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Angul, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the district of Cuttack until further orders.

Angul.
Cuttack.

No. 3048A.D.—The 19th September 1903.—Maulvi Saiyad Tajammul Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector of Kendrapara, Cuttack, is transferred to Angul until further orders.

Cuttack.
Angul.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9576, dated Calcutta, the 18th September 1903.—Captain J. Mulvany, I.M.S., made over charge of the Presidency Jail to Mr. G. A. Davis on the afternoon of the 8th September 1903.

No. 9577, dated Calcutta, the 18th September 1903.—Captain J. Mulvany, I.M.S., made over medical charge of the Presidency Jail to Captain V E. H. Lindesay, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 8th September 1903.

No. 9680, dated Calcutta, the 22nd September 1903.—Captain B. R. Chatterton, I.M.S., made over charge of the Gaya Jail to Lieutenant J. Masson on the afternoon of the 5th September 1903.

No 9681, dated Calcutta, the 22nd September 1903.—Captain W. V Coppinger, I.M.S., made over charge of the Chapra Jail to Captain A. Cochrane, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 27th August 1903.

M. S. EMERSON,
for *Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.*

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION

Examination of Compounders at the Orissa Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notifications Nos. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, and 337T.—M., dated 9th June 1897, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 9 A.M. on Thursday, the 22nd October 1903, at the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack.

2. Every candidate must produce a certificate of training and a certificate of age and previous education, as required by Rule 9 (*vide* Government of Bengal Notification No. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1896, and circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Calcutta Hospitals with his Circular No. 60, dated 5th December 1896).

3. All male candidates either belonging to the Vernacular Medical Schools or to the outside dispensaries must forward to the Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack, an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the 22nd October 1903. Female candidates will be examined free of charges.

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

5. No candidate for the Compounder's examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to Rules 9, 10 and 12 (a) and (b), and of the persons granting the certificates to Rules 11 and 14 (3) and (4) and to the certificate, Forms C and D, in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification No. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896.

J. T. CALVERT, M.B. (LOND.), MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.

MEDICAL SCHOOL, CUTTACK, *the 9th September 1903.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU NARENDRA KUMAR GHOSE has been placed temporarily in charge of the Jessore Treasury from the afternoon of the 31st August 1903 and authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

BHUPATI CHAKRAVARTTI, *Personal Asst*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th September 1903.*

BABU GIRISH CHANDRA SARKAR, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Faridpur Treasury from the afternoon of the 16th September 1903, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 19th September 1903.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 10th September 1903.—Babu Probodh Chandra Sen, M A., who was, under the orders of the 9th July 1902, appointed, on probation for six months, to be an Assistant Master in the Dacca Collegiate School, *vice* Babu Bharat Bandhu Laha, is confirmed in his appointment, with effect from the 16th January 1903, the date on which his period of probation expired.

He is also appointed substantively to Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 16th January 1903.

The 11th September 1903.—Babu Harish Chandra Khan, who was, under the orders of the 13th October 1902, appointed on probation for six months to be an Assistant Master in the Bihar School of Engineering, *vice* Babu Sunder Lal, resigned, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 20th May 1903, the date on which his period of probation expired.

He is also appointed substantively to Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 20th May 1903.

The 12th September 1903.—Babu Bhola Nath Datta, a Sub-Inspector of Schools under the District Board of Balasore (Class VII), has been granted by the Board leave on medical certificate for six months, with effect from the 4th August 1903.

The 13th September 1903.—Babu Hari Das Chakravarti, M.A., Officiating Lecturer on Sanskrit in the Chittagong College (officiating in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service), is confirmed in his appointment, with effect from the 1st August 1903, *vice* Babu Durga Das Bhatto, transferred.

Babu Hari Das Chakravarti is also confirmed in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 1st August 1903, in the resulting vacancy consequent on the retirement of Babu Ram Kamal Das.

Babu Ram Chandra Ghosh, an Assistant Master in the Hare School (Class VIII), was absent on leave for 21 days, under Article 271 (*i*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th August 1903.

Babu Indu Bhushan Roy, B A, acted as an Assistant Master in the Hare School, and in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 13th August 1903, during the absence on leave of Babu Ram Chandra Ghosh.

Babu Jogeshwar Mukherjee, late Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah (Class IV), was absent on leave for one month and three days, under Article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th July 1903.

The 14th September 1903.—Babu Bidu Bhushan Sen, M.A., Officiating Lecturer in the Chittagong College, is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Hindu School, *vice* Babu Braja Nath Banerjea, retired, with effect from the date on which he joins his new appointment.

He is also appointed substantively *pro tempore* to Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service in the resulting vacancy consequent on the retirement of Babu Braja Nath Banerjea.

The 14th September 1903.—Babu Jnanendra Nath Mitra, B.A., an Assistant Master of the Jessore Zilla School and substantive *pro tempore* Assistant Head Master of the Khulna Zilla School (Class VII), is confirmed in the latter appointment, *vice* Babu Sasadhar Sen, transferred.

The 15th September 1903.—Maulvi Syed Hossain Ali, B.A., Assistant Master, Arabic Department, Calcutta Madrasah, is appointed to act in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 25th March 1903, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Syama Charan Gupta, or until further orders.

The 18th September 1903.—Babu Sripati Mullick, Drawing Master of the Chapra Zilla School (Class VI), is allowed leave of absence for three months, under Article 271 (*i*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Babu Ram Kisore Bysack is appointed to act as Drawing Master of the Chapra Zilla School and in Class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, on the allowance of Rs 37-8 a month, with effect from the date on which the school re-opens after the Puja vacation, *vice* Babu Sripati Mullick, on leave.

The 19th September 1903.—Babu Ishan Chandra Bhattacharjee, an Assistant Master in the Rangpur Zilla School and now Officiating Head Master of the same institution (Class VII), is confirmed in the latter appointment, *vice* Babu Bijoy Krishna Bose, transferred.

A. PEDLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the second Half-yearly Departmental Examination of 1903 of Assistant Magistrates and other officers employed in the districts of Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions, will be held at Bankipore in this office on Monday, the 16th November 1903, and the two following days.

The examination will commence at 11 A.M. on each day.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 14th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, upon the result of the Entrance examination of 1904 being known, the five second-grade junior scholarships allotted to the Dacca Division will be awarded to the first five boys in the Divisional list without reference to districts, and the 11 third-grade scholarships will be distributed as follows:—

Dacca district	...	...	...	4
Mymensingh district	...	...	...	2
Faridpur do.	...	...	...	3
Backergunge do.	...	...	...	2
		Total	...	11

H. SAVAGE, *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR'S. OFFICE, *the 18th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that for the ensuing half-yearly departmental examination of Junior Civilians, Deputy Magistrates and others, to be held at 11 A M. on the 16th November 1903 and the two following days, a local Examination Committee will be convened at the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at No 3 Charnock Place, Calcutta, for officers employed in the districts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

KRISHNAKALI MUKHARJI, *Personal Asst.*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., *the 8th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that on the result of the ensuing Entrance Examination being known, the four second grade scholarships allotted to the Rajshahi Division will be awarded to the best students in the Division irrespective of districts, and the eight third grade scholarships will be distributed as follows:—

Rajshahi	...	...	...	2
Dinajpur	...	...	...	1
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	1
Darjeeling	...	...	...	1
Rangpur	...	...	...	1
Bogra	..	...	...	1
Pabna	...	...	...	1
		Total	...	8

Besides the above, there are two special scholarships—one of the second grade and the other of the third grade—open to competition among the students of all High English Schools in the district of Rangpur.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commr. of Rajshahi.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVISION, DARJEELING, *the 3rd September 1903.*

Office Memorandum by the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1904.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. *Private students* are those who do not appear from any school or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector. The term "private students" includes *schoolmasters*.

2. Private students must appear at the test examination of one of the following institutions:—

Those from the	At the Test Examination of	Date of Test Examination.
1	2	3
1. Howrah district ...	Howrah Municipal School ...	4th January 1904.
2. Bankura „ ...	Bankura Zilla School ...	18th December 1903.
3. Birbhum „ ...	Birbhum ditto ...	14th „ „
4. Midnapore „ ...	Midnapore Collegiate School ...	4th January 1904.
5. Hooghly „ ...	Uttarpara Government School ...	2nd „ „
	Hooghly Branch School ...	14th December 1903.
6. Burdwan „ ...	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School (with the Principal's permission).	14th „ „

The examinations will begin as stated above, and each private student will pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the head of the institution at which he appears for examination. The balance, after payment of expenses (stationery, etc.), will go as remuneration to the examiners. No private student will be admitted to the test examination unless accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to the Headmaster of the institution at which he appears.

3. Applications for permission to appear must be sent so as to reach *this office* not later than the 15th November, with the following information, etc.:—

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.
(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate from the same; or
(*c*) in the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.
(*d*) Age of the candidate.
(*e*) In the case of schoolmasters, a certificate of good conduct from the Secretary or Proprietor of the school in which the candidate is serving.

4. If this office is satisfied that all is in order, the Inspector will countersign and return the application, and this then will be the candidate's passport for admission *to the test examination.*

5. The Headmaster of an institution (one of those named above) should direct private students to appear before him not later than the 12th January with their applications for admission to the Entrance examination; and in the case of those candidates who have satisfied the test, he will cause them to sign their application forms in his presence, and will grant the necessary certificates, and then forward the applications to this office for countersignature, after which they will be sent by the Inspector *direct* to the candidates.

6. Expedition is necessary in carrying out all these instructions, and candidates should be *most careful* to give their names and addresses written legibly and distinctly, so that no mistake may be likely to occur.

7. *Under no circumstances should the entrance fee be sent to this office*, but it should be sent to the Registrar by the candidates themselves, together with the countersigned applications, which will be returned to the respective Headmasters for delivery to candidates.

8. Private students will understand that the test examination of any schools other than those named above will not be accepted by this office.

9. Addresses of private students should be supplied to this office.

10. The Entrance examination in 1904 will be held on the 7th March 1904 and following days. Applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 25th January 1904.

F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bonâ fide* masters of English schools who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or of six months after the examination of the same class last held by the University in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations.

2. Candidates for the F.A. and B.A. examinations must produce certificates of character and length of service from the Secretaries of their respective schools, together with their *Entrance* or *F.A.* certificates Those candidates who have been admitted to a former examination must produce the Registrar's receipt in addition.

3. The printed form of application should be carefully filled up, and submitted to this office *on or before the 20th January 1904*, together with other papers as mentioned in rule 2, after which no applications will be received.

4. By *bonâ fide* masters of schools are to be understood masters who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools, teaching at least the M. E. course.

5. The F.A. and B.A Examinations in 1904 will be held on the 21st March 1904 and following days. The applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 6th February 1904.

HOOGHLY,
The 3rd September 1903.

RADHA NATH ROY
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

NOTIFICATION No. 9598B.

MR. F. E. AGER, Superintendent of Salt Revenue, Balasore, is allowed privilege leave for fifteen days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1903.

THE HON'BLE MR. C. E BUCKLAND, C.I.E., *Member in charge.*

Babu Bairagi Charan Ghose, Inspector of Salt Revenue, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Salt Revenue, Balasore, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. F. E. Ager.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

CALCUTTA;
MISC. REV. DEPT.—*Salt Branch,*
The 16th September 1903.

H. WHEELER,
Secretary.

Addenda and corrigenda to the publication containing the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to 31st December 1902).

No. 3.

IN rule 2 of the rules that issued under Notification No. 3959B., dated the 29th April 1903, regarding the payment of refunds of duty on salt bonded in Inland Bonded Warehouses, published in Part I, pages 554-555 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th May 1903 and incorporated in pages 67-68 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 31st December 1902), *for* the words "Rule 25 of the rules published at page 1329, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th December 1900," *substitute* the words "Rule 33 of the rules published under Government Notification No. 1390T.—F., dated the 6th July 1903, in Part I, pages 922-932 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th July 1903," and *strike out* the foot-note on page 68.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

No. 8791B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 12th October 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Total	...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 17th and 27th October 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption

of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 17th October 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 27th October 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory, about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Monday, 2nd November 1903 ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	4,000	4,000	8,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

E. H. WALSH, for *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 31st August 1903.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of September 1903, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th September 1903.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH SEPTEMBER 1903, INCLUSIVE.			
	In private golas.	In Salkia Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and from inland bonded warehouses.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other panga salt.	.....	Mds. 7,06,503	Mds. 7,87,736	Mds. 14,94,243	Mds. 1,71,561	Mds. 16,65,803	Mds. 1,60,205	Mds. 3,23,917	Mds. 42,450	Mds. 1,54,618
Other European countries—										
Hamburg salt	.....	2,26,442	64,260	2,90,702	.....	2,90,702	86,025	(57,407	18,075	38,275
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	.....	30,737	.. ...	30,737	.....	30,737	31,716	.....		53,291
Halif „	.....	5,485	.....	5,485		5,485	30,970	.....	.. ...	46,440
„ rock salt	.....	18,929	....	18,929		18,929	880	..	.....	1,290
Rawayah „	.. ...	1,99,363	1,115	2,00,477	.	2,00,477	33,915	. ..	. .	27,070
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Linga and Hanjam salt.	.....	.....	.....		...			.. .	.....	
Ditto ditto Rock salt.	... .	2,220	.....	2,220	.	2,220	400	..	... ..	400
British India—										
Bombay salt	.....	1,550	.....	1,550		1,550*	1,355		.. ...	13,128
Coconada salt	.....	.	.		.			10 200	10 200	
Total ...	.....	13,00,231	8,53,111	20,53,343	1,71,561	22,24,903	3,45,466	3,91,524	64,725	3,33,562

* This salt passed free of duty, the duty having been paid at Bombay.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

L. F. MORSHEAD, *Offg. Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 22nd September 1903.*

CUSTOM HOUSE NOTICE.

DURGA AND LAKSHMI PUJA HOLIDAYS.

ON the 26th instant and the 2nd, 3rd and 5th proximo the Custom House (including its treasury) will be open for work as usual.

2. On the 28th, 29th and 30th instant and the 1st, 6th and 7th proximo, the treasury will be closed, but the office will be open for the despatch of urgent business from 11-30 A.M. to 1-30 P.M.

L. F. MORSHEAD, *Collector of Customs.*

CUSTOM HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 11th September 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information under Rule 26 of the Municipal Election Rules that at the bye-elections held on the 3rd August 1903, Babus Mathura Nath Dhar and Ram Lall Samaddar were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Faridpur Municipality for Wards Nos. I and II, respectively, *vice* Babus Purna Chandra Moitra and Ambika Charan Majumdar, resigned.

GUNGA N. ROY, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 15th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on Saturday the 31st October 1903, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884, as amended, in the Siwan Municipality, in the district of Saran, for the election of a Commissioner in the place of Shaikh Hadayetullah, deceased.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 17th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the 28th November 1903 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward "D" of the Balasore Municipality, in place of Maulvi Syed Abdul Mallik, resigned.

K. G. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

ORISSA COMMR.'S OFFICE, CAMP PURI, *the 17th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, under section 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Dhap Charitable Dispensary in Rangpur in supersession of those previously appointed:—

1. The District Magistrate ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Civil Surgeon ... ... }
3. Babu Jogendra Nath Ghose, Subordinate Judge.
4. „ Sarat Chandra Chatterjee, Government Pleader.
5. „ Bhabani Prasanna Lahiri, Vice-Chairman, District Board.
6. „ Bipin Chandra Roy Chowdhury, Zamindar.
7. „ Ganga Nath Roy.
8. „ Durga Das Lahiri.
9. „ Tarak Nath Chatterji, Mukhtear.
10. Maulvi Abdul Majid Chowdhury, Khan Bahadur.
11. Munshi Mahamad Mozamal.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commissioner, Rajshahi Division.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 14th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the gentlemen named below have been appointed, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Rules for the management of Hospitals and Charitable Dispensaries, to be members of the Managing Committee for the Comilla Charitable Dispensary, in the district of Tippera :—

Members of the Local Authority.

1. Raj Kumar Navadip Chandra Deb Burman, Chairman, Municipality.
2. Babu Ananga Mohan Naha, Vice-Chairman, Municipality.
3. Dr. J. G. Fleming.
4. Babu Sarat Chandra Bose.
5. Rai Shashi Bhusan Dutta Bahadur.
6. Sued Hussan Haider Choudhuri.
7. Munshi Ali Ahmad.
8. Babu Guru Dyal Sinha.

Non-members.

9. Mr. H. W. P. Scroope, Magistrate.
10. „ B. K. Mullick, District and Sessions Judge.
11. Munshi Kazi Ryazuddin Mahamed.
12. Babu Ananda Chandra Rai.
13. „ Rajani Nath Nandi.

C. J. S. FAULDER, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 14th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU TARINI PRASAD VERMA, Sub-Deputy Magistrate-Collector, is appointed to be a member of the Managing Committee of the Sitamarhi Dispensary, in the district of Muzaffarpur, *vice* Babu Baijnath Sahai, transferred.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 16th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Babu Nundoo Lal is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Patna City Dispensary, *vice* Babu Bir Kishore Lal, deceased.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 17th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN continuation of the notification dated the 4th August 1898, Munshi Jesaratulla Chaudhuri and Babu Bhuban Mohan Gupta are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the charitable dispensary at Gaibanda, in the district of Rangpur, *vice* Munshi Asmatulla, deceased, and Babu Sarat Chandra Chatterji, resigned.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commissioner of Rajshahi.*

DARJEELING, *the 17th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Belpukur, in the Diamond Harbour subdivision of the district of the 24-Parganas :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Diamond Harbour ... *President.*
2. „ Sub-Registrar of Tengra ... *Secretary.*
3. Babu Ram Narain Patra.
4. „ Nitai Chandra Das.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 19th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, Babu Raj Mohon Sen, B.L., has been appointed a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Murshidabad, in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* Babu Bijoy Govinda Bagchi, who has left the district.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 21st September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Unions of Poradah in the Kushtia subdivision, Muragacha and Krishnaganj in the Sadar subdivision, and Chuadanga in the Chuadanga subdivision of the district of Nadia. This notification supersedes all previous notifications on the subject:—

Name of Union.	Number of group.	Names of villages comprised in each group.	Names of members.
Krishnaganj ...	I	Bhajanghat	Babu Akhoy Chandra Ghatak.
	II	Tungi	„ Rajani Kanta Ghatak.
	III	Krishnaganj	„ Dwarka Nath Dutta.
	IV	Pabakhali, Khantura	„ Ashita Charan Chatterjee.
		Shibnibas, Kristopur	„ Jogeswar Ghosh.
	V	Majdia, Rail Bazar	Dr. Bepin Behari Moitra.
	VI	Goari, Dwanerber, Aditopur	Babu Nakori Rano.
Muragacha ...	I	Muragacha, Gacha	Dr. Hemadri Nath Mukerji, Babu Gokul Chandra Ganguli.
	II	Dharmadaha, Kanchkuli, Dahokula	„ Chandra Bhusan Mukerjee.
		Kandua	„ Srikanto Chattterji.
		Adompota, Lohagachi	„ Nabin Chandra Banerji.
	III	Gotepara, Nakasipara	„ Nibaran Chandra Roy.
	IV	Tentulberia, Billogram, Ragunathpur, Gopalpur	Dr. Behari Lal Singh.
	V	Kasiadanga, Karkaria, Sudhakarpur, Jagannathpur, Chandanpur	Babu Nalinakha Dutta, „ Kanti Bhusan Bhattacharji.
Poradah ...	I	Kotdah	Babu Ratikanto Basu.
	II	Sarupdah	„ Beni Madhab Adhicary.
	III	Chitla	Jasimuddi Molla.
	IV	Amedpur, Belgachi	Arjan Biswas.
	V	Bharol, Khoyerchara	Aftabuddin Biswas.
	VI	Poradah, Kamardanga	Babu Jogendra Nath Hazra.
	VII	Teghari, Sugandi, Baliasisha	Khosal Biswas.
Chuadanga ...	I	Chuadanga	(1) Babu Upendra Nath Acharya. (2) Munshi Golam Robbani Joardar.
	II	Doulatdiar, Hatikata	Munshi Asraf Ali Sardar.
	III	Sumurdia, Boojrookgargari	(1) Babu Kesab Nath Roy. (2) „ Bishnu Chandra Chakravarti.
	IV	Taltola, Satgari, Kulchara	Golam Robbani Biswas.
	V	Nunnagore, Belgachi, Thakurpur, Jafarpur	Abbas Biswas.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PBESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 17th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Mograhat, in the Diamond Harbour subdivision of the district of the 24-Parganas:—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Diamond Harbour ... *President.*
2. „ Sub-Registrar of Mograhat ... ... *Secretary.*
3. Mir Johanali, Inspector of Police, Diamond Harbour.
4. Babu Surendra Nath Banerjee.
5. „ Adhar Chandra Mitra.

P. C. LYON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 21st September 1903.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 18th September 1903.

No. 477.—The services of Mr. W. S. Adie, of the Indian Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 5th September 1903.

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 11th September 1903.

No. 2146E.B.—With reference to Notification No. 1808E B., dated the 7th September 1900, the following Proclamation, which was published in the Supplement to the *London Gazette*, dated the 7th August 1903, is republished for general information:—

By the KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

EDWARD, R. & I.

Whereas by "The Exportation of Arms Act, 1900," section 1, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for His Majesty by Proclamation to prohibit the exportation of all or any of the following articles, namely: Arms, ammunition, military and naval stores, and any article which His Majesty shall judge capable of being converted into or made useful in increasing the quantity of arms, ammunition, or military or naval stores to any country or place therein named, whenever His Majesty shall judge such prohibitions to be expedient in order to prevent such arms, ammunition, military or naval stores being used against His Majesty's subjects or forces, or against any forces engaged or which may be engaged in military or naval operations in co-operation with His Majesty's forces.

Whereas a Proclamation was issued dated August seventh, one thousand nine hundred, prohibiting the exportation to China of arms and ammunition from and after the date aforesaid.

And whereas We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, Judge it no longer expedient to prohibit the exportation to China of arms and ammunition.

Now, We, by and with the advice aforesaid, hereby repeal the said Proclamation prohibiting the exportation to China of arms and ammunition from and after the date thereof.

Given at Our Court at *Buckingham Palace*, this tenth day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three, and in the third year of Our reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

The 18th September 1903.

No. 1461G.—The Hon'ble Mr. C. S. Bayley, C.S.I., a Resident of the 1st class and Agent to the Governor-General in Central India, is granted privilege leave for two months and one day, with effect from the 18th September 1903, and is also granted special leave for three months and twenty-nine days, under articles 233 and 316 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the privilege leave.

L. W. DANE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 18th September 1903.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 957.—Captain (Honorary Major) Henry Burvill Holmes to be Major, with effect from the 13th August 1903, *vice* Adie, transferred to the supernumerary list.

Lieutenant Edward Scott Christie to be Captain, with effect from the 12th July 1903, *vice* Wall, transferred to the supernumerary list.

Lieutenant Alexander Clifford Crighton to be Captain, with effect from the 13th August 1903, *vice* Holmes, promoted.

Assam-Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 961.—Second-Lieutenant Joseph Alexander Fraser to be Captain, with effect from the 3rd June 1903, *vice* Hawkins, promoted.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2349T M.—The 15th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that the electors for Ward C of the Monghyr Municipality having failed to elect the representatives for that ward within the time prescribed by the election rules, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased, under section 16 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the said Municipality in order to complete the number of Commissioners :—

Monghyr.

Mr. Vahid Ali Meerza. | Sheikh Rahmat Ali.

No. 2354T.M.—The 15th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Rajendra Lal Goswami to be a member of the District Board of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Jyot Kumar Mukerjee, resigned.

Hooghly.

No. 2356T M.—The 15th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Deoghar Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of Part VI of the said Act to the area added to the above Municipality under Government Notification No. 858M., dated the 2nd February 1903, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 2358T.M.—The 15th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Girish Chandra Dey to be a Commissioner of the Dumka Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, *vice* Babu Hari Kissen Rai, resigned.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 2362T.M.—The 15th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Kali Pada Bhattacharja to be a Commissioner of the Meherpur Municipality, in the district of Nadia.

Nadia.

The following gentlemen are appointed, under section 7 of the Act, to be members of the Board :—

The Civil Surgeon, Mymensingh ... ...
„ Senior Deputy Magistrate, Mymensingh ... } *Ex-officio.*
„ Deputy Inspector of Schools, Mymensingh ...
Rai Radha Ballav Chaudhuri Bahadur.
Maulvi Atai Elahi.
Babu Akhoy Kumar Chatterji.
„ Srinath Roy.
„ Charu Chandra Choudhuri.
„ Prasanna Kumar Chakravorty.
„ Raj Krishna Sinha.
„ Satis Chandra Choudhury.
Dewan Abdul Alim.

No. 2424T.M.—The 18th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power conferred on him by section 6 (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to establish a public ferry at Baleshwar over the Bharbheria khal on the Local Board road from Sherpur to Bangaon, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred on him by section 35 of the aforesaid Act, to direct that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Mymensingh, and that all the proceeds of the ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund with effect from the date of this notification.

No. 2434T.M.—The 19th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Cuttack Municipality, in the district of Cuttack, of Babu Ram Sankar Ray to be their Chairman, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Zorab, I.M.S. (Retired List), resigned.

Cuttack.

No. 2442T.M.—The 19th September 1903.—It is notified for general information that the Declaration No. 3548Medl., dated the 22nd December 1902, published at page 260, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, for the acquisition of a plot of land required by the Pirojpur Municipality for the erection of a cook-shed for the local dispensary, is hereby cancelled.

Backergunge.

No. 2450T.M.—The 19th September 1903.—Mr. H. P. Duval, Deputy Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, is allowed leave for one month, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th October 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 2453T.M.—The 19th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under clause (*c*) of section 6 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to establish a new public ferry, to be called the Baintguri ferry, over the river Kumlai on the District Board road from Baintguri to Baradighi, within the Sadar subdivision of the district of Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred on him by section 35 of the aforesaid Act, to direct that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Jalpaiguri, and that all the proceeds of the ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund.

No. 2455T.M.—The 19th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under sections 10 and 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Nobin Chandra Sidhanta to be a member of the Nator Local Board, in the district of Rajshahi, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra Sanyal.

Rajshahi.

No. 2457T.M.—The 19th September 1903.—It is notified for general information that so much of the Declaration No. 4514M., dated the 1st December 1896, published at page 252, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd December 1896, as relates to the acquisition of the portion of land marked B on plan, being premises Nos. 2 and 3, Neemoo Gossain's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, which was required by the Calcutta Municipality for the improvement of Burtolla bustee, is hereby cancelled.

Calcutta.

No. 2492T.M.—The 21st September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Satkhira Municipality, in the district of Khulna, of Babu Girija Nath Rai Choudhury to be their Chairman.

Khulna.

No. 2494T.M.—The 21st September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Baranasi Bose to be the Chairman of the Birnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia.

Nadia

No. 2508T.M.—The 22nd September 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. A. E. Silk, MICE., to be a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of the appointment of Acting Chairman of the Corporation.

Calcutta.

No. 2509T.M.—The 22nd September 1903.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 9, clause (*c*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. A E Silk, MICE, to be a member of the General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of the appointment of Acting Chairman of the Corporation.

Calcutta

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2426T.M.—The 19th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Howrah Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a burial-ground, in the village of Majirhat, Shibpore, pargana Paikan, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9 bighas 16 cottahs 4 chitaks and 7 square feet of standard measurement, is required. The land is bounded on the north by the Andul Road, east by the Naskar Para Lane, south by the lands of Dhani Kayal, Nimayi Parui, and Gobardhan Sant, and west by the lands of Gobardhan Sant and Ananta Dhara.

Hooghly.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Howrah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2436T.M.—The 19th September 1903.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a mortuary house, in the village of Kuksapara, pargana Kazirhat, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 17 cottahs 9 chitaks of standard measurement, is required The land is bounded on the north by river Bamandanga, on the east by Babu Braja Kumar Bhuttacharjee's land, and on the south and west by Baharulla's land.

Rangpur.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Rangpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

This cancels the Declaration No 666T.M., dated the 21st May 1903, published at pages 106 to 107, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

N B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Cuttack, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon on Monday, the 9th November 1903, corresponding to the 24th Kartik 1311 Amli.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway fencing or plough the land closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of the sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the order of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from the sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. G.	A. R. P.	Reason for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Cuttack ...	Killah Sukinda, mauza Mantira.	47 and 48	East and West.	....	34 1 3*	.....	.	.	Bounded on the north by mauza Denambi and Jegera, on the south by mauza Brundaipur and Merjetpur, on the east by Chokna and on the west by Dgamberpur and Kusupur. *The Bhauria numbers are given below :— 1, 72, 78, 87, 88, 2, 81, 3, 67, 99, 105, 106, 113, 4, 14, 5, 6, 79, 89, 103, 7, 33, 53, 59, 75, 76, 93, 8, 9, 110, 10, 13, 15, 52, 60, 117, 11, 12, 18, 25, 26, 27, 28, 73, 112, 15, 16, 17, 54, 92, 20, 21, 29, 30, 46, 23, 36, 62, 65, 78, 24 29, 33, 39, 34, 55, 56, 58, 66, 68, 85, 91, 92, 104, 114, 31, 40, 49, 34, 37, 38, 41, 43, 57, 35, 42, 61, 44, 63, 45, 48, 50, 51, 102, 60, 70, 64, 67, 83, 69, 71, 107, 77, 93, 96, 90, 101, 94, 98, 97, 99, 114, 100, 108, 109, 111, and 115.

The 16th September 1903.

W. F. C. MONTRIOU, Deputy Collector, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th October 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2093 2100 1512	Thanas Patia, town Rausan, Sathana and Hathazari, taraf Krishna Kishore Kanungoe.	Rs. A. P. 645 6 7	A share will be sold.	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859. Only share No. 1, Fazal Ahmed and others, will be sold.	Fazal Ahmed Choudhri and Bazal Samad Choudhuri.	Rs. A. P. 524 13 6	..	Rs. A. P. 656 0 10

The amount shown in column 9 above represents the arrears remaining unpaid on the 25th May 1903.

Chittagong, the 25th August 1903.

F. P. DIXON, Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares are excluded from sale.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	1	Magura, Chetia and others.	5,422 9 3	.....	Excluding 3a. 4r. 2k. 12t., the remaining 12a. 15g. 10k. 168t. of the entire estate, and excluding 8a. share in each of the mauzas Sripur, Nagarghole and Raju Molla Chak, the remaining 8a. share.	Kali Chundra Roy Chaudhury and others.	3,928 5 3		356 16 6½
2	2	Magura, Kanganberia and others.	2,636 15 2½	.....	Excluding mauzas Chetia and Alipore and excluding 11a. 14g. 1k. 3½d. of the entire estate, the remaining 4a. 7g. 2k. 5½d share	Surendra Nath Deb	738 11 11½	.....	46 7 11
3	3-1	Magura, Nuskerpur and others.	9,314 8 11½	..	Excluding 10a the remaining 6a. share.	Bindoo Bashini Debi and others	3,106 11 8½	.....	199 11 2½
4	95	Magura, Amgachia	984 14 7	.....	Excluding 9a share in mauza Kantalia, the remaining 7a. share, excluding 13a 18g. 2k share in each of the mauzas Bahumpore and Nona, the remaining 2a 1g 2k. and the 10a. share in other mauzas.	Hori Charan Bose ...	861 11 10		86 3 3
5	314	Murugachia, Harinarayanpur.	13,212 13 4½	.....	8a. 2g. 6k. 8t. 2k. 2kr. share ...	Trilokha Nath Biswas.	5,747 8 3	..	47 11 6½
6	314-4	Ditto ,	12,212 13 4½	.....	17g. 5k. 15t	Sarat Chandra Ghose	740 4 4½	....	111 12 7½
7	315-3	Muragachia, Raghunathpur.	10,229 15 6	.....	Excluding 13a. 11g. 2k. 2kr., the remaining 2a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. share	Gopi Kisor Mandal and others.	1,609 3 5½	.....	140 8 5½
8	315-11	Ditto ...	10,229 15 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., the remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi	721 2 10	.....	129 5 11
9	385-4	Azimabad, Huda Rukhali.	19,434 8 0½	.	Excluding 15a 4g. 2k. 2kr. share, the balance 15g. 1k. 1k. share.	Brojendra Nath Mandal.	928 8 7½		97 4 8½
10	385-5	Ditto ...	19,434 8 0½	....	Excluding 14a. 14g 2k., the remaining 1a. 5g. 3k. 1kr. share.	Gopi Kishor Mandal and others.	1,564 6 4	.....	81 12 7
11	385-6	Ditto ...	19,434 8 0½		Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k., 2kr share, the remaining 15a. 1g. 1k., share.	Kristo Prosanna Mandal.	928 8 7½	.	97 4 8½
12	385-9	Ditto ...	19,434 8 0½	..	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, the remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share	Apurba Kumari Dasi	1,362 8 7½	.....	142 13 8½
13	391-5	Muragacha, Gomukhi.	5,538 6 6		Excluding 13a. 11g 2k. 2kr. share, the remaining 2a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. share.	Gopi Kishor Mandal and others.	836 8 9½	. .	46 13 3
14	391-6	.....	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 14a 0g. 9k. 2kr share, the remaining 1a. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share.	Sasi Bhusan Biswas and others.	876 14 11	....	92 5 10
15	392-1	Azimabad, Huda Joy Chandipur.	8,313 7 6	.. .	Excluding 12a., the remaining 4a. share.	Radha Binod Mandal and others.	2,078 5 11	...	140 2 4½
16	2653	Sunderban, Lot No. 16.	2,351 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Meherrobbani Jamadar.	.. .	2,351 0 0	

Alipore, the 24th August 1903.

RAJENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE, Deputy Collector, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1903 at noon for arrears of revenue due for the kist ending 28th June 1903, and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
17	Chak Durga, pargana Ranihati.	9,939 2 11	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Syedani Aymana Bibi ...	.....	1,398 1 4	.....

Burdwan Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

A. J. CHOTZNER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 14, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
47	Pargana Amarshi, mahal Palpara.	800 0 3	Entire, i.e., residuary, and S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.	.....	Ram Charan Dey and others.	.....	69 14 6*	Up to Mar. 1903.
1840	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Sridharpore.	929 14 3	Entire, i.e., residuary, and S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 9.	.. .	Abdul Ched Khan and others.	.....	98 14 0†	

* Balance of separate account No. V.
† Ditto ditto No. IV.

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th October 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1903 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
478	Pargana Chandrakona, mahal Kuldaha.	10,754 7 2	Nil ...	S. A. No. 1	Paran Chandra Ray and others.	2,675 13 8	.....	238 4 3	Land revenue— 238 4 3 Road cess— 37 10 0

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1903 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

Taus' No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
154	Pargana Rajarpore, mahal Panchbasni.	650 10 6	Entire ...	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	...	71 2 8 up to June 1903.	.....
275	Pargana tappa Balisita, mahal Bhitarbinode.	1,653 14 9	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	1,105 15 3	.....	121 0 1
277	Pargana tappa Balisita, mahal Bhitarbinode, 8 annas' share.	2,306 13 0	Entire ...		Ditto ditto ...	.....	264 5 1	.....
382	Pargana Bhuniamutha, mahal Khajurari *alias* Kuchaidighi.	3,276 1 5	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ditto ditto ...	1,638 0 9	.....	174 9 5
585	Pargana Dakhinmal, mahal Haripore.	6,769 1 5	.....	S. A. No. II	Hari Prya Debi	3,384 5 9	.....	749 6 9
596	Pargana Danthamutha, mahal Danthamutha *alias* Erenda.	1,021 5 3	Entire ...	.....	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	.....	102 10 0	.....
739	Pargana Egrachore, mahal Bhatda.	3,613 6 4	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 3, 4, 10 to 23.	Ditto ditto ...	1,370 1 9	.....	109 14 6 up to June 1903.
903	Pargana Gagananeswar, mahal Kanpore.	703 9 0	Entire ...	.....	Panchanan Mallik and others.	.....	6 2 6 up to June 1903.	.....
921	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Chakdaha *alias* Radhaballav Chak.	9,185 8 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 to 6.	Radhika Nath Banerjee ...	2,583 7 0, including police.	.....	383 11 9, including police.
921	Ditto ditto ...	9,185 8 0	.....	S. A. No. I	Ditto ditto ...	717 9 10, including police.	.....	78 8 0, including police.
921	Ditto ditto ...	.....	.....	S. A. No. V	Ditto ditto ...	1,148 3 0, including police.	.....	125 10 9
937	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Garr Purushtumpore *alias* Chaitanyapore.	758 10 6	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Ganga Naran Maity and others.	390 14 8	.....	37 7 3
944	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Gumookpota.	3,185 0 0	.....	S. A. No. I	Manimohan Ray ...	1,592 8 0, including police.	.....	174 8 0, including police.
972	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Kesore Chak.	1,450 14 1	Entire ...	.....	Devendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	.....	141 9 0	.....
1461	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Kesapat.	800 6 2	Do. ...	.....	Dwarika Nath Sen ...	.....	85 3 2	.....
1066	Pargana Kasijora, kismat mahal Palayutter.	2,030 1 3	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 to 4.	Amar Nath Ghose and others.	532 5 2, including police.	.....	89 5 2, including police.
1113	Pargana Kurulchore, mahal Padma.	740 8 4	... ..	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	636 7 1	.....	17 8 4
1467	Pargana Khandar, mahal Sanagerya *alias* Saharda.	2,006 8 6	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 4, 5, 6, 8 to 16.	Bisseswar Banerjee, Receiver of estate, Janmajoy Mallik and others.	975 12 4	.....	16 8 4
1731	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Ankhapurba.	1,001 7 2	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Ganga Naran Maity ...	500 11 7	.....	83 4 6
1815	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Puiputya.	3,718 2 9	Entire ...	.....	Indra Naran Maity and others.	.....	297 0 0	.....
1834	Pargana Majnamutha, mahal Nankarbazarpti.	2,130 9 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7.	Abinash Chandra Deb ...	746 13 2	.....	163 5 1
1884	Ditto ditto ...	.....	.....	S. A. No. I	Ditto ...	703 12 5	.....	154 0 0
2031	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Nankargakulpore.	3,368 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.		368 0 7	.....
2047	Pargana Sabong, mahal Mohar.	1,445 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	.....	156 9 0	.....
2269	Pargana Sabong, mahal Rambhadrapore.	736 0 0	.....	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. I.	Chowdhury Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra.	552 0 0	.....	60 11 10
2474	Pargana Sahapore, mahal Narambati.	838 0 8, including police.	Entire ...	..	Mathuralal Bhakat and others.	.....	79 12 0, including police.	.....
				Part II.—Temporarily-settled estate.				
2717	Pargana Jalamutha, mahal Keoramal French, Bisnan, Baindabasar jalpai.	3,380 14 2	Entire ...	.....	Sreemati Hari Prya Debi	.....	367 0 5	.....
2734	Pargana Khallabhograi, mahal Paharpore, jalpai Khaspatit.	1,470 9 7	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	162 5 4	.....
2884	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mangalpore.	2,401 0 0	... ..	Residuary share, excluding S. A. No. II.	Upendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	2,018 2 6	.....	220 8 0
2886	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mauzra).	1,027 0 0	Entire ...	... ..	Radha Gobinda Das Mahapatra.	.....	89 0 3	.....

Midnapore, the 14th August 1903. L. BIRLEY, Covtd. Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on on before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the date to be fixed for the sale of the estates in arrears of revenue for the kist of September 1903 for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1356/4	Badooraj, Panapur, Noorjahan Begam, tuppa Bhutsala, pargana Bisara.	17,594 1 5	.....	Separate account, 2a. 8p 8kt. 5mt. 10 [illegible]d.	Musamat Nanhi Begam and others.	2,794 11 6	.....	164 7 0	On account of arrears of land revenue due for kist June 1903. 164 7 0
1356/14	Ditto ..	17,594 1 5	.....	Separate account, 7p. 9kt. 9mt. 1½d.	Musamat Noor Jahan Begam *alias* Imami Begam and others.	657 13 9	.....	149 10 1	Ditto. 149 10 1
3618/Rs.	Gobindpur, Raghunandan, pargana Hajipur.	2,670 6 11	.....	Residuary share, 8 annas in each of the following villages—Gobindpur, Aspatpur Singhia, Sadullahpur, Malipur, Sohrabpur, Chuk Mohamad, Saifpur Deora, Dharampur, Panapur Daud, Gumti, Saidpur, Rajauli, Saidpur Rajauli Hissa, Ismailpur, Daulatpur, Bhadai Chuk, Gaziadam, Ibrahimpur Karunpoora, H rauli with Fatehpur, Gaura.	Avadh Bihari Narain Singh and others.	1,207 2 9	.....	261 8 6	Ditto. 261 8 6
				Temporarily settled Estate.					
18906	Dumri Kalam, 4 annas, pargana Goa.	663 0 0	Entire estate.	.....	Harinundon Sahai and others.	.....	641 4 0	.....	On account of arrears of land revenue due up to kist June 1903.

Muzaffarpur Collectorate, the 22nd August 1903.

E. V. LEVINGE, Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 9th November 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Cuttack will be put for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th day of November 1903 at 12 A. M. for the said arrears:—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of the demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
26	Ta. Sunderpur, pargana Jajpur	1 092 5 9	Whole ..	...	Sahadeb Rai and others.	.....	350 12 5		Civil Court attachment.
65	Ta. Bhimkarpur, pargana ditto.		.....	13a. 10p 11kt. 14b.	Chandra Sekher Mahapatra	668 1 8	...	56 4 3	Ditto.
2175	Ta. Madhysasan, pargana Hariharpur.	....		12a. 2p. 14kt. 1b. 1½g 2c.	Jasoda Kuaur, mother and guardian of Ganesh Prasad Bhagat, minor.	1,474 13 5	...	270 12 7	Ditto.

Cuttack Collectorate, the 31st August 1903

F N. FISCHER, Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the date which will be fixed for sale for the arrears of September 1903.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2188	Bairee Raghunathpur, pargana Chainpur.	Rs. A. P. 589 4 6	Whole ...	.. .	Suraj Narain Singh, self and guardian of Adit Prasad Singh.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 185 7 6	Rs. A. P.	There is Rs. 185-7-6 arrear in this estate and attachment as well. The sale will be held with the arrears of September kist 1903.
2908 Joint	Umapur, pargana Chainpur.	5,962 6 4	.....	The jimali share to be sold is in villages:— As. P. Patilahang ... 13 9 Umapur ... ... 1 8 Sahijna ... ... 4 8 Chandrauli ... 16 0 Sarison ... 8 8 Sotwen Biscpur 5 8 Semaria ... 8 0 Chouk handa ... 16 0 Chak Bhagwat 8 0 Harkatea .. 8 0 Abidoura ... 16 0 Kutmanpur ... 16 0 Doharpatsarwa 8 0 Sareabalbhadarpur ... ... 4 8 Kishunpura ... 9 9 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Ram Chandrika Dube and others.	2,011 15 1	.. ...	243 13 7	There is Rs. 243-13-7 arrear in this estate and attachment as well. The sale will be held with the arrears of September kist 1903.
2964	Shankarpur Torar *alias* Kutubpur, pargana Barahgawan.	3,218 2 0	Whole ...		Hazari Lal Sahu and others.	.....	5,062 1 4	.....	There is Rs. 5,062-1-4-5, old arrear, in this estate and attachment as well. The sale will be held with the arrears of September kist 1903.

Shahabad Collectorate, Arrah, the 14th September 1903. R. G. KILBY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th October 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
1398	Estate Panchannogram, pargana Calcutta, Division 6, subdivision E, holding No. 141.	Rs. A. P. 1,175 13 8	Whole ...	.....	Padma Mani Debi, Hara Sundari Debi and, Akshoy Kumar Haldar.	.....	Rs. A. P. 422 8	.....

24-Parganas Collectorate, the 16th September 1903. HIRA LAL SEN, *for* Collector, on tour.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the mokarari right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Bankura, will be put up to sale at the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Vishnupur on the 2nd November 1903, corresponding to 16th Kartic 1310, Bengali era.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which has been fixed by Government at Rs. 150. The purchaser will acquire the mokarari right to 7½ bighas of jamai land in mauza Panseuli, for which an annual rental of Rs. 24-4 is payable to the superior landlord.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—Since the amount of purchase-money will exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
	Pargana Vishnupur, Panseuli ...	7½ bighas, or about 2½ acres.	Rs. A. 24 4	Mokarari tenure.

Bankura, the 16th September 1903.

A. B. BOSE, Subdivisional Officer.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 15th September 1903.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs.	77,10,303 6 11	1,74,53,471	2	1
Ditto ditto at Branches ,,	97,43,167 11 2			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		9,14,21,667	5	4
Bank Post Bills, &c.		5,46,874	11	1
Sundries		18,51,141	10	0
Rupees ...		14,34,23,154	12	6

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,76,61,163	8	0
Other authorised investments		62,15,597	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities		2,72,55,306	3	2
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		1,30,87,834	15	11
Bills discounted and purchased		2,25,67,323	14	0
Balances with other Banks		24,06,882	10	2
Bullion		1,120	9	7
Dead Stock		17,97,902	10	0
Stamps		12,067	11	4
Sundries		10,20,392	8	0
		8 75,25,591	10	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... ... Rs.	2,55,13,309 10 0	5,58,97,563	2	4
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ,,	3,03,84,253 8 4			
Rupees ...		14,34,23,154	12	6

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,42,515 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 1,32,165 0 0
Rs. 2,74,680 0 0

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

H. F. FRESHWATER,
Offg. Chief Accountant.

Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 50·28.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 17th September 1903.

(1071—1)

In the Third Court of the Subordinate Judge of Patna.

EXECUTION CASE No. 191 OF 1901.

Rai Sham Kirishun, Rai Battay Kirishun, and Kirishunjee, sons of Rai Balkishun Dass, deceased, and Mussamut Latto Kueri widow of the said Rai Balkishun Dass, deceased, of mahulla Bhairo Bazar, in city Benares, decree-holders, *versus* Rani Sunder Kuer, widow of Raja Rameshwar Parshad Narain Singh, deceased, of mauza Maksoodpur, pargana Sanaut, district Gaya, judgment-debtor.

THE following mortgaged properties of the above-named judgment-debtor shall be sold for recovery of Rs. 13,39,598-1-8 by the Nazir of the District Judge of Patna, in the sale-room of that Court, on the 16th day of November 1903, at 12 o'clock noon :—

Lot No.	Old tauzi No.	Present tauzi No.	Name of mauza.	Quantity of share.	Jama sadar.	Pargana.	District.	Thana.	Value of property assessed by Court.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	5151, appertaining to lot Sellnagar		Mauza Maksoodpur, [illegible], asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	As. P. 16	Rs. A. P. 1,16,403 3 0	Sanaut ...	Gaya ...	Gaya ...	Rs. 82,592
2	Ditto ...		Mauza Khaira Nagariawan, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	41,616
3	Ditto ...		Mauza Digaon Pachrukhi, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	30,480
4	Ditto ...		Mauza Bindauli Jalal Chak, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	52,752
5	Ditto		Mauza Keni, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do.	Do. ...	37,848
6	Ditto ...		Mauza Mohkum Chak lakheraj, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do.	Do.	[illegible]
7	Ditto		Mauza Batorna, *alias* Horna Bhului, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do.	[illegible]
8	Ditto ...		Mauza Sindh Gandokher Doondi Chak, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	1,13,832
9	Ditto ...	.....	Mauza Bhimdaspur, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	1,74,276
10	Ditto ...	...	Mauza Mihanpur Uchauli, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do.	58,(41)
11	Ditto ...	.....	Mauza Sheria Kalan and Khurd, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	26,608
12	Ditto ...		Mauzas Kharagpur, Bhagwanpur, Salempur, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	26,124
13	Ditto ...		Mauzas Khizirpur, Imdadpur *alias* Madarpur Delha mo. Bijoo Bigha mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	50,268
14	Ditto ...	... ..	Mauza Mahuar Nawada, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	22,216
15	Ditto ...		Mauza Mai Mauza Bigha, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	50,530
16	Ditto ...	1755	Mauza Bana Birjoo Bigha, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	30,416 6 0	Ekil ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	21,516
17	Ditto ...		Mauza Belawan, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Sanaut ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	17,280
18	Ditto ...		Mauza Abgila, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	6,192
19	Ditto	.....	Mauza Nouranga, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	7,128
20	Ditto	3697	Mauza Ubthoo Maha Chak, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	4,564 4 0	Nurhut ...	Do. ...	Tatwa ...	17,952
21	Ditto ...		Mauza Shahbazpur, asli mal dakhli mokurri right.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Sanaut ...	Do. ...	Gaya ...	32,040
22	Ditto ...	1116 & 1117 lakhiraj.	Mauzas Seswer, Sherpur mo. Udhobar mo. Paranpur, asli mal dakhli proprietary right jagir.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	1,05,220
23	Ditto ...	1118 lakhiraj.	Mauza Padoom Chak, asli mal dakhli proprietary right jagir.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	33,400
24	Ditto ...	1115 lakhiraj.	Mauza Pirkhan Sarai, asli mal dakhli proprietary right jagir nankar.	16	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	10,360
25	Ditto ...	... ..	Mauzas Mandi khas mo. Sherpur Mundi mo. Dariapur Mundi, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	8½	1,16,403 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	18,480
26	5235	.....	Mauza Fatehpur Darbhanga, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	8	347 1 0 of 16a.	Maher ...	Do. ...	Barahchatti	57,900
27	3249		Mauza Rasona, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	16	109 9 0	Do.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	18,320
28	343	3093	Mauza Ekumba, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	8	26 0 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	4,120
29	315	3105	Mauza Dhangawan bara, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	8	38 3 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	14,600
30	3227	.....	Mauza Pakri, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	8	144 15 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	23,880
31	3060	.....	Mauza Barawan, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	8	120 10 0	Do.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	10,700
32	3046	.....	Mauza Mianpur, *alias* Bara Jaipur, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	2	233 5 0 of the entire 16a.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Ditto	1,850
33	3250	.....	Mauza Ranki, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	8	20 2 0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	1,820
34	5114	.....	Mauza Paharpur, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	16	238 5 0	Sanaut ...	Do. ...	Gaya ...	9,480
35	5265	. ....	Mauza Dhurihar, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	12	168 11 0 of the entire 16a.	Samai	Do. ...	Nawada ...	90,740
36	3634	... ..	Mauza Ranipur, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	12	213 5 0 of the entire 16a.	Nurhut	Do. ...	Ditto ...	24,930
37	5318	.. .	Mauza Eknar Pachara, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	6	224 15 0	Samai ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	9,740
38	2449	3449	Mauzas Dhandhar mo. Chak Jagutpur mo. Baroni, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	16	200 9 0	Nurhut ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	6,060
39	1389	.....	Mauza Shahbazpur Tisor, asli mal dakhli proprietary right.	16	508 13 0	Bhelawer ...	Do. ...	Jahanabad ...	6,800

Lot No.	Old tauzi No.	Present tauzi No.	Name of mauza.	Quantity of share.	Jama sadar.	Pargana.	District.	Thana.	Value of property assessed by Court.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
				As.	Rs. A. P.				Rs.
40	1653	.....	Mauza Basuntpur Karanta, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	197 10 0 in the plaint and Rs. 297 in the register.	Ekil ...	Gaya ...	Jahanabad ...	19,040
41	2444	4428 in the plaint.	Mauza Nemutpur Shahpur, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	100 0 0	Goh	Do. ...	Aurangabad...	3,380
42	.	.....	Mauza Dauli *alias* Dudpi, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	292 0 0	Do.	Do. ...	Daudnagar ...	4,680
43	2777	.....	Mauza Budhua, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	6a. 6kt. 19m.	171 12 0	Kutumba ...	Do. ...	Aurangabad ...	1,660
44	2777	.....	Mauza Barlawan, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	6a. 6p. 8kt.	171 12 0	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	1,660
45	2988	...	Mauza Singhpur Nawdiha, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	4	188 0 0	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	2,160
46	2844	... .	Mauza Basdeopur, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	118 8 0	Sanaut ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	4,060
47	2863	.....	Mauza Jagdispur, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	94 11 0	Do.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	3,740
48	5090	.....	Mauza Miranpur Nudra, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	2a. 9d. ...	1,163 of th	Do. ..	Do. ...	Ditto ...	5,860
49	5119	.....	Mauza Rasulpur Mundi, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	0	Do. ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	5,340
50	5770	.....	Mauza Pathuk Bigha, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	6	61 9 0	Do. .	Do. ..	Ditto ...	3,660
51	360	...	Mauza Kasisa Jageer, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	1,597 13 0	Telhara .	Patna ...	Islampur ...	8,400
52	659	.....	Mauza Daunra, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16 by butwara.	65 8 3 by butwara.	Pilich ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	9,900
[redacted]	3171	.....	Mauza Meksaur, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	475 14 0	Maher ...	Gaya ...	Wazirganj ...	1,56,940
[redacted]	[redacted]	.....	Mahal Amawan Bangopal, mo. Rajauli, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	1,355 4 0	Jurrah ...	Do. .	Rajauli ...	10,41,000
55	3228	... .	Mauza Pawai, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	219 5 0	Maher ...	Do. ...	Ditto ..	94,240
56	3061	.....	Mauza Pasadhi, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	8	231 13 0	Do. ...	Do. , ...	Ditto ...	1,37,700
57	3576	....	Mauza Bhetara, asli mai dakhli proprietary right with 15 kalams.	16	2,500 0 0	Nurhut ...	Do. ...	Tatwa ...	34,800
58	214	...	Mauza Rajabad, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	641 1 0	Shahjahanpur	Patna ...	Chundi ...	13,100
59	3054	.	Mauza Bhishpur, asli mai dakhli proprietary right.	16	89 11 0 in plaint and 65 0 0 in register.	Maher ...	Gaya ...	Gaya ...	5,440

JOGINDRANATH DEB, Sub-Judge, 3rd Court, Patna.

Dated Bankipore, the 12th September 1903. (1073—1)

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported, and when.	REMARKS.
Mr. A. L. Richards, late Agent, Bombay Burma Trading Corporation, Limited.	Pakokku	10th Aug. 1903 ...	District Judge, Pakokku, 31st August 1903.	No Will. No application.
Mr. Charles Smith Paschaud, late a Merchant at Fyzabad, carrying on business under the style of C. Smith & Co.	Fyzabad .	19th July ,, ...	District Judge, Fyzabad, 31st August 1903.	Will left. The deceased's brother has applied for Probate.
Mr. E. L. Febur, late Assistant Manager of Kaliganj Kothe.	Kaliganj	5th Aug. ,, ..	District Judge, Purnea, 4th September 1903.	No Will. No application.
Mr. W. Mowat, late an Assistant in the Bagrakote Tea Garden in the district of Jalpaiguri.	Jalpaiguri	23rd ,, ,, ...	District Judge, Rangpur, 8th September 1903.	Will left. The Executors have not yet applied for Probate.
Mr. W. Jackson, late a Guard in the North-Western Railway, Lahore.	Lahore	11th July ,,	District Judge, Lahore district, 4th September 1903.	No Will. No application.
Mr. Joseph Reid, late of Samastipur, in the district of Darbhanga.	Samastipur in the district of Darbhanga.	3rd Oct. 1899 ...	District Judge, Tirhut, 11th September 1903.	No Will. The deceased's widow has applied for Letters of Administration.
Mr. P. W. Searle, late an inhabitant in the district of Aligarh.	Aligarh district ..	5th Aug. 1903 ...	District Judge, Aligarh, 11th September 1903.	No Will. No application.

Calcutta, the 18th September 1903. C. E. GREY, Offg. Administrator-General of Bengal.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th September 1903.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—				GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1895-96.	Of 1900-1901.	Total.	Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.		Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 31st August 1903	1,25,75,100	1,71,30,400	11,18,16,000	2,45,54,800	1,25,81,700	100	21,43,600	16,88,16,600	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,09,00,134
ADD—																				
Amount of 3½ % 1854-55 coupoued notes transferred to St K. in London	.....	.....	2,67,900	.....	.....	... ..	.....	2,67,900		. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		... ..	.....	2,67,900
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 7th September 1903	.....	2,100	. ..	... ..	... ..	.....	.....	2,100		.	.....	.....	..		... ..	.	...	... .	.....	2,100
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 12th September 1903	...	....	1,03,000	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	1,03,000	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	1,03,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th September 1903 ..	... .	25,000	98,000	85,200	11,800	.....	.....	2,20,000	.....	... ..	.....		.....	.	...	... ..	...	.....	.....	2,20,000
	1,25,75,100	1,71,47,500	11,22,54 900	2,46 40,000	1,25,93,500	100	21,43,600	16,88,09,600	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	18,14,93,134
DEDUCT—																				
Amount written off in the London registers ...	8,93,600	1,48,900	13,79,500	38,800	77,500	.....	.....	16,44,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	25,38,300
Balance on 15th September 1903	1,16,81,500	1,69,98,600	11,09,06,400	2,46,01,200	1,25,16,000	100	21,43,600	16,71,64,900	6,934	5,000	.....	15,500	40,800	5,700	73,934	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	17,89,54,834

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th July 1903—Enfaced from India 11,196 lakhs; retransferred from London 10,713 lakhs.

"	16th July 1903	"	31st	"	"	"	"	6	"	15 "
"	1st Aug.	"	15th Aug.	"	"	"	"	6	"	13 "
"	16th	"	31st	"	"	"	"	2	"	14 "
"	1st Sept.	"	15th Sept.	"	"	"	"	6	"	25 "
								11,216	"	10,780 "
								10,780	"	
							Balance against India	436	"	

E HILDRETH,
Superintendent.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(1069—1)

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 16th September 1903.

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION.

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1	Pound tin	Rs. 16,	or, post free,	Rs. 16-8			
½	"	"	"	8	"	"	8-6.
¼	"	"	"	4	"	"	4-6.

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

NOTICE.

WANTED 12 Bengali-knowing Inspectors on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 each and 80 Bengali-knowing amins, on a monthly salary of Rs. 20 to Rs. 25 each, for survey and settlement work in the Sundarbans during the ensuing cold weather.

Applicants must either have served in the Survey of India Department or have certificates of their acquaintance with offset cadastral survey work. They should also be able to prepare the necessary settlement records.

WANTED also 4 clerks on Rs. 25 each and 8 muharrirs on Rs. 20 each per mensem for settlement work. Only men who have experience in such work need apply.

Applicants should state their age and send their applications with copies of testimonials to the undersigned not later than the 30th October 1903.

D. SUNDER, Commissioner in the Sundarbans.

Sundarbans Commissioner's Office, Alipur, the 7th August 1903.

MAULVI SHAMSUDDIN AHMED, B L., intends to be enrolled as Vakeel, Calcutta High Court

(998—4—814)

HEM CHANDRA SEN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(1041—4—862)

WANTED a Head Clerk for the Sadar Registration Office at Midnapore on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem. Preference will be given to candidates who have thorough knowledge of the Departmental Rules and Circulars and are thoroughly acquainted with the details of the work of District Registration Office and can write a good and swift hand. Candidates should state their educational qualifications and furnish statements showing their relationship with other persons in Government service and also produce certificates of good character and respectability. Those who are not now in Government service must state their age. The selected candidate will have to execute a bond in the sum of Rs. 100 with one substantial surety for the due performance of his duties.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th September 1903.

JOGESH CHANDRA SANYAL,
Special Sub-Registrar.

Midnapore District Registration Office, the 3rd September 1903.

Wanted

THREE qualified Surveyors knowing cadastral survey for Land Acquisition Work on salaries of Rs. 30 each per mensem with two chainmen at Rs. 8 each for a period of about six months. Selected candidates to join immediately on appointment.

D. R. GHOSE, Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Ranaghat-Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

Krishnagar, the 2nd September 1903.

WANTED six Amins on Rs 20 each per month for the Settlement work of Estate Kendgoria in the district of Birbhum. None need apply who has not passed the Survey Examination from any Government Survey School, or has no experience in Settlement work. Applications will be received by Babu Charu Chandra Chaudhary, Settlement Officer, Birbhum, up to the 7th October 1903.

A AHMAD, Collector.

Suri, the 9th September 1903.

WANTED by the District Board of Puri a Sub-Inspector of Schools on a salary of Rs. 50 a month with usual travelling allowance. Candidates must be qualified under the rules published under Bengal Government Notification Nos. 486T.G. and 105T.G., dated the 2nd September 1893 and 24th July 1899, respectively, and have a thorough knowledge of Uriya.

Applications with copies of testimonials and necessary certificates will be received by the undersigned up to 30th September 1903.

HARISH CHANDRA GHOSE,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Puri.

Puri District Board's Office, the 8th September 1903.

(1051—2)

WANTED at once by the District Board, Ranchi, a Second Pandit for teaching Bengali at the Silli Middle Vernacular School on a pay of Rs. 12 a month. No one need apply who has not passed the third-year examination from a training school. Preference will be given to those having experience in teaching. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th of September 1903.

G. C. BANERJI,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Ranchi.

Ranchi, the 7th September 1903. (1050—2)

WANTED a Sub-Overseer for six months for the Sirajganj subdivision in the district of Pabna, on a salary of Rs. 40 per mensem, with a horse allowance of Rs. 15. In addition he will get 3 per cent. remuneration for supervising Public Works Department building works. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 25th September 1903.

None need apply who is not qualified under the rules.

F. M DEROZARIO, District Engineer.

Pabna District Engineer's Office, the 10th September 1903. (1054—2)

WANTED by the District Board of Faridpur an experienced Overseer on Rs. 60 a month, rising, on approved service, to Rs. 75 by annual increments of Rs 3, and fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 30 a month.

None need apply who are not qualified under Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901, paragraph 7 (1) (*a*) to (*c*).

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to 20th October 1903.

R. S. ASHE, Vice-Chairman.

Faridpur District Board's Office, the 14th September 1903. (1061—2)

WANTED four Traverse Surveyors for the settlement operations of Bamanghatti subdivision, Mayurbhanja State, at present for four months, on Rs. 50 each per month. Preference will be given to those who are well up in Theodolite Survey, can take Azimuth observation, and have at least three years' experience in field works. Apply stating age, qualifications, previous service, etc., to the Settlement Officer (Bahalda P. O.), Mayurbhanja, by the 15th October.

P. M. MUKERJI, Acting Settlement Officer.

Bahalda, the 10th September 1903.

WANTED an Overseer for the Nawabgunj Municipal Office on a pay of Rs. 15 a month. None need apply who has no practical knowledge of surveying and road-work. Applications stating age, qualification and past services, if any, with copies of testimonials as to character and efficiency, should reach this office before the 15th October 1903.

SRIS CHANDRA MAULIK, Chairman.

Nawabgunj Municipal Office, (P. O.) Chapai (Malda), the 18th September 1903. (1033—2)

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Monghyr Municipality a Head Clerk and Accountant having experience in municipal office correspondence and accounts works on a monthly salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 75 by biennial increments of Rs. 8. Security required Rs 300.

Preference will be given to one who, besides possessing experience in municipal office work, is a passed Accountant.

The selected candidate will have to join at once and be on probation for one year.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 23rd September 1903.

S. P. SINGH, Vice-Chairman.

Monghyr, the 10th September 1903. (1055—2)

Notice.

WANTED a Nazir for the District Judge's Court of Chittagong on a monthly salary of Rs. 100 rising to Rs. 200 No one need apply who has not experience of Nezarat or Civil Court work. The selected candidate will have to furnish security of Rs. 5,000 in cash or promissory notes. Applications with testimonials in original (which will be returned if postage is supplied) will be received up to 1st November next.

H. E. RANSOM, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 10th September 1903.

Notice.

WANTED temporarily from November next—

1 Native Surveyor at Rs 50 per month.
2 Native Surveyors at Rs. 40 each per month.
6 Amins at Rs 35 each per month.
13 Amins at Rs. 20 each per month.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 20th October 1903.

S. S. SKINNER, Depy. Commr., Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri, the 8th September 1903.

Notice.

WANTED a man holding a certificate of proficiency in surveying for the work of a Commissioner in local enquiries in civil suits in the districts of Manbhum and Singhbhum

He will have fees in a lump in each case, the amount being fixed according to the nature of the suit.

Applications to be received by the undersigned up to 15th October 1903.

R. R. POPE, Judicial Commissioner, Chota Nagpur.

Ranchi, the 16th September 1903.

Notice.

WANTED a Sub-Inspector of Schools for the District Board of Mymensingh on a salary of Rs. 50 per mensem with travelling allowance according to the Civil Service Regulations. No one need apply who is not qualified according to Government Notification No. 486T.—G., dated the 2nd September 1893. The candidate must procure from the Divisional Inspector a certificate of fitness to examine vernacular schools of all classes and of possessing a practical knowledge of the art of teaching. Preference will be given to a candidate who has passed the English Teachership examination from a Training school and is a Muhammadan

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th October next.

W. B. THOMSON,
Chairman, District Board.

Mymensingh District Board's Office, the 19th September 1903. (1077—2)

Notice.

PURSUANT to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, made in Suit No. 709 of 1901 (wherein Jibun Kristo Ghose and another are plaintiffs and Amulya Charan Ghose, *alias* Amulya Chunder Ghose, and others are defendants), the creditors of Jogendra Kumar Dutt, late of No. 37 Haree Ghose's Street, in the town of Calcutta, landholder, who died on or about the 17th day of May 1901, are, on or before the 25th day of November 1903, required to send to the office of the Registrar of this Court, on its Original Side, their names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them; or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

Every creditor, holding any security, may produce or transmit the same to the Registrar, with the particulars of his claim, or shall produce the same before the Assistant Referee in the Court-house on Wednesday, the 16th day of December 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims, and in default thereof they will be precluded from the benefit of the said decree.

W. R FINK, Registrar.

Gnanendra Narayan Dutt, Attorney for the plaintiffs

High Court, Original Jurisdiction, the 7th September 1903. (1050—1—981)

Notice

IS hereby given that one amin, one chainman, and two messengers are required for two months for the survey of char Sujapur, within the Katwa subdivision. The pay of the establishment will not exceed Rs. 50 per month. Applications will be received up to the 15th proximo.

S. L. GUPTA, Subdivisional Officer, Katwa.

Katwa, the 16th September 1903.

Howrah Mills Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 9 Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, 23rd October 1903, at 12 noon, to sanction the issue of Rs. 10,50,000 of the A Preference shares, carrying a cumulative dividend of 7 per cent. which were authorised to be issued at the Extraordinary General Meeting of shareholders held on 12th August 1893, and also to sanction the erection of another mill on the Company's property. Such Preference shares to be offered in the first instance to the holders of the ordinary shares in the above Company in the proportion of three Preference to every five ordinary held by them as on 23rd October 1903.

By order of the Directors,
ERNSTHAUSEN, LTD., Managing Agents.

Calcutta, the 16th September 1903. (1068—3—982)

Caution.

WHEREAS Jugal Kissory Dassy, widow of Assiny Coomar Adhya, mother of her infant son, since deceased, and daughter of Rashbehary Datta, at present residing at her father's house, No. 55 Serpentine Lane, Calcutta, has under a conveyance dated the 29th Sraban 1310 (duly executed and registered) absolutely sold the one-fifth undivided share which she had in the estate of the late Babu Govinda Chunder Adhya, of Chetla, to Babus Rakhal Dass Adhya and others, and whereas it is rumoured that it is in the contemplation of the said Dassy again to transfer or otherwise dispose of the said share by suppressing the fact of the aforesaid sale by her, the public are therefore hereby warned against puchasing or otherwise taking by any kind of transfer whatsoever from her all or any portion of the said one-fifth share of the said estate at their own risk.

N. C. BURAL & Co.,
Attorneys for RAKHAL DASS ADHYA.

The 2nd September 1903. (995—4—921)

NOTICE.

Rangpur Collectorate.

WANTED some Amins (pay Rs. 25 per mensem) and Inspectors (pay Rs. 35 per mensem) with a thorough knowledge of plain-table survey for the cadastral survey and settlement of the estates Panga and Lot Haranarayon belonging to His Highness the Maharaja of Cooch Behar.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned till the 15th October 1903. Preference will be given to those who have worked with a Cadastral Survey Party.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Rangpur, the 10th September 1903.

Notice.

APPLICATIONS for an apprenticeship in the Second Munsif's Court at Kushtia will be received by the undersigned up to the 23rd October 1903. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination and does not fulfil the following conditions:—

(1) His age must not exceed 25 years.

(2) He must produce a certificate of age and of good moral character.

(3) He must state his relationship, if any, to any amla in the Civil Courts of the district.

(4) He must produce a certificate of sound health from a Government Medical Officer.

RAJENDRO COOMAR BOSE, Offg. District Judge.

Nadia Judge's Office, the 2nd September 1903.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Names of claimants.
$\frac{W}{2}$ of $\frac{03}{04}$	$\frac{LA}{97}$ 61234	100	Babus Brojo Nath De and Sarbananda De, Balaganj, Sylhet.
	„ 61235	100	

A. H. CLARKE,
Asst. Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Calcutta, the 1st September 1903.

GANESH DUTTA SINGH, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the Calcutta High Court.

(989—4—988)

Corporation of Calcutta

THE General Committee hereby define, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B C.) of 1899, having previously given notice of their intention so to define and no valid objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, the general line of buildings on each or either side of Gopalnagore Road between Belvedere and Judge's Court Roads, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 3rd July 1903.

A. E. SILK, Offg. Chairman of the Corporation.

Municipal Office, dated the 17th September 1903.

(1080—1)

Corporation of Calcutta.

THE General Committee hereby define, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, having previously given notice of their intention so to define, and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, the general line of buildings on each or either side of the Rursa Road from Old Kalighat Road to the City bonndary at Tollygunge in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 3rd July 1903.

A. E. SILK, Offg. Chairman of the Corporation.

Municipal Office, dated the 17th September 1903.

(1081—1)

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that about the 10th March 1903 treasure consisting of the undermentioned articles and valued at Rs. 35-8 was found by Narayana Chetti, son of Govinda Chetti, of Sembarampattu, while raising a wall in the backyard of the house belonging to one Krishna Nayak, son of Venkatapathi, *alias* Thambu Nayak of Sankarapuram village, Kallakurchi taluk, South Arcot district, in the Madras Presidency.

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Arcot at his office at Cuddalore on Monday, the 1st day of March 1904, in view to the matter being enquired into or determined according to law.

Description of treasure.	Weight.	Value. Rs. A.
Puvarahan 8 coins	3½ sovereigns ...	35 0
Kattai rupee or old silver Muhammadan coin, 1.	1 rupee ...	0 8
	Total ...	35 8

E. A. ELWIN, Collector.

South Arcot Collector's Office, Cuddalore, the 14th September 1903.

Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Notes—

No.						Rs.
025899	of the	3	per cent.	loan of	1896-97	for 1,000
025900	„	3	„	„	„	„ 1,000
025902	„	3	„	„	„	„ 1,000
025903	„	3	„	„	„	„ 1,000
025904	„	3	„	„	„	„ 1,000
030671 to 74	„	3	„	„	„	„ 500 each,

originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal, and last endorsed to Sarat Kumar Das, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest, and for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of the Proprietor—SARAT KUMAR DAS.

Residence—Village Sabajpur, police-station Thakurgaon, zilla Dinajpur.

Dinajpur, the 16th August 1903. (930—8—813)

Custom House Notice.

THE public are informed that the declaration at the foot of Import Bills of Entry should be as follows:—

"_____ do hereby declare that the goods specified above are of the growth, produce or manufacture of_____ and are of the value of Rs._____ as entered above. The word "or" being substituted for "and."

L. F. MORSHEAD, Officiating Collector of Customs.

Custom House, Calcutta, the 19th September 1903.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 054952 to 57 of the 3½ per cent. of 1854-55 for Rs. 1,'00 each, originally standing in the name of Bank of Bengal, and last endorsed to Bagala Sundari Debi, the proprietress by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietress after two years from the date of last advertisement.

BAGALA SUNDARI DEBI,

By PRASANNA NATH MUKERJEE, Attorney.

Residence—Katwa, district Burdwan. (997—3—947)

Administrator-General's Office.

NOTICE.

ADMITTED claims against the undermentioned estates are payable on Tuesday and Friday as usual:—

ESTATES.	Claims in full or dividend.	Rates of dividend per rupee.	REMARKS.
* Anderson, Henry George, who was a member of the Indian Civil Service, late of Jhansi in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	Claims in full.		
Clogstoun, Richard Patrick, a British subject, and late a District Superintendent of Police, Mergui.	1st dividend at 14 annas 9·60 pie per rupee.		

N.B.—The surplus of the estate marked * is carried over to the account for the persons interested and no other claims against the estate can be admitted.

Persons presenting receipts for payment are requested at the same time to produce the Registry Certificates granted to them by this office.

C. E. GREY,

Offg. Administrator-General of Bengal.

Calcutta, the 22nd September 1903. (1087—1)

Estate David McGregor, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 7 Hare Street, Calcutta, on or before the 10th day of November 1903, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

W. H. TAYLOR,

Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased, 7 Hare Street, Calcutta.

Dated this 16th day of September 1903.

(1066—3—983)

NOTICE.

National Bank of India, Limited.

THE Transfer Books of the Bank will be closed from 19th to 26th September, both days inclusive.

The Directors have declared a sterling dividend for the half-year ended 30th June 1903 at the rate of ten per cent. per annum equivalent to twelve shillings and six pence per share.

Warrants for the same will be issued to the shareholders on the Calcutta and Indian Registers on application on and after 26th instant.

By order of the Directors,

W. TOUCH, Manager.

Calcutta, the 19th September 1903. (1085—1—984)

NOTICE is hereby given that Abhoy Churn Myti, son of Ram Myti, of Kookrakhupi and Noyabasan, thana Gopibolobpore, district Midnapore, was suspended on the 5th September 1902, and dismissed on the 28th July 1903, from his post of Ammooktiar and Head Muharrir of the Maharaja of Mourbhanj in his zamindary kutchery at Noyabasan in the said district on account of misconduct. All persons are hereby warned against receiving from and delivering to him anything or document on behalf of the said Maharaja.

PURNA CHANDRA MITRA,

Manager, Noyabasan Estate, Gopibolobpore Post Office, district Midnapore.

Midnapore, the 14th September 1903.

(1067—1—992)

THE general public is hereby informed that the "General Power-of-Attorney" executed by Babu Jadu Nath Biswas, zamindar, on the twenty-third day of July eighteen hundred and ninety-five, in favour of late Babu Sri Nath Biswas, zamindar, son of late Babu Kali Charan Biswas, inhabitant of Dassani, thana Bagirhat, district Khulna; late Babu Mothura Nath Bhowmick, son of late Babu Mohima Charan Bhowmick, inhabitant of Chandani mahal, thana and district Khulna, Babu Chandra Nath Biswas, son of late Babu Nil Madhob Biswas, inhabitant of Dassani, thana Bagirhat, district Khulna; Babu Chandra Kant Dass, son of late Krishna Prosanna Dass, inhabitant of Dassani, thana Bagirhat, district Khulna; and Babu Prasanna Kumar Indu, son of late Ram Hridaya Indu, inhabitant of Sohagdal, thana Arupkathi, district Backergunge, has been cancelled by Babu Jadu Nath Biswas, zamindar, on the twelfth day of May nineteen hundred and three. And that any instrument executed or registered by the said Attorneys or any transaction or work done by them against or in behalf of Babu Jadu Nath Biswas, zamindar, from that date, the twelfth day of May nineteen hundred and three, shall be null and void.

JADU NATH BISWAS, Zamindar.

Dassani, Bagirhat, Khulna, the 27th August 1903.

(980—1—987)

The Great Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Old Court-house Street, Calcutta, on Monday, 2nd November 1903, at 4 P M, to receive the Directors' report, to pass the accounts to the 30th April last, to declare a dividend, and to transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting.

In accordance with the articles of association, the transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 26th October to 2nd November, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

H. A. PHILLIPS, Assistant Secretary.

(1084—1—985)

Dessai & Parbuttea Tea Co., Ld

NOTICE.

THE Ordinary Half yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No 100 Clive Street, on Monday, the 12th October, at 3 P M.

GEORGE HENDERSON & Co. Secretaries

100 Clive Street, Calcutta, 31st August 1903.

(1082—2—986]

Lost

THE Government Promissory Notes—

				Rs.
No. M. 003788 of the	3½	per cent	of 1842 43,	1,000
„ M. 002600	4	ditto	ditto 500	
„ 008769	3½	ditto	1900-01,	1,000

standing in the name of the Accountant-General, High Court, Madras, the Madras Railway Company, and the National Bank of India, Limited, respectively.

They were blank endorsed by A. R. Hajee Fakeer Mahomed Sait and Sons and delivered to Mooni Hoochanna & Co, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest and for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of proprietor—MOONI HOOCHANNA.

Residence—Bazar Street, Ootacamund.

(959—3—991)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge at Darjeeling.

PRESENT:

H H. Heard, Esq.

EXECUTION CASE No. 23 OF 1903.

Moti Lal, Sukh Lal, and Ram Lal Karnani, decree-holders, *versus* Bhaujit Ray, judgment-debtor.

THE following mortgaged property of the above judgment-debtor will be sold by public auction at noon of the 18th day of November 1903 by the Nazir of this Court at the Court-house at Darjeeling:—

Lot 1.—All that piece or parcel of land belonging to the said mortgagor and held by him on lease from Government, as tauzi No. 1005 of the Darjeeling Collectorate, comprising an acreage of 1,000 acres, more or less, and for which an annual rent of Rs. 400 is payable to Government, and road and public works cesses Rs. 34, situate in mauza Phuguri, in the Kurseong thana and sub registration and subdivision of the district of Darjeeling, together with all buildings, erections, bazars, "bastis," timber, stones, tea plantations, orchards, and everything else now situate thereon, subject to prior mortgages.

H. H. HEARD, Subordinate Judge.

Darjeeling, the 14th September 1903. (1070—1)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR SALE.

In the 2nd Court of the Subordinate Judge of Backergunge at Barisal.

OTHER EXECUTION CASE No. 104 OF 1903.

Gobinda Mohan Dass and others, decree-holders, *versus* Guru Charon Saha and others, judgment-debtors.

THE right, title and interest of the following properties will be sold by auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at 12 o'clock noon on the 23rd day of October 1903, at the ordinary sale place at Barisal for the realization of Rs. 8,254 only:—

Three annas 10 gandas share of taluq Bejoyram Saha at an annual rental of Rs. 2,872, bearing tauzi No. 897 of the Khulna Collectorate, situate in the mauzas Chak Chandipur, Badarpur, Kholpatua, Shikshmaraboomia, Chak Charbalopur and Chak Kalarou.

A. N. MAJUMDAR, Sub-Judge.

Barisal, the 18th September 1903. (1076—1)

In the Court of the 2nd Subordinate Judge of Arrah

EXECUTION CASE No. 84 OF 1903.

Babu Gulab Chand, *alias* Chotan Lall, decree-holder *versus* Babu Suraj Narain Singh and others, judgment-debtors.

THE following properties will be sold by the Nazir of the Judge's Court, on the 7th December 1903, at noon, in the sale shed of the Civil Court, Arrah, for realization of Rs. 4,364-7-9, in pursuance of a decree of this Court No 12 of 1901 passed on 12th August 1901, in favour of the above named decree-holder against the aforesaid judgment-debtors.

1. Ten annas and eight pies out of 16 annas of mauza Kandsar, *asli* with *dakhli* with zirait therein, pargana Chainpore, thana and sub-registry Bhabhua, bearing former tauzi No 1582 and present tauzi No. 2647 and paying Government Revenue Rs. 713-10 with an incumbrance of Rs. 10,00 thereon of Babu Udai Chand under a mortgage bond Approximate value given by the decree holder is Rs. 500

2. Ten annas and eight pies out of 16 annas mauza Dharabra, *asli* with *dakhli* with zirait therein, pargana Chainpore, thana and sub-registry Bhabhua, bearing former tauzi No. 1 47 and present tauzi No. 2892, and paying Government Revenue Rs 190-15 and with an incumbrance thereon of Rs. 1,000 of Babu Udai Chand under a mortgage bond. Approximate value given by decree-holder is Rs. 200.

3. Eight annas of mauza Bairi Raghunathpore, *asli* with *dakhli* with zirait therein, thana and sub-registry Bhabhua, bearing former tauzi No 1159 and present tauzi No. 2188 and paying Government Revenue Rs. 1,325-14 and with an incumbrance of Rs 10,000 thereon of Babu Udai Chand under a mortgage bond. Approximate value given by decree-holder is Rs. 200.

SASI BHUSHAN CHAUDHURI, Subordinate Judge.

Arrah, the 19th September 1903. (1079—1)

In the First Court of the Munsif of Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1903.

NOTICE.

JAJNESHOR LASKOR, son of late Bhagaban Chandra Laskor, of Badartala, thana Sadar, has, on the 22nd August 1903, been declared an insolvent.

BEPIN BEHARY CHATTERJI,

Munsif of Alipore, First Court.

Alipore, the 27th August 1903. (981—1—944)

In the First Court of the Munsif of Alipore

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1903.

NOTICE.

JOY MANNA, son of late Trilochan Manna, of Tapsia, thana Sadar, has, on the 22nd August 1903, been declared an insolvent.

BEPIN BEHARY CHATTERJI,

Munsif of Alipore, First Court.

Alipore, the 27th August 1903. (982 1—945)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

In the matter of Ramani Mohan Chakrabarti, an insolvent.

RAMANI MOHAN CHAKRABARTI, son of Manohar Chakrabarti of Khanakul, at present of Calcutta, was on the 12th day of September 1903 declared an insolvent and discharged under section 351, Civil Procedure Code.

G. K DEB, District Judge.

Hooghly District Judge's Court, the 17th September 1903. (1074—1—989)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 22 OF 1903

Dabiruddi Nagbhusanam Naidu, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that Dabiruddi Nagbhusanam Naidu of No. 4 Simi Third Lane,

Khidderpore, thana Mochikhola, district 24 Parganas, was this day declared insolvent under section 351, Civil Procedure Code, and discharged.

C. P. CASPERSZ, District Judge.

District Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, the 14th September 1903. (1078—1—990)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

DWARIKA NATH GORAI, of Dharmadah, thana Nakasipara, district Nadia, was declared an insolvent by this Court on the 29th August 1903, under the provisions of section 351, Civil Procedure Code.

RAJENDRA COOMAR BOSE, Offg. District Judge.

Nadia Judge's Office, the 16th September 1903. (1072—1—993)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	24th Sept.	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	23rd ,,	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	28th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	25th ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *Lightning*.
Burma	24th ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	26th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	26th ,,	,, 7 30	Ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	28th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Port Blair	25th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Shahjehan*.
Ditto	28th ,,	,, 7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.
South Africa (Letters) .	25th ,,	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Umkuzi* from Colombo.
Ditto (Parcels) ..	25th ,,	,, 5	

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 3-50 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M. } and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and the Madras Presidency, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8 45 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails, *vid* Bombay, the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by sea. Foreign Mails for despatch *vid* Madras or Tuticorin are received up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee up to 8-45 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 22nd September 1903.* } JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

NADIA RIVERS.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 18th September 1903.

Name of river	Reach of river.	Least depth of water sounded.		REMARKS.
		Ft.	In.	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges .	25	0	
	Thence to Geriah ..	23	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	21	6	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	21	6	Padilpur.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa	21	0	Kedati.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ..	23	0	Kasipur.
Bhyrub-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	19	6	
	Thence to Akriganj	18	0	Akriganj.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhyrub and Jalangi	17	0	Kasiadanga.
	Thence to Patkabari	23	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	20	0	Jitpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	15	3	
	Thence to Dewanganj .	16	6	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	17	0	Meghna.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	17	9	Peertola.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	18	6	Sealmari.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengunj and Hanskhali...	19	9	Ganjo.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea-level.	REMARKS.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahibganj .	19-9-1903	6	22·83	90·83	Rising.
			M.			
	Rampur Boalia	19-9-1903	12	22·15	64·15	Do.
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah	20-9-1903	A.M. 7	...	73·25	Do.
	Entrance of Bhairab-Jalangi Akriganj ...	20-9-1903	A.M. 7	...	68·40	Do.
	Entrance of Mathabhanga ...	19-9-1903	...	21·93	...	Do.
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ..	20-9-1903	...	...	71·90	Do.
	Berhampore ...	21-9-1903	A.M. 10	24·83	60·37	Do.
	Katwa ...	18-9-1903	A.M. 6	23·10	48·26	Do.
Jalangi ..	Krishnagar ...	18-9-1903	...	22·58	...	Do.
			M.			
	Sarupganj ...	19-9-1903	12	...	25·50	Do.
Mathabhanga	Hanskhali .	19-9-1903	...	19·35	...	Do.

S. S. PAUL, C.E.,
Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.
Berhampore, the 21st September 1903.

Corporation of Calcutta.

IT is hereby declared that it is intended to submit the following draft Tramway Regulations framed under section 24 of Act I (B.C.) of 1880 for the consideration of the Corporation.

Any person having any objection to the Regulations should submit it in writing to the Chairman of the Corporation before the 31st October 1903.

(1) "No electric car shall be driven at a greater speed than—

(*a*) Six miles an hour on the Chitpur line, *i.e.*, from Esplanade Junction.
(*b*) Ten miles an hour on Chowringhee, *i.e.*, from Esplanade Junction to Circular Road.
(*c*) Kalighat Section, *i.e.*, Circular Road to Kalighat, six miles.
(*d*) Kalighat to Tallygunge, ten miles
(*e*) Sealdah to the East-end of Dhurrumtola, ten miles.
(*f*) Dhurrumtola to Wellington Square, eight miles.
(*g*) Wellington Square to Esplanade Junction, six miles.
(*h*) Esplanade, East, ten miles.
(*i*) Old Court House Street, Dalhousie Square and Hare Street, Strand to High Court, six miles.
(*j*) Bow Bazar, Lal Bazar, six miles.
(*k*) College Street to Sealdah, eight miles.
(*l*) Royd Street and Elliot Road, six miles.
(*m*) Wellesley Street to Wellington Square, six miles.
(*n*) College Street and Cornwallis Street, eight miles, *i.e.*, Wellington Square to Sham Bazar.
(*o*) Grey Street, eight miles.
(*p*) Belgatchia Line, ten miles.
(*q*) Kidderpore Bridge to Sonai Bazar, eight miles.

On all curves cars shall not be driven at a greater pace than three miles an hour, and at crossings four miles.

(2) A clear space of at least 50 feet shall be kept between successive cars except at stations or turn-outs, unless it may be necessary to approach nearer in order to avoid collision or prevent injury.

(3) No two cars proceeding in opposite directions shall stop abreast of one another and so block the street. They shall stop so as to have a clear distance along the line of 50 feet between them, and no two cars shall pass each other on a road crossing.

(4) At the intersection of narrow streets where there are stopping stations cars shall not be driven at a greater speed than four miles an hour, and they shall be brought to a dead stop at the approach side of a crossing so that no portion of the car shall project on the cross roads.

(5) For the breach of any of the above four rules the driver or motorman shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 5 and the Company to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

(6) At curves, turnings and crossings at which it is, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Police, necessary, the Company shall station signallers. When the line is clear the signallers shall show a white flag by day and a white light at night. When the line is obstructed, they shall show a red flag by day and a red light by night. Every car shall be stopped until the line-clear signal is given. Any infringement of this rule by signaller, driver or motorman shall make him liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 5, and the Company to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

(7) The driver or motorman shall at all times be responsible for seeing that the line is clear of obstruction; and if there is any risk of collision, or the line is in any way obstructed, the car shall be stopped till the line is clear of obstruction. The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5 by the driver or motorman, and Rs. 20 by the Tramway Company.

(8) If a procession be passing along the street, the driver shall stop the car till the procession has passed. For breach of this rule the conductor and driver shall be each liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 5, and the Company to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

(9) The Commissioner of Police shall be responsible for the regulation of tramway traffic in the town and suburbs of Calcutta during native and other festivals or processions

(10) The *purdahs* or other side arrangements on the cars shall be so arranged as not to project beyond the footboard, flap about, or otherwise interfere with the passing traffic.

For breach of this rule the Company and the conductor shall each be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20 and Rs. 5, respectively.

(11) Every car shall be provided with a properly-constructed life-guard.

For breach of this rule the Company shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20

(12) No one shall be allowed to drive a motor-car on any public street who is not provided with a certificate of competency from Government.

(13) Every conductor and driver shall wear a distinguishing badge in such a way as to be fully exposed to view, and shall state his number to any passenger asking for it. Penalty for breach of this rule shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5. The Company will also be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

(14) Any person, except a servant of the Company on duty, entering or leaving a car whilst in motion shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 20.

Any person infringing the above rule shall be bound on demand being made by an officer of the Company on duty to give his or her correct name and address. For breach of this rule any such person shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

(15) Every car shall halt at fixed stations to be established by the Company, subject to the sanction and approval of the Corporation, in order to admit of passengers entering or alighting. For breach of this rule the conductor and the driver shall be each liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

(16) On the occurrence of any accident causing serious injury to person or property, it shall be the duty of the Company to report the matter at the police-station, within the jurisdiction of which the accident may have occurred, or at the nearest police-station, whichever may be most convenient, within one hour of such accident, and to give the Police full and prompt assistance in the prosecution of any enquiry which they may institute. For neglect to comply with this regulation, the Company shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 20.

(17) If, in connection with such accident, any person receives any serious bodily injury, it shall be the duty of the conductor to make arrangements to send such person to hospital with the least possible delay, unless his friends desire otherwise and agree to take charge of him. If the conductor omits to make such arrangements, he shall incur a penalty not exceeding Rs. 5, and the Company shall also be liable to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 20.

(18) No conductor, driver or other employé of the Tramways Company on duty in a car shall use abusive language to any of the passengers or intending passengers, or behave in an insolent manner, or misconduct himself in any other way in the performance of his duty. Penalty for breach of this rule shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

(19) Every car running after sunset shall carry two bright lights, one in front of the car and one at the back. The penalty for infringement of the rule will render the conductor liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

W. W. CUNNINGHAM,

Offg. Secretary to the Corporation.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 22nd September 1903.* (1088—1)

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 298

[First Publication.]

AUSTRALIA—TRINITY PASSAGE.

Existence of a sunken reef reported.

THE Portmaster, Brisbane, has given notice (No 8 of 1903) of the existence in the Trinity Passage of a sunken reef situated in lat. 16° 26′ S. and long. 146° 5′ E. (approximately). The reef is a few hundred yards in extent, with a depth of two fathoms over it at low water.

Vessels using this passage are therefore cautioned to keep a good look-out

Chart affected—No. 2924; Australia Directory, Vol. 2.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 299

[First Publication]

AUSTRALIA—GULF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide river—Alterations in beacons consequent on Light's Passage harbour works.

WITH reference to Notices to Mariners No. 204, dated 15th June, and No. 289, dated 29th August 1903, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice that the following alterations which have been found necessary will be made on or about the 30th August next:—

The Beacons forming No. 1 Lead will be removed altogether.

In lieu thereof two Beacons showing Green Lights will be placed on the North Bank—one near the present Reflecting Beacon and the other opposite the present No. 1 White Light, as shown on plan which may be obtained at these offices.

Two Light Beacons (both red) will be placed on the North Bank, which, when in line, will lead through the Cutting to the Bend, and will be hereafter termed No 1 Lead.

Sailing Directions.—To enter the River pass the Occulting Light Buoy at a distance of about 50 feet, and steer between the White Light on a Pile abreast the old Light-house and the first Green Light, which is placed between the Reflecting Beacon and the Cutting on a N.E. by E. course, passing the second Green Light at a similar distance until the New Lead on the North Bank (now termed No. 1 Lead) comes in line. Keep them in line until abreast of No. 2, then steer for No. 3 as before.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 1750.

P.S.—Owing to the nature of the work in progress this notice may require to be amended from time to time, and therefore should be treated as tentative only.

During the progress of the work at the Light's Passage Harbour, Masters exempt from pilotage may, if they so desire, avail themselves of the services of a pilot to assist them in passing the works, either in or out, at one-half of the usual pilotage rates.

If the usual exemption flag is not hoisted, it will be taken as a signal that a pilot is required. At night, if a pilot is wanted, the usual signal for a pilot should be shown.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 300.

INDIA, EAST—MADRAS COAST.

Cocanada—Sunken cargo boats and position of Wreck-buoy marking the site.

THE Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given notice (No. 39 of 1903) informing masters of vessels, pilots and others that caution should be exercised in coming to an anchorage in Cocanada Roadstead, the Port Officer of that place having notified that five cargo boats are sunk there. The correct position of the wreck-buoy marking the site is—

Vakalapudi light-house bearing No. 70° W.

Cocanada old light-house bearing S. 40° W. and the angle taken by sextant between the above two light-houses 70°.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 301.

[First Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Cochin—The light at Mallipuram discontinued.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 136, dated 25th April 1903, issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 41 of 1903) that the Bar, Spit, and Quarantine buoys at Cochin will be replaced in position on the 15th September 1903 and that the light at Mallipuram will be discontinued after the 30th idem as usual.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 302.

[First Publication.]

PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, WEST COAST.

Katbalogan—Light established.

Kalbayok—Light altered.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 663 of 1903) that a *white fixed* light, elevated 130 feet above the sea, and visible from a distance of 12 miles, has been established on a permanent structure erected on the north point of the entrance to Katbalogan river in a position from which Jesus point bears N. 81° W., distant 6 cables, and Aguada point, S. 17° E. The light is visible from the bearing of S. 77° E., through east and north, to N. 14° W., but is obscured by the Daraguai and Kagdullon groups of islands.

Approximate position on Chart No. 1622, lat. 11° 46¼′ N., long. 124° 52½′ E.

Also, that on July 10th, 1903, the colour of the light exhibited on the south-east entrance point of Kalbayok river, would be altered from white to *red*.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 4′ N., long. 124° 36′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2577; Ports in the Philippine islands, Katbalogan, &c., No. 1622: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, page 110, No. 599a; and Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, pages 360, 358.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 303.

[First Publication.]

KOREA—QUELPART ISLAND, SOUTH COAST.

Navoska rock—Non-existence of.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 664 of 1903) that as the results of numerous searches for the Naboska rock to the southward of Quelpart island show no indication of its existence, it has been expunged from the charts.

Approximate position, lat. 32° 59′ N., long. 126° 13′ E.

This rock, on which the Russian transport *Naboska* was reported to have been lost in April 1870, was unsuccessfully searched for by H. M. surveying vessel *Sylvia* in 1877, when a sounding of 57 fathoms, mud bottom, was the least water obtained anywhere within two miles of the reported position.

Mr. G. C. Anderson, Master of the ship *Conquest*, reports having frequently passed in 1875 and 1876, within two miles of the supposed position of this rock, without seeing any indication of shoal water.

A thorough search was also made in 1885 by Captain Phythian, U.S.S. *Trenton*, and latterly in February 1903 Captain A. A. Dalweritz, of the American schooner *Forester*, reports having passed close to the assigned position of this rock, obtaining at the same time a sounding of 55 fathoms, mud bottom, without seeing any sign of shoal water.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Pacific ocean, No. 2459; Hong-Kong to Liau tung gulf, No. 1262; Nipon, &c., No. 2347; Korea Archipelago, No. 104: Also China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 94.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 304.

[First Publication.]

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Jidda—Coral head in approach.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 670 of 1903) of the existence of a coral head about 2 cables S. 78° W. from Abu-l-Khodar in the approach to Jidda. It has a depth of 2¾ fathoms over it, and from it Gaham white stone beacon bears S. 74° E., distant $3\frac{5}{10}$ miles.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 28′ N., long. 39° 4¾′ E.

This shoal can be clearly seen from a ship, but does not break.

(*Variation 3° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Jidda, No. 2599: Also Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 272.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 305.

[First Publication.]

CHINA SEA—PALAWAN, EAST COAST.

Port Princesa (Royalist)—Light re-established.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 109, dated 28th March 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 671 of 1903) that the *white fixed* light, visible from a distance of five miles, has been re-established in the former light-house on Saboruco or Tide pole point, Port Royalist.

Approximate position, lat. 9° 43¾′ N., long. 118° 43′ E.

A *red fixed* light, visible two miles, is also shown from the end of the wharf.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Palawan island, No. 967; port Royalist, No. 2914: Also List of Lights, 1903, No. 574; China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, page 272; and Supplement, 1901, page 9.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 306.

[First Publication.]

PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—BOHOL, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Tubigon point—Reef to the north-westward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 672 of 1903) of the existence of an extensive reef composed of coral, sand, and stones, with a depth of 4 fathoms over it on its eastern edge, situated at a distance of seven miles N. 67° W. from Tubigon point, Bohol island.

Approximate position, lat. 9° 59½′ N., long. 123° 50¾′ E.

There may be less water on this reef.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 948 Sulu or Mindoro sea, No. 2578: Also Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 200.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 307.

[First Publication]

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Karnafulli river—Depth of water found in the channels.

THE Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 16th September 1903 and reduced to zero:—

	FT.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—	
Disc on diamond	12
Track No. 2—Inner bar—	
Disc on diamond	10
Batten beacon on the pillar on hill	12
Track No. 3—	
Triangle on cross and ball	17
Track No. 4—Guptakhally crossing—	
Tripod on diamond	20

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 308.

[First Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Mormugao harbour—Red light re-exhibited.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 170, dated 23rd May last, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 83 of 1903) that the Red light at the end of Breakwater at Mormugao harbour has been re-exhibited from 22nd August 1903.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 309.

[First Publication.]

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—PERSIAN GULF.

Shat-al-Arab—Buoy marking south-east of Abadan bank.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 301, dated 14th October 1902, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 84 of 1903) that information dated 29th August has been received from the Agents, British India Steam Navigation Company, Limited, that the Master of S.S. *Kola* reports having placed a large conical iron buoy painted red and white vertically in place of the red cask buoy with staff and ball at the entrance, which latter had disappeared.

This buoy marks the south-east of Abadan bank, and is moored in 11 feet L. W. S., and bears N. 48° W. from outer buoy, distant three miles, and S. 41° E. from No. 1 Can buoy, on the Abdulla bank, distant 2¾ miles.

The buoy is now a little inside of the eastern edge of the deepest part of the Channel and is visible seven miles.

The north-west end of Abadan bank is washed away.

No. 1 buoy is now a large Can buoy.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Mouth of the Euphrates, Shat-al-Arab, and Bahmishir River; also Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th Edition, 1898, page 286.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 310

[First Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—SIND COAST.

Karachi Harbour—Buoy southward of the Bulk Oil Pier removed.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 85 of 1903) that the northern east Channel buoy S. 15° E. from the Bulk Oil Pier head Red Light, distant 320 yards, has been removed from the 15th August 1903, being no longer required as a mark buoy showing the Channel.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Karachi Harbour, No. 40; also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 4th Edition, 1898, page 303.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 295.

[Second Publication.]

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—PERSIAN GULF.

Bahrein harbour—Buoys painted in terms of International Buoyage System.

HIS MAJESTY'S British Vice-Consul at Bushire has given notice, dated 25th August 1903, that the buoys marking the channel at the entrance of Bahrein harbour will, in future, be painted in terms of the International Buoyage System, and will be coloured as follows:—

Outer	buoy	...	... Red.
Inner	do.	...	... Red.
Khaseifa	do.	...	... Black.
West spit	do.	...	... Red.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 296.

[Second Publication.]

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE.

Keppel (new) harbour—Buoys withdrawn.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 648 of 1903) that the two white buoys in the north channel, Keppel (New) harbour, formerly situated 60 yards S. 85° E. and 180 yards N. 30° W. respectively of the southernmost red stone beacon marking Tembága rocks, have been withdrawn.

Approximate position of the southern red stone, lat. 1° 15¾′ N., long. 103° 50½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Singapore road, No. 1995; Keppel harbour, No. 2023: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 216.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 297.

[Second Publication.]

JAPAN, WEST COAST—SIMONOSEKI STRAIT.

Wreck in western entrance.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 652 of 1903) that the wreck of the sailing vessel *Yebisu Maru*, with a mast 6 feet above water, lies sunk on the track through the western entrance to Simonoseki strait 5 cables S. 44° W. from Maiko jima (Hamo island).

Approximate position, lat. 33° 56′ N., long. 130° 52¾′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Approaches to Simonoseki strait, No. 532; Simonoseki strait, No. 1578: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 432.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 290.

[Third Publication.]

INDIA, SOUTH—CEYLON COAST.

Colombo—Lightship foundered.

A TELEGRAPHIC communication has been received from the Master Attendant, Colombo, stating that the lightship, South end, north-east breakwater, has foundered, and that it will be replaced as soon as possible.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 291.

[Third Publication.]

JAPAN, NORTH-WEST COAST—MIYADSU HARBOUR.

Rock.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 635 of 1903) of the existence of a rock named Shishiguri, with a depth of 2¼ fathoms over it at low-water springs, in Miyadsu harbour, situated with Hora iwa bearing S. 43° W., distant 5½ cables, and the rocky point immediately northward of Shishi village S. 66° E., distant 3¾ cables.

Approximate position, lat. 35° 34′ N., long. 135° 13½′ E.

About 130 yards to the eastward and northward of this rock there are depths of from 3½ to 4½ fathoms and from 4½ to 6 fathoms in other directions.

(*Variation 5° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Amarube saki to Ando saki, No. 2174; Miyadsu harbour, No. 61: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 542.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 292.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA SEA, WESTERN SHORE—Cochin China.

Kam Ranh bay—Dangers reported.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 639 of 1903) of the existence of the undermentioned dangers in Kam Ranh bay:—

1. A rock, with a depth of 2¼ fathoms over it at lowest tide in the approach to Little pass on the north side of the entrance to the bay, situated with the southern point of Little pass bearing S. 81° W., distant 1¼ miles, and the outer rock off the south-east point of Tagne island S. 34° W.

   Approximate position, lat. 11° 51½′ N., long. 109° 15½′ E.

2. Two coral heads, with depths of 3 feet and 13 feet, situated at distances of 4 cables S. 7° W., and 6¼ cables S. 16° E. respectively from South-west rock off the village of Bangai.

Note.—Mariners are advised not to pass the westward of a line joining De la Prise island and Hon Chut, as there is a ledge with a depth of only 2¼ fathoms over it between the latter island and the mainland.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kam Ranh bay to Vung Ro bay, No. 1008; Kam Ranh bay, No. 3028: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, pages 397, 398.

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[Third Publication.]

CHINA SEA, WESTERN SHORE—Cochin China.

Nhatrang bay approaches, and port Dayot—Dangers in—.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 640 of 1903) of the existence of the following dangers in the approaches to Nhatrang bay, and in Port Dayot:—

Nhatrang bay approach—

1. A rock, with a depth of 4 feet over it at lowest tide, about 3 cables to the eastward of Séche point.
   Approximate position, lat. 12° 21½′ N., long. 109° 17½′ E.
   The bay between Séche point and cape Seo is blocked almost entirely by coral reefs, and must not be entered.

2. A rock, which has two pinnacle heads, the least water over them being 6 feet at lowest tide, is situated about 7 cables S. 12° E. from Middle island, Van Fong bay.

   Approximate position, lat. 12° 29′ N., long. 109° 18¼′ E.

Port Dayot—

A coral reef of small extent, with a depth of 1 foot over it at lowest tide, exists in Port Dayot in lat. 12° 39′ 35″ N., long. 109° 22′ 15″ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kam Ranh bay to Vung Ro bay, No. 1008: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, pages 401, 403, 406.

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Calcutta, *the 3rd September 1903.*

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INDIA, SOUTH—CEYLON COAST.

Signal announcing arrival of Tuticorin Mail.

THE Master Attendant, Colombo, has given notice, dated 4th August 1903, that in future a Blue Pennant having a White St. George's Cross in the centre will be hoisted at the Masthead of Signal Mast at the Pilot's Tower, daily when the Tuticorin Mail is sighted, and hauled down one hour after she is berthed.

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RESOLUTION REVIEWING THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE CALCUTTA MUNICIPALITY FOR THE YEAR 1902-1903.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.—MUNICIPAL.

Darjeeling, the 19th September 1903.

RESOLUTION—No. 2484T.—M.

READ—

The Administration Report of the Calcutta Municipality for the year 1902-1903.

Read again—

The Reports for the years 1900-1901 and 1901-1902 and the Resolutions recorded by the Lieutenant-Governor thereon.

More than three years have now elapsed since the beginning of April 1900, when the amended new Calcutta Municipal Act of 1899 came into force; and the first body of Commissioners who have held their appointments under the new Act have completed their term of office. The Lieutenant-Governor, therefore, gladly avails himself of the present opportunity to review as a whole the work which has been accomplished during that period.

2. The first impression conveyed by a perusal of the report for the year 1902-1903 is that it is a record of strenuous and many-sided activity. Two hundred and thirty-one meetings of various kinds were held during the year, and the results are apparent in the Departmental Reports and in the long statement of 129 improvements, completed or in progress during the year, which is to be found in pages 53—56 of the appendices to Part I of the Report. The table in question contains only those improvements of which the cost exceeds Rs. 1,000, and the aggregate sanctioned expenditure on the works included in the list amounts to over 14 lakhs. To the evidence contained in the report and its appendices Mr. Bourdillon is able to add his personal testimony, for he had the advantage of sitting as a Commissioner and as a Member of the General Committee during a short period of the year under review, and he was much struck not only with the immense amount of work that came up for disposal, but with the business-like manner in which it was despatched.

3. In accordance with instructions issued by Government in reviewing the report for 1901-1902, the Corporation appointed a Special Committee to examine the Chairman's Report and adopted the review which was in due course submitted to it. Almost the whole of the review was taken up with an examination of the manner in which the accounts were exhibited, and of cases in which the budget grants were exceeded. The Committee explained that they drew attention to these instances of excess expenditure, because they deemed it desirable that in future the Corporation should be in a better position to exercise a check such as had been possible in past years. This criticism is sound, and is in fact applicable to the general business of the Corporation; for the Lieutenant-Governor is constrained to say that in the Municipal Administration of Calcutta in the past year sufficient regard has not invariably been paid to the formalities prescribed by the law. The Chairman's attention has been drawn to this matter on more than one occasion, and an improvement in this respect is confidently anticipated. To prevent a recurrence of the illegality noticed by the Special Committee, the simplest expedient would be for the Corporation to pass a revised budget before the close of each year. Such a budget must necessarily be prepared, either formally or informally, before that for the ensuing year can be accurately drawn up; and the procedure now recommended is already followed by the Supreme Government, by all the Local Governments in India, and by the Mufassal Municipalities and District Boards throughout the Province. With reference to one of the suggestions made by the Committee, that there should be a fuller tabulated list of all the appendices and statements, the attention of the Chairman will be drawn to the concluding portion of paragraph 2 of Mr. Collin's letter No. 3111M., dated 3rd December 1902, in which it was suggested that a list and index of the appendices, showing clearly the subjects to which they relate, should be furnished at the commencement of the report.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to note that the financial position of the Corporation is thoroughly sound. Their net indebtedness, that is the amount they owe less the amount to credit in the sinking funds, has increased by a little over 15 lakhs in the last three years, but in the same time their borrowing power has increased by nearly 21 lakhs. During that period the Commissioners borrowed 38¼ lakhs, of which 31 lakhs have been invested in drainage and water-supply schemes and in other improvements. Nor do there seem to be any valid grounds for the apprehensions that have been expressed from time to time that when the present reassessment operations are complete the municipal income will cease to expand at the same rate as heretofore. It is true that in the last ten years the assessed valuation of the town has increased by 28·3 per cent., but in the same period the population has increased by 24·8 per cent., excise receipts by 32 per cent., exports and imports by 40 per cent., and income-tax receipts by 52·1 per cent. It is well known also to those who live in the central portion of Calcutta that the rise of rents in recent years has been very great. There seems therefore no reason for regarding the expansion which has taken place in the municipal revenues as in any way abnormal, or for expecting that it will proceed at a less rapid rate in the future.

5. The most important task accomplished in the last three years, and that by which no doubt the late administration will be chiefly remembered, has been the reorganisation of every department by which the work of the municipality is carried on. The reforms proceeded on the well-known and well-tried lines of definition of authority, devolution of powers, and increase in the numbers and pay of the supervising staff.

6. The first and most important reform undertaken was the reorganisation of the three great spending Departments of the Corporation, viz., those of Engineering, Public Health, and Conservancy. A consideration of the problems involved and of the best way of solving them led eventually to the adoption of the following measures:—

(*a*) the amalgamation with the Engineering Department of the Conservancy Department which had hitherto been under the Health Officer;

(*b*) the formation of a separate Building Department under an officer possessing the qualifications of an Architect and an Engineer for whom a salary of Rs. 750 rising to Rs. 1,000 was sanctioned; and

(*c*) the decentralisation of municipal work by the division of Calcutta into four districts, each equipped with a complete establishment for the working of—

(1) the Health Department under a District Health Officer;
(2) the Building Department under a District Building Surveyor, and
(3) the amalgamated Engineering and Conservancy Department under a District Engineer.

7. The rather curious amalgamation of the Conservancy and Engineering Departments was due to the fact that their work had in practice been found to overlap. The Engineer was in charge of the repairing and the watering of the roads and the cleaning of the surface drains, while the Health Officer was responsible for the scraping of the roads and for all other conservancy matters. Thus different gangs of coolies under separate control worked at the same place, and moreover the *gowkhanas* which were in charge of the Health Officer had to supply cattle both for watering the roads and for conservancy purposes. So long as this arrangement was in force complaints were received that conservancy coolies had been seen throwing rubbish into the ditches for engineering coolies to remove, and *vice versâ*, and there was also friction in connection with the supply of cattle to the two Departments. The amalgamation of the two Departments was no doubt a simple and effective remedy for this antagonism, but the reform might have been made on different lines, and the Corporation should consider whether it is not advisable to appoint a separate conservancy officer for each of the four districts. The effectual supervision of the conservancy arrangements in one-fourth part of Calcutta is certainly a task sufficient to occupy the whole time of one officer, and it is obviously desirable that the district conservancy officers should be completely subordinate to the Health Officer of Calcutta instead of being under the Engineer of the Corporation.

8. The creation of the four districts referred to was undoubtedly the most far-reaching of all the reforms carried out. The establishment necessary for the working of the scheme has been appointed, and the material equipment has been supplied or is at present under construction. Of the four *gowkhanas* required two are already in existence, and two are being provided. Two new district offices are also being erected, while the new buildings for the head office will supply the needs of a third, and the fourth is at present located in a hired house. It is reported that the practice of holding meetings of the Ward Commissioners in these district offices has been introduced with good results: it is said that useful improvements and schemes are suggested and discussed at these meetings, and that the wants of the rate-payers are thus brought directly to the notice of the executive staff. The Lieutenant-Governor endorses the opinion expressed by the Chairman that the development of this system appears to offer the most promising results for the development of Municipal Administration in Calcutta. What course the development shall take

is, however, a matter of extreme importance. If the Ward Commissioners are allowed a considerable measure of autonomy, the question of financial decentralisation will necessarily arise; for even if no other reason exists, it is in this way alone that the Ward Commissioners can be given a sufficient incentive to economy. If the reform arrives safely and satisfactorily at this stage, it will afford much needed relief to the central Committees, and to all the offices and officers at head-quarters; but if the movement is a healthy one, these questions will arise in the natural course of development and will not require to be unduly forced.

9. The reorganisation of the Accounts Department, which has undoubtedly been one of the weak spots in the Municipal Administration of Calcutta hitherto, was undertaken early; but owing to the magnitude and difficulty of the task it was almost the last to be finished. In November 1900, the services of Mr. U L. Mazumdar, Assistant Accountant-General, Bengal, were lent to the Corporation for this special duty; but after he had been at work for some months, and had drawn up a report, it was found that certain internal reforms in the Engineering Department which were urgently called for, could best be effected by changes in the system of accounts. In the course of his arbitration report on the so-called "invalid contracts" Mr. Buckley, C.S.I., pointed out that matters which Subordinate Engineers ought to have disposed of themselves on the spot, and which they alone ought to have been held responsible for, were referred to the Central Office; and that in consequence of this defect in procedure delays occurred, responsibility was divided and lost, and there was overlapping of authority and jurisdiction. In order to remedy these evils he suggested that this branch of the accounts should be modelled on those of the Public Works Department. His proposal was accepted, and Mr. W. F. Barrow, Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Bengal, was called in to complete the scheme of reorganisation in accordance with his suggestion. Mr. Barrow's recommendations, many of which had been introduced under his supervision in the course of the year under review, were finally adopted by the Corporation after its close. The Corporation further decided to appoint a Chartered Accountant with experience of Municipal Accounts to be the head of the Department, and steps were taken to secure the services of a thoroughly competent man, the salary offered being Rs. 750 rising to Rs. 1,000. This last decision has received the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor on two grounds: first, because, if the accounts are to be audited by a firm of Chartered Accountants, it is desirable that the head of the Department should be a Chartered Accountant; and in the second place because the system of accounts to which a Chartered Accountant is trained is a commercial system specially devised for the purpose of showing profit and loss, and it is desirable that the Corporation should know precisely how they stand in regard to the various paying and spending Departments under them.

10. While the reforms which have already been considered have undoubtedly borne good fruit, none of the efforts of the Corporation towards improvement have been rewarded with such immediate and gratifying proofs of success as their remodelling of the Collection Department. Under the former system the Collector was paid a commission of Re. 1-4 per cent. on collections in the town area, and the Joint-Collector received Re. 1-6 per cent. on those in the added area. These rates were reduced in October 1900 to Re. 1-1 and Re. 1-5, respectively. Only sums voluntarily paid were, however, realised by this agency, and all bills which were not satisfied on presentation were transferred to a separate Warrant Department for disposal. Chiefly owing to the delays which resulted from this system there was a heavy accumulation of arrears, which constantly elicited the unfavourable comments of the Government, and which amounted to over 7¼ lakhs on the 31st March 1900. The Collection Department was reorganised with effect from 1st May 1901. A Collector, who was vested with the powers hitherto exercised by the Warrant Officer, was appointed on Rs. 750 rising to Rs. 1,000 a month, and he was provided with a sufficient establishment. The task of clearing off the old arrears proved to be one of extreme difficulty, as the accounts and the bills had got into very great confusion; but the working of the new Department left little to be desired The current collections in 1901-1902 amounted to 98·33 per cent., and in 1902-1903 to 99·08 per cent.,

of the net current demand. Moreover in the latter year less than 2 per cent. of the collections were realised by recourse to coercive measures; and altogether only in 32 cases were distrained properties removed, and only in 16 cases were they sold Such results merit the hearty commendation of the Lieutenant-Governor

11. The remaining reforms call for little remark. The License and Hackney Carriage Departments were reorganised mainly by the simple process of paying the head of the Department an adequate salary, and giving him a sufficient establishment. The same procedure was followed in the case of the Assessor's Department, with the addition that the agency for periodical re-assessment was separated from that for keeping the ordinary assessment up to date. It is seldom good policy to starve an earning Department, and in all these cases the increased expenditure will no doubt be justified by increased receipts. The cost of the Secretary's Department has been raised from Rs. 12,900 to Rs. 16,888; but the work is now said to be performed with greater promptitude and efficiency, and the Lieutenant Governor sees no reason to doubt the wisdom of the additional outlay.

12. All this reorganisation is of course only a means to an end, the end being mainly the increased health, comfort and convenience of the rate-payers and others residing in Calcutta; but those advantages cannot be obtained until the new organisations are complete and in working order The Collection Department was one of the first to be dealt with, and as explained above the changes made have already been fully justified by the results. In the Assessor's, the Accounts, the Hackney Carriage and the License Departments, the reforms were completed during the year or after its close, and their influence will no doubt be more apparent during the current year. In the case of the Conservancy Department, however, the full benefit cannot be reaped till the new *gowkhanas* have been completed and the district administrations are in working order; and the Building Department, the chief function of which is to prevent the aggravation of existing evils, cannot be expected to entirely justify its existence till some years have elapsed. These facts have to be taken into account in estimating the progress that has been achieved, and it is necessary to repeat that a considerable time must be allowed to elapse before the reforms in the various Departments can be completely carried out resulting in the improved condition of the population, and the more pleasing aspect of the town.

13. The two chief works which the Corporation have in hand are the Suburban Drainage Scheme and the Continuous Water-supply Scheme. As regards the former the Lieutenant-Governor agrees with the Chairman that it is a cause for special congratulation that the difficulties in connection with the so-called "invalid contracts" have been overcome, and that work has been resumed under eight separate contracts. In the matter of the introduction of the system for the continuous supply of filtered water, which has been estimated to cost fifteen lakhs, the progress made has been unsatisfactory, for the continuous supply has been extended only to an area in the north of the city which has a population of 126,000 persons. The prospect of a speedy extension of the reform to the remaining portions of Calcutta is discussed in a somewhat despondent spirit in the departmental report of the Engineer's Department; for it is said that when negligence is so general the cost of meters would be prohibitive, and that unless consumers exercise reasonable care and economy in the use of water the supply available will never be able to meet the demand. The Lieutenant-Governor is not prepared to accept this opinion without reserve, but nevertheless, in view of the apprehensions expressed by the head of the Department responsible for the work, His Honour considers that the Corporation have acted wisely in deciding to send to England for an expert to deal with the subject.

14. The parts of Calcutta which will benefit most from the division of the town into four self-contained districts, and the consequent decentralisation of work, are those which are furthest from the centre of administration, namely, the north and the south. In the North District No. I has been formed out of Wards 1 to 6, and in the South District No. IV now comprises Wards 18 and 21 to 25. These two districts are being equipped with new *gowkhanas* and new district offices at a cost of about 3½ lakhs, and each district has also

been provided with four steam-rollers, the total number of steam-rollers in the town having been raised from ten to sixteen. Other works completed during the year in District No. I were a new *dhobikhana*, a new cemetery, three new squares, and several new roads. In this quarter also the Continuous Water-supply System has been introduced. The Lieutenant-Governor hopes that the particular attention of the Commissioners will be devoted to the needs of the north of the town: no doubt it will benefit greatly by the Calcutta Improvement Scheme when that has been carried out, but in the meantime His Honour hopes that this area will be considered as having the first claim on the care and solicitude of the Corporation and its officers. In District No. IV, the Lansdowne Market is under construction, the Sterndale Road has been completed, and the Corporation have in hand schemes more or less advanced for the construction of roads sixty feet wide at a cost of about 21 lakhs. In this direction also the Corporation have abandoned the policy of allowing the town to grow haphazard, and have provided a temporary staff of three surveyors for the alignment of the growing areas. Both in the north and south moreover the Corporation contemplate the acquisition and preparation of land for the formation of new suburbs. In the central districts, II and III, the most important works are the new Municipal Office Building, the extension of the New Market, the model dwellings in Convent Road, and the Incinerator at Entally. As already noted a considerable time must elapse before the full effect of the administrative changes lately introduced can be fully felt, but Mr. Bourdillon has visited from time to time a considerable part of the town and is satisfied that a substantial improvement has already been effected in its condition

15. During the past three years, the Corporation have vigorously pursued the policy of mending or ending obnoxious bustees, while at the same time they have opened out insanitary areas by constructing a number of public squares and making new roads or widening old ones. The immediate result of these measures, however, has necessarily been to intensify the overcrowding in the similar areas that are left untouched. This overcrowding with its concomitant circumstances is admittedly the greatest sanitary blot on the city, and it is to remedy these evils that the Improvement Scheme to which the Chairman several times refers has been devised. In connection with this subject an interesting table is given in Appendix C, showing the population and the number of occupied houses returned at the census of 1901, and the corresponding figures for the previous census of 1891. From this it would appear that while the population has increased by 24·82 per cent., the number of houses has increased by 70·24 per cent., and that there has been a very great improvement. Unfortunately it happens that the comparison is vitiated by the definition of "house" adopted in 1901 being different from that employed in 1891, and instead of an improvement, there has in reality been a marked and grave deterioration. The following table compares the ten most overcrowded wards at the two periods:—

No. of Ward.	Name of thana	Total Population.		No. of males in every 100 of the population in 1901.	Population per acre.		Death rate.	
		In 1891.	In 1901.		In 1891.	In 1901.	In 1892.	In 1902.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3	Burtola, Maniktola ...	36,431	50,216	58·4	100·36	138 34	31·6	39 5
5	Jorabagan	39,180	49,019	67 3	161 28	201·93	29·0	49·0
6	Jorasanko	41,667	52,988	61·2	153 99	201·24	30·0	41 2
7	Barabazar ...	20,616	31,571	79 1	95 15	145 50	26 5	34·5
8	Colootola	50,781	63,170	70 9	226 70	282 01	25 9	40·2
9	Muchcepara ...	49,472	64,116	65 4	185·11	243 79	32·1	24·3
10	Bowbazar	22,668	27,052	70·5	154 2	184 03	26·5	35·8
11	Puddopukor ..	20,761	28,040	61 8	1·5 07	169 04	29 8	33·6
13	Fenwick Bazar ...	28,366	31 242	76·4	147 74	162 72	20·7	33 4
14	Taltalla	29,207	32,237	64 2	147 51	162 81	30·1	38·3

A high ratio of males to females means that a large proportion of the population consists of adult males in the prime of life, and it is obvious that but for unfavourable sanitary conditions, such as overcrowding and its consequences, the death-rate should be a very low one. To this overcrowding must no doubt be attributed the recent increase in phthisis to which attention is drawn in the report.

16. The state of affairs disclosed by the figures quoted in the preceding paragraph is one that cannot be viewed without the gravest concern. The Lieutenant-Governor is, however, glad to observe that the Commissioners are fully alive to the evils of overcrowding. One of their most important reforms has been the constitution of a separate Building Department, and since the close of the year they have been considering what steps they themselves can take in the direction of solving the problem. They are of opinion that the city cannot expand eastwards, and that space for new suburbs must be sought to the north and the south, and they have resolved to take up and lay out land in those directions. They have not yet discussed the means by which rapid communication is to be established between the new suburbs and the business quarter of the city, but no doubt they contemplate an extension of the tramway system. The introduction on the tramways of electric traction was completed on the 18th November 1902, and it may be hoped that in Calcutta, as in other large towns in Europe and America, a vigorous extension of the system will be followed by an overflowing of the town into the surrounding country. The following are the broad lines of the policy which Mr. Bourdillon would recommend for the consideration of the Commissioners:—(1) To acquire, prepare, and lay out land as proposed by them, but perhaps on a somewhat larger scale; (2) either in connection with the Improvement Scheme or apart from it, to arrange for a large extension of the tramway system, a *sine quâ non* of which must be the provision of cheap fares at certain hours for coolies, servants, and artisans; and (3) the strict enforcement, and if need be the enlargement, of the existing provisions as to overcrowding. As regards the last point, His Honour has already drawn the attention of the Chairman to the recent Act of the Colony of Hongkong entitled "The Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, No. 1 of 1903," the wider provisions of which might be adapted to Calcutta when once the arrangements for housing the labouring classes in the suburbs have been completed.

17. As regards the working of the Calcutta Municipal Act of 1899, the conclusion which the Lieutenant-Governor draws from the brief review given above is that there is no want of driving power in the revised constitution created by the Act in question. It was passed at a time when action was urgently called for at the first onset of plague, and it has fulfilled the object of preventing action from being strangled by debate. One defect has already been pointed out, viz., that in the hurry and press of the enormous mass of work disposed of the necessary legal formalities have not always been duly complied with, but this is perhaps not altogether a matter of surprise when it is remembered that the expenditure of the Corporation equals the Provincial expenditure of a minor province provided with all the machinery of a Local Government. It is to be regretted also that the Municipal Commissioners who were opposed to the Act of 1899 should still continue to hold aloof from the Administration, but Mr. Bourdillion is glad to welcome the return of Babu Nalin Behari Sircar, C.I.E., to Municipal work, and hopes that his reappearance as a Commissioner may be taken as an indication that the period of estrangement will soon be passed. In this connection the Corporation should consider whether steps should not be taken to secure that the procedure prescribed in the new Act for the preparation of the election roll may be taken advantage of to a larger extent.

18. Mr. Greer was Chairman throughout the year. Mr. Blackwood held the office of Deputy Chairman till August 1902, and is said to have proved himself to be an energetic and able officer. To both these officers, and to the other officers of the Corporation, the hearty thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are due; and His Honour also tenders his cordial acknowledgments to the whole of the late body of Commissioners, particularly the General Committee for the excellent work they have done during their three years' tenure of

office. Their task has been one of no little difficulty, and has been carried out in the face of much criticism and some misrepesentaion : but the period which has just expired, though it has been marked with some mistakes, inevitable in the early years of a new institution, has been one of vigour and progress, and the Corporation and its officers are justified in looking back upon it with pride and satisfaction.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

L. P. SHIRRES,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON THE ROAD AND PUBLIC WORKS CESS OPERATIONS OF THE LOWER PROVINCES FOR THE YEAR 1902-1903.

No. 2019T.F.—The 16th September 1903.—The following extracts from the Report of the Board of Revenue on the Road and Public Works Cess Operations in the Lower Provinces for the year 1902-1903 are published for general information.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 6696A., dated Calcutta, the 26th August 1903.

From—E H. C. WALSH, Esq., Offg. Secy. to the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

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Rate, land revenue demand and gross rental.

3. The cesses were, as in the preceding year, levied at the maximum rate of one anna in the rupee in the 43 districts in which the Cess Act, IX (B. C.) of 1880, is in force. The current demand of land revenue of the 43 districts is Rs. 3,98,19,307, and the valuation, or gross rental, amounts to Rs. 17,49,73,823. These districts include Singhbhum, where the Act is in operation in parganas Dhalbhum and Porahat only. The Act has been introduced in the recently re-settled estates in the Sonthal Parganas, but there was no demand during the year.

Demands, collections, balances and remissions.

4. * * * In the subjoined table the demands, collections, balances and remissions of the year are compared with the two preceding years:—

Year.	Demand.			Collections.	Percentage of total collections on current demand.	Balance	Percentage of the balance on the total demand.	Remissions.
	Current.	Arrear.	Total.					
	Rs.	Rs	Rs	Rs.		Rs		Rs.
1900-1901	91,85,325	16,74,304	1,08,59,629	92,02,874	100·1	16,71,918	15·4	70,221
1901-1902	95,26,543	16,75,523	1,10,02,066	93,13,338	98·6	16,84,913	15·3	66,873
1902-1903	95,94,201	16,70,927	1,12,65,128	96,34,804	100·4	16,30,104	14·5	67,751

As compared with the previous year, the current demand shows an increase of Rs. 2,67,658. This result was mainly due to revaluations in the districts of the 24-Parganas (Rs. 59,914), Nadia (Rs. 16,385), Khulna (Rs. 7,295), Bogra (Rs. 16,028), Backergunge (Rs. 8,632), Gaya (Rs. 38,036), Shahabad (Rs. 30,952) and Purnea (Rs. 46,538), and to the assessment of coal mines in Manbhum (Rs. 15,919), and Burdwan (Rs. 19,798) and also to the assessment of the resumed *chakaran* (service) lands in latter district. When compared with 1900-1901, the current demand shows an increase of Rs. 4,08,876. The arrear demand has decreased by Rs. 4,596 and Rs. 3,377 as compared with the two preceding years. It is satisfactory to note that simultaneously with the large increase in the current demand of the year under report, there was an increase in collections by Rs. 3,21,179, giving a percentage of 100·4 against 99·8 in the previous year and 100·1 in 1900-1901. As a result of good collections of the year the outstanding balance declined by Rs. 45,814, and the percentage on the total demand improved, being 14·5 against 15·3 in the preceding year and 15·4 in 1900-1901. The remissions, which amounted to Rs. 67,751, were chiefly granted in the districts of Burdwan (Rs. 6,672), Noakhali (Rs. 11,066), Puri (Rs. 8,521), Hazaribagh (Rs. 2,804), Manbhum (Rs. 13,489) and Singhbhum (Rs. 7,520). In Burdwan this was necessary on account of erroneous and double assessment and the closure of some coal mines; while in Noakhali the major portion of the

amount remitted represented the accumulated nominal balance of Chakla Bamni, and was the effect of the revaluation of some tenures under section 13 of the Act. Of the amount remitted in Puri, Rs. 630 represent the reduction of cesses due to revaluation recently completed, and Rs. 7,891 were reduced owing to the transfer of five wrongly treated rent-free lands. In Hazaribagh, Manbhum, and Singhbhum, the large reductions were attributed to the revision of assessment of mines and forests which is annually made under section 79 of the Act. Out of Rs. 2,804 in Hazaribagh Rs. 626 were remitted from the arrear and Rs. 2,178 from the current demand owing to objections filed by the assessees. Some coal mines were assessed in Manbhum as well as in Burdwan, but the assessees' chief place of business being in the latter district, the assessment of Rs. 8,943 made in Manbhum was cancelled. A sum of Rs. 3,526 had also to be reduced in regard to some coal-mines summarily assessed, on the production of account books by the proprietors. Of the remainder, Rs. 770 were reduced by the Commissioner on appeal, and Rs. 250 were remitted, as irrecoverable, on account of hills and forests of Taraf Dhadka. In Singhbhum Rs. 4,773 were remitted in favour of the Raja of Porahat, as he derived no profit from the Porahat Reserved Forest.

1. Manbhum.	11. Tippera.
2 Muzaffarpur.	12. Patna.
3. Ranchi.	13 Khulna.
4. Hazaribagh.	14. Cuttack.
5. Chittagong.	15. Champaran.
6 Burdwan.	16. Rajshahi.
7. Midnapore.	17. Murshidabad.
8. Rangpur	18. Saran.
9. Darbhanga.	19. Bhagalpur.
10 Monghyr.	20. Balasore.

5. The districts are grouped in two classes, (*i*) those in which the collections attained the prescribed standard of 100 per cent. or more on the current demand, and (*ii*) those in which the collections were short of that standard. The marginally-noted districts fall under the first class, and in their case no explanation is necessary.

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Working of the Certificate procedure.

7. The total number of certificates filed for the realization of cess arrears was 77,523, against 139,613 of the previous year. The noticeable decline is shared by all the Divisions and is mainly attributable to the Board's Circular Order No. 16 of January 1902, prohibiting the issue of certificates for petty arrears, and allowing them to accumulate to Rs. 5, unless they are likely to be barred by limitation. The effect of the circular order is most marked in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions. In Noakhali the falling off in the institutions is due to the fact that certificates had to be filed in the previous year in respect of all rent-free lands of Chakla Roshnabad transferred from Tippera. In Gaya the decrease was partly due to arrears from numerous zamindars having been realized, either by the personal exertion of the Deputy Collector in charge of the Cess Department, or by action taken under section 99 of the Act. The decrease in Bhagalpur is partly due to the arrear demand, with which the year opened, having been smaller than that of the preceding year, while that in Purnea, to the fact of the general revaluation of the district being given effect to late in the year. The decline in Palamau is said to be due to the fact that a large number of certificates had to be issued in 1901-1902 for the recovery of sums which were about to be barred by limitation, and also to the issue of warning post-cards. As regards the latter explanation the Commissioner's attention has been drawn to rule 8(*d*), section II of the Certificate Manual, 1898, to the effect that, so far as cesses are concerned, the practice of issuing warning post-cards, except as regards the first demand after a new assessment, should be discouraged. The decrease in Balasore is ascribed to certificates having been issued with great discrimination and only in selected cases. As compared with the preceding year, there was an increase in the number of certificates filed in the districts of Birbhum, Faridpur, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Hazaribagh, Manbhum and Singhbhum. In Birbhum the increase is due to the fact that certificates had to be issued for the realization of cesses from *chaukidari chakaran* lands lately valued, and, in Faridpur, to the issue of a large number of certificates for the recovery of the arrears due from revenue-free estates and rent-free lands, so that they may not be barred by limitation. Better arrangements in the Cess Office for filing certificates punctually at the end of each *kist* led to the increase in the number of institutions in Muzaffarpur, while in Darbhanga it is reported to be due to the filing

of certificates *kist* by *kist*, instead of twice a year, as formerly. The Commissioner of Patna observes that, so far as these two districts are concerned, he is not satisfied that due effect is being given to the instructions contained in the Board's Circular regulating the issue of certificates for petty demands of Rs. 5 and less, and that he is making further enquiries into the matter. The increase in Hazaribagh is attributed to the discontinuance of the practice of issuing warning post-cards to defaulters, and, in Manbhum, to the institution of cases after each *kist* with punctuality. In Singhbhum the increase is said to be due to more vigorous action in enforcing demands.

8. The disposals exceeded the institutions in all the Divisions except Orissa and Chota Nagpur. Owing to the decrease in the number of certificates filed, the pending cases, as compared with the previous year, show a material reduction in all the districts, except Murshidabad, Khulna, Pabna, Faridpur, Malda, Cuttack, Hazaribagh, Palamau, Manbhum and Singhbhum. The increase in the number of pending cases in Murshidabad, Khulna, Malda, Cuttack, Hazaribagh and Palamau is due to the institution of numerous cases towards the close of the year. In Pabna, where the number of pending cases is comparatively large, the Collector has been directed to instruct the Deputy Collector in charge of the Certificate Department to reduce the file as soon as possible. The increase in the number of cases instituted in Faridpur led to the corresponding increase in the number of cases pending in the district, while in Singhbhum it is reported that some of the cases are pending for the realisation of costs only, as the judgment-debtors have left the district, after remitting cesses by money-order; endeavour is being made to obtain their addresses. In Manbhum the increase was small.

Objections against certificates.

9. The total number of objections filed and disposed of were 8,210 and 7,808, against 11,759 and 11,498, respectively, of the previous year. The decrease is probably due to the smaller number of institutions during the year owing to the Board's Circular prohibiting the issue of certificates for petty arrears. The largest number of objections disposed of was in the districts of Burdwan (526). Noakhali (560), Shahabad (1,185) and Saran (2,107). In 756 cases against 1,146 of the preceding year, the certificates objected to were cancelled, the percentage slightly improving from 9·9 to 9·6. The number of cases in which reductions were made in the amount certified was 1,032 against 548. Out of 756 cases in which certificates were cancelled on objection, Burdwan and Dacca each contributed 84, Gaya 56, Saran 149, Muzaffarpur 63 and Monghyr 52. The cancellations were due to death and desertion of judgment-debtors, exemption of lands lying within municipal limits, double assessments, non-registration of names of holders of rent-free lands, errors in the Land Registration Registers, and wrong entries in the ledgers owing to the imperfect information supplied by parties in *chálán*s. The Commissioner of Patna reports that in the current year advantage has been taken of the temporary deputation to some districts of his Division of Sub-Deputy Collectors relieved from settlement for the improvement of Register D. In Monghyr where only 52 certificates were cancelled against 132 of the previous year, the Collector attributes the result to the improvement in the Land Registration Registers. The Commissioner of Bhagalpur expects further improvement when all the volumes of these registers are brought up to date. This is now being done.

Stage of procedure at which demands were satisfied.

10. In 36,346 cases, against 45,945 in 1901-1902, the cess arrears were recovered on the mere issue of notice; in 72,182, against 82,956 of the previous year, on the issue of notice for sale of defaulters' moveable property; and in 23,194 against 28,107 on the issue of notice for the sale of defaulters' immoveable property. Of the total number of sales (3,387 against 3,864 in 1901-1902), 1,300, or 38·3 against 38·6 were set aside under sections 20 and 21 of the Public Demands Recovery Act I (B.C.) of 1895, as amended by Act I (B.C.) of 1899. The highest number of sales set aside was in the districts of the 24-Parganas (58), Patna (118), Shahabad (90), Muzaffarpur (217), Darbhanga (284) and Monghyr (92), and this was partly due to the use made of section 21 of the Act by the proprietors of estates sold.

11. On the whole the administration of the Certificate Department during the year may be considered as satisfactory, as shown by the disposal of cases in excess of the institutions, and the considerable reduction in the number of cases remaining to be disposed of at the close of the year. The Circular Order to check the growth of certificates for petty arrears has had the desired effect of reducing the number of institutions during the year to an appreciable extent. Mr. Luson (Officiating Commissioner of Patna) makes the following observations on the working of the Circular :—

"I find little evidence from the figures that these considerate orders of the Board have materially affected collections, though no doubt they have resulted in the realizations being somewhat less than they would otherwise have been. Little loss is likely to be incurred eventually on account of the orders; and they save much harassment and unpopularity. The orders are, however, not in favour with the Deputy Collectors, as they tend at first to reduce collections somewhat; or with the clerical staff, as they materially reduce the number of certificates and involve more care being taken to see that claims are not barred by limitation; besides, it is the certificates for the smallest amounts which are most easily satisfied, and so the orders make it difficult for the Certificate Department to maintain its averages."

The Board agree with the Commissioner and would allow the rule to work, until sufficient experience has been gained.

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14. In February last the orders of Government on the question of the assessment of rent-free lands were received. It has been decided that in all future revaluations, unless there are strong reasons to the contrary, assessment through the zamindars should be the rule, and not the exception.

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17. * * * The road cess was first assessed in 40 districts, the gross rental or valuation of which was Rs. 13,11,68,432. Subsequently the districts of Khulna and Palamau were created, and the Cess Act, IX (B.C.) of 1880, was extended to them, and to parganas Dhalbhum and Porahat in the district of Singhbhum. The gross rental, or valuation, of the 43 districts shows an increase, from Rs. 17,03,53,369 in 1901-02 to Rs. 17,49,73,823, or, of Rs. 46,20,454, which is chiefly due to the revaluations in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Khulna, Bogra, Backergunge, Gaya, Shahabad and Purnea and to the assessment of coal mines in Burdwan and Manbhum. In Singhbhum the decrease in the rental, which is always fluctuating, is due to the annual revision of assessment of mines and forests under section 79 of the Cess Act.

Gross rental.

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20. The following Deputy Collectors, who were in charge of the Cess Department for the whole year, have been favourably mentioned by the Commissioners:—

Merits of officers.

Mr. A. C. Mackertich, Murshidabad.
Babu Bhabani Prosad Neogi, Tippera.
Maulvi Syed Abdool Malek, Balasore.
Babu Narendra Kumar Chowdhuri, Midnapore.

In the districts mentioned against each of the above mentioned officers, the collections were above the standard of 100 per cent. on the current demand fixed by Government.

The following names of revaluation officers deserving of notice have also been taken from the Commissioners' reports :—

Babu Durga Nanda Das, Khulna.
" Kamal Chandra Dutta, Dacca
" Phanindra Nath Mukherji, Faridpur.
" Har Sahay Lal, Gaya.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 21st September, 1903.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·47, Kalna 1·57, Katwa 0 21, Raniganj 0·55. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of *aman* nearly over except in parts of Katwa subdivision, where water is insufficient. *Aus* and jute are being reaped in places. Indigo and sugarcane fair. Fodder sufficient. Water still insufficient in thanas Katwa and Mangalkot. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 10 seers per rupee.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·15, Rampur Hât 0 70. Weather cloudy at times Transplantation almost complete. Paddy and sugarcane are thiving well. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 11 or 12 seers per rupee.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar nil, Vishnupur 0 37. More rain wanted for the standing paddy crop. Rice sells at 11¼ seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·12, Contai 1·56, Tamluk 1·85, Ghatal 1·93 Prospects of winter crop favourable, but still more rain needed at Sadar and high lands. *Aus* being harvested. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease in two villages. Foddar sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Contai	12	0	
Tamluk	10	10	
Ghatal	10	0	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·54, Serampore 0·56, Arambagh 1·89. Transplantation complete. Harvesting of *aus* proceeding Sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	9	13	per rupee.
Serampore	9	13	
Arambagh	10	6	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·93. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of *aman* paddy is almost complete. The cutting and steeping of jute is going on briskly. New jute is coming into the market. Condition of standing crop good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice is selling at 10½ seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·18, Barasat 1·06, Basirhat 2 53, Diamond Harbour 1·73. Weather sultry. Rainfall insufficient in thanas Haroa and Hasanabad. *Aus*, jute and sugarcane doing well. Prospect of *aus* and jute good and that of *aman* fair. Harvesting of *aus* and cutting and steeping of jute continues. Transplantation of *aman* is almost over. Common rice sells at 11¼ seers except in Barasat and Diamond Harbour where it sells at 10 seers per rupee. Condition of cattle good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Report not received.

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·82, Kandi 2·54, Jangipur 2 43, Lalbagh 1·60. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* finished at Sadar and Jangipur, but continues in some villages in Kagram outpost in Kandi subdivision. Harvesting of *aus* continues. Standing crops doing well except in Kagram and Saktipur outposts in Kandi subdivision where more rain wanted. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee
Kandi	11	0	
Jangipur	12	0	
Lalbagh	11	8	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·71, Magura nil, Jhenida 0·45, Narail 0·51, Bangaon 1·31. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of crops fair. More rain wanted. Harvesting of *aus* and steeping of jute going on. Cattle-disease reported from Muhamedpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Jhenida	13	0	
Magura	13	8	
Narail	13	0	
Bangaon	12	5	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·19, Bagerhat 0·57, Satkhira 0·64. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice continues and estimated at 90 per cent. on an average. Prospects favourable. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Dumuria, Kaliganj and Budhata. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	11 12	per rupee.
Bagerhat	12 8	
Satkhira	10 0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 0 53, Nator 0·79, Naugaon 3 38. Prospects of *aman* paddy continues to be good but more rain wanted. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient Harvesting of jute still going on. Common rice selling at 13½ seers per rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·41, Thakurgaon 3·26 Weather seasonable. Standing crops good Harvesting of *bhadoi* nearly finished. Steeping of jute still in progress. Outbreak of cattle-disease reported from thana Pirganj. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at 14 seers at Sadar and at 12 seers at Thakurgaon per rupee

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·92, Alipur, Duars 6·83. Fall general. Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy and transplantation of *haimanti* paddy almost finished. Cutting and steeping of jute going on. Common rice sells at 11½ seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·82. Weather seasonable. *Hills*—Maize, *chota* and *bara marua*, *bhadoi dhan*, winter rice and *kalai dal* being harvested. *Terai*—Cutting of jute in progress. Transplantation of winter rice nearing completion. Prospects fair. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Hills	9 0	per rupee.
Terai	11 0	

Maize sells at Darjeeling at 22 and at Kalimpong at 24 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·52, Gaibanda ·56, Kurigram ·63, Nilphamari 1·42. Weather hot. Condition of standing crop fair Transplantation of *aman* and steeping and washing of jute going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	12 0	per rupee.
Gaibanda	12 0	
Kurigram	12 0	
Nilphamari	11 0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar ·81, slight fall everywhere. Weather sultry and occasionally cloudy. Transplantation of *aman* finished and estimated at 99 per cent. of normal area. Prospects fair. Harvesting of jute going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0 77, Sirajganj 0·70. Weather cloudy and hot. Prospects of standing crops fair. General rains throughout. Reaping of *aus* paddy finished and that of jute almost finished. *Bhadoi til* sown to a very small extent. Outturn of *aus* paddy 75 per cent. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice (*aus*) sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·26 Fall general except Manikganj. Prospects of crops good. Weather seasonable. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·82, Jamalpur 1·48, Kishorganj 2 63, Netrokona 4 55, Tangail 0 91. Weather seasonable. Condition of crop good. Harvesting of jute and transplantation of rice continue. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	14 8	per rupee.
Jamalpur	15 4	
Kishorganj	13 0	
Netrokona	13 15	
Tangail	12 0	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 0 50, Goalundo 0·07, Madaripur 1 78. Weather fine with occasional showers The state of the winter rice crop is good Harvesting of jute still continues. Fodder available. Common rice sells at 13 seers per rupee.

Backergunge.—Rainfall at Sadar ·97. Fall general. State of crops good. Sugarcane fair Harvesting of autumn rice and jute continues. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Aman	12 0	per rupee.
Aus	14 0	

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·26, Brahmanbaria 1·09, Chandpur 1·44. Weather seasonable. Prospects good. Transplantation of *aman* and harvesting of jute still going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease in Kotwali thana. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	16	0	per rupee.
Brahmanbaria	16	0	
Chandpur	13	0	

Noakhali.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·78, Feni 1·41. Weather seasonable. Prospects good. Fodder and water sufficient. Slight cattle-disease in one station. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12 and at Feni, at 17 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·94, Cox's Bazar 3·35. Transplantation of *aman* crop still going on. Cattle-disease reported. Water and fodder sufficient. Common rice sells at 12 seers 9 chitaks per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.—Report not received.

Patna.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·89, Barh 0·63, Bihar 0·83, Dinapore 0·94, Hilsa 1·10, Bikram 2·89. Asthawan 1·17, Islampur 1·05. Weather clear and hot. Prospects of late *bhadoi* crops fair. Transplantation of *paddy* completed as far as was possible in the irrigated areas. Rain now required for moisture for *rabi*. Kurthi being sown in *dhan* lands in Bihar. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	8	per rupee.
Barh	13	0	
Bihar	11	8	
Dinapore	13	0	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·33, Jahanabad 1·23, Aurangabad 3·69, Nawada 3·24. Weather cloudy. Transplantation of *paddy* almost over. More rain wanted for *paddy*. *Bhadoi* crops being harvested at places. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Average price of common rice is 11¾ seers per rupee.

Shahabad.—Rainfall at Arrah 3·50, Buxar 4·03, Bhabhua 4·16, Sasaram 3·28, Dehri 5·62. *Paddy* transplantation still continues. More rain wanted in Bhabhua subdivision. *Bhadoi* crop being harvested. Sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water abundant. Rice sells at Sadar at 14 seers per rupee.

Saran.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·02, Siwan 1·04, Gopalganj 1·82. Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Standing crops doing well. Rainfall during the week has been very beneficial to *paddy* crops. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops commenced. Transplantation of *paddy* still continues at Sadar. Lands being prepared for *rabi* crops. Cattle-disease continues at Manjhi. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 and maize at 20 seers per rupee at Chapra.

Champaran.—Rainfall at Motihari 0·13. Harvesting and threshing of *chadai* crops still going on. Transplantation of winter rice finished. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 16¾ and maize at 23½ seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur.—Rainfall at Sadar ·40, Hajipur ·44, Sitamarhi ·68. Weather hot and cloudy occasionally. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops continues. Prospects of crops fair. More rain wanted, especially in Hajipur subdivision. A few cases of rinderpest reported from Sitamarhi subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 13 and maize at 24 seers per rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·17, Samastipur 0·53, Madhubani 0·54. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of winter rice is good in Sadar and Madhubani. Rain urgently wanted in Samastipur. Fields are being prepared for *rabi*. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Mohiuddinagore outpost. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	15	6	per rupee.
Samastipur	14	0	
Madhubani	13	5	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar ·15, Begusarai ·59, Jamui ·94. Weather very hot and cloudy. Transplantation of paddy and harvesting of *makai* going on everywhere in Jamui. Prospect of sugarcane good and sowing of *kurthi* briskly going on but more rain urgently required for paddy crop. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water ample. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Begusarai	13	0	
Jamui	11	0	

Bhagalpur—Rainfall at Sadar 0·56, Banka 0·45, Madhipura 0·47, Supaul 9·81. Weather hot and cloudy. Rain urgently needed for paddy in South Bhagalpur and on high lands in Supaul. Harvesting of *marua* and *bhadoi* crops still going on in Banka, Supaul and Madhipura subdivisions. Transplantation of paddy all but finished in Banka, as it is too late now to do much more. Standing crops doing well in North Bhagalpur. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs	ch.	
Sadar	13	14	per rupee.
Banka	11	9	
Madhipura	16	0	
Supaul	17	0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 2 29, Kishanganj 0·40, Araria 0·80. More rain wanted in the south. *Bhadoi* is being harvested. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	12	0	
Araria	12	0	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar ·74, Chanchal ·52, Gazol 1·00, Sibganj 1·32. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of winter rice completed. Harvesting of *bhadoi* finished in places, but going on at others. Steeping of jute still going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Sporadic cases of cattle-pox reported from Kharba thana. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Sonthal Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·49, Deoghar 0 87, Godda ·04, Jamtara 2 40, Pakaur 2 81, Rajmahal 2·01. Weather hot. Transplantation of winter rice completed, but more rain generally needed. Harvesting of Indian-corn continues. Outturn favourable. Tobacco being sown. Sugarcane thriving. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 11 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·54. Weather cloudy. *Beali* being harvested. *Sarad* growing; *mandi* getting matured. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers 7 chitaks at Sadar.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·63. *Beali* ripening and being harvested at places. Winter rice being weeded and transplanted. Miscellaneous crops thriving Rice sells at 14¼ and 14 seers per rupee at Sadar and Bhadrak respectively. Fodder and water sufficient.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·21, Bissipara 3·11. Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *beali* and sowing of *rabi* and oilseeds in progress. Prospect of standing crops good. Common rice sells at 18 and 15 seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals respectively. Cattle-disease reported from Angul.

Puri.—Rainfall 3·55. Weather hot, cloudy and rainy. Weeding and transplanting of winter rice continues. Miscellaneous crops doing well. *Beali* and *mandua* are being harvested. Outturn expected to be slightly below normal. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. Common rice sells at 18 seers 6 chitaks per rupee.

Hazaribagh—Rainfall at Sadar 0·11, Giridih 1·52. Weather hot. More rain required for the winter paddy. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops going on. Lands being prepared for *rabi* crops. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall 0·38. Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *gora* and sowing of *kerguja* in progress Cattle-disease reported from several thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers per rupee.

Palamau—Rainfall at Sadar 0·21. Harvesting of *sawan* and other *bhadoi* crops continued. Standing crops doing well. *Rabi* fields being prepared Fodder and water sufficient. More rain wanted but not yet urgently. General conditions unchanged since last week.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·83, Gobindpur ·27. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops fair. Transplantation of tobacco estimated at 50 per cent. in Gobindpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Manbazar and Para. Common rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers and at Gobindpur at 11 seers per rupee.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 1·34. More rain needed. Prospects unfavourable in many places. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells at 11 seers per rupee.

General Summary.—Rainfall continued general and moderately heavy in places. More rain still needed in the districts of Burdwan, Bankura, Midnapore, Murshidabad, 24-Parganas, Jessore, Rajshahi, Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea, Sonthal Parganas, Hazaribagh, Palamau and Singhbhum. Harvesting of autumn crops continues. Transplantation of winter rice approaching completion. Sugarcane doing well. Lands are being prepared in some places for *rabi* crops. Cattle-disease reported from thirteen districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in six districts, has fallen in 9, and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 22nd September 1903.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN											
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan ...	13 2	12 12	12 12	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 14	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	12 0	12 0	13 5	...	...	...	12 0	11 4	12 0	...	...	...
3	Bankura ...	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 12	11 0	12 0	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	11 8	10 0	12 8	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	11 0	11 0	10 8	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	9 4	...	...	...
6	Howrah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 10	10 12	11 0	...	...	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION. 7	24-Parganas ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	10 8	10 0	...	...	...
8	Calcutta ...	11 13	11 13	10 10	16 0	16 0	16 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0
9	Nadia ...	13 5	13 6	16 0	19 2	19 2	17 8	10 5	10 5	11 8	...	...	...
10	Murshidabad ...	13 4	13 4	15 8	18 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	10 8	12 8	...	...	...
11	Jessore ...	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	12 4	...	...	...
12	Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 5	12 5	10 12	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI DIVISION. 13	Rajshahi ...	15 0	15 0	16 8	22 8	22 8	24 0	13 8 bhadoi 15 12	12 0	12 0 bhadoi 15 0	...	...	..
14	Dinajpur ...	12 0	12 13	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 3	10 12	...	...	...
15	Jalpaiguri ...	10 8	10 8	11 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 8	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...
17	Rangpur ...	12 0	12 0	10 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...
18	Bogra ...	13 8	13 8	10 8	...	...	...	16 8	14 4	12 0	...	...	...
19	Pabna ...	15 0	15 12	15 12	26 0	26 0	26 0	15 12	14 4	11 4	...	...	...
DACCA DIVISION. 20	Dacca ...	18 0	18 0	12 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	14 0	14 8	12 0	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	12 0	...	...	...
22	Faridpur ...	18 0	18 0	16 8	24 0	24 0	22 0	13 0	13 0	11 8	...	...	...
23	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0 Aus. 14 8	12 8 Aus. 13 8	12 0 Aus. 13 8	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kalna 12 seers 8 chitaks; Katwa 12 seers 10 chitaks; Ranigunj 12 seers.
B. Rampur Hát return not received.
C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 14¼ seers per rupee.
D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Contai 12 seers; Tamluk 11 seers; Ghatal 13½ seers.
E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 12 seers 13 chitaks; Arambagh 12 seers 13 chitaks.
F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 13 seers 14½ chitaks per rupee.
G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 12 seers 5 chitaks Barasat 13 seers 5 chitaks; Baduria 13 seers; Moraghat 10 seers 10½ chitaks.
H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 13¼ seers; Chuadanga 12 seers (panga); Meherpur 12 seers; Ranaghat 14 seers 8 chitaks (crushed).
I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Lalbagh 12 seers; Kandi 12 seers; Jangipur 13 seers.

quarters Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 15th September 1903.

INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR DAL OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS. SALT.			DISTRICTS.	Number.	
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BENGAL.		
...	...	..	10 8	9 4	12 0	A 13 2	14 4	11 4	2 15 0	2 13 0	3 4 0	Burdwan.	1	Burdwan Division.
...	...	...	15 0	15 0	16 0	B 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2 6	3 2 6	3 12 0	Birbhum.	2	
...	...	...	11 0	12 0	12 0	C 13 0	14 0	Panga. 11 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 10 0	Bankura.	3	
...	...	...	9 0	9 0	...	D 11 8	12 0	Panga. 10 8	2 15 0	2 13 0	3 8 0	Midnapore.	4	
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	8 0	E 13 0	13 0	Crushed. 10 8	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	Hooghly.	5	
...	...	...	11 0	11 4	11 8	F 12 7	12 6	Panga. 10 8	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 12 0	Howrah.	6	
...	...	...	10 8	11 0	11 12	G 10 10	13 5	Panga. 10 10	3 0 0	2 14 0	3 4 0	24-Parganas.	7	Presidency Division.
16 0	16 0	17 0	9 0	8 6	9 6	11 0	11 0	Panga 11 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 6 0	Calcutta.	8	
...	...	...	11 0	10 10	11 6	H 13 0	12 12	12 8	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	Nadia.	9	
...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	I 13 0	13 0	11 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	3 6 6	Murshidabad.	10	
...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	J 12 0	12 0	Panga. 10 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 12 0	Jessore.	11	
...	...	...	10 5	10 5	10 12	K 11 2	11 2	10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	Khulna.	12	
...	...	...	10 8	12 0	12 12	L 12 0	12 0	Panga. 10 5	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 13 4	Rajshahi.	13	Rajshahi Division.
...	...	...	11 6	11 6	10 12	M 13 0	13 0	Panga. 10 8	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 11 0	Dinajpur.	14	
...	...	...	9 4	8 0	...	N 12 0	12 0	Panga. 10 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 9 6	Jalpaiguri.	15	
21 0	20 0	22 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	O { 10 0 / 10 0	10 0 / 10 0	8 8 / 8 8	4 0 0 / 4 0 0	4 0 0 / 4 0 0	4 10 0 / 4 11 0	Darjeeling.	16	
18 0	18 0	18 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	P 11 0	11 0	Panga. 10 8	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	Rangpur.	17	
...	...	...	15 0	15 0	13 8	12 0	12 0	Panga. 10 8	3 2 8	3 1 4	3 10 8	Bogra.	18	
...	...	..	9 4	9 0	9 0	Q 12 0	12 0	Panga. 10 8	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 12 0	Pabna.	19	
...	...	...	16 0	16 0	10 0	R 11 0	11 0	Panga. 10 8	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	Dacca.	20	Dacca Division.
...	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 0	S 11 0	10 0	Panga. 10 8	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	Mymensingh.	21	
..	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	T 13 0	13 0	10 10	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	Faridpur.	22	
...	...	...	...	...	...	U 13 0	13 0	Panga. 10 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	Backergunge.	23	

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 13 seers; Magura 12 seers; Bangaon 13 seers; Narail 12 seers.
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 13 seers; Satkhira 13 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Nator 12 seers; Naugaon 12 seers.
M. No report from subdivision.
N. At Alipur Duars the retail price of salt is 10 seers per rupee.
O. At Kurseong and Siliguri the retail prices of salt per rupee are 8 seers and 10 seers, respectively.
P. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gaibanda 12 seers, Kurigram 8 seers; Nilphamari 12 seers.
Q. At Sirajganj the retail price of salt is 13 seers 9 chitaks per rupee.
R. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Madanganj 12½ seers; Manikganj 11 seers; Mirkadim 12 seers.
S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishorganj 12 seers 12 chitaks; Jamalpur 12 seers; Tangail 10 seers 10 chitaks; Netrokona 11 seers 6 chitaks.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Goalundo 12 seers 1 chitak; Madaripur 13 seers (crushed).
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Pirojpur 11 seers; Patuakhali 13 seers; Bhola 10½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN											
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
BENGAL—*concluded.*		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 24	Tippera ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	16 0	14 0	...	...	...
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 25	Noakhali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	12 4	11 8	...	...	...
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 26	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 10	12 12	12 11	...	...	...
BIHAR.													
PATNA DIVISION. 27	Patna ...	16 0	*White* 16 0 *Raksa* 15 0	14 0	24 0	22 0	19 12	13 8	14 8	12 0	*White* 18 0 *Raksa* 25 0	*White* 18 0 *Raksa* 25 0	*White.* 16 0 *Rakse.* 28 0
PATNA DIVISION. 28	Gaya ...	14 0	14 0	13 4	19 0	18 8	18 0	11 8	11 8	10 12	20 8	20 0	...
PATNA DIVISION. 29	Shahabad .	15 0	14 0	13 0	21 0	18 0	20 0	13 0	12 12	11 8	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 30	Saran ...	16 0	15 0	15 0	24 0	23 0	20 0	14 0	13 8	12 8	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 31	Champaran ...	16 8	15 0 to 17 0	13 8	26 0	25 0 to 26 0	23 0	16 8	15 8	15 8	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 32	Muzaffarpur ...	15 0	14 0	14 0	22 0	20 0	19 0	13 0	12 0	11 8	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION. 33	Darbhanga ...	16 8	16 8	13 8	22 0	22 0	19 12	15 6	13 6	12 9	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 34	Monghyr ...	14 11	14 0	15 8	21 0	21 0	23 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 35	Bhagalpur ...	13 14	13 14	13 14	17 12	19 0	19 0	12 7	11 5	11 10 Aghan	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 36	Purnea ...	15 0	15 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0 Bhadoi 15 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 37	Malda ...	15 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 0	12 8	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 38	Santhal Parganas.	11 0	11 0	11 8	16 0	16 0	15 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...
ORISSA.													
ORISSA DIVISION. 39	Cuttack ...	12 7	12 7	11 2	...	...	...	14 7	14 7	14 7	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 40	Balasore ...	11 0 & 14 0	11 0 & 14 0	14 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 41	Angul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 42	Puri ...	11 2	11 2	10 8	...	...	...	18 6	18 6	15 0	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR.													
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 43	Hazaribagh ...	12 0	12 0	10 12	15 8	17 8	13 8	11 4	12 0	10 12	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 44	Ranchi ...	8 4 to 11 0	8 4 to 11 0	8 0 to 10 8	14 0	14 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 45	Palamau ...	13 8	13 8	11 4	19 2	19 2	14 1	12 6	12 6	12 6	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 46	Manbhum ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	16 0	12 0	12 0	13 8	...	...	20 0
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 47	Singhbhum ...	12 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chandpur 10 seers 10 chitaks ; Brahmanbaria 10 seers 10 chitaks.
W. At Feni Hát the retail price of salt is 13 seers per rupee.
X. Return from Cox's *Bazar* not received.
Y. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 13 seers ; Dinapore 12½ seers ; Bihar 12 seers.
Z. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 10 seers , Nawada 12 seers , Aurangabad , 12 seers.
a. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 12 seers ; Bhabua 11½ seers ; Sasaram 12 seers.
b. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 13 seers 5 chitaks ; Gopalganj 12 seers 9 chitaks.
c. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Hajipur 12 seers ; Sitamarhi 12 seers.
e In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 11 seers, Madhubani 12 seers.
f. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 11 seers , Jamui 12 seers.
g. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 11½ seers ; Madhipura 10 seers ; Supaul 11 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 21st September 1903.

Station Bazars of the Districts of Bengal on the 15th September 1903—concld.

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.			Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.	Number.	
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BENGAL—*concluded.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	V 10 10	10 10	10 0	Panga. 8 2 0	3 2 0	3 14 0	Tippera.	24	Chittagong Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	W 12 12	12 12	9 0	8 0 0	3 2 0	4 2 0	Noakhali.	25	
...	...	...	9 8	10 0	8 0	X 12 0	12 0	10 0	2 15 0	2 10 0	3 6 0	Chittagong	26	
												BIHAR.		
24 0	22 6	23 0	22 0	21 0	22 0	Y 10 8	10 8	10 12	Panga. 8 2 0	3 3 0	3 11 0	Patna.	27	Patna Division.
21 0	20 0	21 0	13 0	13 0	15 12	Z 13 0	13 0	11 0	Panga. 3 1 0	3 1 0	3 9 0	Gaya.	28	
...	...	20 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	a 13 4	13 0	10 0	3 0 3	3 1 3	4 0 0	Shahabad	29	
22 8	21 0	20 0	14 0	13 8	15 8	b 13 0	13 0	11 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	3 10 0	Saran	30	
22 0 to 23 0	22 0	22 0	23 0	22 8	22 0	c 12 8	12 0	10 8	3 3 0	3 5 0	3 13 0	Champaran	31	
22 0	20 0	22 0	14 0	14 8	13 0	d 12 8	12 8	10 0	Panga. 3 3 0	3 3 0	4 0 0	Muzaffarpur	32	
30 12	23 1	24 4	13 3	13 8	13 3	e 12 1	12 1	11 0	3 3 2	3 3 2	3 10 0	Darbhanga	33	
21 8	17 0	28 0	18 0	18 0	11 0	f 13 0	13 0	10 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	4 0 0	Monghyr	34	Bhagalpur Division.
22 12	19 0	21 8	12 10	12 10	12 10	g 12 5	12 8	10 12	Panga. 12 14 9	2 14 3	3 10 0	Bhagalpur.	35	
...	...	...	11 0	11 0	10 0	h 11 0	11 0	10 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	Purnea.	36	
...	..	32 0	12 0	10 0	13 0	i 12 0 / 11 0	11 0 / 12 0	10 0 / 9 8	3 4 0 / 3 4 0	3 4 0 / 3 4 0	3 12 0 / 4 0 0	Malda.	37	
32 0	20 0	Now 43 0	20 0	20 0	18 0	j 11 0	11 0	10 8	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	Santhal Pargan as.	38	
												ORISSA.		
...	...	...	14 7	15 1	15 1	k 14 0	14 0	13 0	1 ...	2 8 0	3 0 0	Cuttack	39	Orissa Division
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	l 13 0	13 0	11 0	Panga. 2 14 0	2 14 0	3 8 0	Balasore.	40	
...	...	...	16 0	14 0	15 0	m 8 0	8 0	7 8	...	...	...	Angul.	41	
...	...	...	9 13	9 13	10 8	n 16 0	16 0	13 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 1 0	Puri	42	
												CHOTA NAGPUR.		
25 8	21 0	14 8	9 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	Hazaribagh.	43	Chota Nagpur Division.
20 0	20 0	17 0	7 4 to 8 0	7 8 to 8 0	6 0 to 6 8	o 10 8	10 8	9 12	Panga. 3 9 0	3 9 0	4 1 0	Ranchi.	44	
16 14	16 14	12 8	13 8	12 6	11 4	12 6	12 6	10 2	...	...	...	Palamau.	45	
24 0	...	20 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	p 12 0	12 0	10 12	Panga. 3 1 0	3 1 0	3 8 0	Manbhum.	46	
..	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	9 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 4 0	Singhbhum.	47	

h. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 11 seers, Araria 9 seers.
i. At Balia Nawabganj the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
j. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Deoghur 13 seers (panga); Godda 11 seers; Jamt ara return not received; Pakaur 12 seers, Rajmahal 12 seers.
k. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jajpur 12 seers; Kendrapara 13 seers.
l. At Bhadrak the retail price of salt is 12 seers per rupee.
m. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 9 seers, Bisipara 9 seers.
n. At Khurda the retail price of salt is 14 seers per rupee.
o. At Gumla the retail price of salt is 9 seers per rupee.
p. At Gobindpur the retail price of salt is 13 seers 5 chittaks per rupee.

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A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	3 0	3 8 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 6 0
2	Burdwan ...	4 13 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 0 0	3 11 0	3 9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Pabna ...	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	2 8 0	2 12 6	3 3 6	2 10 6	2 8 6	2 8 6	...	...	...
5	Rangpur ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	...	...	...
6	Dacca ...	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 6 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	3 4 0	2 2 0	2 0 0	2 0 0
7	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Patna ...	3 7 0	3 10 0	3 15 0	2 15 0	2 12 0 to 3 5 3	3 4 0	2 7 0	2 8 0 to 2 10 0	2 13 0	1 10 0	1 13 0	2 0 0
9	Mumfarpur ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	2 15 3	3 2 0	3 5 3	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 12 0	1 14 6	2 0 0
10	Bhagalpur ...	3 15 0	4 3 6	4 3 6	3 2 11	3 8 1	3 10 6	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 1 6	2 1 3	2 0 6
11	Cuttack ...	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 13 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 6	...	...	...
12	Ranchi ...	4 11 6	4 11 6	4 10 9	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 13 6	3 10 0 to 4 13 6	3 10 0 to 4 13 6	4 3 0 to 5 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 10 0

CALCUTTA,

The 21st September 1903

Juar or Cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 6 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0 to 3 2 0	2 10 0 to 3 2 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 6	2 10 6	2 10 6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 8 0	4 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 8 0
1 10 0	White. 2 3 0 Rakse. 1 9 0	2 7 0 1 7 0	...	...	...	1 15 0	...	...	2 1 0	1 14 0 to 2 3 0	1 15 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 9 6	...	1 10 6	1 14 6	1 14 6	2 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Buri 1 14 0	or kalai. 2 0 0	2 5 6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 6 to 2 12 0	2 14 6	3 1 0 to 3 4 7

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 6 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	5 6 0	5 2 0	6 12 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	5 0 0
...	...	...	3 12 0	4 4 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 4 0
...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	6 8 0	Black mustard. 4 4 0 / Rapeseed. 3 12 0	4 4 0	4 10 0 to 4 12 0 / 4 12 0
...	...	...	4 4 9	4 5 3	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	6 4 0
2 6 0	2 6 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 8 0
...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
1 10 0	1 13 0	1 11 6	1 13 0	2 7 0	1 13 0	4 4 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	4 3 0
1 12 0	1 14 6	1 11 9	2 12 0	2 10 6	2 15 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
1 12 0	2 1 3	1 14 6	3 2 9	3 2 2	3 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 6	6 0 0	Rapeseed. 3 11 2 / Mustard. 4 0 0	3 11 2 / 4 0 0	4 0 6 / 4 0 0
...	...	...	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 4 9
...	...	...	5 0 0 to 5 8 0	5 0 0 to 5 5 4	6 2 6 to 6 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 0	3 10 0 to 4 7 0	3 10 0 to 4 3 3	5 0 0

40 STANDARD SEERS.

Til or Jinjili seed.			Sugar (raw).			Cotton (cleaned)			Jute.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	17 0 0	17 0 0	15 0 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 4 0
...	...	...	5 0 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	5 4 0 to 5 10 0	5 4 0 to 5 10 0	3 4 0 to 3 8 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 13 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	5 0 9	5 1 0	4 14 0
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0
...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	1 4 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	...	4 8 0
...	...	...	5 8 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	17 0 0	16 4 0	14 8 0	...	...	...
3 15 0	4 0 0	5 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	2 12 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	3 8 0 to 4 8 0	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	3 8 0
...	...	...	3 5 3	3 5 3	2 10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 1 0	20 0 0	19 8 2	19 0 0	...	...	...
3 14 0	3 14 0	4 2 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 7 0 to 5 0 0	4 7 0 to 5 0 0	4 0 0 to 4 7 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...

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Ghi (clarified butter).			Tobacco Leaf.			Hides (cow).			Grass.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60.	61	62
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
						Per 100 pieces.					
39 0 0	41 0 0	39 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	9 0 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	1 2 0	1 2 0	0 14 0
31 0 0	31 4 0	32 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				Madhukhali.		Uncleaned per piece.					
35 2 0	34 8 0	30 0 0	7 0 0 to 10 4 0	7 0 0 to 10 0 0	5 8 0 to 6 12 0	0 12 0 to 2 12 0	0 12 0 to 2 12 0	1 0 0 to 2 8 0	...	...	...
				Pulta		Cleaned per piece.					
						1 0 0 to 3 0 0	1 0 0 to 3 0 0	1 4 0 to 2 12 0			
52 0 0	52 0 0	53 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 0 0	30 0 0	36 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	...	...	...	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 6
						Per maund.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 2 6	0 3 0	0 4 0
						Per maund.					
33 0 0	32 0 0	32 8 0	11 8 0	11 0 0	7 0 0	17 6 0	17 6 0	16 0 0	...	...	...
30 0 0 to 31 0 0	31 0 0 to 32 0 0	30 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0
30 7 6	29 1 6	29 1 6	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
32 0 0	32 0 0	32 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
						Per maund.					
33 12 0	34 8 0	33 12 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0
						Per piece.					
32 0 0 to 37 8 0	30 7 6 to 35 8 10	30 7 6 to 36 0 0	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	6 10 0 to 13 5 3	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 0 0 to 1 8 0	0 2 8	0 2 8	0 2 8

in the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 15th September 1903.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.									MARTS.
						IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
0 12 0	1 0 0	0 12 0	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 10 0	Panga. 2 10 0	3 6 0	1. Calcutta.
1 2 0	1 0 0	0 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	2 15 0	2 13 0	3 4 0	2. Burdwan.
1 4 0	1 4 0	0 4 3	...	...	...	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 12 0 to 4 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 15 0	2 13 0	3 3 0	3. Midnapore.
1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 10 0	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 12 0	4. Pabna.
0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 12 0	5. Rangpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 3	3 8 0	Panga. 3 8 0	3 12 0	6. Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	2 15 0	Panga. 2 10 0	3 6 0	7. Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 7 0	3 2 0	Panga. 3 3 0	3 11 0	8. Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	5 11 6	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 0	3 3 0	Panga. 3 3 0	4 0 0	9. Muzaffarpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 2	0 5 9	0 5 9	2 14 3	Panga. 2 14 3	3 10 0	10. Bhagalpur.
0 7 6	0 8 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 8 0	0 4 6	0 4 6	0 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	11. Cuttack.
0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 5 0 to 0 8 0	0 8 0 to 0 10 0	...	...	...	5 10 0	5 0 0	5 10 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 9 0	Panga. 3 9 0	4 1 0	12. Ranchi.

A. EARLE,

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 19th September 1903, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 19th September 1903.			Week ending Saturday, the 20th September 1902.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	269	65,150	1,073	658	85,725	1,183
Jute	107	29,225*	365	298	57,475†	934
Firewood	60	37,575	566	54	33,826	498
Other articles	405	1,05,975	1,300	711	1,64,887½	2,029
Total ...	841	2,37,925	3,294	1,721	3,41,912½	4,644

* Weight by canal measurement, 29,212½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 57,768½ „

ARTICLES.	1903.		1902.		Total, 1903.	Total, 1902.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.				
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
XIX.—Oilseeds—								
(1) Castor	79	123	257	128	212	385	.....	173
(2) Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	47	.....	1,325	.....	1,325
(3) Linseed	.....	.....	12	1	3	13	.....	10
(4) Poppy	3	.....	221	287	1,143	508	635	.....
(5) Rape and mustard	929	214	.....	.....	2,133	...	2,133	...
(6) Til or jinjili	1,849	284	1,051	468	405	1,519	.....	1,114
(7) Others	270	135	2	.....	4	2	2	.....
XX.—Opium	3	1	104	3	78	106	.....	28
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	70	8						
XXII.—Provisions—								
(1) Dried fruits and nuts	497	118	440	181	615	621	.....	6
(2) Ghee	53	153	81	134	204	165	39	.....
(3) Others	202	185	113	83	387	196	191	.....
XXIII.—Railway plant and rolling-stock carried for the public and foreign railways—								
(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	59	.....	15	.....	59	15	44	.....
(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	696	2	.....	696	2	694	.....
(3) Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	423	.....	6	.....	423	6	417	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	37	2	.....	.....	39	.....	39	.....
(c) Others	977	3,856	1,040	1,040	6,833	2,440	4,393	...
XXIV.—Salt	5,960	3,024	3,397	6,248	8,984	9,645	.....	661
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
(1) Saltpetre	1	2	2	2	3	4	.....	1
(2) Other saline substances	2	3	16	19	5	35	...	30
XXVI.—Silk—								
(1) Raw—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	6	19	6	9	27	14	13	.....
(2) Piece-goods—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1
XXVII.—Spices—								
(1) Betelnuts	719	43	345	29	703	374	388	.....
(2) Cardamoms	1	1	...	.....	1	.....	1	.....
(3) Chillies	163	404	90	638	567	728	.....	155
(4) Ginger	.....	.....	4	2	.....	6	.....	6
(5) Pepper	.....	.....	3	1	.....	4	.....	4
(6) Others	403	100	106	22	503	291	233	...
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	897	3,396	416	1,752	4,206	2,168	2,038	.....
XXIX.—Sugar—								
(1) Refined or crystallized, including sugarcandy.	392	1,364	283	223	1,756	646	1,210	.....
(2) Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	.....	52	8	.....	52	8	44	.....
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	291	551	122	78	842	200	642	.....
XXX.—Tea—								
(1) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(2) Indian	89	10	33	14	99	47	52	.....
XXXI.—Tobacco—								
(1) Unmanufactured	779	810	1,296	307	1,098	1,003	.....	595
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Cigars	.....	2	1	4	2	5	.....	3
(b) Other sorts	57	10	21	13	67	34	33	.....
XXXII.—Wood—								
(1) Timber, unwrought	1,429	2,468	1,038	2,748	3,897	3,786	121	
(2) Manufactured	50	72	3	4	126	7	121	
XXXIII.—Wool—								
(1) Raw	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
(b) Piece-goods, European	.....	.....	...	4	.....	4	.....	4
(c) Ditto, Indian	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	5	.....	1
(d) Other sorts of manufactures	1	3	1		4			
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—								
(1) Firewood	1,132	812	773	403	1,944	1,175	769	.....
(2) Bamboos	882	463	859	511	1,345	1,370	.....	25
(3) Mohs	590	441	139	149	1,031	288	743	.....
(4) Others	1,504	2,582	1,039	1,163	4,416	2,291	2,215	.....
Total	84,708	103,880	69,291	106,135	190,094	175,426	34,670	20,003
Net Increase	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,668	.....

L. GREENHAM,

for *Auditor, Bengal-Nagpur Railway.*

CALCUTTA, *the 15th September 1903.*

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of June 1903 as compared with the same month of the previous year.

No.	Staples.	1903.	1902.	Increase in 1903.	Decrease in 1903.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	39	27	12		
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	33,120	31,000	2,120	...	
3	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	135	266	.....	131	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European	207	217	.....	10	
	(b) Ditto, Indian	485	233	252	.....	
	(c) Piece-goods, European	2,477	1,370	1,107	..	
	(d) Ditto, Indian	29	108	.....	79	
	(e) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	30	63	.....	33	
5	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium	17	38	.....	21	
	(2) Non-intoxicating—					
	(a) Medicinal preparations	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Others	27	41	.....	14	
6	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Cutch	23	23	2	.....	
	(4) Indigo	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(5) Myrabolams	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(6) Tanning barks	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(7) Turmeric	306	459	.....	153	
	(8) Others	18	13	5	.....	
7	Fodder—					
	(1) Oilcake	440	969	.....	529	
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	2,775	1,435	1,340	.....	
8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh	791	523	268	.....	
9	Grain and pulse—					
	(1) Gram and pulse	3,995	5,080	.....	1,085	
	(2) Jawar and bajra	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Rice in the husk	9,641	5,226	4,415	.....	
	(4) Do. not in the husk	7,535	2,987	3,548	.....	
	(5) Wheat	404	1,100	.....	696	
	(6) Do. flour	373	186	187	.....	
	(7) Others	116	220	.....	104	
10	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	2,753	792	1,961	.....	
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	68	49	19	.....	
11	Horns	23	10	13	.....	
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	106	64	102	.....	
13	Jute—					
	(1) Raw	1,340	13,010	.....	11,670	
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	2,579	3,031	.....	452	
14	Lac	7	7	.....	.....	
15	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	
16	Liquors—					
	(1) Ale and beer	22	23	.....	1	
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	84	63	21	.....	
	(3) Wine					
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	
17	Metals—					
	(1) Brass, unwrought	26	33	.....	7	
	(2) Do., wrought	142	126	16	.....	
	(3) Copper, unwrought	...	34	.....	34	
	(4) Do., wrought	4	13	.....	9	
	(5) Iron and steel—					
	(a) Cast	33	28	5	.....	
	(b) Unwrought	...	.	.....	.....	
	(c) Wrought	1,189	963	226	.....	
	(d) Manufactures	242	216	26	.....	
	(6) Others	206	210	56	.....	
18	Oils—					
	(1) Kerosine	12,266	15,893	.....	3,627	
	(2) Castor	24	7	17	.....	
	3) Cocoanut	115	117	.....	2	
	(4) Mustard and rape	317	155	162	.. ..	
	(5) Others	66	115	.....	49	
19	Oilseeds—					
	(1) Castor	40	32	8	.. .	
	(2) Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Linseed	1,347	1,693	.....	346	
	(4) Poppy	... .	.....	.....	.....	
	(5) Rape and mustard	3,661	5,132	.....	2,571	
	(6) Til or jinjili	3	35	.....	32	
	(7) Others	97	142	.....	45	
20	Opium	3	7	.....	4	
21	Paper and pasteboard	684	519	165	.....	
22	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	1	3	.....	2	
	(2) Ghee	64	43	21	.....	
	(3) Others	1,253	1,126	126	.....	

No.	Staples.	1903.	1902.	Increase in 1903.	Decrease in 1903.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
23	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof	...	59	...	59	
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	147	4	143	.....	
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	...	131		131	
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	311	1,214	.....	903	
	(c) Others	273	181	92	.....	
24	Salt	5,569	5,708	.....	139	
25	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	3	....	3	.....	
	(2) Other saline substances	214	151	63	.....	
26	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	13	14	.....	1	
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	.....	.....	...	.....	
27	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	681	863	...	182	
	(2) Cardamoms	16	10	6	.....	
	(3) Chillies	475	291	184	.....	
	(4) Ginger	356	449	...	93	
	(5) Pepper	29	26	3	...	
	(6) Others	348	95	253	...	
28	Stone and lime	3,621	2,015	1,606	....	
29	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallised, including sugar-candy.	583	593	.....	10	
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	736	412	324	...	
	(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	1,436	1,101	335	.....	
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Indian	3,925	4,282	.....	357	
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	4,309	3,343	966	...	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars	...	...	.....	...	
	(b) Other sorts	36	.....	36	...	
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	1,022	1,455	.....	433	
	(2) Manufactures	147	129	18	.....	
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw	199	109	90	.....	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs					
	(b) Piece-goods, European	13	17	.....	4	
	(c) Ditto, Indian					
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures ...					
34	All other articles of merchandise	9,174	7,637	1,537	.....	
	Total ...	114,220	116,337	21,851	23,968	

HARPRASAD DAR,
for *Examiner of Accounts, E. B. S. Railway.*

CALCUTTA, *the 15th September 1903.*

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of May 1903, compared with the corresponding period in 1902.

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs	Tons	Rs.	Tons.	Rs	Tons	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	119	380	61	929		549	58		
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	7,068	17,332	6,007	17,135	939			197	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	61	524	51	469			10	55	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) (b) Twist and yarn. European	11	71	30	358	19	287			
(a) (b) Twist and yarn. Indian	326	3,619	542	3,942	16	223			
(c) (d) Piece-goods European	3 694	28,878	3,364	31,530	670	2,652			Demand for marriages.
(c) (d) Piece-goods Indian	301	3,231	587	5 420	285	2,189			
(e) Others	1	115	57	625	46	510			
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	30	232	90	538	60	306			
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	35	536	24	458			11	78	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	40	98	1	14			39	78	
(b) Others	422	2,113	1,180	4,955	758	2,842			
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1 Al (Morinda citrifolia)	16	110	12	169		59	4		
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.									
3. Orchil	468	6,160	775	4,027	309			2,133	
4. Indigo	48	102	3	18			46	84	
5. Myrabolams	4	21	4	41		20			
6. Tanning barks	79	522	108	741	29	219			
7. Turmeric	878	7,516	660	6,258			218	1,261	
8. Others	103	309	201	969	98	660			
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	629	2,438	627	2,567		129	2		
2. Hay, straw, and grass	115	287	155	332	40	45			
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	125	384	1,252	3,457	1,127	3,073			Increase in potato traffic.
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse	14,408	55,268	13,567	75,255	1,059	15,987			
2. Jawar and bajra	2,838	6,476	153	1,021			2,685	5,455	
3. 4. Rice in the husk	2,739	9,765	3,476	9,284	737			481	Good crops in Tirhut
3. 4. Rice not in the husk	11,009	45,380	12,149	51,542	1,140	6,162			
5. Wheat	13,063	63,095	17,711	1,13,129	4,648	45,034			
6. Wheat-flour	203	1,047	481	4,060	278	2,413			Demand for export.
7. Makai	8,113	31,180	2,066	21,313			5,147	9,868	
8. Others	8,038	29,227	7,071	30,240		973	1,267		
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	1	6	1	1				5	
(b) Raw	519	3,619	627	4,076	108	457			
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	45	304	4	32			41	272	
(b) Raw	160	966	288	1,890	128	935			
XI.—Horns	18	197	11	75			7	122	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	2	9	256	750	254	741			
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	100	550	9	50			91	500	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	3,743	16,967	2,687	17,201		234	1,056		
XIV.—Lac	161	622	139	653		31	22		
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought			12	57	12	57			
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	3	29	9	71	6	42			
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	16	47	6	35	2		10	12	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.	26	217	17	232		15	9		
3. Wine									
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.									
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought	18	189	13	86			5	103	
2. ,, wrought	188	1,431	166	1,239			23	192	
3. Copper, unwrought			4	44	4	44			
4. ,, wrought	13	109	10	80			3	29	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	74	478	96	734	22	256			
(b) Unwrought	7	39	80	376	73	337			
(c) Wrought	583	3,569	348	2,045			240	1,530	
(d) Manufactures	242	1,681	393	3,042	151	1,161			
6 Others	140	1,228	305	1,960	156	732			
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	1,235	6,899	1,438	5,961	203	1,062			
2. Castor	40	110	125	744	85	634			
3. Cocoanut	96	316	28	164			74	152	
4. Mustard and rape	18	121	73	601	55	480			
5. Others	33	213	53	255	19	42			

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	1,174	9,400	767	3,484			387	5,916	
2. Earthnuts									
3. Linseed	27,368	1,22,806	32,417	1,57,661	5,049	34,753			
4. Poppy	1,819	9,477	1,374	6,965			445	2,512	
5. Rape and mustard	5,146	30,849	5,919	28,901	773			1,948	
6. Til or jinjili	29	187	48	171	19			16	Demand for export.
7. Others	296	2,017	1,541	7,455	1,245	5,448			
XX.—Opium	1,435	27,039	2,166	33,600	731	6,561			
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	55	176	370	541	315	468			
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts	105	1,201	118	1,606	13	405			
2. Ghee	262	1 956	295	2,554	33	598			
3. Others	693	6,100	1,393	7,421	709	1,321			
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.									
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.									
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates									
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	12	10					12	10	
(c) Others									
XXIV.—Salt	15,882	40,762	11,763	44,859		4,097	4,119		
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	1,035	3,630	1,074	4,031	39	411			
2. Other saline substances	88	333	486	1,736	358	1,403			
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	1	8	1	6				2	
(b) Indian									
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign									
(b) Indian									
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	263	2,108	339	3,020	76	912			
2. Cardamoms	263	2,172	6	80			257	2,113	
3. Chillies	673	4,589	464	3,006			209	1,583	
4. Ginger	32	347	78	716	46	369			
5. Pepper	70	417	61	780		253	9		
6. Others	467	3,107	420	3,214		47	67		
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	1,199	3,967	1,315	3,276	116			691	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugar-candy.	5,640	31,366	2,660	16,967			2,986	14,399	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	1,161	10,176	3,349	20,716	2,188	10,540			Good crops.
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	3,612	27,740	5,599	24,213	1,987	1,473			
XXX.—Tea—									
1 Foreign	6	95	3	40			3	55	
2. Indian									
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	6,590	60,591	5,046	43,237			1,511	17,354	Less demand.
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars			7	109	7	109			
(b) Other sorts	353	2,017	27	204			326	1,813	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought	879	2,590	1,898	4,097	1,019	1,507			Output from Nepal forests.
2. Logs	1,340	1,948	1,385	4,104	45	2,156			
3. Poles	10	3	12	24	2	21			
4. Manufactures	239	1,323	426	3,431	187	2,108			
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	32	276	10	180			22	96	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs			361	209	361	209			
(b) } (c) } Piece-goods { European / Indian	7 / 2	126 / 23			3	39	7	126	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	29	118	5	61			24	57	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	88	490	33	506		16	35		
2. Firewood	1,279	2,774	879	1,400			400	1,374	Less demand for brick-burning.
3. Others not specified above.	4,186	32,069	6,349	33,413	2,163	1,344			
Total	1,66,605	8,00,498	1,75,576	9,06,014	31,037	1,79,077	12,066	72,561	

J. Rightfoot,
Chief Auditor.

Gorakhpur, *the 12th September 1903.*

SEGOWLIE RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of May 1903, compared with the corresponding period in 1902.

Description of Goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	3	1	14	1	11	...	...		
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	2,307	32	1,311	8	...	...	996	24	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	193	21	9	1	...	...	184	20	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Twist and yarn. European	3	1	25	1	22	...	...	...	
(b) Twist and yarn. Indian ...	223	13	301	9	78	...	..	...	3
(c) Piece-goods European	2,273	91	1,901	68	...	...	372	23	
(d) Piece-goods Indian ...	588	37	508	30	..	...	80	7	
(e) Others	13	1	91	3	79	2	...	...	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	...	...	12	1	12	1	...	...	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	38	2	...	...	...	...	38	2	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Others	23	4	383	15	360	11	...	...	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia) ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	13	1	16	1	...	...	...	...	
3. Cutch	2,117	81	22	1	3	...	...		
4. Indigo	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,095	80	
5. Myrabolams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	
6. Tanning barks	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
7. Turmeric	...	...	..	...	...	..	.	.	
8. Others	...	...	81	3	81	3	.	...	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	
2. Hay, straw and grass ..	2	1	..	...	..	...	2	1	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh ...	23	1	22	1	...	...	...	..	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse	9,103	106	6,073	111	...	5	3,030	...	
2. Jawar and bajra .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Rice in the husk ...	8,810	234	25,971	646	17,161	412	...	...	
4. Rice not in the husk...	7,230	147	12,421	291	5,191	144	...	...	Increase due to good crops.
5. Wheat	11	1	114	3	103	2	...	...	
6. Wheat-flour	11	1	25	1	14	..	...	...	
7. Makai	477	11	...	...	...	...	477	11	
8. Others	1,459	34	3,788	69	2,329	35	..	...	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Raw	194	6	252	7	58	1	...	...	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ..	...	...	8	1	8	1	...	...	
(b) Raw	40	2	70	2	30	...	...	...	
XI.—Horns	...	...	10	1	10	1	...	...	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth ...	782	25	1,213	40	431	15	...	...	
XIV.—Lac	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	... 6	... 1	... 10	... 1	... 4	...	...	...	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.									
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	.. 5	... 1	...	...	.	...	... 5	... 1	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.			...	...	...	...			
3. Wine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	... 176	... 9	... 132	.. 4	...	...	... 44	... 5	
2. ,, wrought ...					...	...			
3. Copper, unwrought ...	...	...	... 74	. 2	... 74	... 2	...	...	
4. ,, wrought ...	...	..					...	...	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	307	22	2,277	42	1,970	20	. .	... 9	
(b) Unwrought ...	308	9	...	...	...	...	308		
(c) Wrought... ...	213	6	456	10	243	4	..	...	Demand in Nepal.
(d) Manufactures ...	335	16	601	20	266	4	...	...	
6. Others	12	1	94	3	82	2	...	...	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	390	6	2,152	20	1,762	14	...	...	
2. Castor	... 9	... 1	16	1	16	1	...	...	
3. Cocoanut			28	1	19	...	..	...	
4. Mustard and rape ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Others	6	1	19	1	13	...	...	...	

Description of goods.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	...	...	15	1	15	1	...	...	
2. Earthnuts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Linseed	11,458	178	15,764	306	1,938	128	...	...	Good crops.
4. Poppy	...	...	65	2	63	2	...	...	
5. Rape and mustard	1,503	59	103	3	...	...	1,400	56	
6. Til or jinjili	13	1	...	...	...	...	13	1	
7. Others	334	21	5,644	132	5,310	111	...	...	
XX.—Opium	...	...	48	2	48	2	...	...	
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts	587	36	130	5	...	...	457	31	
2. Ghee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Others	4	1	433	9	429	8	...	...	
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXIV.—Salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1. Saltpetre	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Other saline substances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Indian	12	1	...	...	...	...	12	1	
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	417	21	553	18	136	...	...	3	
2. Cardamoms	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Chillies	38	1	166	6	128	5	...	...	
4. Ginger	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Pepper	136	8	274	12	140	4	...	...	
6. Others	148	5	233	7	85	2	...	...	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugar candy.	959	22	431	10	...	...	528	12	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	5	1	596	18	591	17	...	...	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	1,050	47	1,471	65	421	18	...	...	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	...	...	143	7	143	7	...	...	
(b) Other sorts	9	1	...	...	...	...	9	1	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought	3,603	39	4,415	71	752	32	...	...	Output from Nepal.
2. Logs	2,310	34	5,190	104	2,880	70	...	...	
3. Poles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Manufactures	61	3	339	13	278	10	...	...	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) (c) Piece-goods { European	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Piece-goods { Indian	3	1	...	...	...	...	3	1	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	6	1	...	...	...	...	6	1	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2. Firewood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Others not specified above.	2,359	139	152	12	...	...	2,207	127	
Total	65,555	1,598	1,03,170	2,268	48,868	1,096	12,357	426	

J. LIGHTFOOT,
Chief Auditor.

GORAKHPUR, *the 16th September 1903.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	48,450	14,318 0 0	2,35,372 0	20,030 0 0	157 0 0	43,505 0 0	4,942	6,661	11,603
Or per mile of railway	373	110 0 0†	1,695 0	209 0 0	1 0 0	320 0 0	..	..	..
For previous 9 weeks of half-year*	323,840	1,17,983 0 0	9,00,626 0	1,03,035 0 0	2,250 0 0	2,24,168 0 0	43,712	34,957	78,669
Total for 10 weeks ...	372,290	1,32,301 0 0	11,36,198 0	1,23,065 0 0	2,407 0 0	2,67,673 0 0	48,654	41,618	90,272
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	44,979	13,036 0 0	1,60,098 0	20,425 0 0	113 0 0	33,574 0 0	3,919	6,924	8,843
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	346	100 0 0†	1,151 0	147 0 0	1 0 0	243 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	350,928	1,29,738 0 0	8,45,785 0	86,318 0 0	3,337 0 6	2,19,413 0 0	32,396	32,535	65,931

* Audited up to week ending 18th July 1903.
† Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 5th September 1903 on 622 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	25,959	16,876 0 0	1,44,609 0	18,332 0 0	2,244 0 0	37,452 0 0	6,764	7,230	13,994
Or per mile of railway	41·73	27·13	235·21	29·51	3·49	59·13	10·87	11·24	22·11
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	250,887	1,53,787 0 0	9,64,486 0	1,44,525 0 0	22,561 0 0	3,20,873 0 0	57,612	53,976	111,588
Total for 10 weeks ...	276,846	1,70,663 0 0	17,09,095 0	1,62,857 0 0	24,805 0 0	3,58,325 0 0	64,376	61,206	125,582
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	16,471	16,251 0 0	1,70,503 0	16,146 0 0	1,936 0 0	34,313 0 0	5,900	8,357	14,787
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	47·44	29·09	289 48	27·41	3·29	58·79	10·57	15·04	25 61
Total to corresponding date of previous year	263,673	1,60,324 0 0	18,22,886 0	1,51,143 0 0	14,785 0 0	3,26,252 0 0	52,407	95,215	147,622

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for the week ended 5th September 1903.			Receipts for the week ended 6th September 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 5th September 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 6th September 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	37,452	59 13	589	34,313	59·79	643	3,71,443	...	589	3,03,343	...	68,099	... ...

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING N. B., K.-D., DACCA AND ASSAM-BEHAR SECTIONS.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 12th September 1903 on 899 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	224,100	1,02,800 0 0	14,50,000 0	3,36,240 0 0	2,030 0 0	4,41,070 0 0	30,490	40,683	69,173
Or per mile of railway	249	115 0 0	1,614 0	374 0 0	2 0 0	491 0 0	.. ..	... ..	.....
For previous 10 weeks of half-year	2,295,920	10,22,400 0 0	1,08,88,560 0	112,88,960 0 0	1,69,170 0 0	30,80,530 0 0	391,361	390,754	782,115
Total for 11 weeks .	2,520,020	11,25,200 0 0	1,23,39,150 0	24,25,200 0 0	1,71,200 0 0	35,21,600 0 0	430,851	440,437	871,288
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	208,203	1,00,042 0 0	13,98,364 0	2,95,547 0 0	15,929 0 0	4,11,518 0 0	37,307	48,191	85,498
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (851 miles)	242	116 0 0	1,508 0	343 0 0	1 0 0	460 0 0	.....	.. ...	... ..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,345,296	10,09,670 0 0	1,16,64,090 0	22,13,800 0 0	1,87,853 0 0	35,01,339 0 0	406,781	439,912	846,693

BRAHMAPUTRA-SULTANPUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 12th September 1903 on 59·37 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,940	2,250 0 0	49,490 0	5,330 0 0	30 0 0	7,630 0 0	1,020	1,300	2,320
Or per mile of railway ...	134	38 0 0	834 0	90 0 0	1 0 0	129 0 0	... ..	... ..	.....
For previous 10 weeks of half-year	73,390	22,260 0 0	2,77,340 0	24 770 0 0	350 0 0	47,380 0 0	10,582	8,638	19,220
Total for 11 weeks ..	81,330	24,510 0 0	3,26,830 0	30,120 0 0	380 0 0	55,010 0 0	11,602	9,938	21,540
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,701	1,883 0 0	42,430 0	4,798 0 0	36 0 0	6,716 0 0	982	938	1,920
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	113	32 0 0	715 0	81 0 0	.....	113 0 0	.....	.....	... ..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	71,600	20,404 0 0	3,55,646 0	36,455 0 0	206 0 0	57,215 0 0	11,048	13,678	24,726

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 12th September 1903 on 53·14 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	6,200	2,080 0 0	61,550 0	3,170 0 0	20 0 0	5,270 0 0	1,070	541	1,611
Or per mile of railway	154	39 0 0	1.158 0	60 0 0		99 0 0	.. ...	.....	.....
For previous 10 weeks of half-year	79,010	20,420 0 0	2,55,830 0	12,430 0 0	240 0 0	33,090 0 0	11,380	3,810	15,190
Total for 11 weeks ..	87,210	23,500 0 0	3,17,380 0	15,600 0 0	260 0 0	38,360 0 0	12,450	4,351	16,801
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	8,735	2,191 0 0	30,047 0	1,437 0 0	29 0 0	3,657 0 0	809	716	1,524
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	164	41 0 0	563 0	27 0 0	1 0 0	69 0 0	...	.. ...	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	89,123	25,700 0 0	2,07,309 0	9,873 0 0	290 0 0	35,872 0 0	12,203	5,336	17,698

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 12th September 1903 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs A. P	Mds s.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	26,770	7,630 0 0	74 690 0	5,240 0 0	60 0 0	12,930 0 0	2,668	1,954	4,612
Or per mile of railway	309	87 0 0	868 0	61 0 0	1 0 0	149 0 0	...	..	.
For previous 10 weeks of half-year	278,190	77,440 0 0	3,18,060 0	24 830 0 0	1,600 0 0	1,03,960 0 0	28,708	14,963	43,569
Total for 11 weeks ...	304,760	84,970 0 0	3,92,750 0	30,070 0 0	1,750 0 0	1,16,790 0 0	31,394	16,887	48,181
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	24,312	6,836 0 0	24,061 0	2,509 0 0	41 0 0	9,396 0 0	2,710	1,598	4,308
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	283	79 0 0	280 0	29 0 0	1 0 0	109 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	299,241	83,788 0 0	2,81,062 0	23,465 0 0	7,559 0 0	1,14,813 0 0	29,340	18,914	48,254

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 12th September 1903 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds s.	Rs A P.	Rs A. P.	Rs A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	2,63)	910 0 0	10,510 0	1,180 0 0	20 0 0	2,110 0 0	497	(a)1,287	1,784
Or per mile of railway	78	27 0 0	313 0	35 0 0	1 0 0	63 0 0	.....	.....	.. ..
For previous 10 weeks of half-year	26,110	9,480 0 0	74,750 0	8,800 0 0	320 0 0	18,600 0 0	4,768	12,611	17,379
Total for 11 weeks ...	28,740	10,390 *0 0	85,260 0	9,980 0 0	340 0 0	20,710 0 0	5,265	13,898	19,163
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,394	676 0 0	7,018 0	947 0 0	7 0 0	1,630 0 0	301	1,009	1,310
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	56	24 0 0	209 0	28 0 0	....	48 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	23,991	8,164 0 0	620,370 0	17,318 0 0	305 0 0	25,787 0 0	3,054	12,383	15,437

(a) Ballast train-miles 1,000.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 5th September 1903 on 1,330 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated) including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs	Mds.	Rs.	Rs	Rs			
Total traffic for the week on 1,330 miles open	213,440	(a)90,630	5,83,980	(b)71,570	(c)17,090	1,79,330	41,434	(d)20,100	67,534
Or per mile of railway ...	160 48	68·14	439·08	53·81	13 80	135·25	... ..	... ..	.. ..
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year (e)	1,902,157	7,80,671	39,26,995	7,01,251	1,52,949	16,34,871	349,929	273,658	623,587
Total for 9½ weeks ...	2,115,597	8,71,301	45,10,975	7,72,821	1,70,029	18,14,751	391,363	299,758	691,121
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,261 miles open	174,494	66,595	5,10,361	53,731	15,305	1,34,631	41,666	(f)23,255	64,921
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	138·38	52·75	404 73	41 83	13 14	106·71	.. ...	... ..	.
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,659,959	7,09,600	55,02,307	5,85,434	1,75,517	14,70,541	410,250	293,242	703,501

* (a) Increase occurred chiefly under Local and Foreign outward passengers
(b) Ditto principally under Foreign outward goods
(c) Ditto mainly under "Steam boats" due to aforesaid
(d) Includes 5,862 miles of Ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures for first 11 days of July 1903.
(f) Ditto nil miles of Ballast trains.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(WORKED BY THE B. & N.-W. RAILWAY.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 5th September 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	... ...	..	...	... ..	... ..	.....	... ..	... ..	... ..
Or per mile of railway	.....	... ..	...	..	..	.....	... ...	.....	... ...
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year	8,286	1,233	77,224	1,471	91	2,794	2,333	868	3,201
Total for 9½ weeks ...	8,286	1,233	77,224	1,471	91	2,794	2,333	868	3,201
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,445	240	7,200	590	5	841	407	97	504
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	135·83	13 33	400 00	32 78	0·28	46 89	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	17,746	1,784	77,264	2,207	78	4,069	3,233	913	4,146

NOTE.—The line closed for all descriptions of traffic from 16th August 1903 owing to floods.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 12th September 1903 on 1,330 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers	Receipts	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs	Mds.	Rs	Rs	Rs			
Total traffic for the week on 1,330 miles open	216,780	(a) 88,000	5,62,960	(a)71,950	18,640	(a)1,78,790	41,035	(b)25,437	66,472
Or per mile of railway	162 99	66 17	423 28	54·10	14 16	134 43	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9½ weeks of half-year (c)	2,153,827	8,63,714	67,20,309	7,83,578	1,76,814	18,25,106	385,680	306,750	692,430
Total for 10½ weeks	2,370,607	9,50,714	72,83,269	8,55,528	1,95,454	20,01,896	426,715	332,187	758,902
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,261 miles open	163,217	84 997	3,75,341	46,616	12,173	1,23,786	42,672	(d)36,056	78,728
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	129 43	51 54	297 66	36·97	9 65	98·16	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,983,476	7,74,597	59,07,643	6 32,040	1,87,690	15,94,327	452,931	339 298	792,229

(a) Increase principally under Local and Foreign outward Traffic.
(b) Includes 5,322 miles of ballast trains
(c) Includes audited figures up to week ending 26th July 1903.
(d) Includes 12,864 miles of ballast trains.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY

(WORKED BY THE B. & N.-W. RAILWAY.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the first 11 days of July 1903 on 18 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period (11 days) on 18 miles open	3,055	566 7 0	16,442	470 1 0	20 9 0	1,056 1 0	609	183	792
Or per mile of railway ...	203 06	31 7 6	913·67	26 9 10	1 2 3	59 3 7	.....	... ..	.....
For previous nil weeks of half-year	.	.	.	.	.	.			..
Total for the period ...	3,055	566 7 0	16,442	470 1 0	20 9 0	1,056 1 0	609	183	792
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period (12 days) of previous year on 18 miles open	3,763	390 0 0	23,000	466 0 0	6 2 0	862 2 0	604	260	864
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year ...	209·16	21 10 8	1,272·78	25 14 3	0 5 5	47 14 4	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,763	390 0 0	23,000	466 0 0	6 2 0	862 2 0	604	260	864

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(WORKED BY THE B. & N.-W. RAILWAY.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the week ending 18th July 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	1,8 6	326 3 0	6,057	267 3 0	16 13 0	610 3 0	415	89	504
Or per mile of railway	100 89	18 2 0	336'50	14 13 6	0 14 11	33 14 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1½ weeks of half-year	3,055	566 7 0	14,482	479 1 0	20 9 0	1,066 1 0	609	183	792
Total for 2½ weeks	5,471	892 10 0	22,539	746 4 0	37 6 0	1,676 4 0	1,024	272	1,296
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	1,890	193 0 0	12,863	250 0 0	5 4 0	448 4 0	369	135	504
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	105'00	10 11 6	714'56	13 14 3	0 4 3	24 14 5	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,665	583 0 0	35,771	716 0 0	11 6 0	1,310 6 0	973	395	1,368

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(WORKED BY THE B. AND N.-W. RAILWAY.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the week ending 25th July 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	2,493	347 9 11	13,615	174 6 0	9 14 0	531 13 11	357	147	504
Or per mile of railway	138'17	19 5 0	700'83	9 11 0	0 8 9	29 8 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2½ weeks of half-year	5,471	892 10 0	22,539	746 4 0	37 6 0	1,676 4 0	1,024	272	1,296
Total for 3½ weeks	7,964	1,240 3 11	35,154	920 10 0	47 4 0	2,208 1 11	1,381	419	1,800
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,112	213 0 0	5,037	122 0 0	11 3 0	346 3 0	432	72	504
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year	117'33	11 13 4	313'17	6 12 6	0 9 11	19 3 9	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	7,765	790 0 0	41,408	836 0 0	22 9 0	1,636 9 0	1,405	467	1,872

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 12th September 1903	Coaching ...	4,692 0 0	12,760 0 0
	Goods ...	8,007 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	61 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	5,627 0 0	17,375 0 0
	Goods ...	11,681 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	67 0 0	
	Decrease ...		4,615 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 12th September 1903			260 8 2
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902			340 11 0
	Decrease ...		80 7 10
Receipts from 1st July to 12th September 1903			1,55,515 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902			1,58,535 0 0
	Decrease ...		3,020 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3723A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3134A.D.—The 23rd September 1903.*—Mr. Kiran Chandra De, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Faridpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

No. 3198A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Babu Chandra Sekhar Kar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Faridpur district.

Dacca.
Faridpur.

No. 3200A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Babu Lalit Kumar Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Dacca district.

Dacca

No. 3202A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Mr. S. H. Counsell, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Hooghly district.

Hooghly.

No. 3217A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Mr. G. Rainy, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Begusarai subdivision of the Monghyr district.

Monghyr.

Mr. Rainy is also appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

No. 3235A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Mr. W. H. Lee, District and Sessions Judge, Purnea, on leave, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge of Mymensingh.

Purnea.

No. 3237A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Mr. W. Teunon, District and Sessions Judge, Mymensingh, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge of Cuttack.

Mymensingh.
Cuttack

No. 3241A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Mr. H. F. Samman, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Saran, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Jessore.

Backergunge.
Saran.
Jessore.

Mr. Samman is also appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

No. 3243A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Mr. Barada Charan Mitra, District and Sessions Judge, Cuttack, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge of Jessore.

Cuttack.
Jessore.

No. 3245A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Mr. J. C. K. Peterson, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Siwan, Saran, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of that district.

Saran.

No. 3253A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Mr. A. P. Muddiman, Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial, Political and Appointment Departments, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 7th July 1903.

Calcutta.

No. 3255A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Mr. H. C. Streatfeild, Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Backergunge.

Backergunge.

Mr. Streatfeild is also appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

No. 3257A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Mr. E. B. H. Panton, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is appointed to act temporarily as Magistrate and Collector of that district.

Backergunge.

No. 3266A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Mr. L. E. B. Cobden-Ramsay, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. F. N. Fischer, or until further orders.

Cuttack.

No. 3326A.D.—The 29th September 1903.—The following Probationary Deputy Collectors are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names :—

Babu Satis Chandra Mukherjee, M.A., 24-Parganas.
Maulvi Mohammed Raza Karim, M.A., Gaya.
Babu Naraindra Kumar Sen, B A., Dacca.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3321A.D.—The 29th September 1903.*—With the sanction of the Government of India, the Reverend Robert Kilgour, B D., is appointed to be Additional Honorary Chaplain (Church of Scotland) of the Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, with effect from the 1st February 1903.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 3154A.D.—The 25th September 1903.*—Babu Mukunda Lall Ganguli, Rural Sub-Registrar of Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to act as Special Sub-Registrar of Faridpur, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Bari, or until further orders.

Faridpur.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3018A.D.—The 17th September 1903.*—Babu Sasi Bhusan Bose, M.A., Lecturer, Chittagong College (class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Professor in the Rajshahi College, with effect from the 1st December 1902.

Chittagong.
Rajshahi.

No. 3219A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Mr. M. E. DuS. Prothero, Inspector of Schools, Patna Division, on leave, is appointed to be a Professor in the Presidency College.

Patna Division.
Calcutta.

No. 3221A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Mr. W. Billing, Officiating Inspector of Schools, Patna Division, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Mr. M. E. DuS. Prothero.

Patna Division.

No. 3277A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Mohini Mohan Chaudhuri, Professor, Hooghly College, now Officiating Head Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack, is confirmed in the latter appointment, *vice* Babu Khirod Chandra Rai Chaudhuri, about to retire.

Hooghly.
Cuttack.

No. 3279A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Mr. Dwija Das Dutta, Principal, Chittagong College, now Officiating Agricultural Lecturer, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, is appointed to be a Professor in the Hooghly College, *vice* Babu Mohini Mohan Chaudhuri, but to continue to act in his present appointment until further orders.

Chittagong
Howrah
Hooghly.

No. 3281A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Kailas Chandra Bhattacharya, Head Master, Hooghly Collegiate School, is appointed to be Principal of the Chittagong College, *vice* Mr. Dwija Das Dutta.

Hooghly.
Chittagong

No. 3283A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Barada Prasad Ghose, Head Master, Hare School, is appointed to be Head Master of the Hooghly Collegiate School, *vice* Babu Kailas Chandra Bhattacharya.

Calcutta.
Hooghly.

No. 3285A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Ishan Chandra Ghosh, Head Master, Hooghly Training School, now Officiating Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division is appointed to be Head Master of the Hare School, *vice* Babu Barada Prasad Ghose.

Hooghly.
Presidency Division.
Calcutta.

No. 3287A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Phani Bhushan Basu, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Calcutta (class I of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed substantively to class VII of the Provincial Educational Service, in the resulting vacancy, *vice* Babu Khirod Chandra Rai Chaudhuri, about to retire, and to be Head Master of the Hooghly Training School, *vice* Babu Ishan Chandra Ghosh, but to act as Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr J. H. D'Abreu, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Hooghly
Presidency Division.

No. 3323A D.—The 29th September 1903.—Babu Tarini Prasad Mukherjea, Officiating Assistant Head Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School (class V of the Subordinate Educational Service), acted, in addition to his own duties, as Head Master of that school and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service from the 1st to the 27th July 1903.

Nadia.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3334A.D.—The 29th September 1903*—The Reverend C. Price is appointed temporarily to be Chaplain of Cuttack, with effect from the 23rd September 1903.

Cuttack.

JAILS.—*No. 3330A.D.—The 29th September 1903.*—Mr. G. A. Davis, Superintendent of Jail Manufactures, Bengal, and Officiating Superintendent of the Presidency Jail, is appointed to act, in addition to his other duties, as Superintendent of the Alipore Central Jail from the 4th to the 8th October 1903, both days inclusive, *vice* Mr. M. S. Emerson, on leave.

Calcutta.
24-Parganas.

No. 3332A.D.—The 29th September 1903.—Mr. G. A. Davis, Superintendent of Jail Manufactures, Bengal, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Superintendent of the Alipore Central Jail, with effect from the 9th October 1903, *vice* Mr. M. S. Emerson, on leave.

Calcutta.
24-Parganas.

PROMOTION.

POLICE.—*No. 3127A.D.—The 23rd September 1903.*—Mr. J. D. Boylan, Assistant Superintendent of Police, second grade, on probation, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 7th May 1903.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No 3112A D.—The 21st September 1903*—Maulvi Syed Mahomed, Khan Bahadur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed privilege leave for one month and fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th October 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

24-Parganas.

No. 3147A.D.—The 24th September 1903.—Babu Sarat Chandra Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector and Officiating Khas Tahsildar, Cox's Bazar, Chittagong, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 27th August 1903.

Chittagong.

No 3225A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Mr. D. H. Kingsford, Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca and Mymensingh, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 24th October to the 15th December 1903

Dacca.
Mymensingh.

No. 3239A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Mr. Barada Charan Mitra, District and Sessions Judge, Cuttack, is allowed leave for one month and five days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Cuttack.

No. 3268A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—The undermentioned officers have been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave for the periods mentioned against their names.—

Mr. E. P. Chapman, I.C.S., furlough up to 31st March 1904.

„ H. F. E. B. Foster, I.C.S., furlough on medical certificate for three months.

No. 3306A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Shyama Pada Chowdhry, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed furlough from the 23rd September 1903 to the 15th December 1903, both days inclusive, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 28th March 1903.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3124A.D.—The 22nd September 1903.*—Captain R. H. Maddox, I.M.S., Medical Officer, Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding the Presidency District, leave of absence till the 31st December 1903, in extension of that previously granted to him and notified under the order of the 30th May 1903.

POLICE.—*No. 3170A.D.—The 26th September 1903.*—Mr. W. Swain, Principal, Police Training School, Bhagalpur, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1903.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3722A.—The 28th September 1903.—Mr. R. W. Carlyle, C.I.E., Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, reported his departure from India, on special leave, on the 25th July 1903.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 3158A.D.—The 25th September 1903.*—Maulvi Abdul Bari, Special Sub-Registrar of Faridpur, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1903.

Faridpur.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3021A.D.—The 17th September 1903.*—The late Babu Pramatha Nath Mukerjea, Professor, Rajshahi College (substantive *pro tempore* in class VII of the Provincial Educational Service), was on leave for thirteen days, from 21st November to 3rd December 1902, under article 271, and from 4th December 1902 to 6th June 1903, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Rajshahi.

EXCISE.—*No. 3247A.D.—The 28th September 1903.*—Maulvi Khondkar Fazlal Huq, Special Excise Deputy Collector, Shahabad, is allowed leave for thirty-two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th August 1903.

Shahabad.

JAILS.—*No. 3327A.D.—The 29th September 1903.*—Mr. M. S. Emerson, Superintendent, Central Jail, Alipore, is allowed leave for twenty-nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd October 1903.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3232A.D.—The 26th September 1903.*—The undermentioned Subdivisional Officers are vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in their respective subdivisions in the district of Murshidabad:—

Murshidabad.

1. Babu Nogendra Nath Mitter, Subdivisional Officer, Jangipur.
2. „ Sarat Chander Chatterji, Subdivisional Officer, Kandi.
3. „ Sirish Chandra Ghose, Subdivisional Officer, Lalbagh.

The following orders are republished from the *Assam Gazette*:—

No. 3226G.—The 24th September 1903.—Privilege leave of absence for five weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, is granted to Mr. H. A. S. Burt, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the Civil Police of the Cachar district, with effect from the date on which he may have availed himself of it.

No. 3242G.—The 25th September 1903.—With effect from the 16th August 1903, the date on which Mr. A. Majid was relieved of his duties as Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Sylhet and Sessions Judge of Cachar:—

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Mr. J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, first grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, second grade, sub. *pro tem.*

Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, second grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, second grade.

No. 3243G.—The 25th September 1903.—With effect from the 21st August 1903, the date on which Mr. H. C. Barnes, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, second grade (seconded), was promoted substantively to the first grade of Assistant Commissioners:—

Mr. J. Donald, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, first grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, first grade, sub. *pro tem.*

No. 3244G.—The 25th September 1903.—With effect from the 28th August 1903, the date on which Mr. S. G. Hart, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, first grade, sub. *pro tem.*, proceeded on privilege leave:—

Mr. J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, second grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, first grade.

Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, second grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, second grade, sub. *pro tem.*

No. 8245G.—The 25th September 1903.—With effect from the 4th September 1903, the date on which Captain A. Playfair, Indian Army, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, third grade, proceeded on privilege leave:—

Mr. J. Cornes, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, first grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, third grade.

Mr. H. L. Thomas, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, second grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, first grade.

No. 8246G.—The 25th September 1903.—With effect from the 13th September 1903, the date on which Mr. J. C. Arbuthnott, C.I.E., I.C.S., Deputy Commissioner, first grade, returned to duty from privilege leave:—

Mr. F. C. Henniker, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, first grade, to revert to his substantive appointment of Deputy Commissioner, second grade.

Mr. A. H. Cuming, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, second grade, to be Deputy Commissioner, third grade, sub. *pro tem.*

Mr. H. C. Barnes, I.C.S. (seconded), and with him Mr. L. O. Clarke, I.C.S., Deputy Commissioners, third grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate as Deputy Commissioners, third grade.

Mr. H. L. Salkeld, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, third grade, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, first grade.

Mr. H. L. Thomas, I.C.S., Officiating Assistant Commissioner, first grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, second grade, sub. *pro tem.*

No. 4379J.—The 19th September 1903.—Babu Mohor Lal De is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Sylhet, to be ordinarily stationed at Habiganj.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3272A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the second half-yearly Departmental Examination in 1903 of the Assistants of the Opium Department will be held at Ghazipur on Thursday, the 5th November 1903.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2285T.R.—The 22nd September 1903.—In continuation of this Department Notification No. 1163T.R., dated the 17th June 1903, Mr. J. L. Baker, Assistant Conservator of Forests, second grade, is promoted to officiate as Assistant Conservator of Forests, first grade, with effect from the 20th May, 1903, *vice* Mr. H. D. D. French, temporarily transferred to the Oudh Circle, United Provinces, as Officiating Conservator of Forests, third grade.

The portion of Notification No. 1122T.R., dated the 17th June 1903, which refers to Mr. J. L. Baker, is cancelled.

Badaon. (Benares Agency.)

No. 2252T.R.—The 21st September 1903.—Mr. C. S. Delmerick, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Badaon, is granted privilege leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1903. This cancels so much of the Notification No. 1635T.R., dated the 18th August 1903, as relates to the grant of six weeks' privilege leave to Mr. Delmerick.

Benares Agency.

No. 2298T.R.—The 27th September 1903.—Mr. C. F. Russell, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Agency, on leave, reported his departure from India on the afternoon of the 5th September 1903.

Bhagalpur and Monghyr.

No. 2255T.R.—The 21st September 1903.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 109A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the District Judge of Bhagalpur and Monghyr to be a Special Judge for the purpose of hearing appeals from the decisions of Revenue Officers under sections 105 to 108 (both inclusive) of the said Act.

No. 2294T.R.—The 23rd September 1903.—Babu Debendra Nath Bose, Sub-Deputy Collector, who was employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Backergunge, is transferred, as an Assistant Settlement Officer, to the district of the Sonthal Parganas, with effect from the forenoon of the 9th July 1903, the date on which he joined his present appointment.

Backergunge.
Sonthal Parganas.

No. 2347T.R.—The 24th September 1903.—Under the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (1) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, and extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, excepting the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 721, dated 9th February 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights be prepared in respect of all lands included within the external boundaries of thanas Silli, Karra, and Bano, in the district of Ranchi.

Ranchi.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;
(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, under-raiyat or other tenant, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;
(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;
(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;
(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;
(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;
(*g*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;
(*h*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;
(*i*) the name of each landlord, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the lands cultivated by each landlord;
(*j*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

No. 2388T.R.—The 26th September 1903.—The Notification No. 1962T.R., dated the 4th September 1903, published on page 1177, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, allowing Mr. N. D. Beatson Bell, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, at present employed as Settlement Officer of Backergunge, privilege leave for three weeks, is hereby cancelled.

Backergunge.

No. 2397T.R.—The 27th September 1903.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to vest Mr. H. W. Biggie, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, with the powers of an Assistant Superintendent of Survey in the districts of Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, and Purnea.

Darbhanga.
Bhagalpur.
Purnea

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1859T.G.—The 24th September 1903.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, is published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

A. EARLE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1616—73-2, dated Simla, the 11th September 1903.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture.

THE following draft of a notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 80 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883 (XXI of 1883), is published, as required by section 81 of the said Act, for the information of persons likely

to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on or after the 19th October 1903.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date fixed aforesaid will be considered by the Governor-General in Council

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power conferred by section 80 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883 (XXI of 1883), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that in Schedule F. (A)—*Duration of Emigration Season*—to the rules as published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 94-E, dated the 18th March 1886, and subsequently amended, the following amendment shall be made, namely :—

In the second column for the word "7th July" substitute "1st July."

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2386T.F.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Bhujendra Nath Mukerjee, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of income-tax in the district of Mymensingh, *vice* Babu Sarat Kumar Raha, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Mymensingh.

No. 2391T.F.—The 28th September 1903.—In continuation of Notification No 1764T.F., dated the 31st August 1903, it is hereby notified that Mr. A. P Bonnaud, 1st Assistant Collector of Customs, Calcutta, is granted an extension of privilege leave for two months, with effect from the 27th August 1903.

Calcutta.

L. P. SHIRREFF,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2533T.M.—The 26th September 1903.—Captain H. B. Meakin, I.M.S., Officiating Professor of Pathology, Medical College, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave combined with furlough for one year, viz., privilege leave for two months and twenty-two days under article 250 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 2nd July 1903, and furlough for the remaining period under article 746 (1) of the Army Regulations, Vol. I, Part I.

Calcutta.

No. 2555T.M.—The 26th September 1903.—Dr Umes Chunder Mukerjee, Civil Surgeon, Birbhum, is allowed privilege leave combined with leave on private affairs for six months, with effect from the 15th October 1903, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, viz, privilege leave for one month and fourteen days under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on private affairs for the remaining period under article 337 of those Regulations.

Birbhum.

L. P. SHIRREFF,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3724A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

Nos. 3292A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Sidheswar Mukerjee, Munsif of Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed to be a Munsif in Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Ranchi, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50 within the local limits of the Ranchi Munsifi.

Hooghly.
Chota Nagpur.

No. 3294A.D —The 28th September 1903.—Babu Sasi Bhusan Sen, Munsif of Ranchi, in Chota Nagpur, on leave, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Arambagh.

Chota Nagpur.
Hooghly.

No. 3296A D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Chuni Lal Basu, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Arambagh, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Sasi Bhusan Sen, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 3360J.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Babu Guru Das Ghose is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Satkhira, in the district of Khulna.

Khulna.

LEAVE.

No. 3720A —The 25th September 1903.—Babu Okhoy Coomar Mitra, Munsif of Motihari, in the district of Saran, is allowed leave for four months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of that granted to him on the 27th April 1903.

Saran.

RESIGNATION.

No. 3353J.D.—The 26th September 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Dr. Abdul Wajid Khan Choudhari of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Satkhira Independent Bench, in the district of Khulna.

Khulna

POWERS.

No. 3145A.D.—The 24th September 1903.—Babu Hem Chandra Mitter, Munsif of Banka, in the district of Bhagalpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Banka Munsifi.

Bhagalpur

No. 3166A.D.—The 25th September 1903.—In modification of the order contained in the Notification of Government No. 224A., dated the 17th January 1903, Babu Krishna Lal Dey, Deputy Magistrate, Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, with effect from this date.

Hooghly.

No. 3227A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Babu Bhabataran Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate, Kurigaon, Rangpur, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Rangpur.

No. 3259A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Atul Chandra Dutt, Deputy Magistrate, Dinajpur, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Dinajpur.

No. 3361J.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Babu Guru Das Ghose, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Khulna.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3532J.—The 24th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the police-station at Goas, in the district of Murshidabad, has been moved from its present site at Goas to Raninagar, with effect from the 10th August 1903, and that the thana will henceforth be known as the Raninagar thana.

Murshidabad.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 26th September 1903.

No. 54.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose,

viz., for a cross-dam over Serampur khal, in the village of Lakhipur, pargana Hatiagar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 10 cottahs and 14 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Plot No. I.—On the north and west by Bhutnath Purkait's land and Government embankment and on the south and east by Bhutnath Purkait's land and Serampur khal;

Plot No. II.—On the north and west by Bhutnath Purkait's land and Serampur khal, and on the south and east by Bhutnath Purkait's land and Government embankment,

are required within the aforesaid village of Lakhipur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 25th September 1903.

No. 198R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for siding No. 4, Jamwadoba Loop, for the Indian Collieries Syndicate (Agents, Messrs. Kilburn & Co.) on the Midnapore-Jherria extension of the Railway, in the villages of Nanikdih, Bhatgurh, and Jamwadoba, pargana Jherria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 acres 12·15 poles, being equivalent to 39 bighas 10 cottahs 15 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Nanikdih, Bhatgurh, and Jamwadoba.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause 1 of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Jherria district, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Mahuda.

No. 199R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for the South Bihar Railway Company's proposed brick field at Tilaiya Station, in the district of Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose land measuring, more or less, 3·97 acres, bounded on the north and east by the land of the Company, on the south by the village land of Barapali, and on the west by the village land of Chotapali, is required in or near the village Chotapali.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause 1, Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer of Gaya.

No. 200R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a brickfield between miles 61 and 63, Gaya-Katras Railway (Plateau section), in the village of Dasara, tahsil Kodarma, district Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 27·16 acres, bounded on the north, east and west by the land of the village of Dasara, and on the south by the land of the Kasor river, is required within the aforesaid village of Dasara.

Mines of coal, ironstone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur.

No. 201R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Benga that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for extension of assisted siding at Bararee for Messrs. M. L. Laik and Banerjee, in the village of Bholan Bararee, pargana Jheriah, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that fo the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 17 cottahs 2 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 1 rood 5·29 poles), bounded on the north and east by the land belonging to the East Indian Railway Company, and on the south and west by the fallow land of Jheriah Raj, is required within the aforesaid village of Bholan Bararee.

Mines of coal, ironstone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

No. 202R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for the construction of the new crossing station (Muradi) at mile $\frac{6}{10}\frac{14}{0}$ on the Asansol Branch of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the village of Ashoradi, pargana Chowrashi, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 rood 28·85 poles, being equivalent to 1 bigha 6 cottahs of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Ashoradi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Chakardharpur district, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Chakardharpur.

No. 203R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for an assisted siding for Kirkend Colliery of East Kirkend Coal Company on Damuda Branch, East Indian Railway, in the villages of Khoira and Kirkend, pargana Jheriah, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 18 cottahs 4·22 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 1 acre 1 rood 6·97 poles), bounded on the north by the land belonging to the East Indian Railway, on the south and west by the lands of Babu N. L Ghosh, and on the east by the land of the East Indian Coal Company, is required within the aforesaid villages of Khoira and Kirkend.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, at Asansol.

No. 204R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for the construction of a new crossing station (Khajura) at mile $\frac{6}{11}\frac{02}{0}$ on the Asansol Branch of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the village of Sonera, pargana Chowrasi, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 rood 33·4 poles, being equivalent to 1 bigha 7 cottahs 12 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Sonera.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Chakardharpur district, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Chakardharpur.

No. 205R.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the Paimar river diversion in the 6th mile of the Gaya-Katras Railway (Plains section), in the village of Amri, tahsil Sonout, district Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·23 acres, bounded on the north by the land of the Gaya-Katras Railway main line, on the east by the land of the Paimar river, on the west and south by the land of the village of Amri, is required within the aforesaid village of Amri.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, at Manpur.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 25th September 1903.

No. 117 Marine.—The following abstract account of the receipts and payments of the Orissa Ports for the year 1902-1903 is herewith published for general information under section 36, sub-section (2) of the Indian Ports Act, 1889 :—

RECEIPTS.	Balasore.	Cuttack.	Puri.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
Opening balance on 31st March 1902.	.....	...	...	8,301 4 2
Port dues	3,299 6 1	8,329 13	1,676 4	13,305 7 1
Sale-proceeds of tools of Shortt's Island.	.....	...	...	.....
Light-house	163 10 0	..	...	163 10 0
Sale-proceeds of old stores .	23 12 3	...	...	25 12 3
Price of Shortt's Island light sold to Burma Government.	7,678 12 9	...	...	7,678 12 9
Miscellaneous	.....	69 9	1 2	70 11 0
GRAND TOTAL	... ..	...	...	29,543 9 3

DISBURSEMENTS.	Balasore.	Cuttack.	Puri.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Percentage charges of Banking establishment.	76 13 0	.....	...	76 13 0
Light-house establishment.	. ..	.....	...	.....
Establishment charges ...	452 4 8	.....	377 6 9	829 11 0
Stores	252 9 2	.....	...	252 9 2
Contingencies	6 9 9	.....	23 11 1	30 4 10
General management—				
Port Officer's pay ...	3,631 10 0	.....	...	3,631 10 0
Travelling allowance of Port Officer.	647 0 5	... ..	...	647 0 5
Establishment	1,484 12 9	1,139 11 9	..	2,624 8 6
Contingencies	306 9 2	74 1 6	...	380 10 8
Vessels and boats—				
Dockyard services and supplies.	4,025 2 8	422 13 3	105 8 9	4,553 8 8
Miscellaneous—				
Pension and gratuity ...	54 14 9	3,946 10 0	...	4,001 8 9
Public Works	83 0 0		...	83 0 0
Total ...	11,021 5 11	5,593 4 6	506 10 7	17,121 5 0
Added Presidency charges made by Accountant-General, Bengal.	.....	... ..	...	293 12 6
Amount debited through Military exchange account (Bengal Command).	.....	.....	...	+6 15 7
Total ...	....	.....	...	+6 15 7 / 17,415 1 0
Balance in hand on 31st March 1903.	.....	.....	...	+ 12,128 8 3* / —6 15 7
GRAND TOTAL ...	.....	... .	...	29,543 9 3

* Rs. 12,121-8-8.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 25th September 1903.

No. 118 Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 44 of the Chittagong Port Commissioners' Act, 1887, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to exempt such goods from the payment of the river-due leviable on goods shipped into a sea-going vessel under section 33A of that Act, as amended by Act IV of 1903, as have paid the river-due when landed at that port from a sea-going vessel if the same goods are again shipped into a sea-going vessel within a period of six months from the date of payment of the due on being landed.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 25th September 1903.

No. 119 Marine.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in Bhavnagar, it is hereby notified for general information, that Bhavnagar is declared an infected port, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea issued by Government will be enforced in the ports of Orissa and in the port of Chittagong against vessels arriving from Bhavnagar.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 28th September 1903.

No. 120 Marine.—Mr. R. A. Hopkins, Acting Branch Pilot, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the forenoon of the 27th September 1903, *vice* Mr. W. R. Williams, Branch Pilot, retired.

W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3725A.

No. 3230A.D.—The 26th September 1903.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Maulvi Amiruddin Ahmed, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Shahabad, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Shahabad

No. 3251A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Kali Mohan Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th October 1903.

Hooghly.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

No. 3156A.D.—The 25th September 1903.—Babu Nibaran Chandra Sen is appointed to act as Rural Sub-Registrar of Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Mukunda Lall Ganguli, or until further orders.

Faridpur.

No. 3290A.D.—The 28th September 1903.—Babu Krishna Dhon Mullik is appointed to act as Rural Sub-Registrar of Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Gobinda Chandra Datta, or until further orders.

24-Parganas

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1279P.D.—The 23rd September 1903.—The Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the removal of the head-quarters of the office of Joint Sub-Registrar of Kishorganj at Badla, in the district of Mymensingh, from Badla to Karimganj.

Mymensingh

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1323P.D.—The 26th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under the provisions of section 7 of the Indian Registration Act, III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the permanent retention of the Sub-Registry Office at Ghatsila, in the district of Singhbhum, which was opened as an experimental measure under Government Notification No. 154P.D., dated the 11th June 1898.

Singhbhum.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9803, dated Calcutta, the 25th September 1903.—Major N. P. Sinha, I.M.S., made over charge of the Burdwan Jail to Lieutenant-Colonel J. ffrench-Mullen, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 1st August 1903.

M. S. EMERSON,
for *Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Jails, Bengal.*

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2746D., dated Darjeeling, the 19th September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Sures Chandra Mitra is appointed to do supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the 10th September 1903.

No. 2750D., dated Darjeeling, the 19th September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Sarat Chandra Datta is appointed to do supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the 9th September 1903.

No. 2766D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Sasi Bhusan Mukerjee, officiating at the Tamluk subdivision and Dispensary, in the Midnapore district, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 2769D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Gones Chandra Mitra, officiating at the Hatwa Raj Dispensary, in the Saran district, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 2772D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Jogendra Nath Bose, officiating at the Cox's Bazar subdivision and Dispensary, in the Chittagong district, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 2775D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Chuni Lal Nandi, officiating at the Naogaon subdivision and Dispensary, in the Rajshahi district, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 2778D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Shaikh Elahi Bukhsh, officiating at the Kishoregunge subdivision and Hybutnagar Dispensary, in the Mymensingh district, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 2781D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Benode Behari Ghosal, officiating at the Jangipore subdivision and Dispensary, in the Murshidabad district, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 2784D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Narendra Nath Basu, officiating at the Eastern Bengal State Railway Hospital at Chitpore, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 2787D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Joy Krishna Gupta, officiating at the Contai subdivision and Dispensary, in the Midnapore district, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 2790D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Satis Chandra Banerji (I) is appointed temporarily to the Begusarai fubdivision and Dispensary, in the Monghyr district, in place of the local native doctor, Babu Jodu Nath Ghosh.

No. 2831D., dated Darjeeling, the 22nd September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Basanta Kumar Sen, of the Narayanganj subdivision and Dispensary, in the Dacca district, is allowed privilege leave combined with furlough for one year two months and ten days, viz., privilege leave for two months and ten days under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the same Regulations.

No 2834D., dated Darjeeling, the 22nd September 1903.—Assistant Surgeon Mohendra Nath Dutt, on being relieved of his present officiating duties at the Motihari Dispensary, is appointed to act at the Narayanganj subdivision and Dispensary, in the Dacca district, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Basanta Kumar Sen, or until further orders.

S. H. BROWNE, M.D., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspr.-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Orissa Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notifications Nos. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, and 337T.—M., dated 9th June 1897, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 9 A.M. on Thursday, the 22nd October 1903, at the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack.

2. Every candidate must produce a certificate of training and a certificate of age and previous education, as required by Rule 9 (*vide* Government of Bengal Notification No. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1896, and circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Calcutta Hospitals with his Circular No. 60, dated 5th December 1896).

3. All male candidates either belonging to the Vernacular Medical Schools or to the outside dispensaries must forward to the Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack, an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the 22nd October 1903. Female candidates will be examined free of charges.

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

5. No candidate for the Compounder's examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to Rules 9, 10 and 12 (*a*) and (*b*), and of the persons granting the certificates to Rules 13 and 14 (3) and (4) and to the certificate, Forms C and D, in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification No. 4042Medl., dated 2nd November 1896.

J. T. CALVERT, M.B. (LOND.), MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.

MEDICAL SCHOOL, CUTTACK, *the 9th September 1903.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

MAULVI SYED ABDUS SALEK, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Birbhum Treasury, *vice* Babu Harish Chandra Banerjee, retired, and authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

N. L BAGCHI, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN, CHINSURA, *the 26th September 1903.*

Sheriff's Office, the 30th September 1903.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1903 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the thirtieth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

W. A. BANKIER, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৩ সাল তারিখ ৩০শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে ঐবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৩ সালের ৩০শে নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৩ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ডব্লিউ, এ, ব্যাঙ্কিয়ার, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the second half-yearly departmental examination in 1903 of Assistant Collectors and others serving in the Orissa Division will be held at the Orissa Commissioner's Office at Cuttack at 11 A.M. on Monday, the 16th November 1903, and the two following days.

K. G. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

ORISSA COMMR.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 22nd September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that upon the result of the Entrance Examination to be held in 1904 being known, five third grade junior scholarships allotted to the Chittagong Division will be distributed as follows:—

Tippera	...	...	...	2
Noakhali	...	...	...	1
Chittagong	...	...	...	1
Chittagong Hill Tracts		...	...	1
				5

In the event of the scholarship allotted to the Chittagong Hill Tracts not being taken up by an aboriginal candidate, it should be awarded to an eligible candidate of other creed or district, backward races having a preferential claim.

C. J. S. FAULDER, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 23rd September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that for the ensuing half-yearly departmental examination of Junior Civilians, Deputy Magistrates and others, to be held at 11 A.M. on the 16th November 1903 and the two following days, a Local Examination Committee will be convened at the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at No. 3 Charnock Place, Calcutta, for officers employed in the districts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

KRISHNAKALI MUKHARJI, *Personal Asst.*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., *the 8th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Addenda and corrigenda to the publication containing the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to 31st December 1902).

No. 3.

IN rule 2 of the rules that issued under Notification No. 3959B., dated the 29th April 1903, regarding the payment of refunds of duty on salt bonded in Inland Bonded Warehouses, published in Part I, pages 554-555 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th May 1903, and incorporated in pages 67-68 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 31st December 1902), *for* the words "Rule 25 of the rules published at page 1329, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th December 1900," *substitute* the words "Rule 33 of the rules published under Government Notification No. 1390T.—F., dated the 6th July 1903, in Part I, pages 922-932 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th July 1903," and *strike out* the foot-note on page 68.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

H. WHEELER, *Secretary.*

No. 8791B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1901-1902, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 12th October 1903, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,000 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,000
Total	...	4,000

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 25th November 1902, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 17th and 27th October 1903, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 17th October 1903, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 27th October 1903.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Monday, 2nd November 1903 ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd December „ ...	2,000	2,000	4,000
Total ...	4,000	4,000	8,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

E. H. WALSH, for *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 31st August 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power delegated to Commissioners of Divisions by the Bengal Government notification No. 1095T.M., dated the 12th June 1903, under section 30 (2) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884, as amended, I sanction the exclusion from the operation of section 69 of that Act, so far as relates to the repairs and maintenance of road, of that portion of the Muzaffarpur-Hajeepur road between the first and second milestones which lies within the limits of the Muzaffarpur Municipality.

2. I also authorize the transfer to the charge of the District Board of Muzaffarpur of the portion of the road thus excluded from Municipal control.

H. LUSON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 25th September 1903.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under Rule 15 of the Municipal Election Rules, that Friday, the 13th November 1903, is fixed as the date for holding a bye election of a Commissioner for Ward No. I of the Faridpur Municipality to fill up the vacancy caused by the resignation of Babu Purna Chandra Majumdar.

GUNGA N. ROY, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 21st September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 28th November 1903, is fixed as the date for holding the seventh general elections of Commissioners of the Jainagar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in the place of those who, having been elected at the sixth general elections held in June 1900, or subsequently thereto, in the place of Commissioners so elected, complete their term of office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act as amended up to November 1896.

KRISHNAKALI MUKHARJI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 26th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the general election held on the 22nd August 1903, under the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the following gentlemen were duly elected as Commissioners of the Raniganj Municipality, in the district of Burdwan:—

Ward No. I.

1. Babu Chatto Lal Marwari.
2. „ Bepin Behary Bonnerjee.
3. „ Krishna Dhan Roy.

Ward No. II.

1. Babu Kedar Nath Marwari.
2. „ Bisseswar Marwari.
3. Munshi Mobarak Ali.

Ward No. III.

1. Babu Jagannath Marwari.
2. „ Bhagwan Das Marwari.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Dispensary at Kundi, in the district of Rangpur:—

1. Babu Gangadhar Roy Chowdhuri, Zamindar, Sadyapushkarini.
2. „ Manish Chandra Roy Chowdhuri, Zamindar, Sadyapushkarini.
3. „ Manindra Chandra Roy Chowdhuri, Zamindar, Sadyapushkarini, and Honorary Magistrate.
4. „ Purna Chandra Roy Chowdhuri, Zamindar, Gopalpur.
5. „ Mirtunjay Roy Chowdhuri, Zamindar, Sadyapushkarini, and Honorary Magistrate.
6. „ Kali Pada Chatterjee, Zamindar, Gopalpur.
7. „ Madhav Chandra Bhowmik, Dewan and Jotedar, Sadyapushkarini.
8. „ Rajani Kanta Banerjee, Patnidar, Sadyapushkarini.
9. „ Tarak Nath Chatterjee, Muktear.
10. „ Golok Nath Banerjee, Medical Practitioner, Gopalpur.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commissioner, Rajshahi.*

DARJEELING, *the 19th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, that the District Board of Mymensingh, at its meeting held on the 31st August 1903, appointed Maulvi Syed Shamsuddin Ahmed to be a member of the Phulpur Dispensary Committee, *vice* Babu Kali Kumar Bhattacharji.

GUNGA N. ROY, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

DACCA COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 21st September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual that Pundit Rukmini Kanta Bhattacherya has been appointed an additional member of the Committee for the management of the Price Charitable Dispensary at Naugaon in Rajshahi.

H. C. WILLIAMS, *Offg. Commissioner of Rajshahi.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 22nd September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the gentlemen named below have been appointed, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Rules for the management of Hospitals and Charitable Dispensaries, to be members of the Managing Committee for the General Hospital in the district of Chittagong:—

1. The Chairman of Port Commissioners.
2. Rai Nityananda Rai Bahadur, Port Commissioner.
3. The Chairman, Municipality.
4. Babu Satis Chandra Sen, Municipal Commissioner.
5. The Chairman, District Board.
6. Babu Durga Das Das, Member, District Board.
7. Agent, Assam-Bengal Railway.
8. The Civil Surgeon.
9. The Chaplain.
10. Kumar Ramani Mohun Roy, Zamindar.
11. Babu Jatra Mohen Sen, Pleader.
12. „ Prasanna Kumar Roy, Zamindar.
13. Maulvi Salamat-Ali Khan, Zamindar.
14. „ Aman Ali, Pleader.
15. Babu Nemai Charan Das, Medical Practitioner.
16. „ Durga Das Dutta, Medical Practitioner.
17. Maulvi Abdul Aziz, Translator, Judge's Court.

C. J. S. FAULDER, *Commissioner.*

CHITTAGONG *the 26th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN modification of this office notification, dated the 14th June 1902, published in page 906, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 18th June 1902, it is notified for general information that Babu Bishnu Pado Bidyanidhi and Babu Pyari Mohan Ganguli have been appointed members of the Balagor Union Committee, in the district of Hooghly, respectively, in the places of Babu Chandi Charan Mazumdar, resigned, and Babu Beni Madhab Ganguli, deceased.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 26th September 1903.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Union Committees of Jagatballabhpur and Domjur, in the district of Howrah. This notification supersedes all previous notifications on the subject :—

Jagatballabhpur Union Committee.

Babu Behari Lal Roy.	Babu Behari Lal Saha.
„ Bhola Nath Chakravarti.	Kazi Abdul Aziz.
„ Bhuban Mohan Bose.	Babu Ashutosh Banerjee.
„ Monmatha Nath Ghosal.	„ Nanda Lal De.

Babu Surendra Nath Chakravarti.

Domjur Union Committee.

Babu Naba Krishna Mukerjee.	Babu Nanda Lal Bag.
„ Bholanath Chatterjee.	„ Priya Nath Mukerjee.
„ Satkouri Mukerjee.	„ Hari Das Ghose.
„ Dina Nath Mukerjee.	„ Kshetra Nath Mukerjee.

Babu Gyanada Charan Mukerjee.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 26th September 1903.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India."*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 24th September 1903.

No. 489.—The services of Mr. A. R. Edwards, of the Indian Civil Service, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

MEDICAL.

The 24th September 1903.

No. 1129.—Captain C. A. Lane, M.D., Indian Medical Service, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Puri, is appointed to officiate as Professor of Pathology, Medical College, Calcutta, during the deputation of Major F. J. Drury, M.B., Indian Medical Service (Bengal), as Principal and Professor of Medicine of that College and First Physician, College Hospital, or until further orders, with effect from the 6th July 1903.

H. H. RISLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 22nd September 1903.

No. 2243 E.C.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the provisional appointment of Doctor Benode Behari Banerjee as Consul for Liberia at Calcutta.

L. W. DANE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information.

W. C. MACPHERSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 25th September 1903.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS AND RESIGNATIONS.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 977.—Honorary Captain and Paymaster William Leslie, V.D., resigns his commission, with effect from the 22nd August 1903, and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of the Corps.

Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 979.—George Kenyon Rogers, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, with effect from the 1st April 1903, *vice* Sitwell, promoted.

E. G. BARROW, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2504T.M.—The 22nd September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under sections 16 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Bari to be a Commissioner of the Faridpur Municipality, in the district of Faridpur, *vice* Babu Kamini Kumar Mukherji, resigned.

Faridpur.

No. 2535T.M.—The 26th September 1903.—It is hereby notified that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Backergunge :—

Backergunge.

Local Boards by which elected.	Names of Members
Sadar ...	Rai Dwaraka Nath Dutt Bahadur.
	Babu Rajani Kanta Das.
	„ Jogesh Chandra Sen.
	„ Sarat Chandra Guha.
	Syed Abdul Wahid Chowdhury.
Pirojur ...	Maulvi Syed Obedulla.
	Babu Khosal Chandra Ray.
Patuakhali ...	Babu Akhil Chandra Roy.
	„ Bepin Chandra Sen.
Bhola ...	Babu Sarada Prosad Sarkar.
	„ Gour Kisore Chatterjee.

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board :—

The Civil Surgeon of Backergunge ... }
The Deputy Inspector of Schools, Backergunge ... }
The Road Cess Deputy Collector, Backergunge ... } *Ex-officio.*
The Settlement Officer, Backergunge ... }
The Subdivisional Officer of Pirojpur ... }
The Subdivisional Officer of Patuakhali ... }
Mr. H. L. Weatherall.
Maulvi Himayatuddin Ahmed.
Babu Promatha Nath Mukerjee.
„ Prosanna Kumar Bose.
Maulvi Obedul Gani.
Mr. R. G. G. Brown.

The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, under section 10 of the Act, Babu Devendra Nath Dutta to be a member of the Board.

No. 2552T.M.—The 26th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Dainhat Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of sections 224-227, 229-231, 234-235, 249, 250, 251B, 251C, 254-256, 257, 260, 260A, 262A, 265, 266, 268, 269, 270, clauses (1) (2), (3), 271 (except so far as it relates to section 238), 272, 273, clause (1), so far as it relates to section 235, 273, clause (2), so far as it relates to section 262A, 273, clause (5), 274 and 278 of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Burdwan.

No. 2558T.M.—The 26th September 1903.—In supersession of this Department Notification No. 2024T.M., dated the 27th August 1903, Mr. B. Parkes, Superintending Engineer, Central Circle, is appointed to officiate as Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. A. E. Silk, or until further orders.

No. 2599T.M.—The 28th September 1903.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the rules framed under section 138 (*a*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to fix Wednesday, the 2nd December 1903, as the date for holding an election, under section 19 of the Act, in thana Charghat, in the district of Rajshahi, for the purpose of filling the vacancy in the representation of that thana on the Sadar Local Board caused by the resignation of Mr. J. M. Goulding.

Rajshahi.

No. 2601T.M.—The 28th September 1903.—Whereas a notification No. 1751T.M., dated the 14th July 1903, was published at page 145, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd July 1903, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of Part X of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, to the Santipur Municipality, in the district of Nadia, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Santipur Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said Municipality.

Nadia.

L. P. SHIRRES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Cuttack, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon on Monday, the 9th November 1903, corresponding to the 24th Kartik 1311 Amli.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway fencing or plough the land closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of the sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the order of the Board confirming the sale.

Lot Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from the sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reason for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Cuttack ...	Killah Sukinda, mauza Muntlia.	47 and 48	East and West.	.....	34 1 2*	.....	.....	....	Bounded on the north by mauza Donasahi and Jogerv, on the south by mauza Brundaipur and Merjetpur, on the east by Chokna and on the west by Digamberpur and Kusupur. *The Bhauria numbers are given below:— 1, 73, 79, 37, 38, 2, 31, 3, 47, 99, 105, 106, 112, 4, 14, 5, 6, 79, 89, 103, 7, 39, 53, 59, 74, 76, 95, 8, 9, 110, 10, 18, 19, 52, 80, 117, 11, 12, 13, 25, 26, 27, 28, 73, 113, 15, 16, 17, 84, 93, 20, 21, 22, 30, 46, 23, 36, 62, 65, 75, 24, 29, 32, 39, 54, 55, 56, 58, 66, 68, 85, 97, 92, 104, 110, 31, 40, 49, 34, 37, 38, 41, 43, 57, 35, 42, 61, 44, 63, 45, 48, 50, 51, 102, 60, 70, 64, 67, 83, 69, 71, 107, 77, 82, 86, 90, 101, 94, 96, 97, 98, 114, 100, 108, 109, 111, and 116.

The 15th September 1903.

W. F. C. MONTRIOU, Deputy Collector, *for* Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on on before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the date to be fixed for the sale of the estates in arrears of revenue for the kist of September 1903 for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A P
1356/4	Badooraj, Panapur, Noorjahan Begam, tuppa Bhutsala, pargana Bisara.	17,594 1 5	.....	Separate account, 2a. 8p 8kt. 5mt 10 [illegible]d.	Musamat Nanhi Begam and others.	2,794 11 6	....	164 7 0	On account of arrears of land revenue due for kist June 1903. 164 7 0
1356/14	Ditto	17,594 1 5	.....	Separate account, 7p. 9kt. 9mt. 1½d.	Musamat Noor Jahan Begam *alias* Imami Begam and others.	657 13 9	.....	149 10 1	Ditto. 149 10 1
3618/Rs.	Gobindpur, Raghunandan, pargana Hajipur.	2,670 6 11	.....	Residuary share, 8 annas in each of the following villages—Gobindpur, Aspatpur Singhia, Sadullahpur, Malipur, Sohrabpur, Chuk Mohamad, Saifpur Deora, Dharampur, Panapur Daud, Gumti, Saidpur, Rajauli, Saidpur Rajauli Hissa, Ismailpur, Daulatpur, Bhadai Chuk, Gaziadam, Ibrahimpur Karunpoora, Harauli with Fatehpur, Gaura.	Avadh Bihari Narain Singh and others.	1,207 2 9	.....	261 8 0	Ditto. 261 8 0
				Temporarily-settled Estate.					
18906	Dumri Kalam, 4 annas, pargana Goa	663 0 0	Entire estate.	.....	Harinundon Sahai and others.	.....	641 4 0	.....	On account of arrears of land revenue due up to kist June 1903.

Muzaffarpur Collectorate, the 22nd August 1903.

E. V. LEVINGE, Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 9th November 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Cuttack will be put for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th day of November 1903 at 12 A.M. for the said arrears:—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of the demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
26	Ta. Sunderpur, pargana Jajpur.	1 092 5 9	Whole ..	.....	Sahadeb Rai and others.	.....	350 12 5		Civil Court attachment.
65	Ta. Bhimkarpur, pargana ditto.	.....	.....	13a. 10p. 11kt. 14b.	Chandra Sekher Mahapatra	668 1 8	.	56 4 3	Ditto.
2175	Ta. Madhysaasan, pargana Hariharpur.	.....	.. .	12a. 2p. 14kt. 1b. 13g. 2c.	Jasoda Kuaur, mother and guardian of Ganesh Prasad Bhagat, minor.	1,474 13 5	.	270 12 7	Ditto.

Cuttack Collectorate, the 31st August 1903

F. N. FISCHER, Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz, the 28th September 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the date which will be fixed for sale for the arrears of September 1903

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2188	Rairee Raghunathpur, pargana Chainpur.	Rs A. P. 589 4 6	Whole		Suraj Narain Singh, self and guardian of Adil Prasad Singh	Rs A. P	Rs A. P. 185 7 6	Rs. A. P.	There is Rs 185-7-6 arrear in this estate and attachment as well. The sale will be held with the arrears of September last 1903.
2908 Joint	Umapur, pargana Chainpur.	5,042 6 4		The jimah share to be sold is in villages:— As P Patilahang . 13 9 Umapur ... 1 3 Sahijna . 4 3 Chandrauli ... 16 0 Sarisan 8 6 Sotwan Bisopur 5 8 Semaria ... 8 0 Choukhanda ... 16 0 Chak Bhagwat 8 0 Harkatea 8 0 Abidoura ... 16 0 Kutmanpur ... 16 0 Dohaipatsarwa 8 0 Sureebalbhadarpur .. 4 3 Kishunpura 9 9 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Ram Chandrika Dube and others.	2,011 13 1		243 13 7	There is Rs 243-13 7 arrear in this estate and attachment as well. The sale will be held with the arrears of September last 1903.
9664	Shankarpur Torar *alias* Kutubpur, pargana Barahgawan.	3,218 2 0	Whole		Hazari Lal Sahu and others.	.....	5,062 1 4	...	There is Rs. 5,062-1-4-5, old arrear, in this estate and attachment as well The sale will be held with the arrears of September last 1903.

Shahabad Collectorate, Arrah, the 14th September 1903

R. G. KILBY, Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th October 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1298	Estate Panchannagram pargana Calcutta, Division 6, subdivision 1, holding No 141.	Rs A. P. 1,175 13 3	Whole	.....	Padma Mani Debi, Hara Sundari Debi and, Akshoy Kumar Haldar	.....	Rs A. P 422 9 3	...

24 Parganas Collectorate, the 16th September 1903

HIRA LAL SEN, *for* Collector, on tour.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated in the district of Shahabad, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on the 23rd November 1903, corresponding to the 18th Agrahan 1311 Fusli, at the Collectorate Shahabad.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the distributary or plough the land closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sales.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Shahabad	Mauza Mianpur, Bairanpur pargana Chausa.	.....	...	4 13 12	2 3 38	.	.....		*North.*—Village Mianpur, *siradi* land of Ram Lakhan Rai. *South.*—Village Bairanpur, *sirait* land of Ram Lakhan Rai of Ramnur, village Mianpur, *sirait* of Sahdeo Rai of Rampur. *East.*—Ramnur distributary. *West.*—Village Mianpur, owners Ram Lakhan Rai, Dudnath Rai, Madho Dass. The land is *parti*, not cultivated by any one.

Shahabad Collectorate, the 19 h September 1903.

M. AZHAR, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the mokarari right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Bankura, will be put up to sale at the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Vishnupur on the 2nd November 1903, corresponding to 16th Kartic 1310, Bengali era.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which has been fixed by Government at Rs. 150. The purchaser will acquire the mokarari right to 7½ bighas of jumai land in mauza Panseuli, for which an annual rental of Rs. 24-4 is payable to the superior landlord.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—Since the amount of purchase money will exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres	Rent	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
	Pargana Vishnupur, Panseuli ...	7½ bighas, or about 2½ acres.	Rs. a. 24 4	Mokarari tenure.

Bankura, the 16th September 1903.

A. B. BOSE, Subdivisional Officer.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th October 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1903 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
478	Pargana Chandrakona, mahal Kuldaha.	Rs. A. P. 10,784 7 2	Nil ...	S. A. No. I	Paran Chandra Ray and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,875 13 8	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 338 4 2	Rs. A. P. Land revenue. 338 4 2 Road cess— 57 10 0

L. BIRLEY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Midnapore (on tour).

Midnapore Collectorate, the 14th August 1903.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., 8th November 1903, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Balasore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th February 1904 at 12 A.M. for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. (a)	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
810 1/1.	Tk. Hirapur, pargana Talsobang.	1,339 0 0	Share ...	6a. 7p. 8b....	Guru Prasad Kar and Naran Prasad Kar and others, of Nabra, pargana Nangleswar, and others.	574 15 14	.....	464 11 2½	Land revenue. For 1903, November kist. Estate under attachment by order of Judicial authority.
822 1/1.	A. P. mauza Brahmapur, pargana Talsobang.	2,141 0 0	Do. ...	13a. 2p. ...	Chintamoni Parida and Loke Nath Parida, of Kundal, pargana Basta, and others	1,761 13 10	.....	878 3 7	Ditto.
809	Tappe Channa, pargana Satmalang.	664 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Mana Raut, of Salputta, pargana Chanua, and others.	.....	322 10 7	.....	Ditto.
124 1/1.	A. D. mauza Dolsahi, pargana Senaut.	9,889 0 0	Share ...	3a. 11p. 18kt. 14b. 4g. 2k.	Sarbeswar Jena, of Khosalpurbindha, pargana Bayang, and others.	2,469 6 8	.....	1,234 9 1	Ditto.
48 1/1.	Mauza Dorora, pargana Senaut.	1,304 0 0	Do. ...	10a. 8p. ...	Jadu Nath Prasad De, of Damoderpur, pargana Sunhat, and others.	869 5 4	....	434 10 8	Ditto.
3030 1/1.	Kt. tk. Narayanpur, pargana Sahebnagar.	640 0 0	Do. ...	12a. 9p. ...	Nidhi Panda, of Damoderpur, pargana Sahebnagar.	510 0 0	.....	243 14 11	Ditto.

(a) All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Balasore Collectorate, the 21st September 1903.

W. EGERTON, Collector.

APPENDIX XXX.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Barsoe-Kissenganj line of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the district of Purnea, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Tuesday, the 17th November 1903, corresponding with the 12th Aughrahan 1311 Fusli, at the Purnea station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of the original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each plot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each plot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
									Between Railway chainage Nos.—	
1	Purnea ..	Tajpur, Raghunathpur ...	1	On both the sides of the Railway line between Barsoe and Kissenganj.	2 5 9·32	0 3 0·55			4 and 4 1/16	
2	Do. ..	Badore, ,, ...	1		6 4 0·94	2 0 8·09			4 1/16 and 5 1/16	
3	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	2		4 8 5·26	1 1 34·11			5 1/16 and 6	
4	Do. ..	,, Imadpur ...	2		25 9 4·44	8 1 26·35			6 and 10 3/16	
5	Do. ...	Sujanager, Bajidpur ...	2		1 7 7·77	0 1 32·69			10 1/16 and 10 7/16	
6	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	3		6 0 7·59	1 3 38·61			10 7/16 and 11 3/16	
7	Do. ...	Asja, Sholpur ...	3		9 15 4·94	3 0 36·52			11 3/16 and 12 1/16	
8	Do. ...	Badore, Alipur	3		19 8 14 84	6 1 28·17			12 1/16 and 13 7/16	
9	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	4		10 8 7·84	3 1 31·38			13 7/16 and 17 1/16	
10	Do. ...	Tajpur, Sitalpur	4		25 19 16·48	8 2 14·29			17 1/16 and 21 1/16	
11	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	5		17 18 11·48	9 0 37 00			21 1/16 and 26 1/16	
12	Do. ...	,, Kanela	5		2 9 12·94	0 3 11·71			26 1/16 and 26 3/16	
13	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	6		31 18 15·77	10 2 9·88			26 3/16 and 31 1/16	
14	Do. ...	,, Basatpur	6		1 4 5·07	0 1 24·31			31 1/16 and 31 3/16	
15	Do.	Badore, Niamatpur ...	6		0 13 8·83	0 0 35·34			31 3/16 and 31 11/16	
16	Do. .	,, ,, ...	7		3 7 11·13	1 0 19·03			31 11/16 and 32 1/16	
17	Do. ..	Tajpur, Basatpur	7		6 19 3 91	2 1 8 25			32 1/16 and 33 3/16	
18	Do. ...	Kadwa, Bhulkat	7		9 11 11·95	3 0 27·10			33 3/16 and 34 1/16	
19	Do. ..	Haveli, Dubi Subi ...	7		18 15 2·81	6 0 32·20			34 1/16 and 36 1/16	
20	Do. ...	Badore, Malore ...	7		3 3 3·13	1 0 7·13			36 1/16 and 37	
21	Do. ...	Tajpur, Jagti Sonarpur ...	8		4 5 3·26	1 1 20·16			40 1/16 and 40 1/16	
22	Do.	Badore, Malore	8		68 0 12·07	22 1 38 69			37 and 40 1/16; 40 1/16 and 42 1/16.	
23	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	9		5 3 0·06	1 2 32·41			42 1/16 and 42 3/16	
24	Do. ..	,, Raghunathpur or Rangmatia.	9		19 5 4·82	6 1 18 98			42 3/16 and 46	
25	Do. ...	,, Kastadampur ...	9		3 18 1 93	1 1 6·60			46 and 46 3/16	
26	Do. ...	,, Maladampur ...	9		6 7 5·82	2 0 16 83			46 3/16 and 47 3/16	
27	Do. ...	,, Anjhrail	10		20 4 5·77	6 2 37·40			47 3/16 and 50 1/16	
28	Do. ...	,, Sultanpur	10		6 3 15·97	2 0 7·12			50 1/16 and 51 1/16	
29	Do. .	,, Gursawalpur ...	10		7 3 6·16	2 1 19·20			51 1/16 and 52 1/16	
30	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	11		7 8 4·32	2 1 32·12			52 1/16 and 53 1/16 and also at 54 1/16.	
31	Do.	,, Rupokhar ...	11		16 0 15·66	5 1 6·87	Nil ..	Nil	53 1/16 and 56 1/16	
32	Do. ..	,, Joki	11		8 19 0·91	2 3 33·54			56 1/16 and 57 1/16	
33	Do. ..	Tajpur, Korhi Sihipur ...	11		2 14 4·17	0 3 23·50			57 1/16 and 58 1/16	
34	Do. ..	,, ,, ,, ...	12		20 10 6·18	6 3 5·32			58 1/16 and 62 1/16	
35	Do. ...	,, Tilia	12		8 1 3·72	2 2 26·40			62 1/16 and 63 3/16	
36	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	13		13 8 0·24	4 1 28·80			63 3/16 and 65 1/16; and also at 66 1/16	
37	Do. ..	,, Mahishampur ...	13		13 11 13·40	4 1 38·91			65 1/16 and 66; 66 1/16 and 68 3/16.	
38	Do. ...	Badore, Hardwar ...	13		1 4 14 39	0 1 25·85			68 3/16 and 68 7/16	
39	Do. ...	,, ,,	14		13 18 6·91	4 2 16·88			68 7/16 and 70 3/16	
40	Do. .	Tajpur, Bankipur ...	14		17 12 11·56	5 3 12·82			70 3/16 and 73 1/16	
41	Do. ...	,, Bankipur-Hajarpur.	15		4 13 14 21	1 2 5 80			73 1/16 and 74 1/16	
42	Do. ...	,, Sisabari Palsa ..	15		6 19 6 03	2 1 8·00			74 1/16 and 76 1/16	
43	Do.	,, Hajarpur Palsa	15		14 17 15 04	4 3 28·04			76 1/16 and 79 1/16	
44	Do. ..	,, ,, ,, .	16		19 14 5·12	6 2 2·63			79 1/16 and 79 7/16	
45	Do. ..	,, Lohagarh ...	16		34 5 10·40	11 1 13 39			80 1/16 and 85 1/16	
46	Do. ..	,, Kirora	16		15 15 9·57	5 0 34 64			85 1/16 and 84 1/16	
47	Do.	,, Thora	17		28 10 4 01	9 1 29·25			84 1/16 and 89 1/16	
48	Do. ...	,, Dalkola	17		0 2 1·68	0 0 5·00			At No. 89 1/16	
49	Do. ...	,, Kirora	18		1 1 4·40	0 1 16·28			89 1/16 and 90	
50	Do. ...	,, Dalkola	18		31 19 11·18	7 1 2·84			90 and 93 1/16	
51	Do. ...	Badore, Gotibari ...	18		31 15 0·91	10 1 30·49			93 1/16 and 96 1/16	
52	Do. ...	,, Silinga ...	18		5 0 3·25	1 2 15·00			96 1/16 and 96 3/16	
53	Do. ..	,, ,, ...	19		26 1 8·76	8 2 18·30			96 3/16 and 98 1/16	
54	Do. ...	,, Chalour	19		3 15 0·50	1 0 38 43			98 1/16 and 99 1/16	
55	Do. ..	,, Goalgaon ...	19		7 8 2·32	2 1 31·79			98 1/16 and 99; 99 1/16 and 100 1/16	
56	Do.	Sripur, Gangol	19		1 2 7 70	0 1 19·47			100 1/16 and 100 3/16	
57	Do.	,, ,, ...	20		3 11 12·41	1 0 29 82			100 3/16 and 102	
58	Do. ..	Asja, Lohasara	20		6 8 14 80	2 0 20·06			100 3/16 and 103 1/16	
59	Do.	Surjapur, Malkote ...	20		16 14 4·08	5 2 4·13			102 1/16 and 105 1/16	
60	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	21		20 14 18·87	6 3 17·17			105 1/16 and 109 1/16	

Lot Consecutive No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
									Between Railway chainage Nos.—	
61	Purnea ..	Surjapur, Kamalpur ...	21	On both the sides of the Railway line between Barsoe and Kissenganj.	5 16 15·87	1 3 29·40			109 and 110	
62	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	22		5 4 13·24	1 2 37·23			110 and 111	
63	Do. ...	,, Surjapur ...	22		20 16 4·36	6 3 20·87			111 and 116	
64	Do. ..	,, ,, ...	23		7 17 2·01	2 2 15·54			116 and 118	
65	Do. ...	,, Pichla Dumaria	23		14 8 12·74	4 3 3·76			118 and 120	
66	Do. ...	,, Konab ...	23		5 15 0 28	1 3 24·18			120 and 121	
67	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	24		3 2 5·04	1 0 4·95			121 and 121	
68	Do. ...	,, Gorhsirar ...	24		13 12 1·09	4 1 39·52			121 and 124	
69	Do. ...	,, Bagdiar	24		5 7 9·70	1 3 4·88			124 and 124	
									125 and 126	
70	Do. ..	,, Madhusikor ...	24		5 2 10·03	1 2 31·41			124 and 125	
									125 and 126	
71	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	25		7 17 4·96	2 2 6·11			126 and 131	
72	Do. ...	,, Sahaspur ..	25		16 10 0·88	5 1 32·37			131 and 132	
73	Do. ..	,, Deogaon ...	25		8 16 12·06	1 1 2·99			132 and 134	
74	Do. ...	,, Hatigaon ...	26		3 3 9·00	1 0 8·10			134 and 136	
75	Do. ...	,, Deogaon ...	26		18 8 4·94	6 0 14·04			136 and 137	
76	Do. ...	,, Basaipur ...	26		3 11 9·06	1 0 29·27			137 and 138	
77	Do. ...	,, ...	27		31 2 4·84	10 1 5·76			138 and 139	
78	Do. ...	,, Simulia ..	27		15 9 1·02	15 0 17·36			139 and 140	
79	Do. ...	,, Kanki ...	27		8 19 7·08	2 3 34·56			140 and 142	
80	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	28		9 11 14·31	3 0 27·49			142 and 144	
81	Do. ...	,, Subia ...	28		3 10 10·80	1 0 26·91	Nil ...	Nil ...	144 and 145	
82	Do. ..	,, Dhanji ...	28		13 11 5·35	4 1 37·68			145 and 147	
83	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	29		1 4 15·23	0 1 25·99			147 and 148	
84	Do. ...	,, Suhia ...	29		0 17 15·67	0 1 7·55			148 and 148	
85	Do. ...	,, Manora ...	29		14 11 12·05	4 3 11·88			148 and 151	
86	Do. ...	,, Lihit ...	29		6 13 8·16	2 0 30·44			151 and 153	
87	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	30		24 8 7·26	8 0 11·78			153 and 157	
88	Do. ...	,, Halwar ...	30		3 19 13·15	1 1 11·10			157 and 158	
89	Do. ...	,, Hatwar ...	31		29 1 10·23	9 2 15·32			158 and 163	
90	Do ...	,, ,, ...	32		4 12 0·74	1 3 4·42			163 and 164	
91	Do. ...	,, Bardiha ...	32		14 17 5·51	4 3 24·20			164 and 167	
92	Do. ...	,, Mahadipur ...	32		9 19 14·81	3 1 8·73			167 and 169	
93	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	33		0 6 9·87	0 0 17·50				
94	Do. ...	,, Mahidore Mailtola.	33		21 4 13·71	7 0 3·59			169 and 172	
95	Do. ...	,, Rampur ...	33		6 0 2·99	1 3 37·55			172 and 174	
96	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	34		0 15 11·92	0 1 1·64			174 and 174	
97	Do. ...	,, Dekabhija ...	34		6 0 14·06	1 3 39·68			174 and 175	
98	Do. ...	,, Machwara ...	34		6 17 6·92	2 1 3·79			175 and 177	
99	Do. ...	,, Khagra ...	34		7 13 7·81	2 2 5·92			177 and 179	
100	Do. ...	,, ,, ...	35		7 16 12·93	2 2 14·70			179 and 180	
101	Do. ...	,, Dumaria Kutailganj.	35		3 17 2·92	1 1 4·12			180 and 183	
102	Do. ...	,, Kantaibari ...	36		18 19 15·22	6 1 4·83			185 and 185	
		Dengraha Ghat siding on the Barsoe-Kissenganj line of the Eastern Bengal State Railway.								
103	Do. ...	Tajpur Dalkola	1 and 2	On both the sides of the Railway line.	18 0 4·07	5 3 33·74	Nil ...	Nil ...	1 and 7	
104	Do. ...	,, Dhukaria Kole ...								
					24 9 7·05	8 0 14·39				

Purnea Collectorate, the 23rd September 1903.

J. H. LEA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th October 1903 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3093 / 2100 / 1513	Thanas Patia, town Rauzan, Satkania and Hathazari, taraf Krishna Kishore Kanungoe.	Rs. A. P. 645 6 7	A share will be sold.	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859. Only share No. 1, Fazal Ahmed and others, will be sold.	Fazal Ahmed Choudhri and Bazal Samad Choudhuri.	Rs. A. P. 524 15 6	.....	Rs. A. P. 656 0 10

The amount shown in column 8 above represents the arrears remaining unpaid on the 23th May 1903.

Chittagong, the 25th August 1903.

F. P. DIXON, Collector.

INSOLVENT ESTATES.

QUARTERLY STATEMENT MADE UP TO 31ST DECEMBER 1902.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	WHOLE DISBURSEMENTS.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Alexander & Co. ...	2,91,087 1 9	2,32,428 3 10	48,899 13 8	9,789 0 3	8,954 5 1	804 11 2	Nothing further recoverable.
Adam, Scott & Co. ...	1,31,609 5 4	1,06,547 4 0	23,086 5 1	1,975 12 3	1,109 15 0	865 13 3	Ditto ditto.
Anderson & Co., William ...	2,678 8 1	.....	1,845 4 3	833 3 10	625 11 6	207 8 4	Ditto ditto.
Allen, Deffell & Co. ...	1,57,553 10 4	1,26,068 13 5	30,521 2 3	968 10 8	946 1 5	22 9 3	Ditto ditto.
Asiatic Marine Insurance Office ...	8,40,361 11 1	6,92,443 5 11	1,38,990 12 9	8,927 8 5	8,621 4 0	306 4 5	Ditto ditto.
Anstruthers & Co. ...	17,005 3 3	7,366 11 6	3,747 4 1	5,891 3 8	5,496 3 11	394 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Arrakie, J. G. ...	1,024 5 6	52 6 1	394 15 9	576 15 8	129 2 7	447 13 1	Ditto ditto.
Alexander Wallace & Co. ...	24,142 11 7	16,356 2 7	6,404 3 1	1,382 5 11	1,268 10 4	113 11 7	Ditto ditto.
Anderson, George ...	1,806 12 6	.....	953 9 3	853 3 3	733 0 2	120 3 1	Ditto ditto.
Atkinson, W. L. & Co. ...	17,234 12 9	5,630 9 6	8,863 2 11	2,741 0 4	2,058 0 4	683 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Audhur Chunder Shaw ...	18,849 9 11	8,134 4 9	8,242 15 4	2,472 5 10	1,207 3 3	1,265 2 7	Ditto ditto.
Andrews, J. ...	1,939 8 5	950 10 0	348 5 8	640 8 9	45 3 3	595 5 6	Ditto ditto.
Anderson, G. (2nd) ...	4,963 9 4	2,759 15 3	1,560 1 9	643 8 4	292 7 1	351 1 3	Ditto ditto.
Albertini, Ceasar (F. Acerboni & Co.) ...	20,143 7 1	15,348 8 6	2,086 13 1	2,708 1 6	147 3 9	2,560 13 9	Ditto ditto.
Ayacoob Hadjee Abdool Rohomon ...	11,461 10 3	7,959 6 6	2,088 9 11	1,413 9 10	1,299 3 10	114 6 0	Ditto ditto.
Anundo Mohun Dutt and another ...	3,739 2 3	530 1 1	2,540 9 5	668 7 9	668 7 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Adam Ahmed ...	7,545 1 7	5,330 4 5	1,296 2 3	918 10 11	918 10 11	.....	Ditto ditto.
Ashutosh Mookerjee ...	22,977 6 11	.....	12,428 12 9	10,548 10 2	.....	10,548 10 2	Outstanding : in course of recovery.
Abdool Gunny ...	2,646 14 0	.....	1,177 6 2	1,469 7 10	.....	1,469 7 10	Ditto ditto.
Akhoy Kumar Chuckerbutty ...	2,501 3 9	.....	116 0 8	2,385 3 1	.....	2,385 3 1	Ditto ditto.
Anundram ...	1,291 7 6	.....	26 4 6	1,265 3 0	.....	1,265 3 0	Ditto ditto.
Akhoy Kumar Mookerjee ...	5,768 12 0	.....	2,307 9 9	3,461 2 3	.....	3,461 2 3	Ditto ditto.
Balfour & Co. ...	5,61,316 3 6	3,04,469 3 4	2,55,181 14 1	1,665 2 1	713 10 2	951 7 11	Nothing further recoverable.
Boyd & Co. ...	30,673 14 3	10,773 10 4	13,425 1 11	6,475 2 0	6,364 3 4	110 14 8	Ditto ditto.
Bruce Shand & Co. ...	8,36,536 3 5	4,96,777 1 0	3,32,316 3 0	7,442 15 5	6,618 1 2	824 14 3	Ditto ditto.
Brunet Saliz & Latapie ...	15,235 0 0	8,047 9 5	5,625 0 5	1,562 6 2	1,445 10 8	116 11 6	Ditto ditto.
Bodry, John (1st) ...	1,705 7 1	79 1 11	547 6 0	1,078 15 2	582 1 8	496 13 6	Ditto ditto.
Blueth, James ...	873 0 0	40 0 11	222 14 2	610 0 11	610 0 11	.....	Ditto ditto.
Bagat, W. M. ...	4,149 4 9	49 3 7	3,498 4 2	601 13 0	392 4 5	209 8 7	Ditto ditto.
Bhubun Mohan Mitter ...	4,000 0 0	.....	2,163 7 9	1,836 8 3	1,794 12 6	41 11 9	Ditto ditto.
Bisso Nath Mandal and others ...	2,200 4 7	.....	.....	2,200 4 7	.....	2,200 4 7	Ditto ditto.
Bodry, John (3rd) ...	4,425 4 6	1,112 3 5	2,384 6 10	928 10 3	642 13 0	285 13 3	Ditto ditto.

Baboo Lal Shaw and others .	1,35,530 2 7	89,288 14 9	30,736 10 9	15,504 9 1	15,257 1 1	247 8 0	Ditto ditto.
Buldeo Das (Buldeo Dass Chuttoor-bhooj).	3,802 8 1	1,424 5 4	985 1 6	1,392 12 3	1,386 12 11	5 15 4	Ditto ditto.
Bhoremull Gondaka .	16,319 3 6	11,202 10 2	3,226 1 6	1,890 7 10	1,760 10 11	129 12 11	Ditto ditto.
Bungshee Dhur Khettry and others (Naunoo Mull Khettry).	1,01,279 10 2	79,164 14 6	16,555 1 2	8,559 10 6	8 078 2 10	481 7 8	Ditto ditto.
Belletty, M. ..	6,180 0 0	1,024 13 10	116 13 10	538 4 4	370 9 10	167 10 6	Ditto ditto.
Bhoobun Mohun Bannerjee ..	1,58,927 12 8	36,824 1 11	1,16,251 7 2	5,852 3 7	5,823 11 6	28 8 1	Ditto ditto.
Bhola Nath Dass .	3,100 0 0	29 11 2	2,449 11 7	620 9 3	521 5 11	96 3 4	Ditto ditto.
Brewcester, C. C., and William Nicoll (Wilson, Mackenzie & Co.).	794 0 10	......	. ..	794 0 10	......	794 0 10	Ditto ditto.
Baker, F. W. (separate account) ...	2,337 15 3	1,010 14 10	123 9 0	1,203 7 5	1,157 14 6	45 8 11	Ditto ditto.
Bheekum Chand Ratty ..	1,452 6 4	857 10 8	74 6 5	520 5 3	286 10 5	233 10 10	Ditto ditto.
Bungsheedhur Singania (Kriparam Sookdoyal).	2,849 2 6	157 4 11	1,661 8 10	1,030 4 9	937 2 11	93 1 10	Ditto ditto.
Benode Kanto Nathuck and another ...	562 13 6	......	30 15 2	531 14 4	.. ..	531 14 4	Ditto ditto.
Bhujendra Bhusun Chatterjee ..	3,580 10 3	893 4 8	629 15 10	2,057 5 9	725 5 5	1,332 0 4	Ditto ditto.
Beer Nursing Dutt ..	92,826 10 5	8,383 10 10	78,633 12 6	5,409 3 1	2,124 12 5	3,684 6 8	Ditto ditto.
Bhoyrub Dan and another (Bhoyrub Dan Lab Chand).	7,705 11 10	5,435 3 9	902 10 0	1,367 14 1	9 12 9	1,358 1 4	Ditto ditto.
Bhubun Mohun Dass ...	1,698 0 0	465 4 1	71 2 9	1,161 9 2	695 11 7	465 13 7	Ditto ditto.
Bucktwar Chand and Balkissen (Johur Mull Bucktwar Chand).	46,979 12 3	25,247 13 8	11,168 14 10	10,562 15 9	9,215 13 11	1,347 1 10	Outstanding . in course of recovery.
Brij Mohon Dobay ...	24,652 13 0	......	23,617 9 2	1,035 3 10	......	1,035 3 10	Nothing further recoverable.
Bal Chand Neem Chand ...	3,894 9 0	... .	1,303 1 6	2,591 7 6	......	2,591 7 6	Ditto ditto.
Briggs, W. M. ...	1,360 13 0	211 3 2	37 1 11	1,112 7 11	268 11 10	843 12 1	Ditto ditto.
Bowen, S. W. ...	1,581 7 0	......	......	1,581 7 0	..	1,581 7 0	Ditto ditto
Bal Chand Soorana ...	1,575 0 0	......	......	1,575 0 0	. ..	1,575 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Barrow, C. F. ...	6,479 7 4	2,873 7 0	293 10 0	3,312 6 4	2,474 2 2	838 4 2	Ditto ditto.
Beer Chand Coondoo and another ...	2,201 8 8	642 5 3	968 9 6	590 9 7	590 9 7	... .	Ditto ditto.
Bilosroy Khemka ...	4,874 14 0	......	171 5 6	4,703 8 6	.....	4,703 8 6	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
Brault, A. ...	1,348 14 0	......	106 3 10	1,242 10 2	.....	1,242 10 2	Ditto ditto.
Colvin & Co ...	1,84,427 8 8	1,36,470 10 10	31,298 10 8	16,660 3 2	6,586 15 0	10,073 4 2	Nothing further recoverable.
Cruttenden, Mackillop & Co ..	99,959 11 1	72,895 6 5	20,263 11 4	6,800 9 4	5,743 13 4	1,056 12 0	Ditto ditto.
Cockerell & Co ...	17,19,733 5 0	3,86,102 12 10	13,26,584 4 11	7,046 3 3	6,701 5 10	344 13 5	Ditto ditto
Canny Lall Burral and another ...	21,208 5 11	17,472 10 1	2,990 11 5	745 0 5	632 14 3	112 2 2	Ditto ditto.
Crompton, G. F. ...	5,413 5 4	2,747 14 8	2,124 12 6	540 10 7	487 13 3	52 13 4	Ditto ditto.
Cannyram Choonee Lall ...	9,623 9 3	5,676 2 8	2,212 5 4	1,735 1 3	1,523 9 7	211 7 8	Ditto ditto.
Charles, Nephew & Co ...	5,15,143 12 9	3,99,340 6 4	98,146 12 8	17,656 9 9	15,958 7 10	1,698 1 11	Ditto ditto.
Castello, M. G. ...	3,201 7 9	2,227 5 6	264 10 2	709 8 1	372 14 3	336 9 10	Ditto ditto.
Carr, Robert ...	11,349 8 8	9,779 11 7	966 1 8	603 6 5	603 6 5	......	Ditto ditto.
Cantopher, Robert ...	907 10 6	196 15 8	167 15 9	542 11 1	542 11 1	.. ...	Ditto ditto.
Child, W. C. ...	22,090 10 0	16,599 6 0	4,704 11 10	786 8 2	691 4 8	95 3 6	Ditto ditto
Christophoridi, C. ...	5,587 12 2	4,099 9 3	697 9 10	889 9 1	787 10 5	92 14 8	Ditto ditto.

Estates.	Whole amount of receipts.	Whole Disbursements.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Cole, George (Perry & Co.) ...	3,018 10 4	1,310 12 1	937 1 11	770 12 4	770 12 4	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Colville, Gilmore & Co. ...	1,77,543 10 8	7,983 5 7	88,649 4 8	80,911 0 5	72,059 10 2	8,851 6 3	Ditto ditto.
Chatta Lall Sewprasad ...	44,733 11 0	19,348 5 2	19,610 14 10	5,774 7 0	5,632 1 11	142 5 1	Ditto ditto.
Conti, G. A. ...	3,567 10 8	849 7 7	1,092 4 4	1,625 14 9	383 3 11	1,242 10 10	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, S. E., and E. E. Cohen ..	1,806 3 0	280 1 10	1,012 9 4	513 7 10	317 12 5	195 11 5	Ditto ditto.
Chunder Kanto Shaw ..	43,972 1 6	6,315 7 7	36,831 6 6	825 2 5	825 3 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Coleman, C. ...	1,716 8 0	986 7 5	119 3 2	610 13 5	610 13 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Coverjee Bomanjee ...	985 6 6	157 11 7	59 6 8	768 4 3	690 2 6	78 1 9	Ditto ditto.
Collins, W. R. ...	3,581 6 8	.....	.....	2,581 6 8	.....	2,581 6 8	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, J. A. (2nd) ...	2,303 6 7	.....	1,374 11 7	1,228 11 0	1,160 3 1	68 7 11	Ditto ditto.
Croft, J. R. and another (Croft, Wells & Co.).	9,022 11 6	.....	4,704 0 0	4,318 11 6	.....	4,318 11 6	Ditto ditto.
Chogmull Chatta Lall ...	3,237 12 6	591 10 6	1,493 3 4	1,152 14 8	343 15 0	808 15 8	Ditto ditto
Chand Mull Jurwar Mull ...	9,658 11 6	5,973 10 4	2,699 14 2	985 3 0	803 8 10	181 10 2	Ditto ditto.
Choonee Lall Boid and another (Chogmull Maloom Chand).	6,620 14 3	3,404 8 1	1,736 2 0	1,480 4 2	1,227 3 6	253 0 8	Ditto ditto.
Clark, A. M. (J. H Fergusson & Co.) ...	23,198 8 2	12,913 0 9	7,606 9 11	2,678 13 6	1,482 12 5	1,196 1 1	Ditto ditto.
Cowie, David and another (Colvin Cowie & Co.).	1,63,262 10 11	91,447 1 7	64,117 5 4	7,698 4 0	6,904 4 0	794 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Choonee Lall Doodhuria ...	1,990 12 3	.....	60 15 3	1,929 13 0	.....	1,929 13 0	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, A. A. ...	1,672 2 0	.....	.....	1,672 2 0	.....	1,672 2 0	Outstanding : in course of recovery.
Chooney Lall Oswal ...	3,597 4 3	.....	220 4 0	3,377 0 3	.....	3,377 0 3	Ditto ditto.
Dove, J. M. ...	12,991 0 0	10,202 12 8	2,214 0 8	574 2 8	316 11 4	257 7 4	Nothing further recoverable.
DeSilva, John Emanuel ...	14,275 15 10	11,131 11 5	894 2 6	2,250 1 11	1,936 3 6	313 14 5	Ditto ditto.
Dickson, William ...	1,843 0 2	1,039 2 3	297 0 3	506 13 8	506 13 8	.....	Ditto ditto.
Dorret Brothers ...	2,164 9 6	34 7 9	1,470 1 6	660 0 5	660 0 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
DeSouza, John ...	1,334 0 3	.....	805 9 0	528 7 3	.....	528 7 3	Ditto ditto.
Dumat, Alfred ...	6,224 5 6	1,051 12 9	2,024 3 5	3,148 5 4	2,815 3 0	333 2 4	Ditto ditto.
Durrand, Edward ...	2,223 1 6	816 5 4	890 8 5	516 3 9	479 10 8	36 9 1	Ditto ditto.
Dennison, G. R. ...	29,828 14 7	26,967 6 10	1,607 6 4	1,254 1 5	787 0 0	467 1 5	Ditto ditto.
Duff, David ...	2,137 12 9	1,041 8 5	489 15 9	606 4 7	483 9 4	122 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Deno Nath Paul ...	834 4 3	.....	119 12 9	714 7 6	.....	714 7 6	Ditto ditto.
Dwarka Nath Mitter ...	5,938 12 0	731 10 10	4,641 13 5	565 3 9	447 8 9	117 11 0	Ditto ditto.
Deno Nath De ...	12,218 11 11	7,804 8 7	2,315 6 4	2,098 13 0	1,631 1 4	467 11 8	Ditto ditto
Dan ender Dass ..	4,018 15 9	1,715 1 4	999 14 6	1,303 15 11	1,160 13 4	143 2 7	Ditto ditto.

Debrunner, Julius ...	65,912 4 7	58,106 7 4	7,188 1 7	617 11 8	491 5 3	126 6 5	Ditto ditto.
Doyal Chand Pyne and another ...	54,590 3 0	174 8 0	52,107 10 5	2,308 0 7	......	2,308 0 7	Ditto ditto.
Dawood Khan Esabhoy ...	1,797 8 9	31 11 4	1,238 4 7	527 8 10	190 5 0	337 3 10	Ditto ditto.
Debnarain Bysack and another ...	5,691 14 6	3,385 4 9	1,447 4 7	859 5 2	859 5 2	......	Ditto ditto
Dwarka Nath Daw and another ...	7,866 9 6	4,736 7 9	1,980 12 10	1,149 4 11	904 10 3	244 10 8	Ditto ditto.
DeSantos, R. J. ...	2,050 7 2	795 0 0	649 1 5	606 5 9	3 11 8	602 10 1	Ditto ditto.
Dhurrum Chand (Golab Chand Dhurrum Chand).	22,338 2 10	15,042 4 3	3,184 10 7	4,111 4 0	2,697 3 11	1,414 0 1	Ditto ditto.
Dover, M. ...	3,495 14 9	1,358 3 4	1,439 13 1	697 14 4	285 11 9	412 2 7	Ditto ditto.
Dhattry Coomar Shaw ...	8,307 9 7	4,126 14 1	1,725 13 0	2,454 14 6	347 11 8	2,107 2 10	Ditto ditto.
Durant, W. E. ...	3,903 3 9	......	1,150 5 0	2,752 14 9	......	2,752 14 9	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
Debendro Nath Chunder (separate account)	3,364 14 10	......	2,060 0 0	1,304 14 10	......	1,304 14 10	Ditto ditto.
Duncan, Charles ...	5,925 0 0	......	5 7 0	5,919 9 0	......	5,919 9 0	Ditto ditto.
Ewing, Aird and Anderson ...	3,11,328 1 8	59,611 6 10	2,42,032 15 9	9,678 11 1	9,516 3 7	162 7 6	Nothing further recoverable.
Elias, M. B. ...	7,233 13 6	3,428 10 7	1,268 15 10	2,541 3 1	2,218 0 3	323 2 10	Ditto ditto.
Eagleton, F. A. ...	3,653 3 6	72 11 2	2,841 4 4	739 4 0	446 0 1	293 3 11	Ditto ditto.
Espino, Manuel Del ...	3,800 1 3	1,419 8 11	1,298 6 11	1,082 1 5	935 15 7	146 1 10	Ditto ditto.
Emmett, C. H. and J. W. Chambers (Emmett and Chambers).	23,491 8 3	8,799 11 3	13,092 11 0	1,599 2 0	1,581 15 11	17 2 1	Ditto ditto.
Elias Joseph Hyaaun (E. J. Elias & Co.)	5,883 7 6	......	... ..	5,883 7 6	... ..	5,883 7 6	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
Fergusson & Co. ...	1,96,005 7 4	1,48,653 6 2	33,097 7 10	14,254 9 4	11,828 3 11	2,426 5 5	Nothing further recoverable.
Fergusson Brothers ...	1,47,924 5 4	68,637 12 4	75,113 15 2	4,172 9 10	3,761 0 8	411 9 2	Ditto ditto.
Foster, Rogers & Co. ...	6,376 9 10	857 3 7	2,294 7 11	3,224 14 4	2,542 11 8	682 2 8	Ditto ditto.
Fabian, E. D. ...	776 10 0	263 3 3	... ...	513 6 9	.. ...	513 6 9	Ditto ditto.
Ferris, G. R. ..	2,650 0 0	67 7 6	813 2 3	1,769 6 3	1,292 1 6	477 4 9	Ditto ditto.
Fanshaw, R. F. ...	876 0 10	176 8 6	96 15 1	602 9 3	425 4 7	177 4 8	Ditto ditto.
Fornaro, C. (Fornaro and Huni) ...	27,288 4 3	17,381 1 4	9,001 15 7	905 3 4	453 12 4	451 7 0	Ditto ditto.
Forbes, H. F. ...	3,000 0 0	497 8 0	1,248 15 7	1,253 8 5	21 8 0	1,232 0 5	Ditto ditto.
Freck, D. ...	504 10 6	......	.. ..	504 10 6	. ...	504 10 6	Ditto ditto.
Floyd, E. M. ...	614 0 9	......	......	614 0 9	.....	614 0 9	Ditto ditto.
Gilmore & Co. ..	47,269 5 4	23,186 11 8	19,717 10 7	4,362 15 1	......	4,362 15 1	Ditto ditto.
Griffiths, Curtis & Co. ...	49,784 9 8	23,262 15 3	19,201 1 0	7,320 9 5	6,991 13 5	328 12 0	Ditto ditto.
Gordon, Stewart & Co ...	78,153 10 4	39,924 6 8	35,568 12 4	2,690 7 4	2,632 0 10	58 6 6	Ditto ditto.
Goberdhone Mullick ...	2,880 14 9	1,371 10 5	963 12 4	545 8 0	473 12 3	71 11 9	Ditto ditto.
Gubboy, A. J. ...	9,055 7 0	6,088 9 2	2,075 4 0	891 9 10	565 5 11	326 3 11	Ditto ditto.
Gocool Doss Soonderjee ..	18,266 14 1	11,879 7 1	5,760 12 11	626 10 1	584 4 8	42 5 5	Ditto ditto.
Golaub Chand Hem Chand .	1,586 2 0	......	200 9 0	1,385 9 0	....	1,885 9 0	Ditto ditto.
Gulam Hossain Virjee ...	1,26,756 14 4	40,928 6 8	85,314 2 4	514 5 4	318 1 0	196 4 4	Ditto ditto.
Ghaseeram ...	38,350 5 10	10,535 5 6	25,967 15 3	1,847 1 1	1,231 11 2	615 5 11	Ditto ditto
Ghose, R. G. & Co. ...	29,911 1 2	21,218 2 4	7,954 3 8	738 11 2	536 2 0	202 9 2	Ditto ditto.
Gregory, M. ...	17,186 2 5	12,174 13 6	4,154 14 4	856 6 7	717 5 5	139 1 2	Ditto ditto.
Gasper, N. M. ...	7,010 0 9	4,872 0 8	607 12 0	1,480 4 1	1,188 9 1	291 11 0	Ditto ditto.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	WHOLE DISBURSEMENTS.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Gubboy, E. S. ...	53,783 3 0	17,176 15 8	36,070 3 1	536 0 3	432 14 9	103 1 6	Nothing further recoverable.
Gilmore, J. A. G. ...	512 8 0	.....	.....	512 8 0	.....	512 8 0	Ditto ditto.
Greedhary Lall Kanoy Lall ...	26,621 12 4	15,961 3 1	3,418 3 4	7,242 5 11	7,242 5 11	.....	Ditto ditto.
Gopal Chunder Bose ...	3,891 0 0	2,267 1 4	876 10 0	747 4 8	535 8 6	211 12 2	Ditto ditto.
Gobin Chand Doogur and Setab Chand (Nunsee Inder Chand).	1,07,816 2 7	59,601 10 5	41,217 9 11	6,996 14 3	6,996 14 3	.....	Ditto ditto.
Gray, Walter, and another (Robert and Charriol).	3,14,768 4 0	2,09,594 14 1	48,148 3 10	63,025 2 1	54,570 0 10	8,455 1 3	Ditto ditto.
Grish Chunder Marrick and others ...	13,956 0 5	5,818 11 2	5,481 2 2	2,656 3 1	1,776 13 7	879 5 6	Ditto ditto.
Gopal Chunder Rage ...	2,834 15 3	1,516 0 3	813 12 3	505 2 9	505 2 9	... ..	Ditto ditto.
Greedharee Lall Sadkhan and Cally Churn Sadkhan.	6,246 6 0	400 9 6	4,991 13 2	853 15 4	374 1 3	479 14 1	Ditto ditto.
Gosto Behary Seal ...	34,539 14 3	13,925 9 11	19,941 2 7	673 1 9	559 9 10	114 7 11	Ditto ditto.
Gopee Kanto Sen ...	986 14 1	.....	358 6 0	628 8 1	.....	628 8 1	Ditto ditto.
Gobindram and another ...	7,414 13 3	4,695 3 4	1,957 10 11	761 15 0	761 15 0	.....	Ditto ditto.
Gobin Dass and another ...	2,152 8 8	79 14 9	1,270 14 1	801 11 10	555 7 0	246 4 10	Ditto ditto.
Golabroy & another (Kally Saha Golabroy)	13,975 10 11	8,494 0 6	3,102 8 0	2,379 2 5	2,182 9 11	196 8 6	Ditto ditto.
Gouri Dutt Mooraly Dhur ...	3,601 13 6	.....	1,851 8 6	1,750 5 0	.....	1,750 5 0	Ditto ditto.
Ghunesham Das Chandgotia (Juggernath Sirdar Mull).	24,629 1 1	6,533 5 1	3,460 1 5	14,635 10 7	3,971 5 6	10,664 5 1	Ditto ditto.
Gungaram Domany ...	2,183 2 9	269 6 4	1,253 13 8	659 14 9	239 5 11	420 8 10	Ditto ditto.
Gobindas Domany ...	14,410 1 2	1,415 1 8	12,383 12 4	611 3 2	134 15 4	476 3 10	Ditto ditto.
Griffiths, O. B. (separate account) ...	11,820 7 0	6,861 10 9	356 13 4	4,601 14 11	.....	4,601 14 11	Ditto ditto.
Griffiths, O. B. (W. Moran & Co.) ...	5,58,301 1 3	2,93,276 7 5	2,33,700 5 6	81,324 4 4	2,196 14 4	29,127 6 0	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
Girindra Nath Dass ...	17,085 2 9	3,353 2 10	12,461 1 11	1,215 14 0	468 9 10	747 4 2	Nothing further recoverable.
Gopal Dass Mukerjee ...	648 4 6	.....	104 2 8	544 1 10	.....	544 1 10	Ditto ditto.
Gungadhur and others ...	1,806 3 9	.. ...	673 7 0	1,132 12 9	.....	1,132 12 9	Ditto ditto.
Gasper, E. E. ..	1,665 6 1	.....	188 8 6	1,476 13 7	.....	1,476 13 7	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
Hurry, W. C. ...	2,768 9 2	.....	1,937 14 8	825 10 6	.....	825 10 6	Nothing further recoverable.
Hoffmann & Co. ...	25,170 12 5	6,933 13 3	17,650 8 0	586 7 2	356 3 4	230 3 10	Ditto ditto.
Heera Lall Munna Lall ...	19,704 0 3	8,519 10 5	7,122 11 3	4,061 10 7	4,061 10 7	.....	Ditto ditto.
Hughesdon Brothers ...	2,44,226 5 7	39,290 4 8	2,04,268 13 9	687 3 2	542 5 9	144 13 5	Ditto ditto.
Hoppe, William ...	1,346 8 6	2 0 0	672 1 1	672 7 5	613 3 1	59 4 4	Ditto ditto.
Hudson, Nathaniel ...	2,225 11 3	655 5 6	461 2 1	1,109 3 8	936 15 2	172 4 6	Ditto ditto.
Huffnagle & Co., Charles ..	1,320 4 7	74 9 2	342 4 1	903 7 3	821 11 2	81 12 1	Ditto ditto.
Heeralall Hunmontharam ...	752 14 3	.....	61 0 0	691 14 3	.....	691 14 3	Ditto ditto.

Halloway, William	...	1,055	11	11	76	8	8	324	8	7	654	10	8	614	10	6	40	0	2	Ditto	ditto.
Honigberger, William	...	1,001	5	6	.....			344	0	0	657	5	6	.....			657	5	6	Schedule not filed as yet.	
Hanlon, E.	...	2,069	9	0	152	2	2	1,191	9	4	725	13	6	725	13	6	... ..			Nothing further recoverable.	
Howard Brothers	...	10,421	9	10	6,168	12	7	3,394	13	6	857	15	9	630	5	0	227	10	9	Ditto	ditto.
Hill, James (Berham, Hill & Co.)	...	32,114	9	9	17,374	4	0	10,861	5	8	3,879	0	1	3,489	8	4	389	7	9	Ditto	ditto.
Hurry Narain Khettry	...	10,178	5	9	4,209	9	3	3,808	13	1	2,159	15	5	2,095	4	6	64	10	11	Ditto	ditto.
Hutchting & Co., B. H.	...	4,872	5	3	2,018	15	3	1,846	12	9	1,006	9	3	939	13	7	66	11	8	Ditto	ditto.
Hutcheson, J. H (L. W. Toulmin & Co.)		4,326	0	3	2,036	15	8	507	9	0	1,781	7	7	1,442	7	11	338	15	8	Ditto	ditto.
Heera Lall Dhoodhooriah	...	2,965	14	3	1,498	4	4	357	4	10	1,110	5	1	395	1	10	715	3	3	Ditto	ditto.
Heeranund (Budder Mull Heeranund)	...	1,212	15	3	607	15	1	88	2	1	516	14	1	442	3	11	74	10	2	Ditto	ditto.
Hubbard, C. E.	...	4,154	2	8	2,265	9	3	698	0	2	1,190	9	3	1,190	9	3	.. ..			Ditto	ditto.
Hay, William (Stuart & Co.)	...	1,999	10	3	.....			1,002	3	9	997	6	6	... ..			997	6	6	Ditto	ditto.
Hurro Nauth Mozumdar and others	...	7,700	0	0	3,516	2	0	2,306	7	5	1,877	6	7	1,877	6	7	... ..			Ditto	ditto.
Hurruck Chand and Johoory Mull (Kanoy Lall Hurruck Chand).		12,671	6	0	11,277	7	0	753	15	4	639	15	8	162	4	4	477	11	4	Ditto	ditto.
Hadjee Noor Mahomed Jackeriah	...	1,70,006	13	10	1,08,717	1	0	50,944	7	2	10,345	5	8	4,771	6	7	5,573	15	1	Ditto	ditto.
Heins, G. W. (C. Gould & Co.)	...	12,502	2	11	8,061	15	0	3,726	2	0	714	1	11	579	14	4	134	3	7	Ditto	ditto.
Heera Lall Addy	...	6,132	1	10	1,338	11	2	721	10	5	4,071	12	3	1,947	12	0	2,124	0	3	Ditto	ditto.
Hurro Nath Shaw	..	20,937	1	7	10,292	8	11	5,592	12	11	5,051	11	9	1,030	8	7	4,021	3	2	Ditto	ditto.
Hogg, Thomas (Beak & Co.)	...	1,240	2	0	... ..			6	12	0	1,233	6	0	.....			1,233	6	0	Ditto	ditto.
Hadji Sallay Mahomed Ellias	..	2,341	4	1	1,510	4	5	128	12	3	702	3	5	540	2	10	162	0	7	Ditto	ditto.
Hurry Churn Dey, No. 2	..	1,658	0	9	504	6	0	577	2	6	576	8	3	550	4	1	26	4	2	Ditto	ditto.
Hadjee Hidiatoollah and others	...	1,25,835	9	8	1,01,664	7	6	17,809	4	8	6,361	13	6	6,319	9	3	42	4	3	Ditto	ditto.
Hahn, L. (Rantenberg & Co.)	...	1,436	12	11	.....			.. ...			1,436	12	11	.....			1,436	12	11	Outstanding: in course of recovery.	
Hazareemull	...	1,634	8	0	.....			41	4	6	1,593	3	6	.....			1,593	3	6	Ditto	ditto.
Issur Chunder Mill	...	8,546	1	6	506	12	8	6,175	1	7	1,864	3	8	1,864	3	8	.....			Nothing further recoverable.	
Issur Chunder Sen and another	...	631	14	9	23	7	1	101	0	2	507	7	6	507	7	6	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Issur Dass Juggernath	...	75,994	14	11	61,809	7	10	11,124	12	9	3,060	10	4	1,206	11	3	1,853	15	1	Ditto	ditto.
Issory Prosad and others	...	664	7	0	.....			7	10	6	656	12	6	.....			656	12	6	Ditto	ditto.
Jansen & Co., J.	...	20,002	10	9	139	11	5	15,872	5	0	3,990	10	4	3,766	5	1	224	5	3	Ditto	ditto.
Jeebun Coomari Bibee (Jeeroop Mahur Chand)		1,46,826	1	5	97,382	2	5	29,435	12	11	20,008	2	1	10,501	2	9	9,506	15	4	Ditto	ditto.
Juggessur Laha	...	34,388	4	1	16,701	4	2	15,519	2	4	2,167	13	7	1,851	6	1	316	7	6	Ditto	ditto.
Jadub Chunder Seal	...	2,094	6	7	374	1	10	907	2	9	813	2	0	580	12	8	232	5	4	Ditto	ditto.
Jordon, J. S.	...	5,376	8	0	3,582	9	6	984	15	5	808	15	1	545	0	7	263	14	6	Ditto	ditto.
Juggunpersad	...	960	8	9	.....			223	9	0	736	15	9	.....			736	15	9	Ditto	ditto.
Jacob, Charles	..	933	8	0	.....			415	13	4	517	10	8	454	6	7	63	4	1	Ditto	ditto.
Juddah, S. E.	..	2,186	15	0	.....			1,450	4	7	736	10	5	643	2	11	93	7	6	Ditto	ditto.
Johur Lall Mookim	...	1,656	0	0	648	15	0	262	4	7	744	12	5	373	13	9	370	14	8	Ditto	ditto.
Joakim, M. C.	...	7,754	15	3	4,223	8	11	2,422	12	5	1,108	9	11	838	9	7	270	0	4	Ditto	ditto.
Jogendra Nauth Cowar	...	5,958	0	0	1,391	15	3	3,577	14	3	988	2	6	806	0	9	182	1	9	Ditto	ditto.
Joogul Kissore Sew Lall Futteh Chand	...	9,544	8	6	5,950	3	1	2,262	11	9	1,331	9	8	1,051	7	2	280	2	6	Ditto	ditto.
Jorewas Mull Beganny and another	...	918	15	6	.....			71	8	0	847	7	6	.....			847	7	6	Ditto	ditto.
Johury Lall Paul and another	...	86,842	3	8	44,996	15	7	31,534	7	10	10,310	12	3	8,807	13	2	1,502	15	1	Outstanding: in course of recovery.	

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		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Jumna Dass ...	3,315 4 6	1,083 12 2	1,516 5 1	715 3 3	680 6 9	34 12 6	Nothing further recoverable.
Jewanram and another ...	39,704 3 5	29,473 12 2	9,423 4 3	807 3 0	335 8 2	471 10 10	Ditto ditto.
Jaitroop Chooney Lall ...	8,292 7 2	5,458 4 10	2,081 8 11	752 9 5	752 9 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Juggat Chunder Dutt and another ...	878 3 3	.....	286 6 6	591 12 9	.....	591 12 9	Ditto ditto.
Kemp, H. C. (Te Hyde, Gardiner & Co.)	33,765 12 9	27,374 0 2	5,817 5 1	574 7 6	135 0 4	439 7 2	Ditto ditto.
Kemp, H. C. ...	2,469 15 10	168 12 6	436 2 5	1,865 0 11	1,600 0 0	265 0 11	Ditto ditto.
Khan Mahomed Dhurrumsee ...	55,247 9 0	33,908 1 8	11,149 7 7	11,089 15 10	1,312 7 6	9,777 8 4	Ditto ditto.
Kally Dass Dass and others ...	78,719 13 5	22,069 12 6	46,591 2 0	5,058 14 11	2,359 4 2	2,699 10 9	Ditto ditto.
Kullianjee Soonderjee (Soonderjee, Walljee & Co.)	12,444 6 0	2,351 3 3	6,936 8 0	3,156 10 9	3,093 13 10	62 12 11	Ditto ditto.
Khetter Nath Chatterjee ...	2,371 8 9	.....	1,201 0 5	1,170 8 4	.....	1,170 8 4	Ditto ditto.
Kelly, H. ...	6,800 9 3	4,090 4 11	2,136 11 5	573 8 11	495 2 4	78 6 7	Ditto ditto.
Kyser Mahomed Sahebzadah ...	5,925 0 0	4,687 12 10	564 8 11	672 10 3	662 5 0	10 5 3	Ditto ditto.
Kissory Mohun Chunder ...	3,300 0 0	2,025 2 4	269 4 2	1,005 9 6	590 11 9	414 13 9	Ditto ditto.
Kally Churn Roy ...	510 0 0	.....	4 0 0	506 0 0	.....	506 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Kissen Chand Galoocha (Okhoyram Kissen Chand).	2,43,271 1 11	1,38,446 8 4	96,486 11 0	8,337 14 7	5,641 11 10	2,696 2 9	Ditto ditto.
Khetter Mohun Dass ...	1,133 8 5	.....	456 2 0	677 6 5	.....	677 6 5	Ditto ditto.
Kally Prasanna Bhattacharjee ...	2,327 11 0	.....	796 7 10	1,531 3 2	.....	1,531 3 2	Ditto ditto.
Kasim Arif Bham ...	796 9 3	.....	257 8 0	539 1 3	.....	539 1 3	Ditto ditto.
Kirtybas Paul and another (Annoda Prasad Banerjee and others).	3,976 9 3	.....	2,640 7 7	1,336 1 8	.....	1,336 1 8	Ditto ditto.
Koylas Chunder Sreemany ...	43,215 8 5	12,468 6 4	29,651 8 7	1,095 9 6	783 8 0	312 1 6	Ditto ditto.
Kallypado Nundy ...	660 12 3	.....	139 9 0	521 3 3	.....	521 3 3	Ditto ditto.
Kally Churn Ghose ...	9,432 9 3	5,072 6 4	3,120 12 9	1,239 6 2	670 8 0	568 14 2	Ditto ditto.
King, Loraine ...	8,268 1 11	6,711 14 2	777 3 6	779 0 3	612 15 0	166 1 3	Ditto ditto.
Krieg & Co. ...	4,858 9 2	2,190 2 9	1,188 9 8	1,481 12 9	308 5 7	1,173 7 2	Ditto ditto.
Kissory Chand Sheremull ...	5,756 10 5	2,016 3 1	2,180 1 7	1,560 5 9	1,210 2 9	350 3 0	Ditto ditto.
Kapp, F. ...	942 13 10	.....	428 14 0	513 15 10	.....	513 15 10	Ditto ditto.
Kuladaprosono Ghose ...	2,647 11 9	.....	452 0 0	2,195 11 9	.....	2,195 11 9	Ditto ditto.
Kashi Prosaud Luchmenarain ...	12,000 0 0	5,560 5 6	1,816 0 10	4,623 9 8	2,348 4 0	2,275 5 8	Ditto ditto.
Kanhya Lall Daga ...	7,657 5 0	.....	1,193 7 9	6,463 13 3	.....	6,463 13 3	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
Kalooram Heerawat (Heera Lall Sohun Lall).	2,07,297 15 5	.....	8,116 0 4	1,99,181 15 1	3,874 5 9	1,95,307 9 4	Ditto ditto.
Khodabux Mullick ...	5,342 9 0	.....	1,922 0 6	3,420 8 6	.....	3,420 8 6	Ditto ditto.
Kalooram Behaniwallah ...	1,740 7 3	133 0 9	860 9 11	746 12 7	746 12 7	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Kristo Kisore Dutt ...	3,485 7 3	.....	326 4 10	3,159 2 5	.....	3,159 2 5	Outstanding: in course of recovery.

Lyall, Mathewson & Co. ...	3,68,485 13 8	2,81,882 10 8	84,883 12 0	1,719 7 0	1,285 5 1	434 1 11	Nothing further recoverable.	
Larpent, Saunders & Co. ...	80,898 0 4	42,900 8 0	22,836 4 7	15,156 3 9	12,631 12 0	2,524 7 9	Ditto	ditto.
Langlois & Co. ...	33,718 2 8	1,620 6 4	23,592 8 7	8,505 3 9	8,170 3 9	335 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Letourneaux, Labadie & Co. ...	7,483 10 3	1,098 13 8	5,463 14 7	920 14 0	538 7 3	382 6 9	Ditto	ditto.
Latapie, E. D. (2nd) ...	3,982 6 2	12 0 2	3,079 2 10	891 3 2	795 10 5	95 8 9	Ditto	ditto.
Luke Hamill & Co. ...	6,527 12 4	595 0 8	2,343 0 4	3,589 11 4	3,244 15 2	344 12 2	Ditto	ditto.
Landeman, J. V. ...	1,008 10 5	234 3 6	243 15 10	530 7 1	480 12 4	49 10 9	Ditto	ditto.
Lindsay, D. B. ...	1,430 3 0	......	557 4 0	872 15 0	......	872 15 0	Ditto	ditto.
Ledlie, A. H. (2nd) ...	1,654 8 7	180 6 6	658 12 11	815 5 2	52 8 2	762 13 0	Ditto	ditto.
Lutchminarain Khettry ...	1,726 9 9	429 2 0	617 3 6	680 4 3	411 14 8	268 5 7	Ditto	ditto.
Langlois, J. P. ..	1,448 12 0	......	532 0 0	916 12 0	......	916 12 0	Ditto	ditto.
Latapie, E D., & Co. ...	2,444 10 6	286 6 6	487 6 0	1,670 14 0	1,557 12 4	113 1 8	Ditto	ditto.
Leisk, A. H. S. (2nd) ..	885 8 11	143 0 0	69 0 4	673 8 7	200 0 0	473 8 7	Ditto	ditto.
Loke Nath Shaw ...	8,323 8 6	5,175 6 2	2,494 13 6	653 4 10	653 4 10	......	Ditto	ditto.
Lyall, R. A., and another (Lyall, Rennie & Co.).	3,60,219 2 3	3,06,074 15 5	50,755 7 1	3,388 11 9	2,712 7 11	676 8 10	Ditto	ditto.
Leitch, J. K. (Kerr, Leitch & Co.) ...	1,853 3 0	588 2 9	520 14 6	744 1 9	51 13 3	692 4 6	Ditto	ditto.
Leckie, Thomas ...	1,010 1 6	......	171 8 0	838 9 6	......	838 9 6	Ditto	ditto.
Larmour, F. D. A. (separate account) ...	1,170 8 0	......	......	1,170 8 0	......	1,170 8 0	Ditto	ditto.
Lehzen, E. F. W. (Marquardt, Lehzen & Co.).	17,282 10 0	12,483 10 5	3,369 13 3	1,429 2 4	312 10 3	1,116 8 1	Ditto	ditto.
Leo Zander & Co. ...	37,331 4 11	30,200 7 9	5,639 10 3	1,491 2 11	905 15 4	585 3 7	Ditto	ditto.
Larmour, C. F., and another (C. Lazarus & Co.).	6,750 8 5	......	5,735 4 3	1,015 4 2	......	1,015 4 2	Ditto	ditto.
Larmour, C. F. (separate account) ...	2,822 12 2	......	25 6 6	2,797 5 8	......	2,797 5 8	Ditto	ditto.
Lekram and Buldeo Dass ...	14,468 5 3	8,663 7 2	3,680 7 7	2,124 6 6	536 6 10	1,587 15 8	Ditto	ditto.
Limjeebhoy Dhunjeebhoy ...	4,781 8 5	2,836 15 7	992 9 8	951 15 2	951 15 2	......	Ditto	ditto.
Mackintosh & Co. ...	2,28,494 11 9	1,24,788 3 2	77,432 6 5	26,274 2 4	24,413 1 2	1,861 1 2	Ditto	ditto.
Macleod, Fagan & Co. ...	17,631 7 7	6,841 8 1	10,248 13 1	541 2 5	8 6 7	532 11 10	Ditto	ditto.
Macgregor, Hunter & Co. ...	10,719 11 10	......	9,875 11 3	844 0 7	......	844 0 7	Ditto	ditto.
Mackey & Co., D. C. ...	1,17,362 7 8	58,372 14 3	41,916 2 8	17,073 6 9	17,064 9 3	8 13 6	Ditto	ditto.
Martin, Pillans & Co. ...	96,154 8 7	19,123 12 4	71,924 2 4	5,106 4 11	5,078 15 2	27 5 9	Ditto	ditto.
Minto, William & Co. ...	9,560 5 4	3,938 0 5	2,759 2 7	2,863 2 4	2,863 2 4	......	Ditto	ditto.
Maclean, L. A. ...	885 4 9	18 8 8	342 2 8	524 9 5	430 15 10	93 9 7	Ditto	ditto.
Melvella, William ...	1,868 8 8	......	359 4 6	1,509 4 2	1,339 13 7	169 6 7	Ditto	ditto.
Morris, James (Senior) ...	662 6 9	......	146 0 0	516 6 9	......	516 6 9	Ditto	ditto.
Monteith, John ...	821 0 3	20 12 0	189 4 0	611 0 3	......	611 0 3	Ditto	ditto.
Mackenzie, Murdock & Co. ...	5,598 2 8	17 10 1	5,037 6 4	543 2 3	458 0 8	85 1 7	Ditto	ditto.
Meyers, F. ...	1,263 13 6	......	139 0 0	1,124 13 6	......	1,124 13 6	Ditto	ditto.
MacDonald, Daniel ...	1,691 14 2	247 8 0	589 13 2	854 9 0	609 11 3	244 13 9	Ditto	ditto.
Martin, William ...	2,106 11 8	75 0 0	552 6 2	1,479 5 6	1,425 0 0	54 5 6	Ditto	ditto.
Michael, J. C. (2nd) ...	7,760 12 8	5,358 3 5	1,869 3 4	533 5 11	......	533 5 11	Ditto	ditto.
Meddlecoat, J. H. P. ...	1,011 14 6	111 7 11	98 14 5	801 8 2	579 6 5	222 1 9	Ditto	ditto.

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Meyers, A. J. ...	8,876 3 6	4,248 9 10	2,804 7 10	1,823 1 10	1,580 10 0	242 7 10	Nothing further recoverable.
Meer Dawood Ally ...	3,044 0 2	1,459 8 0	229 14 5	1,354 14 9	1,191 12 2	163 2 7	Ditto ditto.
Munnoo Lall ...	1,410 4 10	.....	647 10 7	762 10 3	.....	762 10 3	Ditto ditto.
Muddonjee Dhurrumsee ...	880 0 2	.....	68 9 6	811 6 8	472 10 8	338 12 0	Ditto ditto.
Morgan, C. ...	1,978 6 3	685 1 2	200 1 11	1,093 3 2	813 3 5	279 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Michael, J. C. (3rd) ...	10,247 5 0	7,099 4 9	1,573 8 10	1,574 7 5	1,406 12 10	167 10 7	Ditto ditto.
Mugneeram ...	4,227 6 6	1,405 6 1	2,040 11 0	781 5 5	695 14 0	85 7 5	Ditto ditto.
Murray, James (Black and Murray) ...	14,154 7 2	9,637 3 3	2,570 12 5	1,946 7 6	1,927 7 8	18 15 10	Ditto ditto.
Mamood Shah and Mahomed Shahibzada ...	16,074 5 7	10,017 10 7	1,496 13 0	4,559 14 0	712 8 0	3,847 6 0	Ditto ditto.
Martin, J. C. ...	2,327 4 4	840 6 5	159 13 4	1,327 0 7	1,239 1 1	87 15 6	Ditto ditto.
Modhusudun Dutt (No. 2) ...	8,150 7 5	6,026 15 11	1,224 7 5	899 0 1	896 9 3	2 6 10	Ditto ditto.
Muddun Mohun Dey and others ...	40,990 4 2	34,781 7 11	5,687 12 8	520 15 7	437 6 4	83 9 3	Ditto ditto.
Mudhusoodun Pyne ...	1,762 10 1	.....	203 11 0	1,558 15 1	.....	1,558 15 1	Ditto ditto.
Mangos, C. D. ...	13,687 12 10	4,643 6 11	8,055 1 1	989 4 10	858 0 9	131 4 1	Ditto ditto.
Mohamed Baker Aga ...	2,098 2 9	1,032 11 3	432 2 10	633 4 8	534 8 1	98 12 7	Ditto ditto.
Marshall, F. H. (Marshall Brothers) ...	12,811 4 11	6,749 3 9	4,650 2 0	1,411 10 2	1,294 8 4	117 1 10	Ditto ditto.
Megraj Borah and Chogemull Kootary (Megraj Chogemull).	11,487 2 8	7,885 9 6	2,352 5 0	1,249 4 2	1,133 4 11	115 15 3	Ditto ditto.
McKay, W. R. ...	864 6 6	122 7 4	23 14 6	718 0 8	146 1 6	571 15 2	Ditto ditto.
McArthur, James ...	1,119 15 6	.....	62 14 8	1,057 0 10	965 14 3	91 2 7	Ditto ditto.
Mohabharut Roy ...	10,914 8 0	.....	4,062 1 0	6,852 7 0	.....	6,852 7 0	Ditto ditto.
Moorallydhur Bunsee Lall ...	10,977 9 11	5,374 6 2	4,453 11 6	1,149 8 3	1,039 13 4	109 10 11	Ditto ditto.
Mohendra Nath Bose ...	3,094 3 9	.....	2,421 8 5	672 11 4	.....	672 11 4	Ditto ditto.
Makhun Lall Sett ...	3,120 11 5	.....	1,681 10 7	1,439 0 10	.....	1,439 0 10	Ditto ditto.
Minamull ...	7,814 3 10	4,700 1 5	2,283 3 2	830 15 3	801 4 4	29 10 11	Ditto ditto.
Mason, W. M. ...	594 8 6	.....	0 9 0	593 15 6	.....	593 15 6	Ditto ditto.
Mohendra Nath Mullick ...	9,662 3 3	4,937 3 6	4,084 5 7	640 10 2	352 13 1	287 13 1	Ditto ditto.
Mohamed Bhoy ...	3,774 9 10	1,522 12 9	1,533 8 1	718 5 0	567 1 8	151 3 4	Ditto ditto.
Mool Chand and Jesraj ...	7,691 13 11	4,296 15 4	2,290 12 5	1,104 2 2	610 4 4	493 13 10	Ditto ditto.
Mohamed Moosajee Atea ...	3,432 14 7	123 3 1	2,638 9 4	671 2 2	440 7 7	230 10 7	Ditto ditto.
Moran, S. (separate account) ...	60,423 10 3	56,169 0 4	2,940 1 2	1,314 8 9	.....	1,314 8 9	Ditto ditto.
Meik, George ...		Petition dismissed on 2nd September 1902.					
Murdock, James (separate account) ...	66,289 0 9	54,572 10 0	2,860 4 1	8,856 2 8	.....	8,856 2 8	Ditto ditto.
Muddon Mohun Khettry ...	1,740 0 3	.....	294 15 0	1,445 1 3	.....	1,445 1 3	Outstanding : in course of recovery.
Mathuradass Lab Chand ...	707 1 3	.....	30 11 4	676 5 11	.....	676 5 11	Ditto ditto.
Murli Dhur Surka & others ...			Petition withdrawn.				
Madhoo Soodun Dass ...	1,526 7 6	.....	106 12 4	1,419 11 2	.....	1,419 11 2	Ditto ditto.
Mallyram Muddungopaul ...	5,514 4 9	.....	264 14 8	5,249 6 1	.....	5,249 6 1	Ditto ditto.

Mungle Chand ...	6,351 1 0	......	10 10 3	6,340 6 9	......	6,340 6 9	Ditto ditto.
Nyss, John ...	750 2 11	......	171 4 0	578 14 11	......	578 14 11	Nothing further recoverable.
Nemai Churn Bysack ...	1,210 13 0	......	428 5 4	782 7 8	696 8 1	85 15 7	Ditto ditto.
Norman Brothers ...	19,569 14 7	9,267 15 3	5,906 1 4	4,395 14 0	4,395 14 0	......	Ditto ditto.
Nobin Kristo Ghose ...	2,460 0 0	617 3 1	586 10 3	1,296 2 8	1,063 3 1	232 15 7	Ditto ditto.
Nursing Chunder Bose ...	1,030 0 0	......	202 11 0	827 5 0	......	827 5 0	Ditto ditto.
Nundo Lall Shaw and Anundo Lall Shaw	1,950 0 0	......	249 6 6	1,700 9 6	......	1,700 9 6	Ditto ditto.
Narain Sing & Co. ...	82,007 6 11	18,805 8 7	9,718 1 2	3,483 13 2	3,424 11 7	59 1 7	Ditto ditto.
Nicol, J. Dyce ...	23,409 1 11	9,527 9 10	5,556 0 4	8,325 7 9	1,549 5 8	6,776 2 1	Ditto ditto.
Nilcomol Mitter ...	500 0 0	......	......	500 0 0	......	500 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nobin Chunder Dey ...	1,375 1 7	542 8 0	247 1 10	585 7 9	585 7 9	......	Ditto ditto.
Nicholls, W., and others (W. Nicholls & Co.).	18,841 1 4	13,296 2 7	4,261 1 2	1,283 13 7	947 14 10	335 14 9	Ditto ditto.
Nilmadhub Shaw and Brothers ...	639 13 7	......	127 12 9	512 0 10	......	512 0 10	Ditto ditto.
Nicholas, J. D. and another (Kelly & Co.)	12,300 9 3	5,409 12 1	2,307 11 6	4,583 1 8	2,371 14 8	2,211 3 0	Ditto ditto.
Nooncurn Mull and others (Noonkurn Mull Surutram).	11,789 8 7	8,791 6 11	2,351 7 6	646 10 2	552 10 1	94 0 1	Ditto ditto.
Nagendra Nath Sen ...	1,398 15 8	......	879 5 6	519 10 2	481 5 7	38 4 7	Ditto ditto.
Nabin Chunder Dutt and another ...	1,407 7 0	......	800 0 0	607 7 0	......	607 7 0	Ditto ditto.
Nabin Chunder Daw and others ...	1,407 8 0	......	29 11 8	1,377 12 4	......	1,377 12 4	Ditto ditto.
Owen, Allhuson & Co. ...	29,891 0 9	794 12 2	25,800 15 4	3,295 4 8	3,163 15 10	131 4 10	Ditto ditto.
Oliver, L. B. ...	28,729 2 7	17,569 15 0	5,445 11 5	713 8 2	......	713 8 2	Ditto ditto
Ogle John & Co. ...	2,08,140 10 8	1,56,004 1 7	31,309 4 11	15,827 4 2	15,462 10 5	364 9 9	Ditto ditto.
Obhoyram Buddree Chand ...	1,910 9 0	......	372 14 6	1,537 10 6	......	1,537 10 6	Ditto ditto.
Ord, W. K. ...	679 8 4	57 7 10	53 4 9	568 11 9	503 11 10	64 15 11	Ditto ditto.
Ord, William (Murdock & Co.) ...	3,515 2 3	......	2,944 14 7	570 3 8	511 1 0	59 2 8	Ditto ditto.
O'Neil, Thomas ...	1,510 13 8	......	671 3 1	839 10 7	465 9 6	374 1 1	Ditto ditto.
Omrao Sing ...	2,747 15 11	1,845 11 8	391 9 2	510 11 1	352 14 1	157 13 0	Ditto ditto.
Obhoy Churn Dutt ...	1,127 0 6	487 9 9	137 0 0	502 6 9	......	502 6 9	Ditto ditto.
Osmon Gunny ...	Petition of insolvency withdrawn per order of 5th August 1902.						
Palmer & Co ...	5,69,984 6 1	4,01,103 3 11	1,67,389 8 10	1,491 9 4	542 6 10	949 2 6	Ditto ditto.
Palmer, Thomas ...	1,473 0 0	......	887 4 9	585 11 3	......	585 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Palmer, John ...	7,707 7 11	6,152 6 4	1,001 11 3	553 6 4	542 0 9	11 5 7	Ditto ditto.
Pew, P. L. ...	52,965 13 1	34,068 0 5	12,875 1 11	6,022 10 9	5,847 11 2	174 15 7	Ditto ditto.
Parry, John ...	4,996 8 11	1,744 7 6	1,616 0 2	1,636 1 3	1,549 15 9	86 1 6	Ditto ditto.
Price, Henry ...	15,380 1 3	......	14,642 1 8	737 15 7	660 5 9	77 9 10	Ditto ditto.
Posner, J. ...	7,075 8 6	2,972 1 0	3,003 4 3	1,100 3 3	806 10 9	293 8 6	Ditto ditto.
Payne & Co. (Bombay firm) ...	8,025 0 0	6,125 3 10	1,364 13 10	534 14 4	531 12 8	3 1 8	Ditto ditto.
Phillips, John ...	4,156 0 0	10 11 8	248 10 5	3,896 9 11	1,501 10 4	2,394 15 7	Ditto ditto.
Phillips, G. W. DeRhee ...	1,260 0 0	538 14 4	98 9 5	622 8 3	562 4 3	60 4 0	Ditto ditto.
Prosonno Kumar Bannerji ...	1,241 0 0	......	325 2 0	915 14 0	......	915 14 0	Ditto ditto.
Prosun Chand Galeecha (Dhurrum Chand Poorun Chand).	96,847 4 1	42,482 11 4	33,592 7 0	20,772 1 9	19,831 12 7	940 5 2	Ditto ditto.
Punchanon Dass Mungle Chand (Hatee Sing Sooraj Mull and Mungle Chand).	6,183 14 0	......	2,744 3 0	3,439 11 3	......	3,439 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Protap Chunder Chatterjee ...	748 11 7	......	7 1 0	741 10 7	......	741 10 7	Ditto ditto.

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Purmessur Khan and another (Purmessur Khan and Debendro Nath Khan) Purmessur Khan & Co.	8,129 9 9	1,109 0 8	1,364 2 4	656 6 9	656 6 9	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Poolin Chunder Mitter ...	637 11 1	.....	.....	637 11 1	.....	637 11 1	Ditto ditto.
Palmer, R. G. & Co ...	25,446 13 0	15,056 7 5	11,148 4 1	9,242 1 6	310 1 3	8,932 0 3	Ditto ditto.
Panna Lall Addy ...	1,318 12 6	.....	167 0 11	1,151 11 7	.....	1,151 11 7	Ditto ditto.
Pran Nath Paul ...	3,223 10 11	1,328 15 3	1,269 3 10	625 7 10	595 10 2	29 13 8	Ditto ditto.
Pasumurti Jagappa ...	9,184 7 0	.. ..	2,408 4 0	6,776 3 10	.. ...	6,776 3 10	Ditto ditto.
Pursuttum Lall ...	3,210 6 0	.....	1,618 9 6	1,591 12 6	.....	1,591 12 6	Ditto ditto.
Punchand, H. G. L. ...	519 9 5	.....	. ...	519 9 5	.....	519 9 5	Ditto ditto.
Pran Kristo Nandy ...	8,073 0 3	... .	74 15 0	7,998 1 3	.. ..	7,998 1 3	Outstanding in course of recovery.
Quillet, DeGaye ...	6,539 10 4	3,148 1 11	2,380 4 6	1,011 3 11	1,011 3 11	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Runt, Rees & Co. ...	19,490 12 2	3,907 1 1	10,081 14 8	5,551 12 5	5,551 12 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Russel, C. D. ..	8,785 14 2	7,162 15 2	1,059 0 9	563 14 3	20 15 2	542 15 1	Ditto ditto.
Roghu Nath Bose ..	1,778 13 4	702 13 10	444 4 0	631 12 6	591 11 0	40 1 6	Ditto ditto.
Rogers, Alexander ..	10,892 13 6	5,963 0 4	4,136 10 9	793 2 5	.....	793 2 5	Ditto ditto.
Rajkissore Dutt ...	4,683 12 2	...	665 13 6	4,017 14 8	.....	4,107 14 8	Ditto ditto.
Rousac, A. G. ...	12,304 10 3	8,940 2 5	1,063 11 8	2,300 12 7	2,300 12 7	.....	Ditto ditto.
Ramdhone Mitter ...	838 5 4	52 4 5	217 8 2	568 8 9	453 1 6	115 7 3	Ditto ditto.
Rustomjee, Cowasjee & Co. ...	11,032 15 0	3,373 5 8	6,015 1 6	1,644 7 10	1,285 10 3	358 13 7	Ditto ditto.
Ramsabuck Misser and others (2nd) ...	1,23,206 9 4	76,538 6 6	29,912 4 9	16,755 14 1	16,382 14 4	372 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Robinson, S. H. ...	1,129 10 9	... .	132 0 0	997 10 9	.. ..	997 10 9	Ditto ditto.
Ramnarain Sreemany ...	9,819 8 0	4,158 0 11	2,041 7 1	3,120 0 0	3,066 10 8	53 5 4	Ditto ditto.
Robinson, J. J. (Wallace & Co.) ...	3,052 8 8	282 0 0	2,027 4 6	743 4 2	309 14 9	433 5 5	Ditto ditto
Ram Nath Janokey Persad ...	5,296 4 9	.....	2,792 3 0	2,504 1 9	.....	2,504 1 9	Schedule not filed as yet.
Russick Lall Paul ...	702 5 3	.....	23 11 6	678 9 9	. ..	678 9 9	Nothing further recoverable.
Ritz, Alfred ...	1,139 0 0	.....	208 7 6	930 8 6	690 13 5	239 11 1	Ditto ditto.
Rakhal Chunder Banerjee (junior) ...	5,534 7 3	138 2 6	2,866 9 9	2,529 11 0	62 13 6	2,466 13 6	Ditto ditto.
Ram Gopaul Pal ...	8,141 12 6	4,391 8 3	2,408 6 8	1,341 13 7	1,143 9 1	198 4 6	Ditto ditto.
Rushton, H. P. (Rushton Brothers) ...	81,120 10 6	47,677 13 7	26,799 11 0	6,643 1 11	5,272 3 4	1,370 14 7	Ditto ditto.
Rustomjee Cowasjee ...	3,796 13 7	1,637 9 1	425 11 10	1,733 8 8	1,537 12 2	195 12 6	Ditto ditto.
Ramsarun Lall ...	57,230 1 1	31,982 11 9	21,011 11 2	4,285 10 2	4,128 9 5	157 0 9	Ditto ditto.
Ram Kissen Kotary ..	7,527 14 3	4,686 9 5	1,842 6 5	998 14 5	998 14 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Rajendra Coondu and another ...	860 0 0	.....	262 7 0	597 9 0	. ..	597 9 0	Ditto ditto.
Rushton, Edward ...	2,784 3 9	1,418 6 4	708 1 11	657 11 6	657 11 6	.....	Ditto ditto.

Ramsamull and Pannalall ...	1,938 2 9	614 11 8	720 0 5	598 6 8	888 10 3	209 12 5	Ditto	ditto.
Robertson, C. A. (1st) ...	1,500 0 0	477 2 10	81 12 9	941 0 5	726 4 9	214 11 8	Ditto	ditto.
Ramdhone Mullick ...	46,978 0 3	455 4 8	45,512 6 2	1,010 5 10	......	1,010 5 10	Ditto	ditto.
Reinhold, Henry (Reinhold & Co.) ...	18,795 10 0	10,430 3 10	2,663 9 1	701 13 1	519 7 0	182 6 1	Ditto	ditto.
Reinhold, H. C. and another (Reinhold Brothers).	5,998 10 10	135 7 9	1,717 6 5	4,145 12 8	233 14 0	3,911 14 8	Ditto	ditto.
Rash Behary Roy and Jullodhur Roy ...	33,065 14 4	5,084 2 6	23,266 11 6	4,715 0 4	1,013 14 5	8,701 1 11	Ditto	ditto.
Ritz, Reinhold and Feilman ...	13,333 5 0	10,502 0 10	1,073 3 9	1,758 0 5	216 13 6	1,541 2 11	Ditto	ditto.
Rambox Ratty (Chooney Lall Janokey Dass).	5,329 3 8	3,223 2 6	1,546 6 7	559 10 7	541 11 1	17 15 6	Ditto	ditto.
Ramkissen ...	10,32,481 9 6	2,73,173 9 8	7,58,665 5 10	5,642 10 0	4,278 15 7	1,363 10 5	Ditto	ditto.
Ram Chunder Tarafdar ...	638 14 9	.. ..	60 4 0	573 10 9	.. ..	573 10 9	Ditto	ditto.
Raghu Nath Dass Mudun Gopal ...	78,480 11 8	33,565 14 6	28,446 9 2	11,468 4 0	4,936 13 6	6,531 6 6	Ditto	ditto.
Raj Chunder Pakira ...	1,363 0 6	392 10 2	233 9 4	736 13 0	476 9 8	260 3 4	Ditto	ditto.
Ram Dass Pal ...	1,545 8 3	506 2 6	475 10 9	563 11 0	421 3 0	142 8 0	Ditto	ditto.
Ram Doyal Ghose ...	753 0 0	......	45 8 3	707 7 9	647 14 2	59 9 7	Ditto	ditto.
Ramprotab Baldeo Dass ...	Transferred to small estate.							
Runchore Dass Dhonjee ...	26,104 7 3	9,942 10 10	10,303 7 3	5,858 5 2	4,363 15 9	1,494 5 5	Ditto	ditto.
Ramrick Dass Nundoram (Sirdarmull Ramrick).	11,036 10 6	3,270 0 0	1,691 6 3	6,075 4 3	3,030 0 0	3,045 4 3	Ditto	ditto.
Rakub Dass Bagree and others ...	5,821 0 0	.. ..	2,642 2 3	2,698 13 9	......	2,678 13 9	Outstanding: in course of recovery.	
Ramprosad Sureka and others (Bissendayal Hurdoyal).	3,98,440 8 3	......	3,41,711 3 6	56,729 4 9	.. ..	56,729 4 9	Ditto	ditto.
Radha Kissen Memany (Radha Kissen Jetmall.)	4,185 8 6	......	514 9 6	3,670 15 9	......	3,670 15 0	Ditto	ditto.
Radha Kissen Kotary ...	1,447 8 9	.. ..	320 0 0	1,127 8 9	......	1,127 3 9	Ditto	ditto.
Shib Chunder Pal ...	2,234 9 3	658 5 7	812 14 6	763 5 2	759 1 8	4 3 6	Nothing further recoverable.	
Saunders, May, Fordyce & Co. ...	4,08,262 11 3	3,21,713 7 1	68,904 4 4	12,642 15 10	11,992 9 4	650 6 6	Ditto	ditto.
Stewart, W. C & Co ..	8,040 4 10	2,515 5 6	1,414 11 0	4,110 4 5	3,953 12 5	156 8 0	Ditto	ditto.
Senais, W. DeMonthe ...	2,514 11 7	.... ..	912 2 6	1,602 9 1	1,533 5 10	69 3 3	Ditto	ditto.
Smith, W. S. ...	3,620 13 5	2,635 15 6	471 0 8	513 13 3	471 11 1	42 2 2	Ditto	ditto.
Stocquelar, J. H. ..	7,188 0 0	210 6 5	5,537 0 7	1,390 9 0	1,122 12 7	267 12 5	Ditto	ditto.
Schlatter, Michael ...	20,291 14 10	16,857 13 1	2,433 0 9	1,504 1 0	1,006 8 1	497 8 11	Ditto	ditto.
Smoult, W. H. .	1,976 10 8	248 4 11	328 9 3	1,399 12 1	1,040 0 0	359 12 1	Ditto	ditto.
Sheppard, G. A ...	5,598 2 10	479 1 11	662 0 7	757 0 4	652 6 0	104 10 4	Ditto	ditto.
Sarkies & Co., P J. ...	52,610 10 9	6,473 9 2	45,380 2 2	756 15 5	602 12 10	154 2 7	Ditto	ditto.
Scott, C. C. J. ...	7,723 13 9	4,659 10 11	2,002 0 10	1,062 2 0	631 9 11	430 8 1	Ditto	ditto.
Sarkies, P. J ...	10,227 7 7	6,170 7 7	3,097 5 4	959 10 8	787 6 3	172 4 5	Ditto	ditto.
Smith, Huffnagle & Co. ...	26,632 14 5	13,828 7 4	10,798 4 10	2,006 2 8	... ..	2,006 2 3	Ditto	ditto.
Stubbs, W. V. G. ...	3,491 6 5	81 3 10	1,649 12 7	1,760 6 0	262 2 3	1,498 3 9	Ditto	ditto.
Snook, J. V. ...	775 10 0	......	158 0 0	617 10 0	.....	617 10 0	Ditto	ditto.
Sreegopal Misser ...	1,951 0 0	55 14 4	678 6 8	1,216 11 0	1,093 0 11	123 10 1	Ditto	ditto.
Solomon Moladina ..	64,041 6 10	43,579 4 11	17,498 10 0	2,963 7 11	2,682 12 0	280 11 11	Ditto	ditto.

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Stewart, W. M. ..	24,989 4 9	12,513 15 1	6,325 15 7	6,149 6 1	5,610 9 8	538 12 5	Nothing further recoverable.
Shib Chunder Seal ..	13,555 3 9	3,239 6 10	9,479 3 3	836 9 8	836 9 8	.....	Ditto ditto.
Sewnundun Panday ...	32,283 9 9	18,836 10 11	7,473 4 4	5,973 10 6	5,242 11 7	730 14 11	Ditto ditto
Sreenath Mullick ...	17,782 7 7	13,851 5 6	3,389 12 10	541 5 3	431 12 6	109 8 9	Ditto ditto.
Smith, A. M. ...	2,800 10 7	244 1 6	801 15 7	1,754 9 6	1,371 10 8	382 14 10	Ditto ditto.
Solomon & Co., D. H. ...	16,053 12 9	9,548 4 5	4,711 4 9	1,794 3 7	1,606 0 1	188 3 6	Ditto ditto.
Schiller, F. and others (Borradaile, Schiller & Co.)	1,52,678 15 7	84,826 0 6	31,168 12 4	36,684 2 9	29,445 3 6	7,238 15 3	Ditto ditto.
Straw, F. T. ..	1,22,111 4 8	60,033 2 9	61,483 11 0	594 6 11	564 4 7	30 2 4	Ditto ditto.
Smith Thomas & Co. ...	66,941 4 3	8,918 11 0	56,288 9 2	1,734 0 1	1,078 12 0	655 4 1	Ditto ditto.
Sham Lall Khettry (Devokey Nundun Lalljeemull).	16,952 12 6	12,583 1 6	3,302 15 10	1,066 11 2	1,066 11 2	.....	Ditto ditto.
Sitaram Rohatjee ...	945 8 3	.....	158 6 6	787 1 9	.....	787 1 9	Ditto ditto.
Soorjeemull Mugneeram Hunmuntram (Soorjeemull Mugneeram).	3,728 8 6	1,413 3 11	1,541 0 1	774 4 6	774 4 6	.....	Ditto ditto.
Smallwood, A. (Lloyd & Co.) ...	6,736 11 3	1,402 0 9	2,790 9 2	2,544 1 4	.....	2,544 1 4	Ditto ditto.
Soutendra Mohun Tagore ...	810 5 9	132 12 7	62 11 4	614 13 10	614 13 10	.....	Ditto ditto.
Stephen, A. J. (second insolvency) ...	1,201 8 0	212 14 5	42 1 2	946 8 5	326 1 3	620 7 2	Ditto ditto.
Stewart, F. ...	2,202 15 3	.....	1,052 10 9	1,150 4 6	...	1,150 4 6	Ditto ditto.
Schiller, F. (separate account) ...	5,482 10 7	1,287 9 0	1,489 4 1	2,705 13 6	2,489 5 2	216 8 4	Ditto ditto.
Shama Churn Sen ...	98,394 5 11	27,457 7 6	70,422 3 6	514 11 4	.....	514 11 4	Ditto ditto.
Sheodan Mull and another ...	8,847 1 4	6,962 3 4	818 4 5	1,066 9 7	487 14 1	578 11 6	Ditto ditto.
Stuart, C. ...	60,695 15 8	41,586 15 4	17,660 4 1	1,448 12 3	312 15 11	1,135 12 4	Ditto ditto.
Schallay & Co. ...	1,077 2 1	212 9 7	191 10 4	672 14 2	214 2 8	458 11 6	Ditto ditto.
Smith & Co., McGavin ...	678 13 3	.....	4 3 0	674 10 3	.....	674 10 3	Ditto ditto.
Summers, A. (Watson and Summers) ...	12,389 4 2	5,529 15 0	5,901 15 9	957 5 5	358 9 7	598 11 10	Ditto ditto.
Soorjeemull Kadia (Sewnarain Soorjeemull).	2,442 15 10	.....	885 13 11	1,557 1 11	.....	1,557 1 11	Ditto ditto.
Sookdeo Dass Mothura Dass ...	1,316 11 3	.....	446 6 6	870 4 9	.....	870 4 9	Ditto ditto.
Soogun Chand Gopeekissen ...	12,874 12 3	4,486 8 8	3,174 8 10	5,213 10 9	4,957 3 9	256 7 0	Ditto ditto.
Sreedam Chunder Seal ...	4,586 0 10	2,395 15 8	1,066 8 8	1,123 8 6	2 1 2	1,121 7 4	Ditto ditto.
Sreenath Sett and others ...	2,980 9 3	.....	1,296 2 4	1,684 6 11	.....	1,684 6 11	Ditto ditto.
Sarat Chunder Sen (S. C. Sen) ...	2,777 5 6	1,225 8 0	850 2 9	701 10 9	17 13 1	683 13 8	Ditto ditto.
Sarat Coomar Sen ...	4,620 6 0	.....	432 3 6	4,188 2 6	.....	4,188 2 6	Ditto ditto.
Sarat Chunder Mookerjee ...	597 0 0	.....	.....	597 0 0	.....	597 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Sykes, G. S. (Sykes & Co.) ...	15,308 5 10	7,450 11 0	1,272 3 0	6,505 7 10	3,305 9 7	3,279 14 3	Ditto ditto.

Scondermull Sitaram ...	9,293	11	9	.....		.....		9,293	11	9	.....		9,293	11	9	Ditto ditto.
Saroda Prosad Banerjee ...	623	5	6	.....		.....		623	5	6	.....		623	5	6	Ditto ditto.
Sreekissen Dass Champa Lall ...	2,159	3	6	.....		441	15	0	1,717	4	6	.....		1,717	4	6	Ditto ditto.
Tallah & Co. (1st) ...	1,21,128	2	10	68,615	10	0	50,626	7	9	1,886	1	1	1,139	10	8	746	6	7	Ditto ditto.
Tallah & Co. (2nd) ...	19,223	10	2	8,961	4	4	9,684	15	7	577	6	3	411	1	3	166	5	0	Ditto ditto.
Thomas & Co. ..	4,55,276	15	3	3,98,103	6	2	50,239	15	2	6,933	9	11	1,314	1	0	5,619	8	11	Ditto ditto.
Trower, Charles	2,177	9	0	240	0	0	72	0	0	1,865	9	0	811	7	5	1,054	1	7	Ditto ditto.
Twentyman & Co	683	6	7	.....			152	2	1	531	4	6	.....			531	4	6	Ditto ditto.
Thomas, John ...	740	0	0	.....			.....			740	0	0	.....			740	0	0	Ditto ditto.
Tara Chand Koramull and Dowlut Chand	22,970	1	11	6,210	6	9	14,187	12	0	2,571	15	2	2,199	13	3	372	1	11	Ditto ditto.
Teitkins, A. H. ...	5,671	12	10	3,819	12	0	1,248	0	5	604	0	5	.....			604	0	5	Ditto ditto.
Turton, Sir T. E. M. ...	2,49,996	3	10	1,48,440	1	3	1,00,447	2	8	1,108	15	11	661	10	1	447	5	10	Ditto ditto.
Troylucka Nath Roy and another	26,576	11	0	18,630	12	6	7,142	7	5	803	7	1	712	2	11	91	4	2	Ditto ditto.
Thorndike, A., and another (Atkinson, Tilton & Co.).	48,581	15	8	19,772	1	0	25,210	0	8	3,599	14	0	2,681	9	4	918	4	8	Ditto ditto.
Tunsook Roy and Premsook Roy ..	27,590	9	11	9,941	11	1	10,889	8	2	6,759	6	8	5,735	3	2	1,024	3	6	Ditto ditto.
Templeton, A. N. (2nd). ...	1,700	0	0	58	10	0	77	9	9	1,563	12	3	1,231	1	8	332	10	7	Ditto ditto.
Turnbull, R. A. ...	18,183	9	3	2,771	3	3	14,076	13	11	1,335	8	1	107	3	8	1,228	4	5	Ditto ditto.
Tincurry Dass ...	6,741	8	4	3,181	15	10	1,039	11	7	2,519	12	11	653	2	2	1,866	10	9	Ditto ditto.
Tiruthraun ...	1,445	3	9	497	0	6	226	0	7	722	2	8	230	0	5	492	2	3	Ditto ditto.
Taraprosanna Sircar ...	1,62,699	9	6	69,199	5	10	83,375	6	10	9,824	12	10	6,887	6	6	2,937	6	4	Ditto ditto.
Tin Caury Dutt and another ...	693	12	6	.....			2	12	8	690	15	10	.....			690	15	10	Ditto ditto.
Vandenberg, J. B. (2nd) ...	5,740	4	3	4,036	0	7	440	2	5	1,264	1	3	1,235	11	11	28	5	4	Ditto ditto.
Voight, S. E. & Co. ...	1,680	0	4	199	0	0	13	8	8	1,467	7	8	.....			1,467	7	8	Ditto ditto.
Willis, Joseph ...	1,20,346	2	7	88,227	7	6	29,932	12	8	2,165	14	5	1,839	2	11	326	11	6	Ditto ditto.
Willis, F. F.	7,102	7	11	892	13	4	2,906	1	7	3,303	9	0	2,932	2	8	371	6	4	Ditto ditto.
Wood, Olliffe & Co. ...	3,276	6	10	.....			1,427	4	6	1,849	2	4	.....			1,849	2	4	Ditto ditto.
Waring, E. S. S. ...	3,066	8	8	1,784	1	7	529	5	2	753	1	11	647	4	3	105	13	8	Ditto ditto.
Williams, Stephen ...	20,504	1	5	17,453	13	10	2,207	14	7	842	5	0	474	9	9	367	11	3	Ditto ditto.
Watson & Co. (Gibbon & Co.) ...	1,06,519	3	0	87,390	15	9	15,992	0	3	3,136	3	0	2,703	9	8	432	9	4	Ditto ditto.
Wood, H. W. J. ...	2,539	13	0	712	3	7	885	5	3	942	4	2	785	11	9	156	8	5	Ditto ditto.
Wiseham, William ...	967	3	6	.....			32	0	0	935	3	6	.....			935	3	6	Schedule not filed as yet.
Wood, David ...	1,414	3	0	56	7	3	809	0	3	548	11	6	548	11	6	.....			Nothing further recoverable.
Webb, John ...	4,457	8	3	2,391	0	8	1,103	4	5	963	3	2	890	14	9	72	4	5	Ditto ditto.
Wallie, C. B. ...	8,520	11	5	6,592	2	1	1,403	4	3	525	5	2	120	11	5	404	9	8	Ditto ditto.
Woodin, W. (G. F. Hodgkinson & Co.)	25,413	4	5	1,022	8	2	22,444	3	9	1,946	8	6	1,549	5	6	397	3	0	Ditto ditto.
Woomesh Chunder Banerji (G. D. Limons & Co)	28,991	14	1	19,723	8	11	3,084	8	11	1,183	12	3	1,183	12	3	.....			Ditto ditto.
Wilde, J. J. ...	1,200	0	0	126	6	4	21	7	1	1,052	2	7	.....			1,052	2	7	Ditto ditto.
Winterscale, James ...	1,254	12	10	175	0	0	378	7	0	701	5	10	.....			701	5	10	Ditto ditto.
Woopendra Nath Dey and another ...	6,164	5	9	2,064	1	4	1,302	15	9	1,997	4	8	428	13	1	1,568	7	7	Ditto ditto.
Woopendra Chunder Singhee and another	8,601	3	3	.....			924	6	3	7,676	13	0	.....			7,676	13	0	Ditto ditto.
Watson, Thomas (Watson and Sibthorp & Co).	1,173	11	6	.....			.....			1,173	11	6	.....			1,173	11	6	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
Zunini ...	4,860	2	9	1,002	1	3	2,984	10	3	873	7	3	534	6	9	339	0	6	Nothing further recoverable.

In addition to the above, there are 2,320 estates with balances under Rs. 500 each, aggregating Rs. 2,25,051-14-4, the particulars of which may be learnt at this office. The Official Assignee has received for remuneration for the quarter ending 31st December 1902 Rs. 77-4-9.

CALCUTTA,
The 18th September 1903.

(1075—1)

WILLIAM GRAHAM,
Offg. Official Assignee.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 22nd September 1903.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,21,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 70,96,876 8 9			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 94,63,062 11 3	1,65,59,939	4	0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	9,10,45,647	15	7
Bank Post Bills, &c.	12,80,650	15	6
Sundries	18,64,479	12	2
Rupees ...	14,29,00,617	15	3

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	1,72,56,160	0	0
Other authorised investments	66,56,072	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	2,37,39,402	1	2
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	1,50,02,410	14	0
Bills discounted and purchased	2,31,22,668	8	6
Balances with other Banks	24,15,888	14	8
Bullion	...		
Dead Stock	17,98,178	11	0
Stamps	12,069	12	5
Sundries	10,13,636	0	0
	9,10,16,436	13	9
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office* .. Rs. 2,22,73,504 8 0			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches† ... „ 2,95,10,676 9 6	5,18,84,181	1	6
Rupees ...	14,29,00,617	15	3

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 33,12,435 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 2,53,852 8 0
Rs. 35,66,287 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 24th September 1903

H. F. FRESHWATER, Offg. Chief Accountant
Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 46·84.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.
(1089—1)

Caution.

WHEREAS Jugal Kissory Dassy, widow of Assiny Coomar Adhya, mother of her infant son, since deceased, and daughter of Rashbehary Datta, at present residing at her father's house, No. 55 Serpentine Lane, Calcutta, has under a conveyance dated the 29th Sraban 1310 (duly executed and registered) absolutely sold the one-fifth undivided share which she had in the estate of the late Babu Govinda Chunder Adhya, of Chetla, to Babus Rakhal Dass Adhya and others, and whereas it is rumoured that it is in the contemplation of the said Dassy again to transfer or otherwise dispose of the said share by suppressing the fact of the aforesaid sale by her, the public are therefore hereby warned against purchasing or otherwise taking by any kind of transfer whatsoever from her all or any portion of the said one-fifth share of the said estate at their own risk.

N. C. BURAL & Co.,
Attorneys for RAKHAL DASS ADHYA.

The 2nd September 1903. (995—4—921)

NOTICE.

Rangpur Collectorate.

WANTED some Amins (pay Rs. 25 per mensem) and Inspectors (pay Rs. 35 per mensem) with a thorough knowledge of plain-table survey for the cadastral survey and settlement of the estates Panga and Lot Haranarayon belonging to His Highness the Maharaja of Cooch Behar.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned till the 15th October 1903. Preference will be given to those who have worked with a Cadastral Survey Party.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Rangpur, the 10th September 1903.

Notice

IS hereby given that one amin, one chainman, and two messengers are required for two months for the survey of char Sujapur, within the Katwa subdivision. The pay of the establishment will not exceed Rs. 50 per month. Applications will be received up to the 15th proximo.

S. L. GUPTA, Subdivisional Officer, Katwa.

Katwa, the 16th September 1903.

Custom House Notice.

THE public are informed that the declaration at the foot of Import Bills of Entry should be as follows:—

"_____ do hereby declare that the goods specified above are of the growth, produce or manufacture of_____ and are of the value of Rs._____ as entered above. The word "or" being substituted for "and."

L. F. MORSHEAD, Officiating Collector of Customs.

Custom House, Calcutta, the 19th September 1903.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 054952 to 57 of the 3½ per cent. of 1854 55 for Rs 1,000 each, originally standing in the name of Bank of Bengal, and last endorsed to Bagala Sundari Debi, the proprietress by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietress after two years from the date of last advertisement.

BAGALA SUNDARI DEBI,
By PRASANNA NATH MUKERJEE, Attorney.
Residence—Katwa, district Burdwan. (997—3—947)

Estate David McGregor, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 7 Hare Street, Calcutta, on or before the 10th day of November 1903, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

W. H. TAYLOR,
Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased, 7 Hare Street, Calcutta.

Dated this 16th day of September 1903.

(1066—3—983)

Pure Sulphate of Quinine.

MANUFACTURED AT THE BENGAL GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION.

FROM 1st April 1903 the price of this quinine will be as follows:—

1	Pound	tin	Rs.	16,	or,	post	free,	Rs. 16-8
½	"	"	"	8	"	"	"	8-6.
¼	"	"	"	4	"	"	"	4-6.

Analysis shows this quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, cinchonine and cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Sibpur, near Calcutta.

Cinchona Febrifuge.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers and by any one taking *six pounds* and upwards at a time from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 2 ans 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the undernoted rates per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin; six annas per eight ounce tin; and eight annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

NOTICE.

WANTED 12 Bengali-knowing Inspectors on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 each and 80 Bengali-knowing amins, on a monthly salary of Rs. 20 to Rs. 25 each, for survey and settlement work in the Sundarbans during the ensuing cold weather.

Applicants must either have served in the Survey of India Department or have certificates of their acquaintance with offset cadastral survey work. They should also be able to prepare the necessary settlement records.

WANTED also 4 clerks on Rs. 25 each and 8 muharrirs on Rs. 20 each per mensem for settlement work. Only men who have experience in such work need apply.

Applicants should state their age and send their applications with copies of testimonials to the undersigned not later than the 30th October 1903.

D. SUNDER, Commissioner in the Sundarbans.

Sundarbans Commissioner's Office, Alipur, the 7th August 1903.

MAULVI SHAMSUDDIN AHMED, B.L., intends to be enrolled as Vakeel, Calcutta High Court

(998—4—814)

HEM CHANDRA SEN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(1041—4—862)

GANESH DUTTA SINGH, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the Calcutta High Court.

(989—4—988)

Advertisement.

WANTED 12 Amins for the survey and settlement work in Jangipur subdivision, district Murshidabad. Rate of salary is Rs. 15 to Rs. 20 per mensem. Only passed candidates need apply. Preference will be given to those experienced in settlement work.

Applications will be received till the 15th October by the undersigned.

NAGENDRA NATH MITRA,
Subdivisional Officer, Jangipur.

Jangipur, the 22nd September 1903.

WANTED immediately a Female Hospital Assistant for the Zenana branch of the Midnapore Charitable Dispensary. Must be able to read and write English. Pay Rs. 50 per mensem with free quarters.

Also a passed Female Compounder. Pay Rs. 10 rising to Rs. 15 per mensem.

D. GREEN, M.D., B.S., Captain, I.M.S.,
Civil Surgeon, Midnapore.

Civil Surgeon's Office, Midnapore, the 24th September 1903.

WANTED an Overseer for the Nawabgunj Municipal Office on a pay of Rs. 15 a month. None need apply who has no practical knowledge of surveying and road-work. Applications stating age, qualification and past services, if any, with copies of testimonials as to character and efficiency, should reach this office before the 15th October 1903.

SRIS CHANDRA MAULIK, Chairman.

Nawabgunj Municipal Office, (P. O.) Chapai (Malda), the 18th September 1903. (1083—2)

Notice.

WANTED a Nazir for the District Judge's Court of Chittagong on a monthly salary of Rs. 100 rising to Rs. 200 No one need apply who has not experience of Nezarat or Civil Court work. The selected candidate will have to furnish security of Rs. 5,000 in cash or promissory notes. Applications with testimonials in original (which will be returned if postage is supplied) will be received up to 1st November next.

H. E. RANSOM, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 10th September 1903.

Notice.

WANTED temporarily from November next—

1 Native Surveyor at Rs 50 per month.
2 Native Surveyors at Rs. 40 each per month.
6 Amins at Rs. 35 each per month.
13 Amins at Rs. 20 each per month.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 20th October 1903.

S. S. SKINNER, Depy. Commr., Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri, the 8th September 1903.

Notice.

WANTED a man holding a certificate of proficiency in surveying for the work of a Commissioner in local enquiries in civil suits in the districts of Manbhum and Singhbhum.

He will have fees in a lump in each case, the amount being fixed according to the nature of the suit.

Applications to be received by the undersigned up to 15th October 1903.

R. R. POPE, Judicial Commissioner, Chota Nagpur.

Ranchi, the 16th September 1903.

Notice.

WANTED a Sub-Inspector of Schools for the District Board of Mymensingh on a salary of Rs. 50 per mensem with travelling allowance according to the Civil Service Regulations. No one need apply who is not qualified according to Government Notification No. 486T.—G., dated the 2nd September 1893. The candidate must procure from the Divisional Inspector a certificate of fitness to examine vernacular schools of all classes and of possessing a practical knowledge of the art of teaching. Preference will be given to a candidate who has passed the English Teachership examination from a Training school and is a Muhammadan.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th October next.

W. B. THOMSON,

Chairman, District Board.

Mymensingh District Board's Office, the 19th September 1903. (1077—2)

Notice.

WANTED by the District Board of Jessore a Lady Doctor on a salary of Rs. 40 and house allowance of Rs. 10 a month. Passed students of Government affiliated Medical institutions holding diplomas and having experience of hospital duties will have preference. Private practice will be allowed. The selected candidate before being confirmed in her appointment will have to undergo a period of probation for three months Applications with original diplomas and copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th October 1903. The necessary costs in postage stamps for returning the diplomas should accompany the application.

J. T. BABONEAU, Chairman, District Board.

Jessore, the 26th September 1903. (1152—2)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the District Board of Dacca have, at their adjourned special meeting held on the 22nd September 1903, resolved to levy the road cess in the district during the ensuing financial year 1904-1905 at the maximum rate, that is, half anna in the rupee on the annual value of lands, &c.

A. R. EDWARDS, Chairman.

Dacca District Board's Office, the 25th September 1903.

Notice.

IT is notified that, under section 46 of the Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Gaya have, at their special meeting held on the 18th September 1903, resolved to continue to levy the road cess in the district for the ensuing year 1904-1905 at the maximum rate of pies six per rupee on the annual value of lands, &c.

By order,

GANGADINATH MOOKERJEE,

Secretary, District Board, Gaya.

The 25th September 1903.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
H 451 of 1902-1903.	AA/77 69965	100	Madan Mohan Sahai, village Ballia, Hosainiganj Post-office, district Saran.
	AA/37 40050	100	
	AA/78 13201	100	
	AA/78 23956	100	

A. H. CLARKE, Assistant Comptroller-General,

In charge Paper Currency.

Calcutta, the 24th September 1903.

Dessai and Parbuttea Tea Co., Ld.

NOTICE.

THE Ordinary Half-yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No 100 Clive Street, on Monday, the 12th October, at 3 P.M.

GEORGE HENDERSON & Co., Secretaries.

100 Clive Street, Calcutta, 31st August 1903.

(1082—2—986)

Lost

THE Government Promissory Notes—

				Rs.
No. M. 003788 of the	3½	per cent. of	1842-43,	1,000
„ M. 002600	4	ditto	ditto	500*
„ 008769	3½	ditto	1900-01,	1,000

standing in the name of the Accountant-General, High Court, Madras, the Madras Railway Company, and the National Bank of India, Limited, respectively.

They were blank endorsed by A. R. Hajee Fakeer Mahomed Sait and Sons and delivered to Mooni Hoochanna & Co., the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest and for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of proprietor—MOONI HOOCHANNA.

Residence—Bazar Street, Ootacamund.

* This note has since been converted (by enfacement) into note bearing No. M. 00046), 3½ per cent. of 1842-43, Rs. 500.

(959—3—991)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of JOHN ROBERT COULTHARD, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 12th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the first Court day in January 1904, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Harold M. Given Wilson, Attorney. (1092—2)

In the matter of TARA CHUND, RAMGOPAL and ISSUR DASS, insolvents.

On Thursday, the 10th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. D Dutt and Gupta, Attorneys. (1093—2)

In the matter of RAM NATH MISSER, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 7th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Kalisunker Mookerjee, Attorney. (1094—2)

In the matter of BASAB LALL MITTER, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Sarat Kumar Sirkar, Attorney. (1095—2)

In the matter of ISABELLA REGINA NIELSON, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 29th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. P. Younan, Attorney. (1096—2)

In the matter of JOHN CHARLES TOSH, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1097—2)

In the matter of GOURISUNKUR, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 7th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

W. G. Rose, Attorney. (1098—2)

In the matter of MAHOMED AHMED YACKOOJEE, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. H. Remfry, Attorney. (1099—2)

In the matter of KANAI LAL BORAL, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Haldar, Attorneys. (1100—2)

In the matter of OSMOND CHARLES DOVER, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 7th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1101—2)

In the matter of HENRY WILKINSON, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A K. Thakur, Attorney. (1102—2)

In the matter of GEORGE EARNEST MCLEAVY, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 15th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Syama Charan Basack, Attorney. (1103—2)

In the matter of KHEMKARAN and GHONOSHYAM DASS, insolvents.

On Friday, the 11th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Ambica Charan Dey, Attorney. (1104—2)

In the matter of ARTHUR EDWARD PIGOTT, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 14th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court

Insolvent in person. (1105—2)

In the matter of RALIARAM KHETTRY, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 10th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Khogendra Nath De, Attorney. (1106—2)

In the matter of WALTER SALMON ETHERIDGE, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 10th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Fox and Mandal, Attorneys. (1107—2)

In the matter of HRIDAYNATH GANGOPADHYA, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 10th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Sarat Kumar Sirkar, Attorney. (1108—2)

In the matter of RAGHUNATH MULL, an insolvent

On Saturday, the 12th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Rajkissore Bysack, Attorney. (1109—2)

In the matter of MADHAV CHANDRA BYSACK, an insolvent

On Tuesday, the 15th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court

Syama Charan Bysack, Attorney (1110—2)

In the matter of ALFRED WELLS *alias* FRED. WELLS and DOROTHY ELLEN WELLS, insolvents.

On Thursday, the 17th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the Court.

Insolvents in person. (1111—2)

In the matter of LUCHMINARAIN and SHAMDEB, insolvents.

On Wednesday, the 16th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Akshoy Kumar Mitter, Attorney. (1112 2)

In the matter of BHUPUTRAM, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 16th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Akshoy Kumar Mitter, Attorney. (1113—2)

In the matter of BANEY KALWAR, an insolvent.

On Thursday, the 17th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Kali Mohun Rakshit, Attorney. (1114—2)

In the matter of OTTO GRUN, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 19th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. H. Remfry, Attorney. (1115—2)

In the matter of ERNEST AUGUSTUS MACKNOLT, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 19th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

O. Camell, Attorney. (1116—2)

In the matter of LEO HAHN, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 4th day of July last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the first Court day in August 1904, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Dignam & Co., Attorneys. (1117—2)

In the matter of KANYE LALL AGARWALLA, an insolvent

On Thursday, the 3rd day of September instant, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 24th day of November next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

P. N. Sen, Attorney. (1118—2)

In the matter of BARODA KANTO PRAMANICK, an insolvent, and in the matter of SHIVADAGATI PRAMANICK, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 5,769-12-1 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said insolvents as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 40 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said insolvents, and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (1119—1)

In the matter of MAHALIRAM and another, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs 3,470-4-9 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said insolvents as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 10 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said insolvents, and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (1120—1)

In the matter of SOOKDEO DASS and MOTHURA PROSAUD, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 709-15-7 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said insolvents as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 13-8 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said insolvents, and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (1121—1)

In the matter of THOMAS WATSON, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,874-6 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 3 12 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said insolvent, and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (1122—1)

In the matter of KANYE LALL AGARWALLA, an insolvent

On Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 4th day of March 1903 to the 31st day of August last was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 8th day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

W. C. Graham, Offg. Official Assignee. (1123—1)

In the matter of BILASH ROY KHEMKA, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of September instant, it was specially ordered that this matter be set down for hearing on Tuesday, the 13th day of October next, with liberty to the said insolvent at the said hearing to apply that the petition seeking for relief filed in this matter on the 1st day of October 1901 be withdrawn and the vesting order made thereon be discharged.

Manuel and Augurwallah, Attorneys. (1124—1)

In the matter of ALFRED WELLS *alias* FRED. WELLS, a Constable in the Bengal Police at Howrah, a British-born subject, and DOROTHY ELLEN WELLS, wife of the said ALFRED WELLS *alias* FRED. WELLS, both residing at No. 142, Dhurrumtollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 17th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvents in person. (1125—1)

In the matter of HENRY WILKINSON, residing at No. 4, Dacre's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as Tailors and Outfitters at No. 6-1, Chowringhee, in Calcutta, aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Messrs. Don & Co., at present an assistant in the firm of Messrs. Jambon & Co., an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

A. K. Thakur, Attorney. (1126—1)

In the matter of OSWOND CHARLES DOVER, of No. 48, Taltollah Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a clerk in the service of Messrs. Traill & Co., an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 7th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1127—1)

In the matter of KANAI LAL BORAL, a stock-broker, residing at No. 29-1, Durpanarain Tagore's Street, in Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bonnerjee and Haldar, Attorneys. (1128—1)

In the matter of MAHOMED AHMED YACKOOJEE, residing at No. 1, Amratollah Lane, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

H. H. Remfry, Attorney. (1129—1)

In the matter of GOURIE SUNKAR, residing at No. 3, Juggomohun Mullick's Lane, in Burrabazar, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as grain merchant, both at No. 10, Amratolla Street in Calcutta, aforesaid, and also at Chapra, in the district of Saran, in Bengal, but at present employed as a gomastah in the employ of the firm of Doogurn Dass Behary Lall, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 7th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

W. G. Rose, Attorney. (1130—1)

In the matter of BANEY KALWAR, residing at No. 43, Colootollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business at the aforesaid place as grocer under the name and style of Baney Kalwar, and at present employed under Luchmina Bewah on a salary of Rs. 6 a month, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 17th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rakshit, Attorney. (1131—1)

In the matter of BHUPATRAM, residing at No. 78, Cross Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as broker of jute at Serajgunge, in the district of Pabna, under the name, style and firm of Askaru Bhupatram, thereafter worked as broker of piece-goods at No 78, Cross Street, aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Bhupatram, and at present employed as a gomastah in the firm of Nath Mull Bhikan Chand, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 16th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Askhoy Kumar Mitter, Attorney. (1132—1)

In the matter of LUCHMINARAIN and SHAMDEB, both residing at No. 30, Daccaputty, in Burrabazar, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business of oilman stores at No. 31, Burtollah Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid, and also at Cawnpore, in the North-Western Provinces of India, under the name, style and firm of Luchminarain Shamdeb, at present having no employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 16th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Akshoy Kumar Mitter, Attorney. (1133—1)

In the matter of MADHAV CHANDRA BYSACK, lately carrying on business as a hardware merchant in his own name at No. 43, Monohur Dass Chuck, Burrabazar, in the town of Calcutta, but now not carrying on any business and being without employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 15th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. C. Bysack, Attorney. (1134—1)

In the matter of RAGHUNATH MULL, at present residing at No. 12, Nabootollah Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carried on business in the purchase and sale of Government securities in partnership with Sreekissen Mull, now a gomastah in the employ of Joganath Karanani, at Sootaputty, in Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 12th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1135—1)

In the matter of WALTER SALMON ETHERIDGE, residing at 54, Chowringhee Road, in the town of Calcutta, an Appraiser in His Majesty's Custom House, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic, Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 10th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Fox and Mandal, Attorneys. (1136—1)

In the matter of RALIARAM KHETTRY, residing at No. 10 Sootaputty, Burrabazar, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carried on business at Amritsahar as dealer in cloth, under the name, style and firm of Raliaram Bagag, at present in the employ of Juggannath Mohesdas, as a gomastah at No. 162, Harrison Road, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 10th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. N. Dé, Attorney. (1137—1)

In the matter of OTTO GRUN, residing at No. 9, Chowringhee Road, in Calcutta, lately carrying on business as a merchant and agent at No. 5, Old Court House Street, in Calcutta, in partnership with Bepin Behary Sen, under the style or firm of Grun & Co., an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 19th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

H. H. Remfry, Attorney. (1138—1)

In the matter of HRIDAY NATH GANGOPADHYA, of No. 11, Joy Gopal Bhuttacharjee's Lane, Bagbazar, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as sweetmeat vendor at No. 164, Upper Chitpore Road, in Calcutta, aforesaid, under the name and style of Hriday Nath Gangopadhya, at present having no occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 10th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Sarat Kumar Sarkar, Attorney. (1139—1)

In the matter of SEWNANDAN SHA and HARNANDAN SHA, residing at No. 97, Ahiritolla Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business in co-partnership at No. 155, Raja Rajendra Narain's Lane, in Calcutta, as grocers under the name and style of Sewnandan Harnandan; the insolvent Sewnandan is at present a gomastah in the service of Raghoobir Sha, the other has at present no occupation, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 17th day of July last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Kalimohun Rakshit, Attorney. (1140—1)

In the matter of KRISTO CHUNDER KARMOKAR, BHOORUN CHUNDER KARMOKAR and RAJENDRA LALL KARMOKAR, of No. 60, Jaun Bazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, who formerly with their brother Tarini Prosad Karmokar, since deceased, carried on and three of whom are still carrying on business as goldsmiths, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1141—1)

In the matter of TARA CHAND RAMGOPAL and ISSUR DASS, all of No. 209, Harrison Road, in Calcutta, lately carried on a cloth business under the name and style of Tara Chand Ramgopal. The said Tara Chand and Issur Dass are now brokers of piece-goods and the said Ramgopal is now serving as a gomostah in the employ of Bhairodan Mati Lal, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 10th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. D. Dutt and Gupta, Attorneys. (1142—1)

In the matter of JOHN CHARLES TOSH, carrying on business as a contractor at No. 8, Hastings Street, and residing at No. 15, Royd Street, in the town of Calcutta, a British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1143—1)

In the matter of ISABELLA REGINA NIELSON, Spinster lately carrying on the business of the Mona Dairy under the name and style of I. R Neslein at No. 1, Talla Bridge in Chitpore in the Suburbs of Calcutta now without any employment, and residing at No. 12, Creek Row, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 29th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

J. P. Younan, Attorney. (1144—1)

In the matter of RAM NATH MISSER, of 73, Bow Bazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, cloth hawker, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic, Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 7th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Kalisunkar Mookerjee, Attorney. (1145—1)

In the matter of KHEM KARAN and GHONOSHYAM DASS both at present residing at No. 12, Mullick's Street in the town of Calcutta, two of the partners of the business as general merchants lately carried on by them in co-partnership with Gunput Roy Balkissen Lal and Chhogo Mull at Suteaputty and Monohur Dass Kuttra, in the town of Calcutta, under the name and style of Sheo Doyal Ghonoshyam Dass, also at Bhewani in Hissar in the Punjab under the name and style of Samantaram Sheo Doyal, also at Sujanagore in Rajputana under the name and style of Bissessur Lall Baijnath, also at Bikaneer under the name and style of Sheodoyal Khem Karan, and also at Beawar under the name and style of Sheodoyal Ghonoshyam Dass, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 11th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Ambica Charan Dey, Attorney. (1146—1)

In the matter of GEORGE EARNEST MCLEAVY, residing at No. 2, Kidderpore Bridge Road, Hastings, Calcutta, an assistant in the firm of Messrs. Harton & Co., Merchants of No. 30 Strand, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic, Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 15th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. C. Basak, Attorney. (1147—1)

In the matter of ARTHUR EDWARD PIGOTT, employed as a guard on the East Indian Railway, and residing at No. 67, Jaun Bazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, a British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 14th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1148—1)

In the matter of ERNEST AUGUSTUS MACKRODT, residing at No. 2, Ripon Street, in the town of Calcutta, an assistant in the employ of Messrs. Graham & Co., Merchants, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 19th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

O. Camell, Attorney. (1149—1)

In the matter of JOHN ROBERT COULTHARD, an assistant in the firm of Messrs. Mackenzie, Lyall & Co., of 1 and 2, Lyons Range, in the town of Calcutta, and residing at No. 10 Rainey Park, Ballygunge, in the

suburbs of Calcutta, who lately carried on business at No. 1 Vansittart Row, in the said town of Calcutta, in co-partnership with William Taylor Lawson, since deceased, as merchants and agents under the firm and style of Coulthard, Lawson & Co., an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday the 12th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

H. M. Given Wilson, Attorney. (1150—1)

In the matter of BASAB LALL MITTER, of No. 7, Mitter's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business at Nos. 118-1 and 123, Canning Street, in Calcutta, as stationers and glass-shopkeeper under the name and style of Basab Lall Mitter & Co., but now a broker, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 8th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Sarat Kumar Sarkar, Attorney. (1151—1)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1903.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	1st Oct.	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	30th Sept.	Parcels P.M. At 5 M.-O. P.M. At 4	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	5th Oct.	,, 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements (also China and Japan, if the Steamer's name is superscribed on the cover).	2nd ,,	,, 8-30	Per steamer *Kumsang*.
Burma	1st ,,	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	3rd ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	3rd ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	5th ,,	,, 7-30	Ditto.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† Correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by the first steamer available.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 5-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 9 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 11-15 A.M., and with a late fee of ¼ anna up to 11-40 A.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ¼ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-25 P.M., and with a late fee of ¼ anna up to 3-50 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ¼ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and Madras Presidency, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
} and with a late fee of ¼ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail, *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa and the Madras Presidency, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ¼ anna up to 8 P.M.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8-45 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails, *vid* Bombay, the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by sea. Foreign Mails for despatch *vid* Madras or Tuticorin are received up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee up to 8-45 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 29th September 1903.* } JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

NADIA RIVERS.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 25th September 1903.

Name of river	Reach of river.	Least depth of water soundings.		Remarks.
		Ft	In	
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ..	22	0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	20	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	19	0	Alampur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	18	6	Fadilpur.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa	18	0	Mirzapur.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	20	6	Dewangunge.
Bhyrab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	19	0	
	Thence to Akriganj	18	0	Akhiriganje.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhyrub and Jalangi . ..	17	0	Kashidanga.
	Thence to Patkabari	20	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	19	0	Jitpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges .	13	0	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	13	9	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	14	0	Dharandah.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia	14	6	Mahamudpur.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ..	16	3	Sealmari.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengunj and Hanskhali ..	16	6	Bastupur.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea-level.	Remarks.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahibganj .	26-9-1903	6	18·65	86·65	Falling.
			A.M.			
	Rampur Boalia	26-9-1903	12	17·75	59·75	Do.
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah	26-9-1903	A.M. 7	...	70·05	Do.
	Entrance of Bhairab-Jalangi Akriganj ...	27-9-1903	A.M. 7	...	58 00	Do.
	Entrance of Mathabhanga ...	27-9-1903	...	18·75	...	Do.
			A.M.			
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	27-9-1903	8	...	67·40	Do.
			A.M.			
	Berhampore ...	26-9-1903	10	22·92	56·67	Do.
			A.M.			
	Katwa ...	26-9-1903	12	25·20	41·05	Do.
	Krishnagar ...	25-9-1903	...	22·25	...	Do.
Jalangi ...			A.M.			
	Sarupganj ...	26-9-1903	12	...	34·70	Do.
Mathabhanga	Hanskhali ..	26-9-1903	A.M. 4	17·80	...	Do.

ROHINI NATH BORMON,
Clerk in charge, for *Exe. Engr.*,
Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 28th September 1903.

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BENGAL ACT No. V OF 1903.

An Act to amend the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act and the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act and the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897; Ben. Act I of 1879. Ben. Act IV of 1897.

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained, under section 5 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, to the provisions of this Act which affect Acts passed by the Governor General of India in Council; 55 & 56 Vict., c. 14.

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Short title, commencement and application.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903; and

(*2*) It shall come into force on such date as the Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Government of India, may, by notification in the Calcutta Gazette, appoint in this behalf.

(*3*) The provisions of this Act shall apply to all proceedings instituted after the commencement of this Act, and, so far as may be, to all cases pending in any Court or before any officer on the date of such commencement.

PART II.—AMENDMENT OF THE CHOTA NAGPUR LANDLORD AND TENANT PROCEDURE ACT. Ben Act I of 1879.

Amendment of section 2 of Bengal Act I of 1879.

2. (*1*) In section 2 of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, at the end of the definition of "Deputy Collector" the words "and any Sub-Deputy Collector who is specially empowered by the Local Government to discharge the functions of a Deputy Collector under this Act" shall be inserted.

(*2*) At the end of the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"(*a*) 'bhugut bandha mortgage' means a transfer of the interest of a tenant in his tenancy,

for the purpose of securing the payment of money advanced or to be advanced by way of loan,

upon the condition that the loan, with all interest thereon, shall be deemed to be extinguished by the profits arising from the tenancy during the period of the mortgage;

"(*b*) 'Certificate Officer' means a Certificate Officer as defined in clause (*2*) of section 4 of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895; Ben. Act I of 1895.

"(*c*) 'Deputy Commissioner' means the Deputy Commissioner of a district, and includes any Revenue-officer whom the Local Government may from time to time appoint, by name or in virtue of his office, to discharge any of the functions of a Deputy Commissioner under this Act;

"(*d*) 'holding' means a parcel or parcels of land held by a raiyat and forming the subject of a separate tenancy;

"(*e*) 'landlord' means a person immediately under whom a tenant holds, and includes the Government;

"(*f*) 'moveable property' includes standing crops;

"(*g*) 'Mundari khunt-kattidar' means a Mundari who has acquired a right to hold jungle land for the purpose of bringing suitable portions thereof under cultivation by himself or by male members of his family, and includes—

(*i*) the heirs male in the male line of any such Mundari, when they are in possession of such land, and

(*ii*) as regards any portions of such land which have remained continuously in the possession of any such Mundari and his descendants in the male line, such descendants;

"(*h*) 'Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy' means the interest of a Mundari khunt-kattidar;

"(*j*) 'raiyat' means primarily a person who has acquired a right to hold land for the purpose of cultivating it by himself, or by members of his family, or by hired servants, or with the aid of partners; and includes also the successors in interest of persons who have acquired such a right, but does not include a Mundari khunt-kattidar.

"*Explanation.*—Where a tenant of land has the right to bring it under cultivation, he shall be deemed to have acquired a right to hold it for the purpose of cultivation, notwithstanding that he uses it for the purpose of gathering the produce of it or of grazing cattle on it:

A person shall not be deemed to be a raiyat unless he holds land either immediately under a proprietor or immediately under a tenure-holder or immediately under a Mundari khunt-kattidar:

In determining whether a tenant is a tenure-holder or a raiyat, the Court shall have regard to local custom and to the purpose for which the right of tenancy was originally acquired;

"(*k*) 'registered' means registered under any Act for the time being in force for the registration of documents;

"(*l*) 'rent' includes also money recoverable under any enactment for the time being in force as if it was rent;

"(*m*) 'resumable tenure' means a tenure which is held subject to the condition that it shall lapse to the

estate of the grantor and be resumable by him or his successor in title—

(i) on failure of male heirs of the body of the original grantee in the male line, or

(ii) on the happening of any definite contingency other than that referred to in sub-clause (i);

"(*n*) 'tenant' means a person who holds land under another person and is, or but for a special contract would be, liable to pay rent for that land to that person;

"(*o*) 'tenure' means the interest of a tenure-holder, and includes an under-tenure, but does not include a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, and

"(*p*) 'tenure-holder' means primarily a person who has acquired from the zamindar, or from another tenure-holder, a right to hold land for the purpose of collecting rents or bringing it under cultivation by establishing tenants on it; and includes also the successors in interest of persons who have acquired such a right, and the holders of tenures entered in the register prepared under section 5 of the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, as confirmed under section 25 of that Act; but does not include a Mundari khunt-kattidar." Ben. Act II 1869

Amendment of section 6.

3. (*1*) The words "so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same," in section 6 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, are repealed. Ben. Act I of 1879.

(*2*) To section 6 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"Any land which a raiyat has from time to time received in exchange for land previously held by him shall, for the purpose of calculating, under this section, the period of twelve years, be deemed to be the same land as the land which he held before the exchange.

"Every raiyat who cultivates or holds land known as korkar, baiballa, khandwat, sajhwát, jalsasan or ariat shall have a right of occupancy in such land, notwithstanding that he has not cultivated or held the land for a period of twelve years."

Amendment of section 7.

4. In section 7 of the said Act, before the words "the last preceding section" the words "the first two paragraphs of" shall be inserted.

Insertion of new sections, 10A and 10B.

5. After section 10 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"10A. (*1*) No decree or order shall be passed by any Court for the sale of the right of a raiyat in his holding, nor shall any such right be sold in execution of any decree or order:

Restrictions on sale of raiyats' rights under order of Court.

"Provided as follows:—

(*a*) any holding may be sold, in execution of a decree of a competent Court, to recover an arrear of rent which has accrued in respect of the holding; and

(*b*) nothing in this section shall affect the right to execute a decree for sale of a holding passed, or the terms or conditions of any contract registered, before the first day of January, 1903.

"*Explanation I.*—Where a holding is held under joint landlords, and a decree has been passed for the share of the rent due to one or more, but not all, of them, proviso (*a*) does not authorise the sale of the holding in execution of such decree.

"*Explanation II.*—Proviso (*b*) does not render valid any document which is otherwise illegal or invalid, or authorise a Court to take judicial cognizance of any such document.

"*Explanation III.*—This sub-section does not prevent the sale of a holding for the recovery, under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, of a loan granted for the benefit of the holding under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, or the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884. Ben. Act I of 1895. XIX of 1883. XII of 1884

"(*2*) When a holding is sold for an arrear of rent which has accrued in respect thereof, the rent shall be a first charge on the holding.

"10B. (*1*) No transfer by a raiyat of his right in his holding or any portion thereof, by mortgage or lease for any period exceeding five years, or by sale, gift or any other contract or agreement, shall be valid to any extent:

Restrictions on transfer of their rights by raiyats.

"Provided that a raiyat may enter into a bhugut bandha mortgage of his holding or any portion thereof for any period not exceeding seven years.

"(*2*) No transfer by a raiyat of his right in his holding or any portion thereof shall be binding on the landlord unless it is made with his consent in writing.

"(*3*) No transfer in contravention of sub-section (*1*) shall be registered, or shall be in any way recognized as valid by any Court, whether in the exercise of civil, criminal or revenue jurisdiction.

"(*4*) At any time after the expiration of the period for which a raiyat has, under this section, transferred his right in his holding or any portion thereof, the Deputy Commissioner may, in his discretion, on the application of the raiyat, put the raiyat into possession of such holding or portion.

"(*5*) Nothing in this section shall affect the validity of any transfer (not otherwise invalid) of a raiyat's right in his holding or any portion thereof made *bonâ fide* before the first day of January, 1903."

Amendment of section 11.

6. For section 11 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act the following shall be substituted, namely:— Ben. Act I of 1879.

"11. (*1*) A landlord who, except under any special enactment for the time being in force, levies from a tenant any money in excess of the rent legally payable, with interest thereon, or any rakumats or predial services to which he is not legally entitled, shall, on the application of the tenant, be liable,

Penalty on landlord levying anything in excess of rent or lawful rakumats or services.

under the order of a Revenue-officer not below the rank of Deputy Commissioner, or under the order of any officer who may be specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf,

to pay as penalty such sum as such officer thinks fit, not exceeding two hundred rupees, or, when double the amount or value of what is so levied exceeds two hundred rupees, not exceeding double that amount or value.

"(2) Such sum shall be awarded to the tenant as compensation."

Amendment of section 12.

7. For section 12 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"12. (1) Every tenant who makes a payment on account of rent, or interest due thereon, or both, to his landlord shall be entitled to obtain forthwith from the landlord or his agent a signed receipt for the same, in a form prescribed by the Local Government from time to time by notification in the Calcutta Gazette.

Receipts for rent and interest thereon

"(2) The landlord or his agent shall prepare and retain a counterfoil of the receipt in a form prescribed as aforesaid.

"(3) If any landlord or his agent, without reasonable cause, fails to grant such a receipt or to prepare and retain such a counterfoil, then, on proof thereof, the Deputy Commissioner may, in a summary proceeding, by order, impose on the landlord a fine which may extend to fifty rupees in respect of each such failure; and may, in his discretion, award to the tenant, by way of compensation, such portion of the fine as the Deputy Commissioner may think fit.

"(4) If, in any suit or other proceeding under this Act or any other law, the Court or presiding officer (not being the Deputy Commissioner) finds that any landlord or agent has failed—

(a) to deliver to a tenant a receipt in the prescribed form as aforesaid, or

(b) to prepare and retain a counterfoil in the prescribed form of a receipt delivered to a tenant as aforesaid,

such Court or officer shall inform the Deputy Commissioner."

Amendment of section 13.

8. (1) In section 13 of the said Act, for the words "or raiyat", wherever they occur, the words "raiyat or Mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted.

(2) In the same section, after the words "entertain a suit" the words "or application" shall be inserted.

(3) To the same section the following shall be added, namely :—

"A deposit may be made under this section in either of the following cases, namely :—

(a) when an under-tenant, raiyat or Mundari khunt-kattidar who is bound to pay money on account of rent has reason to believe, owing to a tender having been refused or a receipt withheld on a previous occasion,

that the person to whom his rent is payable will not be willing to receive it and to grant him a receipt for it; or

(*b*) when the rent is payable to co-sharers jointly, and the tenant is unable to obtain the joint receipt of the co-sharers for the money, and no person has been empowered to receive the rent on their behalf."

Amendment of section 14.

9. (*1*) In section 14 of the said Act, for the words "or raiyat", in both places in which they occur, the words "raiyat or Mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted.

(*2*) To the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"If no payment is made under this section before the expiration of three years from the date on which the deposit was made, the amount deposited may, in the absence of any order of a Civil Court to the contrary, be repaid to the depositor upon his application and on his returning the receipt given by the Deputy Commissioner."

Amendment of section 15.

10. In section 15 of the said Act, after the word "brought" the words "and no application for a certificate under section 155 shall be made" shall be inserted; and after the word "instituted" the words "or application made" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 17.

11. In section 17 of the said Act,—

(*a*) after the word "rent" the words "or interest thereon" shall be inserted, and

(*b*) for the words "or raiyat", in both places in which they occur, the words "raiyat or Mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted.

Insertion of new sections, 28A. and 28B.

12. After section 28 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

Stay of proceedings before Deputy Commissioner during preparation of record-of-rights.

"28A. When an order has been made, under any law for the time being in force, directing the preparation of a record-of-rights, then, notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing sections, the Deputy Commissioner shall not,—

(*a*) where a settlement of land-revenue is being or is about to be made—until after the final publication of the record-of-rights, and

(*b*) where a settlement of land-revenue is not being made or is not about to be made—until three months after the final publication of the record-of-rights,

entertain any suit or application for the alteration of the rent or the determination of the status of any tenant in the area to which the record-of-rights applies.

Period for which rents as entered in record-of-rights are to remain unaltered.

"28B. (*1*) When the rent of a tenure or holding is entered in any such record-of-rights as finally published, then, notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing sections,

such rent shall not, except on the ground of a landlord's improvement or of a subsequent alteration in the area of the tenure or holding, be enhanced, in the case of a tenure or an occupancy-holding, for seven years, and, in the case of a non-occupancy holding, for five years,

and no such rent shall be reduced within the periods aforesaid save on the ground of alteration in the area of the holding or on the ground that the soil of the holding has, without the fault of the raiyat, become permanently deteriorated by a deposit of sand or other specific cause, sudden or gradual.

"(2) The said periods of seven years and five years shall be counted from the date of the final publication of the said record-of-rights."

Amendment of section 30.

13. In section 30 of the said Act, for the word "six" the words "six-and-a-quarter" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 31.

14. For section 31 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"31. Where an arrear of rent remains due from a non-occupancy raiyat at the end of the Bengali or Sumbat year, where that year prevails, or at the end of the month of Jeyt, where the Fasli or Wiláyati year prevails,

Ejectment of non-occupancy raiyat for arrears of rent

the landlord may, whether he has obtained a decree for the recovery of the arrear or not, and whether he is entitled by the terms of any contract to eject the tenant for arrears or not, institute a suit to eject the raiyat."

Insertion of new section, 32A.

15. After section 32 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"32A. If any raiyat, after the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, uses the land comprised in his holding in a manner which renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy, he shall be liable to be ejected from the land, but only in execution of a decree or order passed under the provisions of this Act."

Ejectment of raiyat for misuse of land.

Amendment of section 33.

16. In section 33 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, Ben Act I of 1879.

(a) for the words "or tenure", in the first two places in which they occur, the words "tenure or Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy" shall be substituted;

(b) for the words "or tenure", in the third place in which they occur, the words "tenure or tenancy" shall be substituted, and

(c) for the words "or raiyat", wherever they occur, the words "raiyat or Mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 34.

17. For section 34 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"34. (1) When any tenure or portion thereof is transferred by succession, inheritance, sale, gift, mortgage or exchange, the transferee or his successor in title shall cause the transfer to

Registration of certain transfers of tenures.

be registered in the sarishta of the zamindar or superior tenant to whom the rent of the tenure or portion is payable.

"(2) Every zamindar or superior tenant shall, in the absence of sufficient reasons to the contrary, admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all such transfers.

"(3) Whenever any such transfer of a tenure or portion of a tenure is registered in the sarishta of the zamindar or superior tenant, he shall be entitled to levy a registration-fee of the following amount, namely:—

(a) when rent is payable in respect of the tenure or portion—a fee of two *per centum* on the annual rent thereof: provided that no such fee shall be less than one rupee or more than one hundred rupees, and

(b) when rent is not payable in respect of the tenure or portion—a fee of two rupees.

"(4) Every application for the registration of a transfer under sub-section (1) must be made, in the case of a transfer which occurred before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, within one year from such commencement, and, in the case of a transfer occurring after such commencement, within one year from the date of the transfer.

"(5) If application for the registration of any transfer of a tenure or portion thereof is not made, and the registration-fee paid or tendered, as hereinbefore prescribed, the transferee or his successor in title shall not be entitled to recover, by suit or other proceeding, any rent payable to him as the holder of the tenure or portion which may have accrued due between the date of the transfer and the date of the application for registration.

"(6) Nothing in this section shall be construed—

(i) to validate a transfer of any tenure or portion thereof which, by the terms upon which it is held, or by any law or any custom having the force of law, is not transferable, or

(ii) if a tenure is resumable, to affect the right of the zamindar or superior tenant to resume it.

"(7) The mere registration of a transfer, or the mere levy of a registration-fee, under this section, shall not be deemed to imply a consent to, or permission to make, the transfer, within the meaning of section 36A; and the zamindar or superior tenant shall not be bound by the terms or conditions of any such transfer."

Repeal of section 35.

18. Section 35 of the said Act is repealed.

Amendment of section 36.

19. (1) In section 36 of the said Act, for the words "the two last preceding sections" the word and figures "section 34" shall be substituted.

(2) In the same section, after the word "transferee" the words "or his successor in title" shall be inserted.

Insertion of new section, 36A

20. After the said section 36 the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"36A. (1) Upon the resumption of a resumable tenure, every lien, sub-tenancy, easement or other right or interest created, without the consent or permission of the grantor or his successor in

Annulment of incumbrances on resumption of resumable tenure.

interest, by the grantee or any of his successors, on the tenure, or in limitation of his own interest therein, shall be deemed to be annulled, except the following, namely:—

(*a*) any lease of land whereupon a dwelling-house, manufactory or other permanent building has been erected, or a permanent garden, plantation, tank, canal, place of worship or burning or burying ground has been made, or wherein a mine has been sunk under lawful authority;

(*b*) any right of occupancy;

(*c*) any right to hold land known as korkar, baiballá, khandwat, sajhwat, jalsásan or ariat;

(*d*) any right to hold land occupied by a sacred grove; and

(*e*) any Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

"(*2*) Nothing in clause (*a*) shall be construed to confer on any grantee of a resumable tenure, or any of his successors, any right over minerals which he does not otherwise possess."

Amendment of section 37.

21. (*1*) The words "on account of the illegal exaction of rent or of any unauthorised cess or impost, or on account of the refusal of receipts for rent paid, or," in clause (*2*) of section 37 of the said Act, are repealed.

(*2*) After the words "extortion of rent," in the same clause, the words "or interest thereon" shall be inserted.

(*3*) After clause (*5*) of the same section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*5a*) all suits to eject a raiyat on account of the use of land comprised in his holding in a manner which renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy."

Amendment of section 39.

22. (*1*) At the beginning of section 39 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"Subject to such rules (if any) as may from time to time be made by the Local Government in this behalf."

(*2*) In the same section, for the word and figures "or 33" the figures and word "33 or 154" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 44.

23. In section 44 of the said Act,—

(*a*) after the word "Suits" the words and figures "and applications under section 155" shall be inserted; and

(*b*) after the word "suit", in both places in which it occurs, the words "or application" shall be inserted.

Insertion of new section, 44A.

24. After the said section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

Successive suits or applications for recovery of rent.

"44A. Where a landlord has instituted a suit, or applied for a certificate under section 155, against a raiyat or a Mundari khunt-kattidar, for the recovery of any rent of his tenancy, the landlord shall not institute another suit or apply for another such certificate against him for the recovery of any rent of that

tenancy until after six months from the date of the institution or making of the previous suit or application."

Amendment of section 47.

25. In section 47 of the said Act, after the word "raiyat" the words "or Mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 57.

26. In section 57 of the said Act,—

(*a*) for the words "or raiyat" the words "raiyat or Mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted, and

(*b*) for the words "a dependent taluk or other transferable tenure which, as hereinafter provided," the words "a tenure or holding which" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 66.

27. In section 66 of the said Act, for the words "fifteen days", wherever they occur, the words "thirty days" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 82.

28. (*1*) In the first paragraph of section 82 of the said Act, for the word "suit" the words "suit or other proceeding under this Act" shall be substituted.

(*2*) In the same paragraph, after the words "is subordinate" the words "or by any other person whom the Deputy Commissioner may deem fit" shall be inserted.

(*3*) In the second paragraph of the same section, after the word "officer" the words "or other person" shall be inserted.

(*4*) At the end of the same section the words "or other proceeding as aforesaid" shall be added.

Amendment of section 87.

29. In section 87 of the said Act, for the words "or under-tenant", in both places in which they occur, the words "under-tenant or Mundari khunt-kattidar" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 88.

30. (*1*) In section 88 of the said Act, before the word "raiyat", in both places in which it occurs, the words "non-occupancy" shall be inserted.

(*2*) In the same section, for the word "fifteen" the word "thirty" shall be substituted.

(*3*) In the same section, before the word "decree", where it last occurs, the word "final" shall be inserted.

(*4*) To the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"The Court may, for special reasons to be recorded in writing, extend the period of thirty days mentioned in this section."

Amendment of section 103.

31. In section 103 of the said Act, for the word "judgment", where it first occurs, the words "decree or order" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 104.

32. In section 104 of the said Act, for the word "judgment" the words "decree or order" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 105

33. For section 105 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"105. No process of execution of any description whatsoever shall be issued on any decree or order passed under this Act unless an application be made within three years from—

Application for execution to be made within three years

(*a*) the date of the decree or order, or

(*b*) where there has been an appeal, the date of the final decree or order of the Appellate Court, or

(*c*) where there has been a review of judgment, the date of the decision passed on the review."

Amendment of section 123.

34. (*1*) For the first sentence of section 123 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"If the decree is for an arrear of rent in respect of a tenure or holding, the decree-holder may make application for the sale of such tenure or holding; and the tenure or holding may thereupon be brought to sale, in execution of the decree, according to the provisions for the sale of under-tenures contained in the Bengal Rent Recovery (Under-tenures) Act, 1865; and all the provisions of that Act shall, as far as may be, apply: Ben. Act VIII of 1865.

"Provided that the Commissioner may, by order, in any case in which he may consider it desirable so to do,—

(*a*) prohibit the sale of any tenure or portion thereof, or

(*b*) stay any such sale for any period specified in the order:

"Provided also that any sale of a resumable tenure under this section shall not affect the right of the grantor or his successor in title to resume such tenure, but shall be made subject to such right."

(*2*) In the last sentence of the said section for the words "an under-tenure" the words "the tenure or holding" shall be substituted.

Repeal of section 124.

35. Section 124 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act is repealed. Ben. Act I of 1879.

Amendment of section 125.

36. (*1*) In section 125 of the said Act, for the words and figures "any such under-tenure as is mentioned in section 123, or of the right and title of any person in an under-tenure of the nature described in section 124," the words "any tenure or holding" shall be substituted.

(*2*) In the same section, for the words "such under-tenure" the words "such tenure or holding" shall be substituted.

(*3*) Before the proviso in the same section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"Provided that no such inquiry shall be made where the Court considers that the claim was designedly or unnecessarily delayed."

(*4*) Before the words "that no transfer," in the same section, the word "also" shall be inserted.

(*5*) In the same section, for the words "an under-tenure" the words "a tenure" shall be substituted.

Partial repeal of sections 127 and 128.

37. The words and figures "if of the nature described in section 123 and not of the nature described in section 124," in section 127 of the said Act,

and the words "of a saleable under-tenure or of a tenure the right and title in which is saleable," in section 128 of the said Act,

are repealed.

Insertion of new section, 130A.

38. After section 130 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"130A. (*1*) When a tenure or holding has been sold for an arrear of rent due thereon, or when any other immoveable property has been sold under section 129, any person who owns the tenure or holding or the said immoveable property, or who has an interest therein under a title lawfully acquired before the sale, may, at any time within a period of thirty days from the date of the sale, apply to have the sale set aside on his depositing in Court,—

Application to set aside sale of tenure, holding or other immoveable property

(*a*) for payment to the purchaser, a sum equal to five *per centum* of the purchase money, and

(*b*) for payment to the decree-holder, the amount specified in the proclamation of sale as that for the recovery of which the sale was ordered, less any amount which may, since the date of such proclamation and sale, have been received by the decree-holder.

"(*2*) If such deposits are made within the said period, the Court shall pass an order setting aside the sale, and the provisions of section 315 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply in the case of a sale so set aside." XIV of 1882.

Amendment of section 133.

39. In section 133 of the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, after the words "a Deputy Commissioner" the words "by general or special order" shall be inserted. Ben Act I of 1879.

Amendment of section 134.

40. In section 134 of the said Act, after the word "duties" the words "and the exercise of their powers" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 135.

41. (*1*) In section 135 of the said Act, before the words "shall be appealable to the Commissioner," the words and figures "and not being orders passed under section 119, section 120 or section 130" shall be inserted.

(*2*) At the end of the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"Orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof shall be appealable to the Court to which an appeal from the decree itself would lie."

Amendment of sections 136 and 140.

42. In sections 136 and 140 of the said Act, for the word "fifteen", wherever it occurs, the word "thirty" shall be substituted.

Repeal of section 138.

43. Section 138 of the said Act is repealed.

Addition to section 144.

44. To section 144 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"A second appeal shall lie to the High Court, under Chapter XLII of the Code of Civil Procedure, from any appellate decree passed by the Judicial Commissioner under this Act." XIV of 1882.

Insertion of new section, 144A.

45. After section 144 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"144A. Where, in analogous cases, some appeals have been presented to the Deputy Commissioner and others to the Judicial Commissioner, the Judicial Commissioner may, on the application of any of the parties, transfer to his own Court the appeals pending in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner."

Transfer of appeals from Deputy Commissioner to Judicial Commissioner

Insertion of new section, 145A.

46. After section 145 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"145A. (1) The provisions of section 561 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall, so far as applicable, apply to all appeals under this Act. XIV of 1882.

Application of certain provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure.

"(2) The provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the amendment of plaints, the amendment of decrees, the substitution and addition of parties, and review of judgment shall, so far as they are not inconsistent with this Act, apply to all suits, appeals and proceedings under this Act."

Insertion of new sections, 151 to 164.

47. After section 150 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"*Further provisions as to Mundari khunt-kattidars.*

"151. Such of the preceding sections as are applicable to Mundari khunt-kattidars shall, in their application to such persons and their tenancies, be read subject to the provisions of the following sections.

Application of preceding sections to Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

"152. (1) No Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or portion thereof shall be transferable by sale, whether in execution of a decree or order of a Court or otherwise:

Restrictions on transfer of Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

Provided that, when a decree or order has been made by any Court for the sale of any such tenancy or portion thereof, in satisfaction of a debt due under a mortgage (other than a usufructuary mortgage) which was registered before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, the sale may be made with the previous sanction of the Deputy Commissioner.

"(2) If the Deputy Commissioner refuses to sanction the sale of any such tenancy or portion thereof under the proviso to sub-section (1), he shall attach the land and make such arrangements as he may consider suitable for liquidating the debt.

"(3) No mortgage of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid, except a bhugut bandha mortgage for a period not exceeding seven years.

"(4) No lease of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid, except a lease of one or other of the following kinds, namely:—

(a) mukarrari leases of uncultivated land, when granted to a Mundari or a group of Mundaris for the purpose of enabling the lessees or the male members of their families to bring suitable portions of the land under cultivation;

(b) leases of uncultivated land, when granted to a Mundari cultivator to enable him to cultivate the land as a raiyat.

"*Explanation.*—The expression 'uncultivated land,' as used in this sub-section, includes land which, though formerly cultivated, is not, at the time the lease is granted, either under cultivation or in the occupation of the lessee for purposes of cultivation.

"(5) Where a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy is held by a group of Mundari khunt-kattidars, no bhugut bandha mortgage or mukarrari lease of the tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid unless it is made with the consent of all the Mundari khunt-kattidars.

"(6) No transfer of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof, by any contract or agreement made otherwise than as provided in the foregoing sub-sections, shall be valid.

"(7) Nothing in the foregoing sub-sections shall affect any sale, or, except as declared in the proviso to sub-section (1), any mortgage, or any lease, made before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903.

Ejectment of persons unlawfully obtaining possession of such tenancies.

"153. If any person, after the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, obtains possession of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, or any portion thereof, in contravention of the provisions of section 152, the Deputy Commissioner may eject him therefrom;

and if the tenancy was, before such possession was obtained, entered as a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy in a record-of-rights finally published under section 103A, sub-section (2), of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, no suit shall be maintainable in any Court in respect of such ejectment; but an appeal shall lie to the Commissioner, if presented within three months from the date of the ejectment, and his decision shall be final. VIII of 1885.

Enhancement of rent.

"154. (1) The rent of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy may be enhanced only—

(a) by an order of the Deputy Commissioner, and

(b) if it be shown before the Deputy Commissioner that the tenancy was created within a period of twenty years immediately preceding the presentation of the petition for enhancement.

"(2) An order of the Deputy Commissioner under sub-section (1) shall not enhance the rent of any such tenancy to an amount which would exceed one-half of the rent which would be payable for the land if it were held by a raiyat having a right of occupancy therein.

"(3) The provisions of sections 22 to 24 shall be applicable to proceedings for the enhancement of the rent of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

"155. (1) When an arrear of rent accrues in respect of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy for which a record-of-rights has been prepared under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, or any other law for the time being in force,

Recovery of arrears of rent under the certificate procedure, where there is a record-of-rights.

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no suit shall be maintainable in any Court for the recovery of the arrear; but the landlord may apply in writing to the Deputy Commissioner to make a certificate authorising the recovery thereof, with simple interest at six-and-a-quarter *per centum per annum*, or, in the case of money recoverable under the Cess Act, 1880, with simple interest at twelve-and-a half *per centum per annum*, under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895.

Ben. Act IX of 1880

Ben. Act I of 1895.

"(2) Upon receiving any such application, the Deputy Commissioner may, after making such inquiry and taking such evidence as he may consider necessary, make a certificate as aforesaid.

"(3) The person in whose favour any such certificate is made shall be deemed to be the decree-holder for the amount mentioned in the certificate, and the person against whom the certificate is made shall be deemed to be the judgment-debtor for the said amount; and all proceedings taken by the Certificate Officer for the recovery of such amount shall be taken at the instance of the first-mentioned person, and at his cost and on his responsibility, and not otherwise.

"(4) Every such certificate shall have the same effect as a certificate made under section 7 of the said Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895; and the following portions of that Act shall be applicable, namely, the proviso to section 7, sub-section (1); section 9, sub-sections (2) and (3); section 10, sub-section (1); and sections 11 to 14, 18, 19, 22 and 24 to 33:

Ben. Act I of 1895

Provided as follows:—

(a) a certificate made under this section may be enforced only by the attachment and sale of the moveable property of the person against whom the certificate is made, or by the attachment and realisation of rent or other debts due to him, or by execution against his person in the manner provided by this Act, or by any two or more of these processes; and

(b) no objection by any third person to the attachment or sale of crops shall be entertained except—

(i) an objection, by a mortgagee holding under a bhugut bandha mortgage, that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised; or

(*ii*) an objection, by a lessee holding under a mukarrari lease as described in section 152, clause (*a*), that the land in respect of which the arrear accrued is included in his lease, and that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised; or

(*iii*) an objection, by a cultivator, that he is in possession of the land in respect of which the arrear accrued, that the land is recorded in the record-of-rights as being in the possession of himself or of some person from whom he has lawfully acquired such possession, and that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised; or

(*iv*) an objection, by such third person, that the land on which such crops were or are standing is entered in the record-of-rights as being in the possession of himself or of some person from whom he has lawfully acquired possession, and that such land does not form part of the tenancy in respect of which the certificate was made.

"(*5*) The provisions of sections 99 to 122 shall, so far as the same may be applicable, apply to proceedings under sub-section (*4*).

"(*6*) If no appeal is presented under section 32 of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, or if any such appeal is decided against the judgment-debtor, the certificate shall become absolute, and shall have the same force and effect as a final decree of a Civil Court. Ben. Act I of 1895.

"(*7*) Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the Deputy Commissioner may, in any case, by written order setting forth the reasons therefor, refuse to make a certificate as aforesaid, or stay for any specified period the execution of any certificate which has been made.

"(*8*) An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner from any order made under sub-section (*7*), if presented within one month from the date of the order; and his decision shall be final.

"156. If, in the course of any proceedings under section 155, any question of title is raised which could, in the opinion of the Deputy Commissioner, more properly be determined by a Civil Court, the Deputy Commissioner shall refer such question to the principal Civil Court in the district for determination.

Reference of question of title to Civil Court.

"157. (*1*) When an arrear of rent accrues in respect of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy for which no record-of-rights has been prepared, the landlord may institute a suit for the recovery of the arrear.

Recovery of arrear of rent by suit where there is no record-of-rights.

"(*2*) A decree or order made in any such suit may be enforced only by the attachment and sale of the moveable property of the defendant, or by the attachment and realisation of rent or other

debts due to him, or by execution against his person in the manner provided by this Act, or by any two or more of these processes.

"158. Where a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy is held jointly by a group of khunt-kattidars,

Joinder of parties in proceedings under section 155 or 157.

and an objection to the making of a certificate under section 155, or to the execution thereof, or to the maintenance of a suit under section 157, is made on the ground that all the khunt-kattidars have not been made parties to the proceedings,

the objection shall not be entertained if it be shown that other khunt-kattidars could not be made parties without undue delay or expense.

"159. All Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies shall be so described in the record-of-rights prepared under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

Entry of Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies in record-of-rights.

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"160. (*1*) At any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record-of-rights under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, section 103A, sub-section (*2*), a suit may be instituted before the Revenue-officer who prepared such record, by presenting a plaint on stamped paper,

Decision of disputes regarding entries or omissions in record-of-rights.

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for the decision of any dispute regarding any entry of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or the incidents thereof in the record, or regarding any omission to enter such a tenancy or any incident thereof in the record;

and the Revenue-officer shall hear and decide the dispute.

"(*2*) In all such suits the Revenue-officer shall, subject to any rules made by the Local Government in this behalf, adopt the procedure laid down in this Act for the trial of suits; and his decision shall, subject to an appeal to the Commissioner under section 161, be final.

"161. An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner from any decision of a Revenue Officer under section 160, if presented within three months from the date of the decision; and the decision of the Commissioner shall be final.

Appeal against such decisions.

"162. Whenever a suit instituted under section 160 has been finally decided, a note of the decision shall be made in the record-of-rights, as finally published, by the Revenue-officer who prepared the record; and such note shall be considered as part of the record.

Entry of decisions in record-of-rights.

"163. When an order has been issued under section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in respect of any local area, estate, tenure or part thereof, no judgment, decree or order in any suit instituted thereafter shall be taken as evidence,

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In preparing record-of-rights, judgments, &c., in suits not to be taken as evidence that tenancies are or are not Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

in any inquiry made by a Revenue-officer engaged in the preparation of a record-of-rights for such area, estate, tenure or part, under Chapter X of the said Act,

respecting any claim that any tenancy within that area, estate, tenure or part is or is not a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

"164. When a record-of-rights has been finally published under section 103A, sub-section (*2*), of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, or amended under section 162 of this Act, the entries therein relating to Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies shall be conclusive evidence of the nature and incidents of such tenancies;

Record-of-rights to be conclusive evidence on the question whether a tenancy is a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

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and, if any tenancy in the area, estate or tenure for which the record-of-rights was prepared has not been recorded therein as a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, no evidence shall be received in any Court to show that such tenancy is a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy."

Amendment of Schedule C.

48. In Schedule C to the said Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, after the word "suit" the words "[*or, as the case may be*, make an application]" shall be inserted.

Ben. Act I of 1879.

PART III.—AMENDMENT OF THE CHOTA NAGPUR COMMUTATION ACT, 1897.

Ben. Act IV of 1897.

Amendment of proviso to section 4 (*3*) of Bengal Act IV of 1897.

49. For the proviso to sub-section (*3*) of section 4 of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"Provided that the amount payable in commutation shall be so fixed that the total annual rent of the land, including such amount as aforesaid, shall not exceed the rent which would be fair and reasonable if the land were not held subject to any predial conditions or services."

Insertion of new section, 9A.

50. After section 9 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"9A. In every local area, estate, tenure or part thereof in which a survey is being made and a record-of-rights is being prepared under an order issued under section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885,

Procedure where a survey and record-of-rights are being made under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

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and in which a record of predial conditions or services is being prepared and a commutation thereof is being made under an order issued under section 5 of this Act,

the following provisions shall have effect, instead of those contained in sections 6 to 9 of this Act, namely :—

(*1*) The Revenue-officer shall, at the time of attesting the preliminary record, ascertain all the predial conditions or services to which, by ancient custom, the general body of tenants are liable, and the cash values of such services;

and shall prepare a statement, in such form as the Board of Revenue may from time to time prescribe, showing the conditions, services and values so ascertained.

(*2*) In calculating the cash value of such services the Revenue-officer shall be guided by the provisions of section 4, sub-section (*3*).

(*3*) The Revenue-officer shall enter in the khatian of each tenant the cash value of the predial conditions

or services (if any) to which such tenant is liable, as ascertained under clause (*1*).

(*4*) If any tenant, by ancient custom, is liable to any predial conditions or services other than those to which the general body of tenants are liable, or is not liable to all the predial conditions or services to which the general body of tenants are liable, the Revenue-officer shall also specify in the khatian the predial conditions or services to which such tenant is liable.

(*5*) The statement prepared under clause (*1*), and the entries in the khatian, shall be published in draft in the same manner and for the same period as the record-of-rights.

(*6*) Objections as to entries or omissions, in the statement or khatian, relating to predial conditions or services, may be made under the same conditions as objections to entries in or omissions from the record-of-rights, and shall be disposed of in the same manner as such objections.

(*7*) After the disposal of objections, the said statement, and the entries in the khatian relating to predial conditions or services, shall be finally published at the same time and in the same manner as the record-of-rights.

(*8*) At any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record-of-rights under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, section 108A, sub-section (*2*), a suit may be instituted before the Revenue-officer who prepared such record, by presenting a plaint on stamped paper, VIII of 1885.

for the decision of any dispute regarding any entry in the record relating to predial conditions or services, or regarding any omission to enter any such conditions or services in the record;

and the Revenue-officer shall hear and decide the dispute.

(*9*) In all such suits the Revenue-officer shall, subject to any rules made by the Local Government in this behalf, adopt the procedure laid down in the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act for the trial of suits; and his decision shall, subject to an appeal to the Commissioner under clause (*10*), be final. Ben. Act I of 1879.

(*10*) An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner from any decision of a Revenue-officer under clause (*8*), if presented within three months from the date of the decision; and the decision of the Commissioner shall be final."

Insertion of new section, 12A.

51. After section 12 of the said Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897, the following shall be inserted, namely :— Ben. Act IV of 1897.

"12A. No proceedings under this Act shall bar the right of any tenant or landlord to claim a reduction or enhancement of rent in accordance with law after such proceedings have been completed."

Saving of right to claim reduction or enhancement of rent.

CALCUTTA;
The 25th September, 1903.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
For *Secretary to the Bengal Council and Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal, Legislative Department.*

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PART V.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 18th September, 1903, and is hereby promulgated for general information:

ACT NO. XIII OF 1903.

An Act further to amend the Lepers Act, 1898.

III of 1898.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Lepers Act, 1898, by providing for the segregation and medical treatment in British India of lepers belonging to Native States; It is hereby enacted as follows:

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Lepers (Amendment) Act, 1903.

III of 1898.

Addition of new section after section 18, Act III, 1898.

2. After section 18 of the Lepers Act, 1898 the following section shall be added, namely:

Lepers from Native States.

"19. The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, direct that any leper or class of lepers, with respect to whom an order for segregation and medical treatment has been made by a Magistrate having jurisdiction within the territories of any Native Prince or State in India, may be sent to any leper-asylum specified in such order; and thereupon the provisions of this Act and of any rules made thereunder shall, with such modifications not affecting the substance as may be reasonable and necessary to adapt them to the subject-matter, apply to any leper sent to a leper-asylum in pursuance of such notification as though he had been sent by the order of a Magistrate having jurisdiction under this Act."

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 311.

[First Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—Orissa coast.

False Point anchorage—Dep'h of reduced water.

The Port Officer, Cuttack and Balasore ports, has given notice that the Reddie sand boat channel being now dry at low water, the following depth of reduced water was found in the False Point anchorage on the 19th September:—

	Ft.
Fairway buoy	24
Outer Ridge	24
Inner „	15
Outer spit	15
Inner „	20
Reddie Flat	20

E. J. Beaumont, Comdr., r.i.m.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Published for general information.

W. A. Inglis,
Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.

Calcutta, *the 23rd September 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 312.

[First Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Alleppey—Port of Porkad closed.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 186, dated 30th May last, issued by this office, the Acting Master Attendant, Alleppey, has given notice, dated 16th September 1903, that the monsoon Port of Porkad is now closed and the Alleppey Port is opened.

The Red and Black buoys have been replaced in their proper positions.

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Port Officer of Calcutta.

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W. A. Inglis,
Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.

Calcutta, *the 24th September 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 313.

[First Publication.]

AFRICA, EAST COAST—British East Africa.

Port Malindi—Light established.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 683 of 1903) that on August 1st, 1903, a *white fixed*, elevated 69 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 11 miles from the bearing of N. 5° E., through north and west, to S. 45° W., would be established on an iron mast erected 184 yards S. 17° W. from Vasco da Gama's pillar, Port Malindi.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 13½′ S., long. 40° 8′ E.

The light is of the 6th order.

(*Variation 7° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Malindi to Juba, No. 848; Zanzibar to Malindi, No. 664; port Malindi, No. 667: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, page 20; and Africa Pilot, part III, 1897, page 504.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 314.

[First Publication.]

AFRICA, EAST COAST—Delagoa bay.

Lorenzo Marques—Time signal altered.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 147, dated 4th May 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 686 of 1903) that the time-ball which has been established at the Port Captain's office, Lorenzo Marques, will, after 1st September, be hoisted at $0^h\ 55^m$ and dropped at $1^h\ 0^m\ 0^s$ P.M. standard time of 30th degree of East longitude or at $1^h\ 10^m\ 18^s\ 3$ P.M. Local Mean Time, corresponding to $23^h\ 0^m\ 0^s$ Greenwich Mean Time.

Should this signal be inaccurate, the ball will be hoisted again at half-mast and kept in that position for 10 minutes, no further signal being made on that day.

Approximate position, lat. 25° 58′ 5″ S., long. 32° 34′ 35″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Delagoa bay, No. 644; English river, No. 646: Also List of Time Signals, 1901, page 54; Africa Pilot, part III, 1897, page 198; and Supplement, 1900, page 16.

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Port Officer of Calcutta.

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Calcutta, *the 24th September 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 298.

[Second Publication.]

AUSTRALIA—TRINITY PASSAGE.

Existence of a sunken reef reported.

THE Portmaster, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 8 of 1903) of the existence in the Trinity Passage of a sunken reef situated in lat. 16° 26′ S. and long. 146° 5′ E. (approximately). The reef is a few hundred yards in extent, with a depth of two fathoms over it at low water.

Vessels using this passage are therefore cautioned to keep a good look-out.

Chart affected—No. 2924; Australia Directory, Vol. 2.

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Port Officer of Calcutta.

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W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th September 1903.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 299.

[Second Publication.]

AUSTRALIA—GULF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide river—Alterations in beacons consequent on Light's Passage harbour works.

WITH reference to Notices to Mariners No. 204, dated 15th June, and No. 289, dated 29th August 1903, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice that the following alterations which have been found necessary will be made on or about the 30th August next:—

The Beacons forming No. 1 Lead will be removed altogether.

In lieu thereof two Beacons showing Green Lights will be placed on the North Bank—one near the present Reflecting Beacon and the other opposite the present No. 1 White Light, as shown on plan which may be obtained at these offices.

Two Light Beacons (both red) will be placed on the North Bank, which, when in line, will lead through the Cutting to the Bend, and will be hereafter termed No. 1 Lead.

Sailing Directions—To enter the River pass the Occulting Light Buoy at a distance of about 50 feet, and steer between the White Light on a Pile abreast the old Light-house and the first Green Light, which is placed between the Reflecting Beacon and the Cutting on a N.E. by E. course, passing the second Green Light at a similar distance until the New Lead on the North Bank (now termed No. 1 Lead) comes in line. Keep them in line until abreast of No. 2, then steer for No 3 as before.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 1750.

P.S.—Owing to the nature of the work in progress this notice may require to be amended from time to time, and therefore should be treated as tentative only.

During the progress of the work at the Light's Passage Harbour, Masters exempt from pilotage may, if they so desire, avail themselves of the services of a pilot to assist them in passing the works, either in or out, at one-half of the usual pilotage rates.

If the usual exemption flag is not hoisted, it will be taken as a signal that a pilot is required. At night, if a pilot is wanted, the usual signal for a pilot should be shown.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 300.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, EAST—MADRAS COAST.

Cocanada—Sunken cargo boats and position of Wreck buoy marking the site.

THE Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given notice (No. 39 of 1903) informing masters of vessels, pilots and others that caution should be exercised in coming to an anchorage in Cocanada Roadstead, the Port Officer of that place having notified that five cargo boats are sunk there. The correct position of the wreck-buoy marking the site is —

Vakalapudi light-house bearing No. 70° W.

Cocanada old light-house bearing S. 40° W. and the angle taken by sextant between the above two light-houses 70°.

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W. A. INGLIS,
Offg. Secretary, Marine Department.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th September 1903*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 301.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Cochin—The light at Mallipuram discontinued.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 136, dated 25th April 1903, issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 41 of 1903) that the Bar, Spit, and Quarantine buoys at Cochin will be replaced in position on the 15th September 1903 and that the light at Mallipuram will be discontinued after the 30th idem as usual

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PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, WEST COAST.

Katbalogan—Light established.

Kalbayok—Light altered.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 663 of 1903) that a *white fixed* light, elevated 130 feet above the sea, and visible from a distance of 12 miles, has been established on a permanent structure erected on the north point of the entrance to Katbalogan river in a position from which Jesus point bears N. 81° W., distant 6 cables, and Aguada point, S. 17° E. The light is visible from the bearing of S. 77° E., through east and north, to N. 14° W, but is obscured by the Daraguai and Kagdullon groups of islands.

Approximate position on Chart No. 1622, lat. 11° 46¼′ N., long. 124° 52¼′ E.

Also, that on July 10th, 1903, the colour of the light exhibited on the south-east entrance point of Kalbayok river, would be altered from white to *red.*

Approximate position, lat. 12° 4′ N., long. 124° 36′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2577; Ports in the Philippine islands, Katbalogan, &c., No. 1622: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1903, page 110, No. 599a; and Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, pages 360, 358.

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KOREA—QUELPART ISLAND, SOUTH COAST.

Navoska rock—Non-existence of.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 664 of 1903) that as the results of numerous searches for the Naboska rock to the southward of Quelpart island show no indication of its existence, it has been expunged from the charts.

Approximate position, lat. 32° 59′ N., long. 126° 13′ E.

This rock, on which the Russian transport *Naboska* was reported to have been lost in April 1870, was unsuccessfully searched for by H. M. surveying vessel *Sylvia* in 1877, when a sounding of 57 fathoms, mud bottom, was the least water obtained anywhere within two miles of the reported position.

Mr. G. C. Anderson, Master of the ship *Conquest*, reports having frequently passed in 1875 and 1876, within two miles of the supposed position of this rock, without seeing any indication of shoal water.

A thorough search was also made in 1885 by Captain Phythian, U.S.S. *Trenton*, and latterly in February 1903 Captain A. A. Dalweritz, of the American schooner *Forester*, reports having passed close to the assigned position of this rock, obtaining at the same time a sounding of 55 fathoms, mud bottom, without seeing any sign of shoal water.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Pacific ocean, No. 2469; Hong-Kong to Liau tung gulf, No 1262; Nipon, &c., No. 2547; Korea Archipelago, No. 104: Also China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 94.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 304.

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AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Jidda—Coral head in approach.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 670 of 1903) of the existence of a coral head about 2 cables S. 78° W. from Abu-l-Khodar in the approach to Jidda. It has a depth of 2¾ fathoms over it, and from it Gaham white stone beacon bears S. 74° E., distant $3\frac{3}{10}$ miles.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 28′ N., long. 39° 4¾′ E.

This shoal can be clearly seen from a ship, but does not break.

(Variation 3° Westerly in 1903.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Jidda, No. 2599: Also Red Sea &c. Pilot, 1900, page 272.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 305

[Second Publication.]

CHINA SEA—PALAWAN, EAST COAST.

Port Princesa (Royalist)—Light re-established.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 109, dated 28th March 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 671 of 1903) that the *white fixed* light, visible from a distance of five miles, has been re-established in the former light-house on Saboruco or Tide pole point, Port Royalist.

Approximate position, lat. 9° 43¼′ N., long. 118° 43′ E.

A *red fixed* light, visible two miles, is also shown from the end of the wharf.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Palawan island, No. 967; port Royalist, No. 2914: Also List of Lights, 1903, No. 574; China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1899, page 272; and Supplement, 1901, page 9.

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PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—BOHOL, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Tubigon point—Reef to the north-westward.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No 672 of 1903) of the existence of an extensive reef composed of coral, sand, and stones, with a depth of 4 fathoms over it on its eastern edge, situated at a distance of seven miles N. 67° W. from Tubigon point, Bohol island.

Approximate position, lat. 9° 59½′ N., long. 123° 50¾′ E.

There may be less water on this reef.

(Variation 1° Easterly in 1903.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 943, Sulu or Mindoro sea, No. 2578: Also Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 200.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 307.

[Second Publication.]

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Karnafulli river—Depth of water found in the channels.

THE Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 16th September 1903 and reduced to zero:—

	FT.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—	
Disc on diamond	12
Track No. 2—Inner bar—	
Disc on diamond	10
Batten beacon on the pillar on hill	12
Track No. 3—	
Triangle on cross and ball	17
Track No. 4—Guptakhally crossing—	
Tripod on diamond	20

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 308.

[Second Publication]

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Mormugao harbour—Red light re-exhibited.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 170, dated 23rd May last, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 83 of 1903) that the Red light at the end of Breakwater at Mormugao harbour has been re-exhibited from 22nd August 1903.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 309.

[Second Publication.]

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—PERSIAN GULF.

Shat-al-Arab—Buoy marking south-east of Abadan bank.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 301, dated 14th October 1902, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 84 of 1903) that information dated 29th August has been received from the Agents, British India Steam Navigation Company, Limited, that the Master of S.S. *Kola* reports having placed a large conical iron buoy painted red and white vertically in place of the red cask buoy with staff and ball at the entrance, which latter had disappeared.

This buoy marks the south-east of Abadan bank, and is moored in 11 feet L. W. S., and bears N. 48° W. from outer buoy, distant three miles, and S. 41° E. from No. 1 Can buoy, on the Abdulla bank, distant 2¾ miles.

The buoy is now a little inside of the eastern edge of the deepest part of the Channel and is visible seven miles.

The north-west end of Abadan bank is washed away.

No. 1 buoy is now a large Can buoy.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Mouth of the Euphrates, Shat-al-Arab, and Bahmishir River; also Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th Edition, 1898, page 286.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 310.

[Second Publication.]

INDIA, WEST—SIND COAST.

Karachi Harbour—Buoy southward of the Bulk Oil Pier removed.

THE Bombay Government has given notice (No. 85 of 1903) that the northern east Channel buoy S. 15° E. from the Bulk Oil Pier head Red Light, distant 320 yards, has been removed from the 15th August 1903, being no longer required as a mark buoy showing the Channel.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Karachi Harbour, No. 40; also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 4th Edition, 1898, page 303.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 295.

[Third Publication.]

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—PERSIAN GULF.

Bahrein harbour—Buoys painted in terms of International Buoyage System.

HIS MAJESTY'S British Vice-Consul at Bushire has given notice, dated 25th August 1903, that the buoys marking the channel at the entrance of Bahrein harbour will, in future, be painted in terms of the International Buoyage System, and will be coloured as follows:—

Outer	buoy	...	... Red.
Inner	do.	...	... Red.
Khaseifa	do.	...	... Black.
Weat spit	do.	...	... Red.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 296.

[Third Publication.]

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE.

Keppel (new) harbour—Buoys withdrawn.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 648 of 1903) that the two white buoys in the north channel, Keppel (New) harbour, formerly situated 60 yards S. 85° E. and 180 yards N. 30° W. respectively of the southernmost red stone beacon marking Tembága rocks, have been withdrawn.

Approximate position of the southern red stone, lat. 1° 15¾′ N., long. 103° 50½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Singapore road, No. 1995; Keppel harbour, No. 2023: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 216.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—No. 297.

[Third Publication.]

JAPAN, WEST COAST—SIMONOSEKI STRAIT.

Wreck in western entrance.

THE British Admiralty has given notice (No. 652 of 1903) that the wreck of the sailing vessel *Yebisu Maru*, with a mast 6 feet above water, lies sunk on the track through the western entrance to Simonoseki strait 5 cables S. 44° W. from Maiko jima (Hamo island).

Approximate position, lat. 33° 56′ N., long. 130° 52¾′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1903.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Approaches to Simonoseki strait, No. 532; Simonoseki strait, No. 1578: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. IV, 1894, page 432.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE PORT OF CHITTAGONG FOR THE YEAR 1902-1903.

No. 1568Marine.

Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 21st September 1903.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The Administration Report of the Commissioners of the Port of Chittagong for the year 1902-1903.

THE following statement shows the financial position of the Port Fund for the last two years:—

	1901-1902.	1902-1903.
	Rs	Rs.
Opening balance	16,149	17,207
Receipts of the year	1,27,715	84,330
Total ...	1,43,864	1,01,537
Expenditure of the year	1,26,657	96,881
Closing balance	17,207	4,656

The receipts show a falling off of Rs. 43,385, due partly to a decrease under the heads "Port dues" and "Mooring fees," owing to fewer vessels having visited the port, and mainly attributable to the transfer of the Iron Jetty at Double Moorings to the Assam-Bengal Railway. The expenditure also showed a decrease of Rs. 29,776, due partly to only one year's instalment on account of the *Gekko* loan having been paid during the year, against two years' instalments during the previous year, and partly to the cost of the working of the abovementioned Iron Jetty not being charged to the Port Fund for the latter part of the year.

2. *Shipping.*—A total of 383 vessels aggregating 241,367 tons entered the port during the year, against 541 vessels with a tonnage of 270,113 during the previous year. Of these, 11 vessels with a tonnage of 23,795 entered from foreign ports, or one more than the previous year.

There was a large reduction, however, in the coasting trade, the arrivals being 372 vessels, against 531 vessels in 1901-1902. This decrease of 159 vessels was principally due to a short jute crop and to the fact that this staple now comes chiefly by rail.

In all 368 vessels aggregating 242,512 tons cleared from the port, against 536 vessels with a tonnage of 269,529 during the previous year. Of this number, 25 vessels aggregating 49,163 tons cleared for foreign ports, against 24 vessels aggregating 48,459 in 1901-1902. The increase was due to a sailing vessel which cleared for Trinidad with rice.

The coasting outward trade also showed a large reduction, the number of vessels cleared having been 343 with a tonnage of 193,349, against 512 vessels with an aggregate tonnage of 221,070 in the previous year. The decrease was due to fewer vessels having cleared for Narayanganj and to the discontinuance of the Special Steamer Service between Chittagong and Akyab.

Trade.—The principal articles of export are grain, jute and tea, and of imports mineral oil and salt. There was an increase under all heads except "Jute," which showed a decrease from 48,793 tons to 36,512 tons. This is due to a short crop and to larger shipments having been made from Calcutta, where freight is more easily obtainable.

Port Appliances.—The appliances of the port and light-houses are reported to have been kept in good order throughout the year.

Steam-tug "Gekko."—The steam-tug *Gekko* only towed one vessel during the year. She has been employed on the usual buoy mooring work, taking down stores and inspecting light-houses. The vessel has had all necessary repairs done and is in good order. The *Gekko* was obtained with the object of towing vessels visiting the port, but so few sailing vessels now visit the port that her services as a tug are seldom required. The earnings amounted to Rs. 2,830, while the expenditure, including instalments for repayment of loan with interest, amounted to Rs. 34,279.

Pilotage Fund.—The figures below show the financial position of the Pilotage Fund:—

	1901-1902	1902-1903.
	Rs.	Rs.
Opening balance	43,643	52,865
Receipts of the year .	20,737	16,914
Total	64,380	69,779
Expenditure of the year ...	11,515	11,594
Closing balance ...	52,865	58,185

The Pilot Service worked satisfactorily and there were no accidents during the year.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. A. INGLIS,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION REVIEWING THE DIVISIONAL REPORTS ON THE WORKING OF THE DISTRICT BOARDS IN BENGAL DURING 1902-1903.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT—(LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT).

Darjeeling, the 24th September 1903.

RESOLUTION No. 2557T.—M.

READ—

The Reports from the Commissioners of Divisions on the working of the District Boards in Bengal during 1902-1903.

Read again—

The Resolution reviewing the Divisional reports on the working of the District Boards in Bengal during 1901-1902.

There were 42 District Boards in existence during the year, as in the previous year; but the number of Local Boards decreased during the year under report from 106 to 104 owing to the abolition of the Sadar Local Boards at Darbhanga and Gaya. The number of Union Committees increased from 56 to 57 in consequence of the establishment of a Union at Patkabari in the district of Murshidabad. The variations in the figures of the areas controlled by the District and Local Boards and of the population of those areas are due to the correction of erroneous information supplied by certain District Boards in the previous year.

2. *Constitution of District Boards.*—The total number of members of District Boards was 842, or three less than in the previous year, the membership of each of the District Boards of Gaya, Balasore and Puri having decreased by one. The variations in the number of official and non-official members and in the number of European, Eurasian and Native members were trifling. During the year 638 meetings were convened by District Boards, or two less than in 1901-1902, of which the largest number was held by the District Boards of Saran and Puri (23 each): Rajshahi and Bogra come next with 20 meetings each, and Murshidabad, Backergunge and Monghyr follow closely with 19 meetings each; while the District Boards of Balasore and Manbhum each met only 11 times during the year, and the District Board of Hazaribagh only 6 times. As regards Manbhum and Hazaribagh, it is explained that there was not sufficient business of importance to justify the calling of more meetings, but no reasons have been assigned in the case of Balasore. The improvement which was noticed last year in the declining number of meetings which had to be adjourned, or which proved abortive for want of a quorum, was not consistently maintained during the year under review, the figures being 51, 47 and 49 respectively for the years 1900-1901, 1901-1902 and 1902-1903. The average attendance of official and non-official members at each meeting improved slightly.

3. *Constitution of Local Boards.*—The total number of members of the 104 Local Boards was 1,249, or 19 less than in the previous year. The fluctuations in their total strength and composition are chiefly due to the abolition of the Sadar Local Boards at Gaya and Darbhanga. The Local Boards convened 1,250 meetings during the year under report, or 45 more than in 1901-1902. The highest number (21) was attained by the Local Board of Kishorganj in Mymensingh. The Local Board of Faridpur comes next with 19 meetings, and the Local Boards of Pirojpur and Bihar follow closely with 18 meetings each. Of the number of meetings held during the year, 213 had to be adjourned or proved abortive for want of a quorum against 203 in 1901-1902. Thirty-nine Local Boards, as compared with 48 in 1901-1902, held less than 12 meetings during the year. The Local Boards which met least often were Naogaon, Puri and Alipur, which held 5 meetings or less during the year. The last named Board is said to have done practically no work, and the

question of its abolition is already under the consideration of Government. There was a small improvement in the attendance of official members, while the attendance of non-official members shows a slight decrease.

4. *Occupation of members.*—Appendix F classifies the members of the District and Local Boards according to their professions and occupations; 37·7 per cent. of the total number of members were zamindars, talukdars and zamindars' servants (the landholding interest rightly being the most largely represented portion of the community); 24·4 per cent. were pleaders and mukhtears; 21·2 per cent. Government servants; 4·8 per cent. planters; 2·3 per cent. Government pensioners, and ·6 per cent. Missionaries, while 8·6 per cent. belonged to other professions. Compared with the figures for 1899-1900, which are the last on record (information on this subject being supplied triennially), the only change worthy of notice in the case of District Boards is that the percentage of Missionaries has increased from ·5 per cent. to 1 per cent. In the case of Local Boards the variations do not call for any remarks.

5. *Elections.*—General elections of members of District Boards were held during the year in Tippera and Noakhali. Those of Local Boards were held in the districts of Howrah, Midnapore, Murshidabad, Jessore, Khulna, Faridpur and Patna. Except in the Ulubaria subdivision of the district of Howrah, the elections do not appear to have aroused any public interest.

6. *Powers of Local Boards.*—The powers delegated to Local Boards remained unchanged in all the districts except (1) in Nadia where they were authorised to revise and recommend the stipends paid to primary schools, (2) in Jessore where the Local Boards of Narail, Magura and Jhenida were empowered to pass Dispensary bills, (3) in Faridpur, where the power of constructing new village roads was withdrawn, (4) in Saran where village roads costing over Rs. 10 a mile were placed under the management of the District Engineer, as were also all masonry works costing over Rs. 200, (5) in Monghyr, where the control of primary education was withdrawn, and (6) in Bhagalpur, where the District Board delegated to the Local Boards the administration of the funds for primary education and for the management of primary schools.

7. *Union Committees.*—As stated in paragraph 1, the number of Union Committees increased from 56 to 57. The aggregate number of their members also increased by 6, but the number of meetings convened by them decreased by 25, as compared with the previous year. The aggregate income of the Unions fell from Rs. 23,673 to Rs. 22,812 and the expenditure from Rs. 18,203 to Rs. 17,877. Thirty-three out of 57 Unions spent the whole or nearly the whole amount allotted to them, while no expenditure was incurred by the Memari Union in Burdwan, the Panchthupi and Benodepur Unions in the Presidency Division, and all the five Unions in the Orissa Division. The Basudebpur Union in the 24-Parganas and all the Union Committees in the district of Murshidabad are reported to have worked fairly well. In Khulna also some of the Union Committees are said to have displayed a keen interest in the exercise of their functions as far as their funds permitted. The Union Committee at Feni is reported to have done the work entrusted to it smoothly and well. The reports on the work done by Union Committees elsewhere are not favourable. On this subject, Mr. LeMesurier, Chairman of the Howrah District Board, remarks as follows:—

"I inspected all of these bodies, except Domjur. They have failed to be really effective chiefly, I think, because they form an extra and overlapping body in a community which already possesses Chaukidari Panchayets, School and Dispensary Committees, and in one case a Bench of Honorary Magistrates. Should the persons of all these bodies be united in one, a very satisfactory nucleus of a 'Parish Council' would be formed."

Attention was called in last year's review to the opportunities which Union Committees possessed of stimulating local interest in sanitary improvements. This is their main *raison d'être*, and until signs appear that this object is likely to be achieved, no suggestions for the expansion of the system can be regarded as other than counsels of perfection.

8. *Financial results.*—The 42 District Boards in the Province began the year with an opening balance of Rs. 19,25,434 (corrected figures). Their income

during the year amounted to Rs 92,17,377 and the expenditure to Rs. 88,22,342. There was thus at the close of the year a credit balance of Rs. 23,20,'69; but of this sum more than three lakhs consisted of deposits, which were not at the disposal of the Boards.

The following statements show the principal heads of income and expenditure of District Boards during the past two years:—

INCOME.

	1901-1902.	1902-1903.
	Rs.	Rs.
Provincial rates	42,19,181	43,80,832
Interest	40,940	40,760
Police (including Pounds)	4,81,306	4,86,815
Education	81,152	95,867
Medical	49,674	51,358
Scientific and other Minor Departments ...	8,825	11,322
Miscellaneous	2,09,776	2,13,785
Irrigation, Minor Works and Navigation ...	16,607	18,105
Civil Works (including Ferries)	12,23,333	18,94,330
Contributions	5,65,188	5,91,691
Deposits and Advances	11,68,132	14,31,742
Total under above and all other heads ...	80,65,037	92,17,377

EXPENDITURE.

	1901-1902.	1902-1903.
	Rs.	Rs.
Administration	2,94,244	3,00,957
Police (Pounds)	24,969	24,152
Marine	9,886	9,838
Education	13,31,926	17,47,945
Medical	4,41,939	3,89,379
Scientific and other Minor Departments ...	36,136	39,327
Miscellaneous	53,809	57,804
Famine Relief	3,604	100
Civil Works	46,85,791	45,96,854
Contributions	2,24,853	71,398
Debt	11,05,666	14,77,263
Interest on Debt	33,078	30,907
Total under above and all other heads ...	83,11,738	88,22,342

INCOME.

9. *Provincial rates (Rs. 43,80,832).*—The net increase of Rs. 1,61,651 in the income under this head, which represents the proceeds of the road cess after deducting the cost of collection and revaluation, is shared by all the districts except Midnapore, Hooghly, Howrah, Murshidabad, Jessore, Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri, Pabna, Mymensingh, Faridpur, Backergunge, Noakhali, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Malda and Palamau. It is due, as usual, to improved collections and to revaluations. The largest decrease occurred in Mymensingh, where the income from this source fell by Rs. 13,993. It is there attributed mainly to the reduction of arrear demands consequent on the improved collections of the preceding year. Elsewhere the decreases were comparatively small, and are in many cases due to similar causes.

10. *Interest (Rs. 40,760).*—The decrease of Rs. 180 is due to the smaller demands for recoverable arrears of road cess than in the preceding year.

11. *Police (Rs. 4,86,815).*—There was an increase of 95 in the total number of pounds under the management of District Boards, and of Rs. 10,204 in their total income. The increase of income is shared by 26 districts, while a decrease occurred in the districts of Birbhum, Hooghly, Murshidabad, Dinajpur, Rangpur, all the districts in the Dacca Division, Tippera, Chittagong, Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Malda, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau. The increase is attributed to more favourable settlements and to better collection of rents. Where a decrease occurred, it is ascribed to various causes, such as failure to settle pounds and realize rents, and failure to obtain fair bids owing to the outbreak of plague and the

contraction of indigo cultivation. The loss of income in Mymensingh is explained to be due to the introduction of stringent rules of inspections and of numerous prosecutions for breach of rules. Inspections disclosed the usual delinquencies on the part of pound farmers, which were, on the whole, adequately dealt with.

12. *Education* (*Rs. 95,867*).—The increase of Rs. 14,715 in the income under this head is noticeable chiefly under the head "Contributions." It was largest in Rangpur, where the income under that head advanced from Rs. 1,349 in 1901-1902 to Rs. 18,504 in 1902-1903, chiefly owing to a grant of Rs. 16,978 made by Government for the maintenance of the Technical School and for the remuneration of teachers in primary schools.

13. *Medical* (*Rs. 51,358*).—The receipts under this head increased by Rs. 1,684. The increase is far smaller than in the preceding year in which it amounted to Rs. 15,089. But being due to a larger realisation of private subscriptions and contributions, it cannot but be regarded as satisfactory so far as it goes.

14. *Scientific and other minor departments* (*Rs 11,322*).—The increase of Rs. 2,497 in the income under this head is mainly due to a contribution of Rs. 2,000 made by Babu Promotho Nath Roy Choudry of Santosh towards the cost of establishing a veterinary hospital at Nasirabad in the district of Mymensingh.

15. *Miscellaneous* (*Rs. 2,13,785*).—The receipts under this head increased by Rs. 4,009. The largest increase occurred in Shahabad, where it is explained to be due to larger receipts from the sale-proceeds of old stores and materials.

16. *Irrigation, Minor Works, and Navigation* (*Rs. 18,105*).—There was an increase of Rs. 856 in the revenue from canals in Chittagong, which was due, as in the previous year, to higher bids. The increase of Rs. 656 in Jessore represents the income from the settlement of tolls of the Hallifax canal excavated during the year by the District Board.

17. *Civil Works* (*Rs. 18,94,330*).—The increase, which amounted in all to Rs. 6,70,997, was largest under the sub-head "Contributions," under which an assignment made by Government towards the improvement of communications in backward districts chiefly accounts for the larger income. The income from tolls on ferries also improved by Rs. 30,945, the increase being shared by 22 out of the 42 districts. The ferries were regularly inspected, and the irregularities which were brought to notice were duly enquired into and generally remedied.

18. *Contributions* (*Rs. 5,91,691*).—The increase of Rs. 26,503 under this head is chiefly due to the special allotments made by Government for the improvement of primary education and for the employment of additional Sub-Inspectors.

19. *Deposits and Advances* (*Rs. 14,31,742*).—The receipts under this head, which represent sums deposited as security for the payment of revenue by ferry farmers, contractors and others, and also recoveries and adjustments on account of advances made from District Funds, increased by Rs. 2,63,610. The fluctuations are of no special importance.

EXPENDITURE.

20. *Administration* (*Rs. 3,00,957*).—The cost of general administration increased by Rs. 6,713, and was mainly due to a larger expenditure on office establishments, due to the system of incremental salaries.

21. *Police* (*Rs. 24,152*).—The slight decrease of Rs. 817 in the expenditure under this head is chiefly attributable to a reduced expenditure on the renewal and repairs of pound sheds. In Balasore it was due to the abolition of the post of the Pound and Ferry Inspector, and in Ranchi to the extension of the farming system with regard to pounds.

22. *Marine* (*Rs. 9,838*).—The slight decrease of Rs. 48 in the expenditure under this head calls for no remarks. As explained in last year's review, the expenditure is incurred in the subvention of private steamer services.

23. *Education* (*Rs. 17,47,945*).—The expenditure under this head increased by Rs. 4,16,019, and it is satisfactory to note that this increase is shared by

all the districts, with the exception of Midnapore only, where the decrease is said to be merely nominal and due to the fact that rewards were not paid before the 31st March 1903. The increase occurred chiefly under the head "Grants-in-aid," and is due mainly to the special grants made by Government for the improvement of primary education and for the appointment of additional Sub-Inspectors.

There was an increase of 59 in the number of Sub Inspectors of Schools maintained by District Boards, and of 19 in the number of Inspecting Pandits. Of schools maintained by District Boards, the number of high schools and lower primary schools remained stationary, but the numbers of middle, upper primary, and industrial schools increased during the year. The school shown under the head "other schools" against Bogra in the returns for 1901-1902 has, it appears, ceased to exist. The numbers of pupils attending these schools show a corresponding increase, with the exception of those attending high schools and industrial schools. Of schools aided by District Boards, the number of all classes, with the exception only of high schools, increased. The number of pupils attending them also increased, except in the case of high and middle schools, which show a slight falling off. The number of girls attending the upper and lower primary schools maintained by District Boards increased by 37, while the aggregate of those attending schools aided by those bodies improved to the extent of 16,188.

The District Boards continued to grant scholarships to female students in the various medical schools. The Commissioner of Rajshahi remarks that some District Boards in his Division might with advantage spend more on female medical education, although Rangpur sets an example which might be followed with advantage by more advanced districts in the Province.

The main features in the primary educational operations of District Boards during the year were the strengthening of the inspecting staff and the abolition of the system of payment to *patsala gurus* by results, and the introduction in its stead of a quarterly subsistence allowance, supplemented by a further allowance at the end of the year in consideration of attendance, efficiency and certain other tests. A very liberal grant was made by Government to the District Boards to enable them to introduce the new system, and to make an increased provision on account of the salaries of additional Inspecting Pandits or guru instructors and of additional Sub-Inspectors for the inspection of primary schools. It is too early now to pronounce an opinion on the merits of the system; but it is hoped that it will give greater stability and greater efficiency to the Patsalas and enable the supervising staff to devote more time to the inspection of primary schools *in situ*.

In filling up posts of Sub-Inspectors of Schools and Inspecting Pandits preference was, as far as practicable, given to Muhammadan candidates with the object of reducing the existing disproportion in the number of Hindu officials of those classes. In Rajshahi, however, where the Muhammadan population is three and-a-half times in excess of the Hindus, there are five Hindu Sub-Inspectors and no Muhammadans. The attention of the Board has been drawn to the matter by the Commissioner of the Division.

24. *Special schools.*—Of the Technical Schools at Burdwan, Midnapore, Pabna, Rangpur, Mymensingh, and Backergunge, which are maintained by their respective District Boards, the condition of that at Midnapore is reported to be unsatisfactory, though no details are given. It has, however, recently been placed under the management of the Education Committee of the District Board. The Sericultural School at Rampur Boalia and the Elliott Artizan School at Tippera continued to be a charge upon their respective District Boards. The District Boards of Noakhali, Mymensingh, Backergunge, Malda, and Cuttack provided by means of stipends for the training of students in the Sibpur Engineering College. The District Boards of Dacca, Faridpur, Backergunge, Noakhali, Gaya, Saran, Muzaffarpur, and Cuttack sent up students with scholarships to the Veterinary College at Belgachia, and all the District Boards in the Patna Division, as well as the District Boards of Monghyr, Bhagalpur, and Malda, sent students to the Bihar School of Engineering. The District Board of Birbhum awarded a stipend of Rs. 10 a month to a student, in order to enable him to be trained in the Sibpur Agricultural Class. The Bhagalpur District Board awarded two scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each to two boys sent to the Jaipur School of Arts to learn brazier's work, and the District Board of Malda similarly aided a

student in prosecuting his studies in the Sericultural School at Rampur Boalia. The Cuttack District Board provided three scholarships of Rs. 20 each a month for technical education in the Jobra Workshop. The District Board of Noakhali continued to pay a scholarship of Rs. 10 a month to a student of the Calcutta Art School, the Balasore District Board aided two, and the Hazaribagh District Board three, local Industrial Schools. One Madrasa in Dacca and 11 in Mymensingh, as well as 33 *tols* in Mymensingh, 3 in Faridpur, 3 in Tippera, 2 in Noakhali, 2 in Chittagong, 1 in Manbhum, and 2 in Palamau received aid from their respective District Boards. The Nadia Board spent Rs. 243 in sending a potter of Krishnagar to the Bombay School of Art to learn drawing, designing and glazing. An expenditure of Rs. 455 was incurred by the District Board of Champaran on account of stipends of Gurus of primary schools sent to the Motihari Training School for instruction. In Burdwan a workshop was built by the District Board at a cost of Rs. 1,696.

25. *Industrial development.*—Attempts were made by several District Boards during the year to popularise the use of the fly-shuttle; but in most of the districts the local weavers failed to take much interest in learning its use. It is reported that this description of loom has long been used in several places in Pabna, Backergunge, and Malda. The Chairman of the District Board of Gaya states that the general feeling among local weavers is that they can work with their own indigenous hand-looms more freely and quickly than with the fly-shuttle. In Saran it was found that weavers came forward rather for the sake of the daily allowance which they received from the Board than with the object of acquiring practical knowledge. In Darbhanga the local weavers alleged that they were too poor to attend the classes without some remuneration which, however, the District Board declined to pay in addition to gratuitous instruction. From the Divisional reports it appears that the prospects of industrial education in this direction are not hopeful, as the local weavers generally failed to avail themselves of the opportunities placed at their disposal to receive a technical training. The only districts in which any progress was made in the experiment are Chittagong and Manbhum.

26. *Medical* (*Rs. 3,89,379*).—The decrease of Rs. 52,560 in the expenditure under this head is chiefly noticeable under sub-head "Miscellaneous" and is largest in the Patna Division. It is there explained to be due to the fact that the measures adopted for checking the progress of plague in the districts of Patna and Saran were on a smaller scale than in the previous year, and to the fact that no special expenditure was incurred in that direction by the District Boards of Champaran, Muzaffarpur, and Darbhanga.

In addition to treating the public gratuitously at their dispensaries, local aid was given by the District Boards wherever cholera or other epidemics broke out. In Darbhanga an establishment, consisting of one khalasi and four coolies, was employed for the destruction of larvæ of malaria-producing mosquitoes; the Lieutenant-Governor would be interested to hear the results of this experiment. Contributions were made by 15 District Boards during the year towards the maintenance of the Pasteur Institute at Kasauli.

The total number of dispensaries maintained by District Boards increased by 11, and the expenditure incurred upon them by Rs. 23,541. The District Board of Backergunge, as usual, maintained the largest number of dispensaries—35 in all. There was, moreover, an increase of 16 in the total number of dispensaries aided by District Boards and of Rs. 2,856 in the contributions made to such institutions. The largest number of dispensaries (16) to which contributions were given were those aided by the District Board of Faridpur.

27. *Sanitation* (*Rs. 16,237*).—The total outlay on this head decreased by Rs. 19,491, the largest decrease being in Gaya. It is there accounted for by the fact that the expenditure incurred in that district during 1902-1903 on sanitary precautions against the spread of plague was only Rs. 305, while in 1901-1902 it amounted to Rs. 13,706. Beyond the improvement of water-supply by constructing, repairing, and improving wells and disinfecting them, no important works of sanitation were undertaken by the several District Boards during the year, though the usual arrangements were made for the sanitation of fairs. In pursuance of the system inaugurated in 1900-1901 for the improvement of the sanitation of villages and rural towns, the Sadar and Dinapore Local Boards in the district of Patna cleansed 64 and 48 villages

during the year, at a cost of Rs. 996 and Rs. 369, respectively. The scheme has been commended to the notice of the Commissioners of Divisions, who have been requested to give it a fair trial by such Local Boards as they may select. It has been pointed out to them that the residents and proprietors of villages may properly be called upon to contribute in money or in labour to such works before they are undertaken by the Local Boards.

28. *Veterinary Charges* (*Rs. 17,006*).—The total expenditure shows a slight decline. Veterinary dispensaries were opened during the year at Bankura and Ranchi by their respective District Boards, and other District Boards continued to maintain the veterinary institutions already in existence. More Veterinary Assistants were employed during the year, and the results reported are on the whole satisfactory. Those at Midnapore and Mymensingh were deputed to undergo a course of training in treating rinderpest with serum. Cattle-disease broke out in Khulna, and it is reported that out of 1,419 cattle inoculated with anti-rinderpest serum, only 3 died. There was also an outbreak of rinderpest among the municipal cattle at Muzaffarpur and in the Sitamarhi subdivision of the same district, and foot-and-mouth disease appeared in the villages in the interior, but the measures taken to suppress the disease have not been reported.

29. *Civil Works* (*Rs. 45,96,854*).—The total outlay under this head shows a net decrease of Rs. 88,937. Six sub-heads, viz., "Communications—Original Works," "Drainage—Original Works," "Other Works of Improvement," "Establishment and Contingencies," "Staging Bungalows and Sorai Establishment and Charges," and "Tools and Plant" show an increased expenditure amounting to Rs. 1,07,228, while the other sub-heads, viz., "Buildings," "Communications—Repairs," "Water-supply and Water-works," "Drainage—Repairs," and "Miscellaneous" show a decreased expenditure amounting to Rs. 1,96,165. The largest decrease (Rs. 96,263) occurred in Rangpur, where it is said that less general repair works were undertaken in the year under report than in the previous year. The decrease was also very large in Darbhanga, where it amounted to Rs. 94,561; it is attributed to the default of local contractors in executing the works entrusted to them and to the failure of some Calcutta firms to supply the materials ordered. Details of the chief works executed by the several District Boards during the year are furnished in the Divisional reports. It appears that the most important and costly works were undertaken in some of the districts of the Dacca and Patna Divisions. In the Dacca Division the chief work taken in hand was the construction of a road from Backergunge to Patuakhali, on which Rs. 41,421 were spent during the year, and in the Patna Division the most important work undertaken was the metalling of the first six miles of the Aurungabad-Daudnagore Road in Gaya, on which Rs. 25,552 were spent up to 31st March 1903.

30. *Water-supply and water-works* (*Rs. 1,31,848*).—The expenditure under this head decreased by Rs. 24,288. The largest decrease was in Backergunge, amounting to Rs. 8,395: it is ascribed to the inability of the Local Boards to spend the full allotments placed at their disposal owing chiefly to the difficulty in securing sites for wells. No expenditure was incurred under this head by the District Boards of Hooghly and Chittagong, though in the latter district a well was constructed during the year at a cost of Rs. 500, which was not disbursed during the year. In the case of Hooghly the failure is not explained. Excavation and re-excavation of tanks and wells and the improvement of the existing sources of water-supply were the chief works undertaken in this direction by the several District Boards during the year. As in previous years, the District Boards of Shahabad and Bhagalpur paid contributions of Rs. 4,000 and Rs. 5,000 a year, respectively, to the local municipalities towards the maintenance of the water-works at the head-quarters of the district. The Raja of Kakina in Rangpur made a gift of Rs. 2,000 during the year for the improvement of the water-supply of the district. The Lieutenant-Governor regrets to notice that the same difficulty which was noticed in last year's Resolution still prevents some of the District Boards in the Presidency Division from expending the full amount of their allotments for the improvement of tanks, viz., that the zamindars who own them are unwilling either to excavate them themselves for the benefit of their tenants or to make them over to the Boards. The Boards are, however, taking steps to remove the

scarcity of water felt in these tracts, and the Lieutenant-Governor trusts that their efforts will meet with further success. Tube-wells have been introduced in the districts of Howrah, Dacca, and Purnea. Some details have been furnished in this connection by the District Board of Howrah. The wells are kept in repair by *mistries* employed by the Board, who pay a round of visitations, equipped with a set of repairing tools and petty materials required for the purpose. The initial cost is about Rs. 100 for each well, besides a maintenance charge of Rs. 10 a year. A guarantee is sometimes taken from the villagers for the safety of the pump. It has been suggested that the well should be sunk and maintained by local contract. The suggestion seems a good one, and the Lieutenant-Governor will be glad to hear what results are achieved in this direction. The example is one which other districts might profitably follow.

31. *Drainage Works.*—Small expenditure was incurred under this head by the District Boards of the 24-Parganas, Murshidabad, Jessore, Tippera, and Noakhali. The great work of draining the Chalan and Cherial *bils*, lying within the districts of Pabna and Rajshahi, is in progress, and it is reported that these projects will take longer to finish than was anticipated. Up to 31st March 1903, a sum of Rs. 13,056 was spent on the engineering, survey, and office establishment employed for the preparation of the survey of the first-named project

32. *Roads.*—The total number of roads maintained by the several District Boards during the year increased from 8,666 to 9,429. There was also an increase of 1,585 miles in their aggregate length and of Rs. 1,42,531 in the total cost of their maintenance. Of these roads, 540, with a length of 2,748 miles, were metalled; and 2,508, with a length of 25,163 miles, unmetalled; while 6,381, with a total length of 18,141 miles, were classed as village roads. Many districts show remarkable fluctuations in the number and mileage of their metalled roads, but these variations are apparently attributable to reclassification in accordance with the instructions laid down in Government Circular No. 1T.—M., dated the 23rd April 1903. In successive reviews it has been pointed out that the discrepancies which invariably occur detract much from the value of the information contained in Appendix C, and the Lieutenant-Governor requests that the figures of the statement may in future be carefully examined by all Chairmen themselves, and he hopes that the adoption of a uniform system of classification will prevent the recurrence of such errors in future. Of the total expenditure incurred on metalled roads, Rs. 2,82,739 were spent on original works and Rs. 7,41,080 on repairs; and of that incurred on unmetalled roads, the cost of original works was Rs. 10,47,862 and of repairs Rs. 9,24,180. The largest expenditure incurred in any one district during the year on metalled roads was incurred in the district of Burdwan, where it amounted to Rs. 85,765; the 24-Parganas stands second with an expenditure of Rs. 73,134; and Chittagong last with Rs. 60 only. The District Board of Palamau, as in the previous year, incurred no expenditure under this head. The outlay on unmetalled roads was highest in Muzaffarpur, viz., Rs. 1,28,547, and least in Balasore, viz., Rs. 7,788. The cost per mile of district metalled roads was highest in Manbhum (Rs. 2,337), where much money was spent on roads in the colliery tracts, and lowest in Chittagong (Rs. 29); that of unmetalled district roads, was highest in Backergunge (Rs. 393), and lowest in Nadia (Rs. 15). On the construction and maintenance of 10 miles of village roads the District Board of Jalpaiguri expended Rs. 9,863. This exceptionally high rate per mile is, however, accounted for by the fact that practically the whole of this expenditure was incurred in bridging and raising a single expensive road. Elsewhere the cost per mile of roads of this class ranged from Rs. 113 in Backergunge to Rs. 3 in Rangpur.

It is worthy of note that the expenditure incurred on the construction and maintenance of roads in 1902 1903 was considerably above the average of the last five years, and that the cost per mile of metalled and unmetalled roads was Rs. 373 and Rs. 78, respectively, against an average for the previous three years of Rs. 317 and Rs. 75.

33. In paragraph 57 of last year's Resolution, the Lieutenant-Governor reviewed the manner in which the first grant of Rs. 5,00,000 to the several District Boards for the improvement of communications had been expended, and noted, with approval, that about one-third of the grant had been allotted for

feeder roads, and about the same amount for bridging. The allotment was continued for another year. The state of the Provincial finances at the opening of the present year has enabled His Honour to sanction the distribution of a third grant of Rs. 5,00,000, among the several Divisions, on the same conditions as those originally laid down, but he is unable to hold out any promises for the future.

34. *Miscellaneous Public Improvements.*—In all districts, except Chittagong, arboriculture received attention from the District Boards, and money was spent in planting and maintaining trees on roadsides. Working plans for roadside arboricultural operations have been prepared in most of the districts for the guidance of their District Engineers. In the districts of Rajshahi and Saran, however, nothing was done in this direction during the year, and the reports from the district of Champaran and all the districts of the Chota Nagpur Division are silent on the point. In Chittagong, out of 4,152 avenue trees, 1,228 were blown down by the cyclone of October 1897. Since then the working plans in that district have been discontinued for want of funds.

35. *Railway Feeder Roads.*—New roads as feeders to railways were constructed by the District Boards of Burdwan, the 24-Parganas, Jalpaiguri, Rajshahi, Bogra, Tippera, Muzaffarpur, Bhagalpur, and Puri. Existing feeder roads, and those taken in hand during the previous year, were maintained, improved, and completed by the District Boards named above, and also by the District Boards of Birbhum, Bankura, Midnapore, Howrah, Khulna, Nadia, Dacca, Faridpur, Mymensingh, Noakhali, Chittagong. Patna, Gaya, Darbhanga, Shahabad, Purnea, Monghyr, Cuttack, Balasore, Palamau and Manbhum. The feeder road connecting Goborchapa with the Akkelpur Railway station in the district of Rajshahi, for which contributions amounting to Rs. 16,800 were made from Provincial revenues, was completed during the year. The feeder roads to railways in the district of Rangpur and the feeder road from Jamalganj Railway station to Etakholahat in the district of Bogra, for which also Government made special grants, were partly constructed during the year.

36. *Railways and Tramways.*—The extension of the Howrah-Amta Light Railway from Jagatballabhpur to Autpur was in progress during the year. A scheme for the construction of a light railway from Ullapara to Kalbunder, the steamer station below the town of Sirajganj, has been prepared by the District Board of Pabna and referred to Government for consideration. Negotiations for opening a steam tramway line from Dacca to Sealo opposite Goalundo are still in progress. A line from Tangail to Ballar *viâ* Mymensingh and Netrokona is being surveyed at the cost of the District Board of Mymensingh. A project for a tramway from Barisal to Palardi, with an objective of ultimate extension to Faridpur *viâ* Madaripur, is under the consideration of the District Board of Backergunge. The Buktiarpur-Bihar Light Railway has been opened since the close of the year. In Shahabad the construction of a light narrow-gauge railway on the Arrah-Sasaram Road is being considered by the District Board. Three projects for narrow-gauge railways or tramways, as means of improving district communications, were contemplated by the District Board of Bhagalpur; but though a line from Bhagalpur to Deoghur *viâ* Bausi was selected as the most likely project, it is still wholly in embryo.

37. *Contributions (Rs. 71,398).*—The expenditure under this head represents contributions made by District Boards towards the cost of the Police force employed at plague camps, refunds of the unexpended balance of Government grants for special works, payments on account of cost of establishments in the offices of account and control, and contributions made by District Boards to Union Committees. The total expenditure declined by Rs. 1,53,455, and though the fluctuation is large, it calls for no special remarks.

38. *Deposits and Advances (Rs. 13,44,109).*—The large increase of Rs. 2,86,093 under this head is chiefly due to the change in the classification of accounts introduced in the previous year, under which the expenditure on Provincial roads and Civil buildings, which was formerly shown under the head "Civil Works," is now debited to this head.

39. *Closing balances (Rs. 23,20,469).*—The actual closing balance of the 42 District Boards during the year exceeded that of the previous year by

Rs. 3,20,955. It amounted to more than half of the year's income in Nadia and Darbhanga, and to more than one-third in Midnapore, Rajshahi, Faridpur, and Shahabad Satisfactory explanations have been rendered of the heavy balances of the Nadia, Midnapore, Rajshahi, and Faridpur District Funds, but no reason has been given in the cases of Darbhanga and Shahabad.

40. *Amendment of the Bengal Local Self Government Act.*—The draft Bill to amend the Bengal Local Self-Government Act was submitted to the Government of India for their consideration and orders in November 1902. The observations and suggestions of that Government on the Bill, which were communicated in August last, are now under the consideration of the Lieutenant-Governor.

41. *Administrative changes.*—Certain rules were laid down in 1899 for the carrying out of Imperial and Provincial Civil Works through the agency of District Boards. These rules provided for the payment of contributions to local bodies to meet charges for establishment and other charges connected with the preparation and execution of projects for works costing Rs. 2,500 and above. It was represented that requisitions were frequently made upon District Boards by the Police, Jail, Medical, and other Civil Departments for plans and estimates for works, which those Departments carried out departmentally, and that it was not unusual for Civil Departments to request the District Engineer to supervise, check, and examine works done by the Departments themselves, or even to carry out the works. The cost of such works rarely exceed Rs. 2,500; but it was urged that a greater expenditure of time and labour was required in the preparation of numerous plans and estimates of small amounts than in that of any single estimate for a large project. These reasons appeared to the Lieutenant-Governor to be sufficiently cogent to establish a claim on the part of the District Boards to some remuneration in respect of such works. It was accordingly directed that when District Boards prepare estimates and plans and execute works on behalf of a Civil Department, they shall be paid the full amount of the percentage allowed by the rules on all estimates, irrespective of the individual amount of each.

42. The attention of Government was drawn to the inconvenience of the existing procedure under which any case in which it was proposed to give a pension or gratuity to servants of District Boards, who were not provided for under the Provident Fund Rules, had to be referred to Government for special sanction. It was pointed out that such cases would probably become more numerous, and it was suggested that it might be desirable to adopt some rules with the object of providing for employés of this class, either on the lines of Government pension and gratuity rules or on those of the existing Provident Fund Rules. The opinion of Commissioners of Divisions and of local bodies was invited on the subject. The opinions received showed that there was in many cases a feeling that provision should be made for pensions or gratuities to employés drawing less than Rs. 15 per mensem, who did not come within the scope of the original Provident Fund Rules, and after considering the replies, the suggestions which commended themselves to the Lieutenant-Governor were that contributions to the Provident Fund should be made compulsory, on their admission to service, in the case of all employés drawing not less than Rs. 10 per mensem, while to inferior servants gratuities and pensions on the scale and conditions of Article 524 of the Civil Service Regulations should be allowed. A set of model rules based on these principles was framed for the guidance of local bodies, and they have already been adopted by several District Boards.

43. The general consensus of opinion among the Commissioners of Divisions is that the majority of the District Boards have worked smoothly and satisfactorily, and that their members have shown a praiseworthy interest in the affairs entrusted to their charge. A satisfactory feature of the year's progress is the awakening of public interest in Local-Self Government in at least one of the districts of the Orissa Division, but the Commissioner remarks that in the other two the tendency still exists to leave all duties and responsibilities to the official Chairman. Local Boards receive the meed of faintor praise. The Commissioner of the Dacca Division comments on the little interest displayed by their members even in works designed for the benefit of their own immediate vicinity. The Commissioner of Rajshahi remarks that they

are generally a failure, suggesting, however, that this is due rather to the comparatively insignificant nature of their duties than to any defect of system. A more genuine and widespread interest in their work, however, must be displayed before the Local Boards can expect to attain greater powers, and the Lieutenant-Governor would remind the members of these bodies that it rests entirely with themselves to justify a further devolution of functions.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

L. P. SHIRRES,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Form No. I (*a*).

Statement showing the constitution of the District Boards in Bengal during the year 1902-1903.

Serial number	Name of District Board.	Act under which constituted.	Area in square miles.	Population within the area.	Number of Members.								Number of meetings held.	Number of meetings proved abortive for want of quorum or adjourned.	Average attendance at each Meeting.		
					Ex-officio.	Nominated.	Elected.	Total.	Officials.	Non-officials.	Europeans and Eurasians.	Natives.			Officials.	Non-officials.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Burdwan Division.																
1	Burdwan		2,669	1,488,443	4	6	9	19	4	15	4	15	14	...	3·6	9·6	13·2
2	Birbhum		1,751	803,588	4	3	6	13	4	9	2	11	15	...	2·7	5·8	8·5
3	Bankura		2,611	1,063,136	4	4	7	15	4	11	2	13	12	.	2·5	8·0	10·5
4	Midnapore		5 114	2,699,238	6	7	12	25	8	17	7	18	13	..	3·8	9·9	13 7
5	Hooghly		1,159	915,390	6	8	13	27	6	21	4	23	15	...	2·7	11 6	13·3
6	Howrah		499	674,259	3	3	5	11	3	8	3	8	14	...	1·9	4·3	6·2
	Total ...		12,803	7,684,053	27	31	52	110	29	81	22	88	83		2·7	8·2	10·9
	Presidency Division.																
7	24-Parganas		1,383	1,678,033	5	8	12	25	5	20	1	24	15	1	4·6	12	16·6
8	Nadia		2,793	1,667,491	6	5	10	21	6	15	5	16	12	...	4·5	8·1	12·6
9	Murshidabad		2,143	1,333,134	6	5	10	21	6	15	3	18	19	2	3 1	6 6	9·7
10	Jessore		2,925	1,813,274	7	6	12	25	7	18	3	22	12	1	4	11·2	15 2
11	Khulna		2,077	1,253,045	5	4	8	17	5	12	...	17	16	1	3·1	5·3	8·4
	Total ...		11,921	7,745,025	29	28	52	109	29	80	17	92	74	5	3·7	8·6	12·3
	Rajshahi Division.																
12	Rajshahi		2,590 5	1,438,164	4	8	11	23	6	17	6	17	20	4	2·3	6·6	9·2
13	Dinajpur		3,942	1,553,660	4	13	5	22	8	14	2	20	15	...	5·0	6·7	11·7
14	Jalpaiguri		2,890	777,149	5	10	2	17	8	9	3	14	15	6	2·3	1·7	4·0
15	Rangpur		3,678	2,138,221	4	7	10	21	8	13		21	13	...	5·5	7·1	12·4
16	Bogra		1,351·5	843,335	5	11	...	16	5	11	...	16	20	..	3·5	5·0	8·5
17	Pabna		1,623	1,378,933	4	4	8	16	5	11	2	14	14	2	5·6	14·0	19·6
	Total ...		16,085	8,138,442	26	53	36	115	40	75	18	97	97	12	4·0	6 9	10·9
	Dacca Division.																
18	Dacca		2,771	2,534,508	7	8	14	29	10	19	5	24	12	..	6·0	11·6	17·6
19	Mymensingh		6,278·3	3,809,671	4	9	12	25	6	19	1	24	16	...	4·1	10·0	14·1
20	Faridpur		2,267·75	1,908,534	7	6	12	25	8	17	2	23	17	2	4·2	7·1	11·3
21	Backergunge		3,620·7	2,246,176	7	6	12	25	10	15	4	21	19	.	4·0	5·7	9·7
	Total ...		14,937·75	10,498,891	25	29	50	104	34	70	12	92	64	2	4·6	8·6	13·2
	Chittagong Division.																
22	Tippera		2,409	2,117,091	4	6	9	19	5	14	4	15	15	...	3·0	8·9	11·9
23	Noakhali		1,644	1,141,728	4	3	6	13	5	8	...	13	17	1	3·5	5·0	8·5
24	Chittagong		2,402	1,353,250	7	13	...	19	7	12	6	11	14		4·7	8·2	13·9
	Total ...		6,635	4,612,069	15	21	15	51	17	34	13	39	46	1	3·7	7·4	11·1
	Patna Division.																
25	Patna		2,045	1,421,979	5	8	12	25	7	18	5	20	14	...	2·9	12 0	14·9
26	Gaya		4,699	1,978,746	5	5	10	20	9	11	6	14	14	1	4·1	5·1	9·2
27	Shahabad		4,403	1,846,358	6	7	12	25	8	17	6	19	18	...	4·5	10·5	15·0
28	Saran		2,610	2,388,365	7	9	15	31	9	22	20	11	23	4	5·7	8·0	13·7
29	Champaran		3,515	1,752,600	5	13	...	17	6	11	12	5	16	3	3·3	4·4	7·7
30	Muzaffarpur		2,962	2,706,618	5	8	6	19	7	12	13	6	13	...	4·5	5·4	9·9
31	Darbhanga		3,331	2,811,180	4	9	12	25	6	19	13	12	16	...	4·2	8·4	12·6
	Total ...		23,585	14,863,576	37	59	67	162	52	110	75	87	114	8	4·1	7·7	11·8
	Bhagalpur Division.																
32	Monghyr		3,922	2,068,804	6	7	12	25	8	17	8	17	19	3	4·0	8·0	12·0
33	Bhagalpur		4,218	2,007,715	4	12	15	31	4	27	6	25	17	3	2 9	11·5	14·4
34	Purnea		4,870	1,277,072	5	8	12	25	6	19	8	17	16	1	3·5	9·7	13·2
35	Malda		1,898	867,031	4	9	...	13	4	9	2	11	13	1	2 8	4 8	7·6
	Total ...		14,908	6,220,622	19	36	39	94	22	72	24	70	67	7	3·3	8·5	11·8
	Orissa Division.																
36	Cuttack		3,618	1,800,846	6	5	10	21	12	9	6	15	15	1	4·3	4·7	9·0
37	Balasore		2,063	1,050,332	3	5	7	15	7	8	3	12	11	3	3·0	5·1	8·1
38	Puri		2,459	997,950	4	3	5	12	6	6	3	9	23	6	2·6	2·6	5·2
	Total ...		8,140	3,879,028	13	13	22	48	25	23	12	36	49	10	3·3	4·1	7·4
	Chota Nagpur Division																
39	Hazaribagh		7,016	1,148,198	5	7	...	12	5	7	6	6	6	...	4·0	2·6	6·6
40	Ranchi		7,133	1,156,478	6	6	...	12	6	6	6	6	15	3	3·6	2·1	5·7
41	Palamau		4,902	613,769	5	6	...	11	8	6	2	9	12	1	3·3	1·8	5·1
42	Manbhum		4,130	1,275,015	6	8	...	14	6	8	8	6	11	...	4 0	2·8	6·8
	Total ...		23,181	4,193,460	22	27	...	49	25	27	22	27	44	4	3·7	2·3	6·0
	Grand Total for 1902-1903.		153,175·75	68,406,666	213	296	333	842	270	573	214	628	638	49	3·7	6·9	10·6
	Grand Total for 1901-1902.	All under Act III (B.C.) of 1885.	139,229·5	63,320,968	217	295	333	845	272	573	221	624	640	47	3·5	6·5	10·0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	BURDWAN DIVISION.																
	Burdwan.																
1	Sadar	All under Act III (B.C.) of 1885.	1,230	640,721	1	7	7	15	1	14	...	15	11	...	0·1	7·7	7·8
2	Katwa		347	235,068	...	10	...	10	2	8	...	10	12	2	0·7	4·9	5·6
3	Kalna		428	255,148	...	3	1	9	...	9	...	9	16	...	...	4·6	4·6
4	Raniganj		664	330,606	...	6	4	10	1	9	5	5	6	...	0·6	5·4	6·0
	Total ...		2,669	1,438,443	1	31	12	44	4	40	5	39	45	2	·4	5·6	6·0
	Birbhum.																
5	Sadar, Suri		1,106	527,236	...	5	6	11	1	10	...	11	12	...	·2	4·2	4·4
6	Rampur Hát		645	366,352	...	3	6	9	1	8	1	8	17	2	·6	4·5	5·1
	Total ...		1,751	893,588	...	8	12	20	2	18	1	19	29	2	·4	4·4	4·8
	Bankura.																
7	Sadar		1,217	691,818	...	6	6	12	...	12	...	12	14	7	...	3·2	3·2
8	Vishnupur		694	371,318	...	7	2	9	...	9	...	9	13	2	...	3·0	3·0
	Total ...		2,611	1,063,136	...	13	8	21	...	21	..	21	26	9	...	3·1	3·1
	Midnapore.																
9	Sadar		3,267	1,244,609	...	23	1	24	6	18	2	22	15	3	1·9	5·9	7·8
10	Tamluk		348	575,151	...	14	4	18	3	15	...	18	14	2	·9	6·8	6·7
11	Contai		842	603,136	...	12	9	21	3	18	1	20	11	...	1·4	7·3	8·7
12	Ghatal		650	276,842	...	12	3	15	2	13	...	15	12	...	0·5	5·6	6·1
	Total ...		5,114	2,699,238	...	61	17	78	14	64	3	75	52	5	1·2	6·1	7·3
	Hooghly.																
13	Sadar		429	272,879	...	5	10	15	...	15	...	15	11	...	...	9·6	9·6
14	Serampore		339	333,433	1	8	7	16	1	15	1	15	8	3	·4	6·5	6·9
15	Arambagh		401	319,103	1	6	2	9	1	8	...	9	11	...	1·0	5·3	6·3
	Total ..		1,169	915,390	2	19	19	40	2	38	1	39	30	3	·5	7·1	7·6
	Howrah.																
16	Sadar		162	255,001	...	3	6	9	2	7	...	9	9	1	1·5	3·8	5·3
17	Ulubaria		337	419,257	..	10	6	16	2	14	...	16	11	2	·7	5·6	6·3
	Total ...		499	674,258	...	13	12	25	4	21	...	25	20	3	1·1	4·7	5·8
	DIVISIONAL TOTAL ..		13,803	7,684,053	3	145	80	228	26	202	10	218	202	24	·6	5·2	5·8
	PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																
	24-Parganas.																
18	Alipore		802	505,283	1	7	7	15	2	13	...	15	11	...	·7	6·2	7·5
19	Diamond Harbour ...		417	260,749	...	5	7	12	...	12	...	12	16	3	..	5·8	5·8
20	Barasat		455	284,290	...	6	10	16	1	15	...	16	12	..	·8	8·5	9·1
21	Basirhat		329	337,176	...	3	6	9	...	9	...	9	13	1	.	4·7	4·7
	Total ..		1,993	1,078,038	1	21	30	52	3	49	...	52	52	4	·3	6·5	6·8
	Nadia.																
22	Sadar		701	361,333	...	4	8	12	1	11	2	10	13	4	·4	3·2	3·6
23	Chuadanga		437	254,589	...	3	6	9	1	8	...	9	11	4	·3	2·9	3·2
24	Kushtia		597	450,368	...	6	3	9	1	8	1	8	15	7	·5	4·0	4·5
25	Meherpur		631	348,124	...	3	6	9	...	9	2	7	11	2	..	3·5	3·5
26	Kaneghat		427	217,077	...	3	6	9	1	8	...	9	8	..	1	5·3	6·3
	Total ...		2,794	1,667,491	...	19	29	48	4	44	5	43	58	19	·4	3·8	4·2
	Murshidabad.																
27	Sadar		914	580,304	...	15	6	21	1	20	3	18	6	4	...	7·1	7·1
28	Kandi		720	418,629	1	7	6	14	1	13	...	14	9	3	1·0	3·0	4·0
29	Jangipur		509	334,191	...	6	7	13	...	13	1	12	8	...	...	7·0	7·0
	Total ...		2,143	1,333,124	1	28	19	48	2	46	4	44	23	7	·3	5·7	6·0
	Jessore.																
30	Sadar		880	561,376	...	4	14	18	...	18	...	18	12	9	...	6·6	6·6
31	Bangaon		649	317,152	...	11	2	13	1	12	...	13	7	3	·3	5·4	5·9
32	Jhenidah		475	306,599	...	5	4	9	1	8	1	8	13	3	·2	5·0	5·3
33	Narail		497	359,486	...	7	2	9	...	9	...	9	12	1	...	4·5	4·5
34	Magura		485	277,331	...	3	6	9	...	9	...	9	9	3	...	4·9	4·9
	Total ...		2,935	1,813,274	...	30	28	58	2	56	1	57	53	19	·1	5·3	5·4
	Khulna.																
35	Sadar		649	401,785	...	11	1	12	1	11	...	12	11	6	·7	4·9	5·6
36	Basirhat		679	363,041	1	5	5	11	1	11	...	12	13	1	1	5·2	6·2
37	Satkhira		749	458,217	1	11	3	15	1	14	...	15	10	3	1	4·5	5·5
	Total ...		2,077	1,223,043	2	30	9	39	3	36	..	39	34	10	·9	4·9	5·8
	DIVISIONAL TOTAL ...		11,922	7,745,025	4	128	113	245	14	231	10	235	230	59	·4	5·2	5·6

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Rajshahi Division.																
	Rajshahi.																
38	Boalia	All under Act III (B.C.) of 1885.	904	542,347	...	5	10	15	1	14	2	13	13	4	...	4·5	4·5
39	Nator		815	413,745	1	4	8	13	2	11	...	13	11	3	·9	4·4	5·3
40	Naugaon		871·5	476,072	1	6	6	13	2	11	...	13	5	2	·8	4·6	5·4
	Total ...		2,590·5	1,432,164	2	15	24	41	5	36	2	39	29	9	·5	4·5	5·0
	Dinajpur.																
41	Thakurgaon		1,171	543,096	1	10	...	11	4	7	...	11	10	3	2·0	4·0	6·0
	Jalpaiguri.																
42	Alipur		1,143	119,253	3	2	1	6	4	2	5	1	4	3	2·5	0·5	3·0
	Rangpur.																
43	Rangpur		1,133	642,333	...	12	...	12	1	11	...	12	9	3	...	4·1	4·1
44	Gaibanda		709	320,184	...	7	...	7	2	5	...	7	11	1	1·6	2·2	3·8
45	Nilphamari		649	461,314	...	7	...	7	1	6	...	7	10	3	1·0	1·7	2·7
46	Kurigram		937	514,392	...	7	...	7	2	5	...	7	11	3	1·0	2·2	3·2
	Total ...		3,478	2,138,223	...	33	...	33	6	27	...	33	41	10	·9	2·5	3·4
	Pabna.																
47	Pabna		878	568,326	...	12	...	12	3	9	...	12	8	1	...	5·5	5·5
48	Sirajganj		946	810,397	...	4	8	12	3	9	1	11	14	2	2·1	4·2	6·3
	Total ...		1,823	1,378,723	...	16	8	24	6	18	1	23	22	3	1·0	4·9	5·9
	Divisional Total ...		10,364·5	5,611,748	6	76	33	115	25	90	8	107	105	27	1·4	3·3	4·7
	Dacca Division.																
	Dacca.																
49	Sadar		1,359·5	790,975	...	6	6	12	1	11	...	12	14	...	0·9	5·1	6·0
50	Narayanganj		636·5	636,240	1	3	6	10	1	9	1	9	12	1	1·0	5·0	6·0
51	Munshiganj		386	638,351	1	5	10	16	1	15	...	16	19	...	0·3	8·4	8·7
52	Manikganj		489	468,942	...	3	6	9	1	8	...	9	9	...	1·0	4·2	5·2
	Total ...		2,771	2,534,508	2	17	28	47	4	43	1	46	47	1	0·8	5·7	6·5
	Mymensingh.																
53	Sadar		1,845·5	956,020	1	4	10	15	1	14	...	15	14	1	0·2	5·8	6·0
54	Tangail		1,053	953,573	...	6	7	13	2	11	...	13	18	...	1·5	4·2	5·7
55	Kishorganj		975	693,911	...	5	10	15	...	15	...	15	21	5	...	6·4	6·4
56	Jamalpur		1,367·8	642,896	...	5	5	10	3	7	...	10	15	5	1·7	1·5	3·2
57	Netrakona		1,137	563,360	..	7	6	13	2	11		13	13	...	1·6	5·1	6·7
	Total ...		6,378·3	3,809,671	1	27	38	66	8	58	...	66	75	11	1·0	4·6	5·6
	Faridpur.																
58	Sadar		854·75	700,577	...	5	7	12	2	10	...	12	19	3	0·7	3·8	4·5
59	Goalundo		426	319,283	...	5	4	9	2	7	...	9	15	4	1·3	3·0	4·3
60	Madaripur		986	888,673	...	7	5	12	1	11	...	12	15	5	0·5	4·5	5·0
	Total ...		2,267·75	1,908,534	...	17	16	33	5	28	...	33	49	12	0·8	3·8	4·6
	Backergunge																
61	Sadar		1,100·2	918,915	...	6	12	18	1	17	1	17	12	...	0·4	7·6	8·0
62	Pirojpur		681	559,875	1	5	10	16	6	10	...	16	18	2	2·5	5·5	8·0
63	Patuakhali		1,187·5	517,655	1	9	...	10	5	5	...	10	12	2	2·0	2·5	4·5
64	Bhola		618	570,353	1	9	...	10	6	4	1	9	13	3	2·9	2·0	4·9
	Total ...		3,020·7	2,566,178	3	29	22	54	18	36	2	52	54	7	1·9	4·4	6·3
	Divisional Total ...		14,937·75	10,408,891	6	90	104	200	35	165	3	197	228	31	1·1	4·6	5·7
	Chittagong Division.																
	Tippera.																
65	Comilla		1,142	957,699	...	12	...	12	1	11	1	11	10	...	·8	5·7	6·5
66	Brahmanbaria		769	677,084	...	9	...	9	2	7	...	9	14	1	1·4	4·5	5·9
67	Chandpur		588	483,208	...	7	...	7	1	6	...	7	15	...	·3	4·1	4·4
	Total ...		2,499	2,117,991	...	28	...	28	4	24	1	27	30	1	·6	4·8	5·6
	Noakhali.																
68	Sadar		1,301	822,891	...	11	...	11	...	11	1	10	13	...	...	6·5	6·5
69	Feuny		343	318,837	1	8	...	9	1	8	...	9	14	...	1·0	5·1	6·1
	Total ...		1,644	1,141,728	1	19	...	20	1	19	1	19	27	...	·5	5·8	6·3
	Divisional Total ...		4,143	3,259,719	1	47	...	48	5	43	2	46	66	1	·6	5·3	5·9

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	PATNA DIVISION.																
	Patna.																
70	Patna	All under Act III (B.C.) of 1885.	716	381,575	...	4	8	12	...	12	...	12	14	1	.	5·7	5·7
71	Dinapore		20	129,227	..	3	6	9	...	9	1	8	9		..	4·5	4·5
72	Barh		324	353,163	...	3	6	9	...	8	1	8	11	3	·6	4·1	4·7
73	Bihar		785	557,844	...	4	8	12	1	11	1	11	18	5	·7	6·7	7·4
	Total ...		2,045	1,421,809	...	14	28	45	2	40	3	39	52	9	·3	5·3	5·6
	Gaya.																
74	Nawada		955	453,924	...	6	...	6	2	4	...	6	12	...	1·9	2·4	4·3
75	Jahanabad		609	384,442	...	7	...	7	1	6	...	7	14	...	1·0	3·2	4·2
76	Aurangabad		1,241	458,114	1	6	..	7	1	6	2	5	13	1	1·0	2·7	3·7
	Total ...		2,805	1,296,480	1	19	...	20	4	16	2	18	36	1	1·3	2·8	4·1
	Shahabad.																
77	Arrah		993	642,998	1	19	...	20	1	19	1	19	12	1	..	7·2	7·2
78	Buxar		624	386,441	2	13	...	15	3	12	2	13	13	1	1·9	6·8	7·7
79	Bhabhua		1,027	300,647	...	9	...	9	1	8	...	9	15		1·0	5·0	6·0
80	Sasseram		1,784	516,372	.	21	...	21	1	20	2	19	12	3	0·5	5·1	5·6
	Total ..		4,428	1,846,358	3	62	...	65	6	59	5	60	52	5	·8	5·8	6·6
	Saran.																
81	Chapra		990	917,031	1	15	...	16	1	15	3	8	6	1	·2	5·8	6·0
82	Siwan ...		840	786,088	2	7	...	9	3	6	6	3	12	5	2·5	1·0	3·5
83	Gopalganj		771	635,146	1	8	...	9	2	7	4	5	16	...	1·3	3·7	5·0
	Total ...		2,610	2,338,265	4	30	...	34	6	28	13	16	34	6	1·3	3·5	4·8
	Muzaffarpur.																
84	Hajipur		760	709,544	2	7	...	9	3	6	6	3	14	7	2·0	1·0	3·0
85	Sitamarhi		1,009	952,580	2	7	...	9	2	7	5	4	9	2	1·8	3·2	5·0
	Total ...		1,769	1,661,324	4	14	...	18	5	13	11	7	23	9	1·9	2·1	4·0
	Darbhanga.																
86	Madhubani		1,347	1,078,523	...	11	...	11	3	8	6	5	14	...	2·5	4·1	6·6
87	Samastipur		763	743,044	...	9	...	9	1	8	7	2	10	2	·9	2·5	3·4
	Total ...		2,110	1,821,567	...	20	...	20	4	16	13	7	24	2	1·7	3·3	5·0
	DIVISIONAL TOTAL ...		15,739	10,387,703	13	159	28	190	27	172	52	147	221	33	1·2	3·8	5·0
	BHAGALPUR DIVISION.																
	Monghyr.																
88	Sadar		1,878	874,611	...	12	...	12	2	10	1	11	15	3	·4	4·5	4·9
89	Begusarai		751	643,986	...	13	...	13	2	11	3	10	10	1	1·3	5·3	6·6
90	Jamui...		1,593	561,227	..	13	...	13	3	10	2	11	16	4	1·4	4·6	6·0
	Total ..		3,922	2,068,804	...	38	...	38	7	31	6	32	41	6	1·0	4·8	5·8
	Bhagalpur.																
91	Sadar		926	505,814	1	12	...	13	1	12	3	10	14	...	·5	5·6	6·1
92	Banka		1,186	432,153	1	12	...	13	2	11	...	13	14	...	1·3	5·7	7·5
93	Madipura		1,172	559,180	1	12	...	13	2	11	1	12	14	...	1·6	4·7	6·3
94	Supaul		935	510,568	1	14	...	15	2	13	2	13	12	1	1·3	5·4	6·7
	Total ...		4,218	2,007,715	4	50	...	54	7	47	6	48	54	1	1·3	5·3	6·6
	Purnea.																
95	Sadar		2,523	840,851	1	11	...	12	1	11	5	7	12	1	·5	6·0	6·5
96	Kishanganj		1,804	619,634	...	13	...	13	2	11	1	12	13	6	1·3	2·7	3·9
97	Araria		1,044	417,097	...	13	...	13	2	11	1	12	14	3	1·3	4·5	5·8
	Total ...		4,870	1,877,072	1	37	...	38	5	33	7	31	39	10	1·0	4·4	5·4
	DIVISIONAL TOTAL ...		13,010	5,953,591	5	125	...	130	19	111	19	111	134	19	1·1	4·8	5·9
	ORISSA DIVISION.																
	Cuttack.																
98	Cuttack Sadar		1,519	934,805	3	12	...	15	6	9	2	13	15	3	2·2	3·3	5·5
99	Jajpur		1,099	813,918	...	13	...	13	3	10	...	13	17	6	1·3	3·8	5·1
100	Kendrapara		1,000	412,123	2	11	...	13	3	10	1	12	12	3	2·0	5·4	7·4
	Total ...		3,618	1,960,846	5	36	...	41	12	29	3	38	44	9	1·8	4·2	6·0
	Balasore.																
101	Balasore Sadar		1,144	571,579	2	10	...	12	3	9	2	10	7	3	1·0	3·8	4·8
102	Bhadrak		909	478,653	...	11	...	11	3	8	...	11	8	2	1·3	3·7	5·0
	Total ...		2,053	1,050,232	2	21	...	23	6	17	2	21	15	5	1·1	3·8	4·9
	Puri.																
103	Puri		1,526	608,714	1	7	...	8	2	6	...	8	5	1	0·4	1·6	2·0
104	Khurda		943	359,236	1	11	...	12	4	8	1	11	13	6	3·4	2·2	5·6
	Total ...		2,469	967,950	2	18	...	20	6	14	1	19	18	6	1·9	1·9	3·8
	Divisional Total ...		8,140	3,979,028	9	75	...	84	24	60	6	78	77	20	1·6	3·3	4·9
	GRAND TOTAL FOR 1902-1903.		91,899·25	55,019,753	45	845	358	1,249	175	1,074	110	1,139	1,350	213	1·0	4·3	5·3
	GRAND TOTAL FOR 1901-1902.		94,998	56,597,121	44	846	378	1,268	169	1,099	113	1,155	1,295	203	0·9	4·5	5·4

FORM

Statement showing the Income of the District Boards

Serial number.	Name of District Board.	Closing balance of last year.	I.—LAND REVENUE.				VI.—PROVINCIAL RATES.				XII.—INTEREST.					XIII.—POST OFFICE.			XVII.—POLICE.
			Revenue due to Canals.	Cost of collecting road cess arrears recovered.	Fees, Fines and Forfeitures.	Total.	Local Rate.	Patwari Cess.	Village Service Fund.	Total.	On Securities belonging to Famine Relief Fund.	On Education Securities.	On Dispensary Securities.	On Arrears of Road Cess.	Total.	Mail Cart Receipts.	District Post (Collections).	Total.	Receipts under the Cattle Trespass Act.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	BURDWAN DIVISION.	Rs.					Rs.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.				Rs.
1	Burdwan	97,262	...	...	..	...	1,70,258	...	...	1,70,258	...	...	...	1,044	1,044	...	...	...	11,009
2	Birbhum	36,753	...	...	...	...	71,098	...	...	71,098	..	...	...	202	202	...	...	...	7,070
3	Bankura	30,320	...	...	...	...	48,192	...	...	48,192	...	...	...	541	541	...	...	...	2,116
4	Midnapore	57,989	...	...	...	...	1,74,240	...	...	1,74,240	...	...	...	2,450	2,450	...	...	...	10,871
5	Hooghly	63,457	...	...	...	...	76,428	...	...	76,428	...	...	...	1,601	1,601	...	..	...	6,595
6	Howrah	9,162	...	...	...	...	37,672	...	...	37,672	...	...	584	854	1,388	...	...	...	3,255
	Total ...	2,94,623	..	...	...	..	5,77,897	...	...	5,77,897	...	...	584	7,321	7,855	...	...	...	41,500
	PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																		
7	24-Parganas	58,874	...	...	...	...	1,53,062	...	...	1,53,062	538	...	...	1,682	2,221	...	...	...	6,244
8	Nadia	91,190	...	...	...	...	73,712	...	...	73,712	...	...	...	387	387	...	...	...	26,177
9	Murshidabad	42,779	...	...	...	...	64,427	...	...	64,427	...	...	...	482	482	...	...	...	12,935
10	Jessore	37,778	...	...	...	..	91,823	...	...	91,823	52	...	157	635	844	...	...	...	25,011
11	Khulna	25,083	...	...	...	...	70,189	...	...	70,189	...	...	...	496	496	...	..	..	5,113
	Total ...	2,37,354	...	...	...	...	4,53,213	...	...	4,53,213	590	..	157	3,683	4,430	...	...	...	85,480
	RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																		
12	Rajshahi	50,515	...	...	...	...	85,092	...	...	85,092	...	...	...	171	171	...	...	...	13,127
13	Dinajpur	85,275	...	...	...	...	79,348	...	...	79,348	...	...	...	108	108	...	...	...	24,810
14	Jalpaiguri	19,701	...	...	...	...	62,763	...	...	62,763	...	...	...	14	14	...	...	...	23,444
15	Rangpur	12,849	...	...	...	...	1,24,138	...	...	1,24,138	...	...	...	434	434	...	...	...	10,501
16	Bogra	41,945	...	...	...	...	51,895	...	...	51,895	...	...	...	135	135	...	...	...	12,168
17	Pabna	37,106	...	...	...	...	54,613	...	...	54,613	...	...	...	188	188	...	...	...	11,748
	Total ...	2,37,421	..	.	...	...	4,57,748	...	...	4,57,748	...	...	...	1,050	1,050	...	..	..	95,902
	DACCA DIVISION.																		
18	Dacca	56,276	...	...	...	...	76,952	...	...	76,952	...	...	...	224	224	...	...	...	5,222
19	Mymensingh	1,86,053	...	...	...	...	2,00,333	...	...	2,00,333	...	255	...	282	537	..	...	...	37,931
20	Faridpur	85,339	...	...	...	...	61,043	...	...	61,043	...	...	...	161	161	...	...	...	8,035
21	Backergunge	74,412	...	...	...	...	2,17,267	..	...	2,17,267	...	...	17	194	211	..	...	...	10,897
	Total ...	3,54,070	..	.	.	...	5,61,585	...	...	5,61,585	...	255	17	861	1,133	..	.	...	62,085
	CHITTAGONG DIVISION.																		
22	Tippera	63,302	...	...	...	...	1,12,700	...	...	1,12,700	...	...	...	1,403	1,403	...	...	...	8,424
23	Noakhali	39,079	...	...	..	...	71,000	...	...	71,000	...	...	140	427	567	...	...	...	7,129
24	Chittagong	37,199	...	...	.	...	82,068	...	...	82,068	...	...	...	639	639	...	...	...	4,413
	Divisional Total ...	1,39,570	...	...	...	...	2,65,867	...	...	2,65,867	.	...	140	2,470	2,610	...	...	...	19,965
	PATNA DIVISION.																		
25	Patna ...	6,228	...	...	..	...	2,23,945	...	...	2,23,945	..	...	17	1,753	1,753	...	...	...	6,172
26	Gaya ...	61,913	...	...	...	...	2,18,064	...	...	2,18,064	..	...	...	3,144	3,161	...	..	...	11,661
27	Shahabad ...	88,695	...	...	...	...	1,82,628	...	...	1,82,628	...	...	...	1,681	1,681	...	...	...	7,877
28	Saran ...	79,556	...	...	...	...	1,59,196	...	...	1,59,196	...	...	...	3,460	3,460	...	...	...	5,182
29	Champaran ...	35,008	..	...	...	...	85,705	...	...	85,705	...	...	...	343	343	...	...	...	3,662
30	Muzaffarpur ...	74,709	...	...	...	...	1,96,476	...	.	1,96,476	...	...	...	4,129	4,129	...	...	...	5,123
31	Darbhanga ...	1,30,984	...	...	...	...	2,29,424	...	...	2,29,424	...	...	...	2,334	2,334	...	...	...	5,963
	Total ...	4,72,088	...	...	...	.	12,94,437	.		12,94,437	...	...	17	16,844	16,861	...	...	...	50,740
	BHAGALPUR DIVISION.																		
32	Monghyr	33,054	...	...	...	...	1,00,161	...	...	1,00,161	...	...	527	2,162	2,689	...	...	...	14,903
33	Bhagalpur	26,388	...	...	...	...	1,45,693	...	...	1,45,693	...	...	185	815	1,000	...	...	...	23,318
34	Purnea	38,096	...	...	...	...	1,08,581	...	...	1,08,581	...	...	...	475	475	...	..	...	46,881
35	Malda	13,816	...	...	...	...	30,987	...	...	30,987	...	...	...	13	13	...	..	...	16,078
	Total ...	1,11,347	...	.	...	...	4,45,522	...	..	4,45,522	..	...	712	3,464	4,176	...	.	...	1,01,140
	ORISSA DIVISION.																		
36	Cuttack	518	...	...	...	...	51,471	...	...	51,471	...	...	...	723	723	...	...	...	7,509
37	Balasore	7,996	...	...	...	...	30,773	...	...	30,773	...	104	185	127	416	..	...	...	6,142
38	Puri	18,361	...	...	...	...	28,576	...	...	28,576	...	...	...	230	230	...	...	...	2,247
	Total ...	26,975	...		..	...	1,10,820	...	...	1,10,820	...	104	185	1,080	1,369		...	.	15,898
	CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.																		
39	Hazaribagh	12,989	...	...	...	...	42,838	...	...	42,838	...	...	...	70	70	...	...	...	3,094
40	Ranchi	13,293	.	..	...	...	58,283	...	..	58,283	...	...	...	258	258	...	...	...	3,833
41	Palamau	43,664	..	...	...	...	31,463	...	...	31,463	...	...	...	427	427	...	...	...	3,445
42	Manbhum	2,740	...	...	...	...	74,164	...	...	74,164	...	...	.	521	521	...	...	...	2,980
	Total ..	71,786	...	...	.	.	2,13,743	..	.	2,13,743	...	..	.	1,276	1,276	...	.	...	13,045
	GRAND TOTAL FOR 1902-1903.	19,25,484	.	...	...	...	43,80,832	...	.	43,80,832	590	359	1,768	38,049	40,766	.	...	...	4,86,818
	Total for 1901-1902	21,00,657		...	...		42,19,181	...	..	42,19,181	538	87	1,550	38,765	40,940	...	...	...	4,81,906

XIX.—EDUCATION.

School Fees.						Miscellaneous.											
Training and Special Schools.	High Schools.	Middle Schools.	Primary Schools.	Total.	Contributions.	Sale-proceeds of Books.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Total.	Hospital and Dispensary Receipts.	Medicines sold by Civil Surgeons.	Income from— Endowments.	Income from— Contributions.	Miscellaneous. Sanitary Fees and Fines.	Miscellaneous. Other Receipts.	Miscellaneous. Total.	Total.
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
408	...	3,514	..	3,922	530	.	599	599	5,051	...	...	...	305	...	...	...	305
...	...	1,463	...	1,683		...	219	219	1,902	.	..	..	...	...	11	11	11
...	..	1,143		1,143	15	.	416	416	1,574	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	100
...	...	3,117	...	3,117	625	...	1,350	1,350	5,092	..	...	...	400	...	...	...	400
...	...	843	...	843	...	.	347	347	1,190	...	...	...	1,000	...	...	...	1,000
...	...	617	..	617	253	...	195	195	1,065	...	...	...	576	...	69	69	645
408	...	10,917	...	11,325	1,423	...	3,126	3,126	15,874	...	..	..	2,381	...	80	80	2,461
...	...	615	...	615	410	...	1,226	1,226	2,251	...	...	...	3,093	...	...	...	3,093
...	...	1,131	...	1,131	42	...	211	211	1,384	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	464	464	464	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	523	523	523	107	...	19	1,613	...	80	99	1,738
...	.	248	...	248	120	...	200	200	568	...	...	...	1,068	...	10	10	1,075
.	...	1 994	...	1,994	572	...	2,624	2,624	5,190	107	...	19	5,671	...	99	99	5,806
...	...	524	...	524	7,613	39	621	660	8,807	...	...	...	1,630	...	...	...	1,636
...	...	1,163	...	1,163	1,188	...	360	360	2,711	...	...	...	185	...	...	...	185
...	...	213	.	213	372	...	64	64	649	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1,254	...	1,063	...	2,317	18,504	...	1,415	1,415	22 236	...	...	...	1,084	...	...	...	1,084
...	...	1,029	...	1,029	197	...	284	284	2,410	...	...	...	1,314	...	...	..	1,314
4,147	...	136	...	4,283	150	...	1,323	1,323	5,756	...	...	...	857	...	...	...	857
5,401	.	5,028	...	10,429	28,024	39	4,267	4,306	42,759	..	...	...	5,070		...	.	5,070
...	...	.	...	..	...	...	775	775	775	...	...	900	903	...	4	4	1,807
...	...	1,283	28	1,311	51	...	1,095	1,095	2,457	...	...	..	2,858	...	382	382	3,250
...	...	861	...	861	72	...	249	249	1,182	...	...	...	200	...	...	...	200
.	..	...	...	...	...	...	987	987	987	..	...	...	1,703	...	18	18	1,721
...	...	2,144	28	2,172	123	..	3,106	3,106	5,401	...	...	900	5,764	...	404	404	7,069
455	...	618	...	1,068	420	...	2,930	2,930	4,317	...	...	...	1,570	...	53	53	1,623
...	...	961	26	1,015	592	.	300	300	2,107	...	...	...	2,884	...	54	54	2,938
...	...	1,159	...	1,159	...	...	472	472	1,631	...	...	...	1,938	3	...	3	1,941
455	..	2,761	26	3,242	1,012	...	3,861	3,861	8,115	...	...	...	6,392	3	107	110	6,502
...	...	730	...	730	140	...	1	1	871	...	...	...	601	...	...	..	600
...	...	668	...	668	105	...	112	112	885	10	...	...	1,748	...	346	346	2,096
...	...	678	...	678	472	...	11	11	1,161	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....
...	...	854	...	854	313	...	188	188	1,355	..	...	...	335	...	...	...	335
...	...	693	...	693	265	...	87	87	1,020	...	...	...	1,350	...	...	...	1,350
...	...	363	...	363	...	...	22	22	385	...	...	...	... ..	...	...	...	.....
...	...	89	...	89	...	...	...	...	89	...	...	...	400	...	...	...	400
.	...	3,980	...	3,980	1,295	...	371	371	5,656	10	.	...	4,427	...	346	346	4,783
...	...	724	...	724	460	...	207	207	1,391	6	...	...	7,429	...	...	...	7,435
...	...	739	...	739	649	.	46	46	1,434	...	...	...	3,610	...	27	27	3,637
...	...	691	...	691	667	...	7	7	1,355	18	..	...	4,167	...	0	9	4,191
...	...	1,452	...	1,452	28	.	126	126	1,606	...	0	...	546	...	156	156	708
...		3,596	...	3,596	1,804	..	386	386	5,786	24	0	...	15,751	...	180	189	15,971
...	...	1,368	92	1,460	352	...	279	279	2,091	...	...	...	1,504	...	32	32	1,536
...	...	85	...	85	600		63	63	748	...	...	...	1,614	...	108	108	1,722
...	...	491	...	491	119	...	50	50	660	...	..	...	313	...	...	...	343
...	...	1,944	92	2,036	1,071	...	392	392	3,499	...	...	...	3,461	...	140	140	3,601
...	...	186	...	186	...	...	113	113	299	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	614	4	618	580	...	201	201	1,399	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	340	...	340	391	..	61	61	732	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
...	...	442	...	442	...	...	365	365	807	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
.	.	1,582	4	1,586	1,201	..	740	740	3,537	...		.	...	...	...	...	..
6,264	.	23,956	150	40,370	36,585	39	18,873	18,912	95,867	141	0	919	48,924	3	1,365	1,368	51,168
7,124	.	32,342	134	39,600	22,815	16	18,723	18,739	61,152	1,383	465	131	45,035	25	2,735	2,760	49,074

XXI.—SCIENTIFIC AND OTHER MINOR DEPARTMENTS.									XXII—RECEIPTS IN AID OF SUPERANNUATION AND COMPASSIONATE ALLOWANCES.	XXIII.—Stationery and Printing.	XXV.—MISCELLANEOUS.					XXVI.—RAILWAYS.	XXX.—IRRIGATION—MINOR WORKS AND NAVIGATION.
Botanical and other Public Garden Receipts.	Veterinary Receipts.	Receipts on account of experimental Cultivation.	Public Exhibitions and Fairs.				Miscellaneous.	Total.	Contributions for Pensions and Gratuities.		Sale of old Stores and Materials.	Rents.			Miscellaneous, including Fees, Fines and Forfeitures, &c.	Total.	Local Canal Receipts.
			Horse Fairs.	Cattle Fairs.	Other Exhibitions or Fairs.	Total.						Sale and Rents of Naual Lands and buildings.	Rent of Land.	Total.			Gross Receipts.
39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
...	360	...	...	...	...	...	...	360	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,296	4,296	...	...
...	60	1,060	...	...	...	...	...	1,120	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,342	1,342	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	16	...	...	...	813	829	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	...	719	719	8,742	9,508	...	...
...	130	...	...	...	...	...	...	130	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,008	6,138	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,227	32,227	...	...
...	550	1,060	...	...	...	...	...	1,610	...	1	63	...	719	719	53,428	54,210	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	3,000	3,000	42	3,042	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,321	3,321	...	18
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,866	1,866	2,766	4,632	...	...
...	195	...	...	...	49	49	...	244	...	...	...	...	256	256	2,243	2,499	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	1,347	1,370	...	636
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	...	74	74	3,539	3,646	...	...
...	195	...	...	...	3,049	3,049	42	3,286	...	...	56	...	2,196	2,196	13,216	15,468	...	671
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	...	...	...	1,281	1,326	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	866	866	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	74	...	...	...	1,997	2,071	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	4,404	4,411	...	...
...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	...	58	...	160	160	721	960	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	2,969	2,973	...	...
...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	...	188	...	160	160	11,738	12,086	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	1,353	1,353	...	1,353	...	...	376	...	...	...	4,549	4,925	...	...
...	2,000	...	...	...	31	31	...	2,031	...	84	211	...	...	...	3,116	3,327	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	2,588	2,598	...	...
...	90	...	...	...	...	...	...	90	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,051	6,051	...	...
...	2,090	...	...	...	1,384	1,384	...	3,474	...	84	597	...	...	...	16,304	16,901	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	199	...	659	659	4,556	5,414	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	...	130	130	2,537	2,714	...	...
...	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	155	...	...	3	...	2,414	2,414	5,403	7,820	...	17,434
...	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	155	...	...	249	...	3,203	3,203	12,496	15,948	...	17,434
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	185	185	...	...	455	...	1,236	1,236	5,931	7,632	...	...
...	200	...	...	...	27	27	...	227	...	541	485	1,800	510	2,310	11,119	13,914	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,237	...	73	73	7,923	17,233	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	1,131	1,131	...	1,131	...	...	710	...	2,372	2,372	11,361	14,443	...	...
...	371	...	...	...	...	...	...	371	...	...	29	...	...	...	403	432	...	...
...	277	...	...	...	...	...	...	277	...	341	261	...	...	...	14,143	14,404	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	42	...	42	8,591	8,655	...	...
...	908	...	...	...	1,158	1,158	185	2,251	...	882	11,305	1,846	4,191	6,037	59,471	76,713	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	207	...	...	...	6,717	6,924	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	...	...	...	2,338	2,398	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	2,525	2,543	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78	...	3	3	690	771	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	371	...	3	3	12,160	12,534	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	50	...	...	15	...	...	...	1,872	1,887	...	...
...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	1,353	1,353	1,975	3,327	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1,002	1,002	...	...
...	4	...	...	...	...	...	50	54	...	3	15	...	1,353	1,353	4,849	6,216	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	142	...	...	...	1,327	1,469	...	...
...	471	...	...	...	...	...	...	471	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,028	1,028	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	673	713	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	505	505	...	...
...	471	...	...	...	...	...	...	471	...	...	182	...	...	...	3,527	3,709	...	...
...	4,894	1,060	...	...	5,591	5,591	277	11,822	...	770	12,926	1,846	11,824	13,670	1,87,189	2,13,785	...	13,105
...	1,139	...	89	...	7,470	7,559	127	8,825	...	923	3,813	...	6,977	6,977	1,98,996	2,09,776	...	16,607

No. II.

in Bengal during the year ending the 31st March 1903.

XXXII.—CIVIL WORKS. In charge of Civil Officers. Tolls on Ferries.	Rent of Buildings and Lands.	Fees from Staging Houses.	Serai Fees.	Sale of Buildings and other Property (other than Nazul).	Sale-proceeds of Stores and Materials.	Miscellaneous.	Contributions.	Sale-proceeds of Trees, Grass, &c.	Total.	In charge of Public Works Officers.	Total.	CONTRIBUTION. From Provincial to Local.	From other Boards.	From Local to Local.	Total.	DEBT. Loans.	Deposits and Advances.	Total.	Total Income, excluding Opening Balance.	Total Income, including Opening Balance.	Incidence of Taxation per head of Population.	Incidence of Income (excluding Balance) per head of Population.	REMARKS.
58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	A. P.	A. P.	
9,991	297	900	...	47	...	183	21,888	58	33,404	...	33,404	29,246	...	1,167	29,413	...	1,29,418	1,29,418	3,85,177	4,82,439	1 11	4 3	
1,689	...	439	...	...	...	57	14,689	114	16,388	...	16,388	18,013	...	...	18,013	...	40,812	40,512	1,53,904	1,90,597	1 3	2 9	
842	2	28	...	...	...	414	8,671	35	9,992	...	9,992	28,216	...	..	28,216	...	31,930	31,934	1,23,589	1,53,949	0 8	1 10	
19,579	...	108	...	...	...	512	60,570	65	80,834	...	80,834	32,189	...	2,441	34,630	...	6,388	6,388	3,24,131	3,52,020	1 0	1 11	
4,449	843	...	...	...	...	59	19,703	124	25,268	..	25,268	26,709	...		26,709	...	1,19,454	1,10,459	2,64,448	3,27,906	1 4	4 7	
6,194	49	18	...	...	3	150	17,390	21	23,730	...	23,730	10,646	...	1,933	12,579	..	2,408	2,408	1,14,941	1,24,111	0 11	2 5	
42,144	1,191	1,548	...	47	3	1,376	1,42,911	397	1 89,616	...	1,89,616	1,39,109	..	5,541	1,44,650	...	3,30,424	3,30,424	13,66,098	16,60,921	1 8	2 3	
24,414	945	...	...	...	18	18	41,868	690	67,948	...	67,048	22,815	...	...	22,815	...	1,23,821	1,23,821	3,97,831	4,46,707	1 5	2 1	
3,564	...	200	...	...	...	...	37,073	1,280	42,129	...	42,129	1,904	...	...	1,904	...	7,759	7,759	1,68,084	2,30,074	0 8	1 0	
9,807	...	45	.	...	...	279	25,332	1,249	36,712	...	36,712	1,145	.	...	1,145	...	12,365	12,365	1,31,273	1,74,062	0 9	1 7	
11,091	279	...	...	...	...	1,096	14,174	314	27,554	...	27,554	5,626	730	...	6,356	...	51,801	51,801	2,07,666	2,45,444	0 9	1 9	
10,018	...	29	...	16	..	3	12,590	...	22,656	...	22,656	20,716	...	...	20,716	...	8,690	8,690	1,23,140	1,59,082	0 10	1 6	
59,404	1,224	280	...	16	18	1,391	1,31,037	3,539	1,96,999	..	1,96,999	52,206	730	.	52,936	..	2,04,436	2,04,436	10,28,005	12,55,359	0 11	2 0	
14,196	...	356	...	...	...	106	23,634	1,356	39,640	...	39,640	3,163	...	...	3,163	...	10,836	10,836	1,64,007	2,14,582	0 11	1 2	
4,782	...	...	...	...	...	213	18,961	36	23,992	...	23,992	8,673	450	...	9,123	...	36,802	36,802	1,77,345	2,62,610	0 9	1 9	
16,802	300	602	...	...	...	...	26,705	254	44,903	...	44,903	..	...	...	...	...	6,587	6,587	1,40,431	1,60,192	1 3	2 10	
49,782	73	518	...	...	...	...	91,587	145	1,42,105	...	1,42,105	4,697	...	..	4,697	...	3,489	3,489	3,13,155	3,25,964	0 11	2 4	
862	6	...	...	...	...	...	23,837	55	24,760	...	24,760	441	...	..	441	...	20,353	20,353	1,14,436	1,56,881	0 11	2 2	
10,025	100	480	...	...	...	61	12,350	43	23,068	...	23,068	5,334	...	241	5,575	...	19,208	19,208	1,23,979	1,51,085	0 7	1 5	
96,538	479	2,055	...	...	...	382	1,97,134	1,889	2,98,477		2,98,477	22,308	450	241	22,999	...	97,175	97,175	10,33,353	12,70,774	0 10	2 0	
27 586	81	15	...	229	...	150	21,040	195	49,896	...	49,896	35,603	...	...	35,603	...	6,094	6,094	1,82,941	2,39,217	0 6	1 2	
31 019	8	...	...	...	...	182	51,275		83,384	-	83,384	7,831	...	...	7,830	...	1,00,036	1,00,036	4,47,200	5,85,253	0 10	1 10	
2,567	52	50	...	...	...	181	47,647	44	50,481	...	50,481	19,676	...	...	19,676	...	41,034	41,034	1,54,410	2,69,739	0 6	1 6	
7,502	..	520	...	...	...	46	35,956	83	44,116	...	44,116	21,293	...	...	21,293	..	1,28,167	1,28,167	4,30,790	5,05,302	1 7	2 0	
69,564	141	594	...	229	...	509	1,56,518	322	2,27,877	...	2,27,877	84,402	...	...	84,402	...	2,75,331	2,75,331	13,46,341	15,99,411	0 10	1 10	
8,195	...	...	...	...	...	164	39,844	174	48,377	...	48,377	27,799	...	...	27,799	...	94,395	94,395	3,04,544	3,67,026	0 10	2 3	
12,343	...	169	...	...		...	15,892	78	31,483	...	31,483	10,926	...	410	11,336	...	44,090	44,090	1,73,432	2,12,511	1 3	2 2	
20,423	...	28	..	67	...	885	36,617	123	58,143	...	58,143	7,283	...	...	7,283	...	23,683	23,683	2,05,209	2,32,408	0 11	2 5	
40,961	...	197	...	67	..	1,049	95,384	375	1,38,003	..	1,38,003	46,008	...	410	46,418	...	1,62,168	1,62,168	6,83,185	8,12,865	0 11	2 4	
16,708	...	1,739	...	...	...	...	34,084	2,160	54,685	...	54,685	1,898	...	...	1,898	...	14,771	14,771	3,12,512	3,16,749	2 4	3 6	
675	...	1,716	...	...	...	102	37,261	154	39,908	...	39,908	17,432	...	...	17,492	...	2,827	2,827	3,10,408	3,72,221	1 9	2 5	
6,235	2	302	...	...	...	182	33,497	1,068	41,376	...	41,376	9,400	...	...	9,400	...	16,317	16,317	2,77,678	3,61,362	1 7	2 4	
12,316	638	814	24	...	...	90	29,982	178	44,042	...	44,042	9,714	...	...	9,014	.	23,837	23,837	2,61,945	3,41,501	1 1	1 9	
10,075	...	486	...	...	...	154	43,813	137	54,665	...	54,665	3,028	...	...	3,028	...	12,507	12,507	1,68,281	2,03,264	0 9	1 6	
39,377	906	756	...	..	...	232	47,973	636	89,859	...	89,859	8,198	...	...	8,198	...	6,520	6,520	3,24,741	3,99,450	1 1	1 11	
22,808	840	1,061	...	...	..	551	31,303	..	69,561	...	69,561	15,037	...	...	15,637	...	32,525	32,525	3,64,588	4,95,572	1 3	2 0	
1,18,186	2,386	6,974	24	...	...	1,311	2,60,912	4,333	3,94,126	...	3,94,126	64,595	...	...	64,595	...	1,09,304	1,09,304	20,20,148	24,92,256	1 4	2 2	
37,393	490	...	...	...	...	...	66,637	1,042	1,05,562	...	1,05,562	3,150	..	...	3,150	...	75,049	75,049	3,77,227	4,10,281	1 2	2 11	
10,165	1,481	737	...	15	...	361	17,782	219	30,760	..	30,760	4,912	...	...	4,912	...	11,384	11,384	2,23,614	2,49,946	1 1	1 9	
232	25	17	...	...	...	41	25,370	39	25,725		25,725	14,679	...	...	14,679	...	8,794	8,794	2,15,224	2,53,319	0 11	1 10	
7,902	40	5	...	...	1	12	37,402	139	45,591	..	45,591	3,010	...	...	3,010	...	70,975	70,975	1,69,625	1,83,451	0 7	2 1	
55,692	2,037	759	...	15	1	414	1,47,281	1,439	2,07,638	...	2,07,638	25,751	...	...	25,751	...	1,66,182	1,66,182	9,85,700	10,97,047	1 0	2 3	
8,187	812	21	...	...	...	1,004	36,132	82	46,229	...	46,229	30,348	...	...	30,348	...	588	588	1,42,432	1,42,950	0 5	1 3	
6,341	..	...	...	...	...	972	23,432		30,647	...	30,647	19,158	...	...	19,158	...	3,513	3,513	96,450	1,04,446	0 6	1 6	
826	36	...	...	...	..	234	32,751	22	33,869	...	33,869	13,944	...	...	13,944	...	2,975	2,975	83,849	1,02,210	0 5	1 3	
15,356	848	21	...	...	...	2,210	92,306	104	1,10,745	...	1,10,745	63,450	...	...	63,450	...	7,076	7,076	3,22,731	3,49,606	0 5	1 4	
1,666	...	160	96	.	...	844	11,831	20	14,623	...	14,623	20,707	...	...	20,707	...	3,692	3,692	93,757	1,05,876	0 8	1 8	
	...	165	1,065	...	...	[illegible]	28,321	22	29,961	...	29,961	26,590	...	...	26,590	...	11,337	11,337	1,32,044	1,45,337	0 10	1 10	
420	...	281	...	...	...	1	17,580	...	18,232	...	18,232	13,375	...	...	13,375	...	40,803	40,803	1,18,238	1,61,892	0 9	2 1	
679	...	480	...	...	...	85	66,781	58	68,033	...	68,033	25,818	...	...	25,818	...	14,914	14,914	1,88,747	1,91,407	0 10	2 1	
2,765	...	1,042	1,161	.	...	1,313	1,24,463	100	1,30,849	..	1,30,849	86,490	...	...	86,490	..	79,646	79,646	5,32,816	6,04,602	0 9	2 0	
[illegible]	6,306	18,479	1,185	374	22	9,050	13,47,917	12,497	18,94,330	...	18,94,330	5,84,319	1,180	6,192	5,91,691	...	14,31,749	14,31,746	92,17,377	1,11,42,811	1 2	2 1	
[illegible]	6,802	12,483	799	2,187	873	11,375	7,09,247	9,873	12,28,333	...	12,23,333	3,51,840	1,880	11,492	3,65,188	...	11,08,132	11,08,132	80,65,057	1,02,34,694	0 11	1 10	

FORM

Statement showing the Expenditure of the District Boards

Serial No.	Name of District Board.	Closing Balance of last year.	Total Income during the year.	1.—Refunds and Drawbacks.	15.—Post Office.			18.—Administration.				20.—Police.				21.—Marine.	22.—Education.	
								General Establishments of Local Funds.				Cattle-pound Charges.						
				Local Rate Refunds.	District Post Establishments.	Mail Cart Service.	Total.	Office Establishment.	Office Contingencies, including Stationery purchased in the country.	Payment of Establishments for Offices of Accounts, Control, and Audit.	Total.	Establishments.	Contingencies.	Refunds of Cattle-pound Collections.	Total.	Subsidy to Steam-boat Companies.	Grants to University.	Inspection.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Burdwan Division.	Rs.	Rs.					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs
1	Burdwan	97,262	3,85,177	.....	...	...	...	7,876	1,632	1,322	10,830	376	60	76	512	.....	...	10,526
2	Birbhum	36,733	1,53,964	.....	...	...	...	3,276	1,143	634	5,053	654	39	...	693	.....	...	5,715
3	Bankura	30,320	1,23,899	.....	...	...	...	2,800	1,437	400	4,637	...	358	...	358	.....	...	6,140
4	Midnapore ...	57,889	3,24,131	.....	...	...	...	5,987	2,448	1,669	10,104	223	283	...	506	.....	...	15,961
5	Hooghly	63,457	2,64,446	.....	...	...	...	4,936	1,494	1,742	7,122	...	62	...	62	.....	...	7,878
6	Howrah	9,162	1,14,949	.....	...	...	...	3,543	1,790	631	5,964	194	53	...	247	.....	...	3,866
	Total ...	2,94,823	13,66,096	.....	...	...	...	27,618	9,004	6,237	43,709	1,147	855	76	2,378	.....	...	50,126
	Presidency Division.																	
7	24-Parganas ...	58,874	3,87,838	.....	...	...	...	5,946	2,618	1,280	9,879	600	8	...	608	.. ...	...	13,958
8	Nadia	61,990	1,68,084	.....	...	...	...	3,973	2,132	873	7,028	...	1,023	7	1,030	.....	...	6,605
9	Murshidabad ...	42,779	1,81,272	.....	...	...	...	2,270	1,969	703	4,958	20	584	99	803	.....	...	4,202
10	Jessore	37,778	2,07,006	.....	...	...	...	6,370	1,577	1,028	8,978	...	803	69	872	.....	...	6,868
11	Khulna	25,933	1,33,149	.....	...	...	...	3,454	1,576	433	5,463	.	99	...	99	.. ..	...	4,978
	Total ...	2,27,354	10,28,005	.....	...	...	...	21,022	10,057	4,516	35,595	620	2,317	175	3,112	.....	...	35,406
	Rajshahi Division.																	
12	Rajshahi	59,515	1,64,007	.....	...	.	...	4,221	1,319	902	5,442	308	503	72	978	.....	.	5,008
13	Dinajpur	65,265	1,77,345	.....	...	...	...	3,003	1,490	877	5,370	73	69	...	141	...	..	4,779
14	Jalpaiguri ..	19,761	1,40,431	.....	...	...	...	2,711	1,587	849	5,147	...	431	...	431	. ...	...	6,013
15	Rangpur	12,829	8,13,155	.....	..	..	...	7,201	3,650	1,595	12,246	...	147	..	147	.. ...	.	3,390
16	Bogra	41,045	1,14,436	.....	...	...	...	1,551	487	418	2,456	...	29	6	35	.....	...	5,094
17	Pabna	27,106	1,23,979	.....	...	...	...	3,417	1,289	667	5,373	399	170	67	636	4,011	..	
	Total	2,27,421	10 33,353	.	...	.	...	21,104	9,753	5,108	35,964	979	1,444	145	2,568	4,011	...	35,080
	Dacca Division.																	
18	Dacca	56,276	1,83,941	.....	...	...	...	5,259	3,727	881	9,867	91	91	..	182	...	...	10,344
19	Mymensingh ...	1,36,063	4,47,200	.....	...	...	...	9,494	3,238	2,260	14,992	375	2,649	34	3,058	... .	...	13,400
20	Faridpur	85,329	1,94,410	... ..	...	...	...	3,815	2,168	610	6,593	214	324	...	538	.....	..	8,628
21	Backergunge ..	74,418	4,80,790	.....	...	...	...	6,339	1,941	1,863	10,143	11	247	...	258	.. .	...	12,137
	Total ...	3,54,070	12,45,341	.....	...	...	..	24,907	11,004	5,584	41,595	691	3,311	34	4,036	.....	..	45,157
	Chittagong Division.																	
22	Tippera ...	63,392	3,04,544	.....	...	...	...	5,084	945	1,060	7,089	1,015	679	160	1,848	1,860	...	10,146
23	Noakhali ..	39,079	1,73,433	....	...	...	...	3,998	1,007	760	5,765	431	91	5	527	2,130	...	7,603
24	Chittagong ...	37,199	3,07,209	.....	..	...	..	3,164	3,845	976	7,985	...	207		207	.....	..	7,578
	Total ...	1,29,670	6,88,185	.....	...	...	...	12,246	5,797	2,796	21,439	1,446	977	165	2,582	3,990	...	25,327
	Patna Division.																	
25	Patna	6,226	3,12,512	.....	...	...	...	5,757	2,897	1,880	10,534	.	202	.	202	.....	...	8,466
26	Gaya	61,918	3,10,408	.....	...	...	...	10,559	2,319	1,756	14,634	16	1,555	306	1,877	.....	.	8,948
27	Shahabad ...	83,895	2,77,073	.....	...	...	...	6,191	2,210	1,588	9,795	600	144	1,285	1,979	.....	...	7,261
28	Saran	79,556	2,61,945	.....	...	..	...	7,858	3,904	1,531	12,293	136	582	2	670	.....	...	6,471
29	Champaran ...	35,003	1,68,281	.....	..	.	...	3,145	1,141	818	5,104	..	21	...	21	...	...	7,163
30	Muzaffarpur ...	74,709	3,24,741	.....	...	...	...	5,788	1,460	1,844	9,092	...	144	235	379	.....	...	6,694
31	Darbhanga ..	1,30,084	3,64,589	... ..	..	...		5,134	1,460	2,055	9,873	...	51		306	.....	...	
	Total ...	4,72,088	20,20,148	.		..	...	44,482	15,495	11,818	71,295	762	2,719	1,818	5,889	.		49,226
	Bhagalpur Division.																	
32	Monghyr	33,054	3,77,237			...	...	4,952	2,261	1,563	8,776	188	773	7	917	. ...	..	7,201
33	Bhagalpur	26,352	2,23,614	. .	...	...		4,803	2,326	1,341	8,270	34	35		83	...	...	6,987
34	Purnea ..	58,085	2,15,224	...	...	...	.	4,367	1,933	1,034	7, 34	...	272	70	342		...	7,351
35	Maida ...	13,816	1,67,688	...	...	...	...	2,536	933	453	3,901	63	513	10	648	997	.	5,988
	Total ...	1,11,247	9,85,700		...	...	...	16,218	7,453	4,410	28,291	285	1,612	85	1,990	997		25,527
	Orissa Division.																	
36	Cuttack	518	1,43,432	..		...		3,830	1,841	478	5,849	710	415	6	1,131	...	.	10,486
37	Balasore	7,991	96,450	.....	...	..	...	2,824	1,909	840	4,583	183	452	.	635	... ..	..	7,545
38	Puri	18,351	83,849	....	...	...	...	2,177	280	332	2,649	34	113	...	135	.....	...	5,000
	Total ...	26,875	3,23,731	..	..	.	...	8,831	3,190	1,650	13,071	915	980	6	1,901	.....	..	22,486
	Chota Nagpur Division.																	
39	Hazaribagh ...	12,089	83,787	.....	...	...	...	1,532	662	414	2,608	..	..	7	7	. . .	...	6,260
40	Ranchi	12,293	1,52,044	. ...	.	...	...	1,425	1,451	311	3,187	143	110	13	275	.. ...	...	6,065
41	Palamau	43,654	1,15,268	...	...	...	...	952	869	814	2,135	...	14		14	... .	...	3,396
42	Manbhum ...	2,750	1,48,747	.. ..	...	..	..	1,234	895	449	2,578	.	..	...	...	... ...	...	5,030
	Total ..	71,786	5,32,846	.....	...		..	5,143	3,877	1,488	9,908	143	131	20	296	.	...	21 829
4	Grand Total for 1902-1903.	19,25,434	92,17,377	.		...	...	1,81,771	76,859	42,837	3,00,057	7,248	14,372	2,532	24,152	9,988		3,10,270
	Total for 1901-1902	21,09,687	90,66,957		...	..	...	1,76,975	74,461	42,908	2,94,344	8,245	15,327	1,307	24,879	9,886	.	3,06,207

22.—EDUCATION—*concluded.*										24.—MEDICAL.									
MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT.										General Medical Establishment.	HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES.			SANITATION AND VACCINATION.			MEDICAL SCHOOLS.		
Training and Special Schools.	High Schools.	Middle Schools.	Primary Schools.	Total.	Grants-in-aid.	Scholarships.	Miscellaneous.	Refunds.	Total.		Ordinary Expenditure.	Female Medical Treatment.	Total.	Vaccination Establishment and Charges.	Sanitation Charges.	Total.	Grants-in-aid.	Scholarships.	Total.
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
3,042	...	5,296	...	9,238	42,047	706	242	...	63,713	...	7,481	300	7,781	...	11	11	...	...	...
...	...	2,260	...	2,260	18,757	516	924	...	28,172	...	1,463	432	2,395	30	...	30	...	...	...
...	...	2,424	...	2,424	27,942	878	1,303	...	38,756	...	2,806	300	3,106	150	44	194	...	80	80
...	...	6,319	...	6,319	25,940	683	4,157	...	53,100	1,747	2,375	...	2,375	...	317	317	...	...	...
...	...	1,853	...	1,853	33,597	576	1,283	...	45,182	...	3,228	1,300	4,528	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	1,046	...	1,046	17,252	642	675	...	23,514	...	5,232	...	5,232	...	367	367	...	...	...
3,042	...	19,198	...	23,140	1,66,435	4,056	8,684	...	2,52,437	1,747	24,085	2,332	25,417	180	739	919	...	80	80
...	...	1,725	...	1,725	42,758	608	3,842	41	62,029	...	4,813	...	4,813	...	...	...	...	60	60
...	...	2,045	...	2,045	31,174	381	976	...	41,181	...	1,760	...	1,760	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	19,872	405	960	...	25,490	3,330	...	...	...	68	...	68	...	...	...
190	...	...	...	190	30,632	49	5,602	122	43,940	...	8,255	600	8,855	...	169	169	...	5	5
...	...	979	20,189	21,168	8,486	586	1,085	...	30,973	...	6,378	...	6,378	...	98	98	...	...	...
190	...	4,749	20,189	25,128	1,32,922	2,489	12,525	163	2,08,631	3,330	21,206	600	21,806	68	267	335	...	65	65
2,773	...	1,357	...	4,130	24,838	1,083	828	...	35,962	...	8,511	...	8,511	47	1,248	1,295	...	...	...
...	...	3,765	...	3,765	24,937	488	1,225	...	30,761	...	2,035	600	2,635	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	1,131	...	1,131	14,582	458	1,102	...	22,052	...	1,535	165	1,700	...	...	...	...	...	...
5,785	...	2,749	...	8,534	42,044	948	1,780	...	61,288	2,174	7,861	...	7,861	...	614	614	...	...	...
...	...	3,583	10,739	14,322	2,163	549	763	...	21,187	...	4,193	...	4,193	...	...	...	...	15	15
7,727	...	340	...	8,067	22,940	367	887	...	37,335	...	3,458	805	4,263	...	...	...	...	...	...
16,285	...	12,925	10,739	39,949	1,31,549	3,895	6,585	...	2,17,605	2,174	27,595	1,573	29,169	47	1,862	1,909	...	15	15
...	...	...	...	...	40,935	608	2,933	...	60,720	646	5,940	...	5,940	198	...	198	...	...	...
3,019	...	2,733	564	6,316	60,460	1,503	1,236	...	82,995	255	13,180	1,363	14,543	...	...	...	...	147	147
...	...	1,828	...	1,888	34,063	347	945	...	45,769	...	10,540	...	10,540	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	40,106	597	5,634	...	59,264	...	34,367	...	34,367	...	...	...	...	80	80
3,019	...	4,021	564	8,204	1,81,564	3,055	10,768	...	2,48,748	901	64,033	1,363	65,396	198	...	198	...	227	227
6,371	...	1,155	...	7,526	45,455	1,430	1,504	160	66,319	6,688	8,986	900	8,986	...	...	...	...	45	45
...	...	2,606	634	3,240	28,022	1,116	230	...	40,811	5,858	5,137	...	5,137	...	...	...	...	120	120
...	...	2,053	425	3,078	27,660	640	158	...	39,093	2,800	12,468	1,660	14,058	1,445	...	1,445	...	...	...
6,371	...	6,414	1,059	13,844	1,01,737	3,196	1,892	160	1,46,193	15,341	25,681	2,500	28,181	1,445	...	1,445	...	165	165
...	...	3,240	...	3,240	20,438	1,514	245	...	42,932	...	12,101	...	12,101	...	6,028	6,028	175	...	175
...	...	2,152	195	2,347	30,683	1,087	2,084	...	44,351	7,282	22,627	1,020	23,647	608	3,861	4,469	...	...	...
...	...	2,210	21,030	23,240	1,077	1,064	322	...	32,485	784	5,466	...	5,466	100	1,450	1,550	...	71	71
...	...	4,584	...	4,584	28,780	1,149	1,970	...	43,093	...	8,981	563	9,544	...	49	49	...	...	...
455	...	2,117	22,463	25,035	616	502	1,239	...	32,863	...	6,226	...	6,226	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	1,802	36,845	38,647	935	909	3,203	...	50,857	...	5,396	...	5,396	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	395	31,708	32,103	671	455	1,683	...	41,577	...	912	295	1,207	60	...	60	...	110	110
455	...	16,500	1,12,301	1,29,256	91,910	7,226	10,746	...	2,88,158	8,066	61,709	1,878	63,587	768	11,388	12,156	175	181	356
...	1,200	2,538	32,971	37,709	1,238	995	1,876	...	43,017	14,796	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	3,497	27,248	30,445	458	951	1,703	...	40,494	...	8,549	...	8,549	...	60	60	...	...	...
...	...	2,226	23,105	25,331	219	328	1,010	...	34,119	...	9,964	...	9,964	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	2,104	..	2,104	16,816	404	721	...	24,013	...	5,289	413	5,702	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	1,200	11,065	83,324	95,589	18,731	2,676	5,310	...	1,47,643	14,796	28,802	413	24,215	...	60	60	...	...	...
...	...	3,578	426	4,024	39,560	1,706	4,359	...	60,118	...	4,576	...	4,576	409	953	1,452	...	100	100
...	...	716	...	716	18,319	668	1,701	...	28,962	...	8,779	...	8,779	139	405	544	...	...	...
...	...	3,022	...	3,022	14,082	843	2,307	...	24,940	...	5,771	...	5,771	1,654	425	2,079	...	...	...
..	...	7,316	126	7,762	71,951	3,181	8,469	...	1,13,990	...	19,126	...	19,126	2,202	1,783	4,085	...	100	100
236	...	1,024	22,004	23,284	1,270	471	2,247	...	33,522	...	1,700	...	1,700	...	132	132	...	...	...
...	...	3,515	54	3,549	21,836	201	1,110	...	33,940	...	1,357	...	1,357	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	1,579	...	1,579	13,166	155	1,923	...	20,187	...	2,210	...	2,210	80	...	80	...	...	...
...	...	1,348	...	1,348	28,045	52	1,032	...	36,882	...	1,079	...	1,079	...	...	...	...	...	...
236	...	7,466	22,058	29,760	64,317	1,352	7,782	...	1,24,540	...	6,946	...	6,946	80	132	212	...	...	...
30,488	1,200	90,274	2,30,940	3,72,902	9,00,786	31,113	72,842	332	17,47,915	46,35	2,73,184	10,658	2,83,842	5,088	16,237	21,325	175	885	1,060
30,488	1,200	88,882	1,75,578	4,97,250	6,39,804	38,04	51,347	375	13,34,426	26,110	5,62,174	8,468	2,70,858	3,928	35,728	39,656	1,600	1,626	3,226

24.—MEDICAL—*concld.*				26.—SCIENTIFIC AND OTHER MINOR DEPARTMENTS.										29.—SUPERANNUATION ALLOWANCES AND PENSIONS.		30.—STATIONERY AND PRINTING.			
					Public Exhibitions and Fairs.														
Lunatic Asylum.	Refunds.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Experimental Cultivation.	Horse Fairs.	Cattle Fairs.	Other Exhibitions or Fairs	Total.	Veterinary Charges.	Bull and Stallion Charges.	Botanical and other Public Gardens.	Provincial Statistics.	Total.	Pension and Provident Fund Contributions.	Gratuities.	Stationery purchased from Central Stores.	Printing.	Lithography.	Total.
40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	.	...	7,792	...	...	...	..	.	...	1,129	...	...	1,129	686	...	...	973	...	973
...	...	684	3,100	1,768	...	300	476	776	1,806	300	...	...	4,650	415	...	...	139	...	139
..	...		3,380	...	.	...	...		1,104	...	...	...	1,104	...	...	..	814	...	814
...	...	..	4,412	...	...	...	...	...	771	...	...	...	771	...	...	..	1,644	32	1,676
...	...	149	4,677	...	...	...	37	37	968	...	..	...	1,005	...	...	...	847	...	847
...	...	...	5,599		...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	.	197		..	371	...	371
...		833	28,996	1,768	...	300	513	813	4,644	1,437	...	...	6,859	1,298	...		4,796	32	4,890
...	...	...	4,873	...	...	...	2,964	2,964	60	...	...	..	3,044	447	...	...	1,136	...	1,136
...	...	1,104	2,884	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	..	2,732	...	..	...	...	.....
...	...	...	3,398	...	...	...	...	...	789	...	...	...	789	...	...	.	884	...	884
...	...	...	9,020	...	...	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	4,204	...	56	1,821	...	1,877
..	...	...	6,476	...	...	...	850	850	58	...	...	..	908	...	...	...	810	...	810
..	...	1,104	26,640	...	...	...	3,834	3,834	907	...	...		4,741	7,383	...	56	4,157	...	4,213
...	...	...	2,806	...	...	...	...	...	586	...	...	...	586	...	...	...	436	...	436
...	...	...	2,633	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	408	...	...	792	...	792
...	...	175	1,875	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	661	...	..	990	..	990
...	...	251	10,890	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...		533	...	27	1,630	139	1,805
...	...	...	4,311	478	...	...	...	...	844	...	...	...	1,322	600	...	7	692	...	699
...	...	...	4,266	...	...	...	...	..	861	199	...	...	1,060	...	...	...	555	...	555
	...	406	33,673	478					2,291	199			2,968	2,201		34	5,096	139	5,271
...	...	797	7,581	...	...	...	1,487	1,487	83	...	...	...	1,570	900	78		580	280	880
...	...	1,000	15,945	...	...	...	83	83	809	...	...	...	892	118	...	..	1,979	...	1,979
...	...	...	10,546	...	...	...	...	...	163	...	...	...	163	46	...	41	885	...	926
...	..	...	34,447	...	...	...	...	..	..	693	...	...	693	493	...	...	724	...	724
.	...	1,797	68,519			..	1,570	1,570	1,055	693	...	...	3,318	1,049	78	41	4,088	280	4,509
...	...	.	18,714	...	...	...	...	...	...	694	...	...	694	...	...	...	627	...	627
...	...	285	11,400	...	...	...	...	...	41	...	...	...	41	626	...	...	621	...	621
...	..	. ...	18,303	...	...	...	...	...	1,696	...	...	...	1,696	1,073	...	39	979	..	1,018
...	...	285	48,417	...	...	...	...	..	1,734	694	...	...	2,428	1,699	...	39	2,227	...	2,266
...	...	17,403	35,707	...	...	...	...	...		1,541	...	...	1,541	2,423	...	...	960	...	960
...	...	...	35,588	...	...	...	31	31	1,347	...	...	...	1,378	5,015	36	...	3,774	3	3,777
...	...	...	7,871	...	...	510	...	510	..	...	...	...	510	694	..	...	1,846	...	1,846
...	...	3,649	13,243	...	...	...	5,738	5,738	40	...	...	...	5,778	1,680	18	1,870	..	...	1,870
...	...	43	6,268	...	...	...	...	...	615		...	..	615	. .	...	..	927	...	927
...	...	433	5,884	...	...	...	...	...	2,080	120	...	...	2,200	557		...	1,580	...	1,580
...	...	8,542	9,919	...	,	...	...	...	1,089	...	...	...	1,089	681	25	...	3,238	..	3,238
...	...	30,124	1,14,289	..	...	510	5,769	6,279	5,171	1,661	...	...	13,111	12,060	79	1,870	12,315	3	14,188
...	...	311	15,107	...	...	...	...	...	...	897	...	..	897	1,606	..	..	1,807	...	1,807
...	...	...	8,618	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	877	...	32	901	29	962
...	.	10	9,974	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,061	...	...	1,037	...	1,037
...	...	...	5,702	..	.	.	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	290	...	30	741	...	771
		321	39,401				...	.		897		.	897	3,924		62	4,576	29	4,667
...	...	...	6,128	...	...	...	...	...	...	759	...	...	759	1,733	..	...	410	...	410
...	...	23	9,343	...	...	...	30	30	...	1,194	...	...	1,214	.	234	..	562	...	562
...	...	..	7,860	...	...	...	53	53	...	...	...	...	53	...	...	230	435	...	664
	...	23	23,331	...	...	...	53	53	...	1,953	...	..	2,006	1,733	234	230	1,397	...	1,636
...	...	190	2,022	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	165	...	...	333	...	333
...	...	1,705	5,123	...	...	...	...	...	744			...	744	...	...	...	21	...	21
...	.	...	2,290	...	...	...	...	...	455		...	.	455	...	...	14	410	...	453
...	...	.	1,079	...	...	...	...		...	..	...	...	...	517	..	325	238	...	563
...		1,955	9,115	...	...	...	...	.	1,199	...		..	1,190	682	...	339	1,061	..	1,400
...	...	45,877	3,89,370	2,246	..	810	11,739	12,549	17,006	7,026	...	..	39,327	33,619	391	2,080	39,717	585	44,990
...	...	1,01,799	4,41,939	371	500	450	11,642	12,592	17,248	5,897	...	33	36,136	26,574	217	1,908	36,273	351	38,532

32.—MISCELLANEOUS.							33.—FAMINE RELIEF.			36.—RAILWAYS.	41.—RAILWAYS.	43.—MINOR WORKS & NAVIGATION.	46.—RAILWAYS.	45.—CIVIL WORKS—PUBLIC WORKS.	
Donations for Charitable purposes.	Rewards for the Destruction of Tigers, Wild Animals and Snakes.	Petty Establishment and Charges.	Miscellaneous and Unforeseen Charges.	Miscellaneous Refunds.	Provident Fund Contributions.	Total.	Charitable Relief.	Public Works.	Miscellaneous.	Working Expenses.	Miscellaneous Railway Expenditure.	Local Canal Charges.	Capital Expenditure.	BUILDINGS.	
														Original Works.	Repairs.
60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75
Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.								Rs.	Rs.
...	5	...	175	23	668	871	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,713	155
240	...	...	308	60	380	788	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	173	38
...	...	...	173	...	313	486	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,823	44
...	...	...	550	26	401	977	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	..	1,397	...	451	2,148	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	197	565
...	...	...	1,710	...	367	2,077	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	99	213
240	5		4,513	109	2,460	7,327	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,004	1,015
...	...	...	209	1	724	934	...	...	98	...	...	...	...	5,234	664
...	...	...	...	17,149	288	17,437	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	1,757		200	1,957	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	213	220	498	930	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	372
...	...	..	100	...	408	508	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,688	1,248
...	...	...	2,279	17,379	2,108	21,766	...	...	98	...	...	...	...	6,912	2,284
140	...	...	165	...	375	580	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,923	703
...	...	...	178	...	490	668	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	491
...	...	...	553	...	428	981	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	870
...	...	...	444	220	563	1,227	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	439
...	...	...	...	...	130	130	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,098	532
...	...	...	...	...	314	314	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	191	329
140	...	...	1,340	220	2,300	3,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,171	3,363
...	...	...	464	..	293	756	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,421	196
...	...	...	..	471	459	930	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,951	534
...	...	...	932	...	357	1,289	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,688	841
...	...	...	1,066	...	629	1,695	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	9,591	968
...	...	...	2,462	471	1,727	4,660	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67,651	2,543
...	...	...	2,128	465	421	3,014	...	...	...	...	...	250	...	15,650	925
...	...	...	913	...	326	1,239	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,508	972
...	...	...	593	...	626	1,219	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,708	192
...	...	...	3,634	465	1,377	5,476	...	...	...	...	...	250	...	28,866	1,989
...	...	...	1,040	...	997	2,037	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,909	2,133
...	...	...	...	40	473	513	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	17,660	1,441
...	...	..	24	61	287	372	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,741	269
...	...	...	2,743	...	585	3,328	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,514	1,172
...	...	...	100	...	197	297	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	91
...	...	...	165	27	411	603	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,736	2,410
...	...	...	1,021	...	652	1,673	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	10,184	341
...	...	...	5,093	128	3,903	8,823		...	2	...	...	...	...	43,084	7,847
...	...	...	100	70	548	724	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,708	2,543
...	...	...	149	..	362	511	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,309	202
...	...	..	272	741	499	1,512	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	467	1,052
100	...	...	91	...	224	415	...	...	...	...	...	179	...	...	134
100	...	...	618	811	1,633	3,162	...	..	...	..	...	179	...	8,484	3,931
...	...	...	...	200	322	522	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,806	472
...	162	...	..	...	91	253	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	191
..	...	...	94	...	213	307	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	703
...	162	..	94	200	626	1,082	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,806	1,376
...	...	...	72	23	71	166	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	277
100	...	...	100	...	13	213	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,240	455
...	...	...	50	806	56	1,004	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,881	...
...	...	...	...	144	71	215	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
100	...	...	222	1,065	211	1,598	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,121	732
580	167	...	20,205	20,845	15,944	57,804	...	...	100	...	...	429	...	1,57,178	25,060
940	...	515	33,291	4,705	14,658	53,809	...	3	311	...	...	514	...	2,95,837	65,949

45.—CIVIL WORKS—PUBLIC WORKS—*concluded.*

Communications.		Water-supply and Water-works.		Drainage Works.		Other Works of Improvement.	Establishment and Contingencies appertaining to Public Works.	Staging Bungalows and Serai Establishment and Charges.	Tools and Plant.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
Original Works.	Repairs.	Original Works.	Repairs.	Original Works.	Repairs.						
76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
69,990	1,10,205	2,423	19	...	...	.....	9,807	1,348	1,247	.....	2,00,616
7,445	49,683	5,407	129	...	...	.....	5 755	3,350	79	.....	72,064
20,919	41,536	1,975	160	...	...	.....	10,008	533	247	.....	79,338
45,765	1,03,406	1,268	916	...	...	...	22,666	...	678	.....	1,74,699
9,905	66,078	...	...	...	...	4,300	9,109	...	466	.....	90,650
28,018	25,396	1,614	412	...	...	... ..	8,096	...	200	.. ...	64,048
1,82,048	3,96,303	12,695	1,636	...	...	4,300	65,136	5,237	2,947	.....	6,81,315
22,638	99,015	239	369	708	536	...	11,349	...	102	423	1,41,317
4,679	27,763	1,501	37	...	...	..	11,128	214	105	...	45,467
33,691	32,403	868	134	...	527	1,109	12,557	..	1,061	323	81,363
15,484	44,660	3,757	172	1,300	...	9,959	13,890	400	600	40	90,573
13,548	39,718	60	796	...	...	...	10,390	331	416	...	66,204
89,050	2,43,649	6,524	1,508	1,908	913	11,068	59,144	945	2,443	786	4,27,134
51,791	24,088	1,351	27	...	519	59	10,780	753	316	...	94,378
35,005	36,533	838	8	...	90	...	11,611	...	625	...	84,891
47,448	31,069	1,949	71	...	...	127	19,413	...	1,254	809	1,03,230
89,890	12,801	975	228	...	807	...	23,659	...	1,509	...	1,29,877
39,570	20,417	1,722	81	..	...	887	5,144	...	142	...	71,493
15,652	25,491	1,597	619	...	...	...	8,377	260	417	...	52,933
2,79,065	1,60,169	8,429	1,034		1,416	1,073	75,994	1,013	4,063	809	5,36,591
12,809	27,703	5,916	1,634	...	...	2,818	16,227	...	944	...	97,668
1,42,092	77,240	9,947	3,251	...	...	...	21,976	1,633	735	2	2,74,351
21,012	21,012	8,321	2,053	...	...	275	10,732	...	450	..	74,880
16,597	64,730	6,910	2,442	...	...	121	9,946	...	440	1,928	1,89,539
2,58 917	1,80,685	31,094	10,280	...	...	3,214	58,881	1,633	2,569	1,930	6,36,407
31,011	44,916	8,407	...	973	...	...	6,114	662	657	...	1,12,189
17,359	35,973	314	511	...	104	...	11,574	...	57	...	67,374
21,270	39,013	...	...	...	...	1,631	17,007	...	330	...	1,08,441
69,640	1,37,895	8,721	511	976	104	1,631	34,695	662	1,044	..	2,87,004
29,359	1,01,585	184	70	..	...	...	30,217	1,656	1,307	...	1,69,961
45,302	60,379	226	312	...	...	...	32,764.	1,052	313	916	1,61,945
41,597	55,097	600	12,345	...	...	...	30,400	514	1,754	...	1,77,136
36,196	71,788	2,921	1,947	...	...	...	30,482	3,420	4,217	5,235	1,81,891
38,146	30,214	628	335	...	...	...	21,608	...	366	...	91,389
1,03,718	73,033	4,550	...	...	...	...	29,020	440	1,595	157	2,16,527
20,159	66,353	281	24	...	...	...	32,182	...	1,078	...	1,30,603
3,05,386	4,53,400	9,371	14,913	...	...	...	2,06,721	7,682	9,838	6,288	10,99,451
86,497	76,822	747	3,777	...	...	.....	25,380	...	2,661	.....	2,03,105
35,564	36,850	2,582	6,841	...	...	.....	29,850	990	2,064	923	1,70,081
28,671	68,598	2,615	1,236	...	...	396	23,596	...	593	.....	1,26,698
11,402	18,068	550	...	...	...	.....	5,722	...	168	... ..	33,041
1,62,134	2,47,138	6,794	11,853	...		396	84,508	990	5,906	923	5,33,053
10,185	30,347	1,059	...	...	...	234	10,358	...	760	...	55,151
4,215	12,283	347	...	...	...	...	6,483	...	...	...	25,518
14,363	13,304	2,345	62	...	...	...	6,631	...	440	...	37,917
28,763	55,913	3,751	62	...	.	234	25,472	...	1,200	...	1,18,586
5,470	29,747	913	173	...	...	1,117	7,830	...	95	4	45,686
23,653	26,937	652	25	...	...	...	9,529	347	426	...	67,256
18,926	8,169	445	.	...	...	301	0,211	678	732	...	43,483
64,902	41,378	3,2	...	...	...	...	13,818	...	2,048	...	1,20,188
1,12,951	1,06,231	3,452	201	...	..	1,418	55,578	1,025	3,391	4	2,77,513
14,94,848	20,16,383	59,924	42,018	2,884	2,453	23,534	6,49,490	19,392	33,110	10,740	45,96,854
14,04,416	20,33,884	1,12,735	43,345	1,451	3,523	16,997	6,48,899	13,757	30,270	14,498	46,85,791

No. III.

in Bengal during the year ending 31st March 1903.

CONTRIBUTIONS.			DEBT.			INTEREST ON DEBT.				BALANCE.			
To Provincial.	To other Boards.	Total.	Payment of Loans.	Deposits and Advances.	Total.	On account of last year.	On account of current year.	Total.	Total Expenditure.	Deposits	Actual Balance.	Total.	REMARKS.
88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1,099	...	1,099	...	1,33,735	1,33,735	...	...	...	4,22,856	16,702	42,851	59,553	
930	...	930	...	41,548	41,548	...	...	...	1,58,531	2,985	29,081	32,066	
575	..	575	...	30,463	30,463	...	...	...	1,59,400	9,509	—15,540	—6,031	
2,296	1,809	4,095	...	4,798	4,798	...	...	...	3,55,165	778	1,26,077*	1,26,855	
1,010	..	1,010	...	1,15,433	1,15,433	...	...	...	3,02,126	7,603	52,776	59,779	† Revised figures.
842	1,933	2,775	...	2,903	2,903	...	...	...	1,07,695	1,333	15,183	16,516	
7,552	3,902	11,354	...	3,29,890	3,29,890	...	...	...	13,72,273	38,909	2,50,439	2,88,048	
1,700	..	1,700	...	1,23,408	1,23,408	...	...	...	5,40,439	6,667	89,571	97,238	
1,164	...	1,164	2,120	7,950	10,070	...	385	385	1,20,378	2,614	98,082	1,00,696	
940	...	940	...	14,292	14,292	...	...	...	1,34,778	3,749	36,525	39,274	
1,735	700	2,435	..	52,802	52,802	...	...	...	2,14,944	9,230	20,670	30,899	
848	300	1,148	...	9,593	9,593	...	...	...	1,28,692	2,726	27,673	30,400	
6,386	1,000	7,386	2,120	2,08,045	2,10,165	...	385	385	9,57,251	25,484	2,71,520	2,96,108	
1,133	449	1,582	...	9,122	9,122	...	..	...	1,58,773	914	54,836	55,750	
2,422	...	2,422	13,315	29,630	42,945	...	5,308	5,308	1,85,478	25,103	52,030	77,133	
1,133	...	1,133	...	3,093	3,093	...	...	...	1,39,393	3,189	17,621	20,810	
1,860	...	1,860	...	9,640	9,640	...	...	...	2,39,502	3,198	93,284	96,482	
558	...	558	...	13,853	13,853	...	...	...	1,21,391	512	34,518	35,030	
910	...	910	...	19,984	19,984	...	...	...	1,33,496	1,978	20,611	22,589	
8,032	449	8,481	13,315	90,135	1,03,450	...	5,308	5,308	9,02,981	34,823	2,74,970	3,07,793	
2,134	...	1,134	...	6,737	6,737	...	...	...	1,86,043	2,332	48,842	51,174	
3,013	...	3,013	...	51,187	51,187	...	...	...	4,79,410	51,925	54,198	1,06,823	
813	...	813	...	44,088	44,088	...	...	...	1,85,642	11,330	72,767	84,097	
2,485	...	2,485	...	1,23,577	1,23,577	...	...	...	4,23,299	28,934	52,950	81,904	
7,445	0.	7,445	...	2,55,589	2,55,589	...	...	...	12,76,413	94,141	2,28,957	3,22,098	
1,414	...	1,414	...	79,310	79,310	...	...	...	3,90,868	23,716	53,350	77,066	
2,014	410	1,424	...	37,580	37,580	...	..	...	1,66,562	17,913	26,036	43,949	
1,301	500	1,801	...	23,271	23,271	...	10,616	10,616	2,14,690	4,538	13,180	17,718	
4,729	910	4,639	...	1,40,161	1,40,161	...	10,616	10,616	6,74,120	46,171	92,566	1,38,735	
2,506	...	2,506	...	9,115	9,115	...	...	...	2,72,018	1,949	37,773	39,722	
2,341	...	2,341	...	3,958	3,958	...	...	...	2,74,923	4,203	93,195	97,398	
1,846	...	1,846	...	14,941	14,941	...	...	...	3,49,475	2,332	1,09,541	1,11,893	
2,001	...	2,001	6,261	51,507	57,768	...	507	507	3,74,109	242	67,150	67,342	
1,091	...	1,091	...	12,908	12,908	...	...	...	1,50,563	...	52,701	52,701	
1,536	...	2,836	3,313	5,598	8,911	...	2,796	2,796	3,01,077	4,237	93,536	97,773	
2,779	...	2,779	41,640	40,606	82,052	...	9,045	9,045	2,98,930	4,879	1,97,944	2,02,729	
4,090	...	15,090	51,020	1,17,433	1,68,453	...	12,348	12,348	19,12,635	17,861	6,51,740	6,69,601	
3,443	...	3,443	65,345	21,118	86,463	1,125	1,125	2,250	3,74,107	23,996	12,078	36,074	
1,842	...	1,842	...	10,792	10,792	...	...	...	2,43,036	6,224	1,732	7,956	
1,378	...	1,378	...	7,679	7,679	...	...	...	1,91,849	1,821	59,619	61,470	
576	...	576	...	72,158	72,158	...	...	...	1,48,688	350	40,413	40,763	
7,244	..	7,244	65,345	1,11,747	1,77,092	1,125	1,125	2,250	9,50,780	32,425	1,13,842	1,46,267	
638	...	638	...	1,858	1,858	...	...	...	1,54,227	230	3,273	3,653	
1,534	...	6,534	...	5,833	5,833	...	...	...	93,581	53	20,382	20,885	
309	...	309	...	3,806	3,806	...	...	...	76 660	233	21,317	23,550	
7,471	...	7,471	...	11,497	11,497	...	...	...	2,86,538	1,166	51,924	53,088	
570	...	570	...	5,592	5,592	...	...	...	90,740	1,494	13,642	15,136	
615	...	615	...	10,460	10,460	...	...	...	1,19,622	7,215	17,900	25,115	
480	...	480	...	52,117	54,117	...	...	...	1,22,488	7,220	51,775	58,995	
841	...	842	1,354	11,443	14,797	...	..	...	1,76,501	500	14,497	14,996	
2,256	..	2,256	1,354	78,612	80,966	..	...	...	5,09,351	17,447	77,804	95,251	
6,161	71,398	1,33,154	13,44,109	14,77,263	1,125	29,782	30,907	33,22,342	3,08,811	20,11,058	23,20,400		
13,817	2,34,953	47,650	10,38,016	11,05,666	1,110	21,968	23,078	33,11,738	2,32,263	16,90,703	19,23,966		

FINAL FORECAST OF THE JUTE CROP IN BENGAL FOR THE SEASON 1903.

THE following note is published for general information.

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The 24th September 1903.

DEPARTMENT OF LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Final Forecast of the Jute Crop in Bengal for the Season 1903.

SINCE the issue of the preliminary forecast, Collectors report very great improvement in prospects. The late-sown crops have done well, and 16 districts show a higher estimate, 7 remain the same, and 3 are reduced, the only important reduction being for Rangpur from 80 to 75. Among the increased estimates are:—

Hooghly	...	...	62·5 to 97
Jessore	...	...	65 to 77
Dinajpur	...	...	50 to 85
Bogra	...	...	68 to 78
Pabna	...	...	75 to 85
Mymensingh	...	...	90 to 97
Faridpur	...	...	75 to 86
Tippera	...	...	90 to 100
Purnea	...	...	73 to 100
Noakhali	...	...	60 to 80
Bhagalpur	...	...	84 to 89

The Collectors now return the area sown this year as 2,209,300 acres, as against 2,019,000 in their preliminary report. Mymensingh, Tippera, Nadia, and Malda are responsible for the increase, but chiefly Mymensingh. In this district the Collector only joined his post just before the issue of the preliminary forecast and accepted the figures reported. He has now made detailed inquiries, and I have also toured in this and other important jute-growing districts. We agree in returning the normal area under jute for this district as 705,000 acres instead of 562,100 acres returned in the preliminary forecast, and the area under the crop this year as 650,000 instead of 500,000. As the result of his inquiries he has raised the outturn also from 90 to 97. In my opinion, on the area sown it is fully 100. The other increases in area and in outturn are explained by the success of the late-sown crop and favourable rain in August. It will be observed, that, mainly owing to the increase in Mymensingh, Collectors return the normal area at 2,469,900 acres. I am not prepared to accept this figure without further careful inquiries, which are now being instituted. The effect would be to raise the normal outturn to about 74 lakhs of bales. I wish to add here that the preliminary forecast would be more valuable if it was produced on 7th July. If this is the opinion of the market, Government may be moved to alter the date. The Collectors' returns work out to 87 per cent. on an area of 2,209,300 acres. Allowing for the tendency to underestimate both area and outturn, and in accordance with other inquiries, reports, and my own observations, I anticipate that in 2½ lakhs of acres the outturn will be not less than 93·75, or 15 annas—amounting to 63½ lakhs of bales.

Not included in the above is an estimate of 90,000 bales from Assam and the following figures supplied by the Superintendent of the Cooch Behar State:—

	Normal area under jute.	Area under jute in 1903.	Outturn.
	Acres.	Acres.	Per cent.
Cooch Behar State ...	25,000	23,200	68

Thus an outturn of 50,000 bales may be expected from Cooch Behar, and the total crop from all sources should amount to nearly 65 lakhs of bales.

Stocks of the crop of 1902 are reported to be very low indeed.

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CALCUTTA,
The 21st September 1903.

APPENDIX I.

Final Report on the Jute Crop of Bengal, 1903.

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate normal area under jute.	Approximate area sown last year (1902).	Estimated area sown this year (1903).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented outturn last year (1902)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1903)?	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Burdwan ...	Burdwan	1,720,960	[illegible]	11,000	11,000	6,700	76	75	Deficiency in rainfall accounts for the lower area under jute.	
	Midnapore ...	3,319,040	2,190,000	14,000	12,900	10,600	100	80	Decrease in area and outturn of this year is due to want of rain.	
	Hooghly	1,087,360	488,900	12,000	12,300	12,300	90	97	Want of timely rain accounts for the decrease in area, but the subsequent rainfall has been timely, and beneficial to the crop.	
Presidency	24-Parganas ...	3,574,851	1,979,700	63,400	59,300	57,000	100	90	The figures in columns 4 and 9 have been revised.	
	Nadia	1,787,520	630,500	47,800	31,000	36,000	97	65	The increased area is due to good outturn obtained last year. The outturn this year is, however, poorer owing to want of timely rainfall.	

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate normal area under jute.	Approximate area sown last year (1902).	Estimated area sown this year (1903).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented outturn last year (1902)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1903)?	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Presidency—*concld.*	Murshidabad ...	1,373,020	984,500	21,700	16,600	18,400	95	97	Seasonable rainfall has resulted in increase of area and outturn. The increase of area is also due to the abandonment of the Laltakuri embankment. Jute in this district is generally a poor crop grown on churs.	
	Jessore	1,873,008	1,203,800	40,800	33,600	30,700	74	77	Rains since the submission of the preliminary report have not only improved the crops greatly, but have also resulted in increased sowings.	
	Khulna	3,163,948	970,000	20,900	11,600	9,100	85	86	The decrease in the area sown is due to deficient rainfall in April and May. The increase in the outturn is due to seasonable rainfall in July and August.	
	Rajshahi	1,663,040	1,262,100	106,700	100,000	84,000	75	60	The area has been reduced from 85,000 acres, as given in the preliminary forecast, to 84,000 acres. This is entirely due to want of rain.	
	Dinajpur ...	2,526,080	1,697,600	102,000	80,000	60,000	90	85	Reports have been more hopeful lately, and according to my best information the outturn will be at least as large as stated.	

Rajshahi ...	Jalpaiguri ...	1,894,000	935,000	70,500	60,700	66,100	78	0	The estimated outturn is below the normal owing to deficient rainfall.
	Darjeeling ..	744,960	146,200	,500	2,500	2,200	90	80	The crop has been somewhat better than was anticipated owing to sufficient rainfall.
	Rangpur ...	2,236,320	1,602,700	340,000	327,200	302,800	88	75	Owing to the insufficiency of rain at the sowing season (March to May) and also at the growing season (July), the crop has not thriven well.
	Bogra	869,760	622,900	96,000	70,000	72,000	70	78	Outturn has improved owing to seasonable rainfall towards the lattes part of the season. It is, however, below the normal ordinarily obtained.
	Pabna	1,176,960	992,500	144,800	153,000	140,000	75	85	Owing to favourable weather and slow rise of the river, the outturn will be larger than was anticipated in the preliminary forecast.
Dacca ...	Dacca	1,760,480	1,213,500	171,000	153,000	171,000	79	95	Late rains have improved the condition of the crop.
	Mymensingh ...	4,088,480	2,405,700	735,000	600,000	630,000	70	97	In submitting my preliminary forecast, I adopted the normal area as shown by my predecessor, who cut down the estimate of the Subdivisional Officers. Since then I have had opportunities of forming an opinion of my own, and I do not think the estimate of the Subdivisional Officers too high. Favourable weather in August improved the crop materially.
	Faridpur	1,439,540	1,152,800	100,000	110,000	95,000	75	86	Increase due to full crop in the Madaripur subdivision.
	Backergunge ...	2,335,360	1,418,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	50	50	The outturn is much below the normal this year owing to want of rain at the sowing season.

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate normal area under jute.	Approximate area sown last year (1902).	Estimated area sown this year (1903).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented outturn last year (1902)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1903)?	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Chittagong ...	Tippera	1,599,300	1,209,000	268,400	235,000	266,400	50	100	Conditions at the beginning of the season were unfavourable, and, the area sown was consequently reported as less than the normal. But as a result of careful enquiry made throughout the jute-producing areas in July and August, it appears that the area under cultivation this year is not less than the normal. The character of the season in its later stages, has been favourable	
	Noakhali	1,052,800	784,800	4,500	2,100	4,600	30	80	The increase in columns 5 and 7 is the result of a special enquiry. The better outturn is due to absence of heavy rainfall at the time of sowing.	
Bhagalpur ...	Bhagalpur ...	2,704,640	2,097,000	22,400	22,200	20,700	96	89	There is very little of jute crop in the district. Want of rain has affected the growth of the crop specially in the Sadar subdivision.	
	Purnea	3,195,513	1,639,800	55,000	53,000	49,300	75	100	The figure 53,000 shown in column 6 is a correct figure, as will appear from the final forecast of the last year. The decrease in area sown this year is due to want of sufficient rainfall in July.	
	Malda	1,216,000	675,800	32,500	29,200	24,300	100	75	The area and outturn are less than normal owing to the short rainfall of the year. In many places cultivators had difficulty in steeping the plants for want of rain.	

Orissa ...	Cuttack	2,203,149	1,161,200	4 600	5,900	5,900	100	100	The outturn is estimated at 100 per cent. (average), the rainfall being favourable to the crop.	
	Balasore	1,384,368	870,800	2,600	5,200	5,200	95	95	Area remains stationary.	
	Total ...	51,884,203	30,482,400	2,469,900	2,108,300	2,209,300*	80	87†		* Raised by the Director of Land Records to 2,250,000 acres. † Raised by the Director of Land Records to 93·75 per cent. This gives 63 28 lakhs of bales, or approximately 63½ lakhs of bales. Add to this for Assam 90,000 bales and for Cooch Bihar 50,000 bales. Total approximate produce estimated by the Director of Land Records=65 lakhs of bales.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract Statement of Estimated Acreage and Outturn of the Jute Crop, 1903.

PROVINCE.	ACREAGE.							OUTTURN IN BALES OF 400 lbs.						
	Of current year's crop.	Of previous year's crop.	Average of five preceding years, viz., 1897 to 1901.	Average of nine preceding years (viz., 1893 to 1901).	Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or falls short of (−) area in—			Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of five preceding years, viz., 1897 to 1901.	Average of nine preceding years (viz., 1893 to 1901).	Percentage by which column 9 exceeds (+) or falls short of (−) outturn in—		
					Column 3.	Column 4.	Column 5.					Column 10.	Column 11.	Column 12.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Bengal	2,909,300	2,108,300	2,019,000	2,113,500	+4·79	+9·42	+4·53	6,328,000	5,280,000	5,640,900	5,645,400	+19·98	+12·18	+12·09

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 28th September, 1908.

Burdwan.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·56, Kalna 1·44, Katwa 1·80, Raniganj 2·97. Weather drizzling. Transplantation of *aman* over. *Aus* and jute are being reaped in places. Indigo and sugarcane fair. Fodder sufficient. Water insufficient in parts of thanas Katwa and Mangalkot. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 10 seers per rupee.

Birbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·41, Rampur Hât 1·17. Weather cloudy at times. Transplantation completed. Paddy and sugarcane promise well. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 11 to 12 seers per rupee.

Bankura.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·79, Vishnupur 2·00. Standing winter paddy doing well. Rice sells at 11¼ seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient.

Midnapore.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·71, Contai 1·59, Ghatal 3·53, Tamluk ·85, Prospects of winter paddy improving, but more rain wanted in parts. All other crops thriving. Harvesting of *aus* nearly over. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	10	0	per rupee.
Contai	12	0	
Tamluk	9	13	
Ghatal	10	0	

Hooghly.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·68, Serampore 2·54, Arambagh 0·68. Harvesting of *aus* continues. Sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	9	12	per rupee.
Serampore	9	12	
Arambagh	10	8	

Howrah.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·79. Weather cloudy and rainy. Transplantation of paddy seedlings has been completed. The condition of the standing crops is good. Jute is still being cut and steeped. No want of fodder and water. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice is selling at 10 seers per rupee.

24-Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·59, Barasat 4·25, Basirhat 1 63, Diamond Harbour 1·38. Weather cloudy with occasional showers. Rainfall insufficient in thanas Haroa and Hasanabad. State and prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of *aus* and cutting and steeping of jute continues. Transplantation of *aman* nearly finished. Common rice sells at 11¾ seers at sadar, elsewhere at 10¼ seers per rupee. Condition of cattle good. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.

Nadia.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·17, Kushtia 3·23, Meherpur 2·58, Chuadunga 4·45, Ranaghat 3·13. Rainfall beneficial. More rain wanted in some thanas of Meherpur. Prospects of standing crops good. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crop nearly finished. Fields are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kushtia	12	4	
Meherpur	12	8	
Chuadanga	14	0	
Ranaghat	11	0	

Murshidabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·85, Kandi 2·69, Jangipur 1·81, Lalbagh 0·75. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* already finished at Sadar and Jangipur. Standing crops doing well except in thana Barwan, outposts Kagram and Saktipur in Kandi subdivision, where more rain wanted. No cattle-disease. Fodder and drinking-water sufficient. Jute being cut and steeped at Jangipur. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	0	per rupee.
Kandi	11	0	
Jangipur	12	0	
Lalbagh	11	8	

Jessore.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·49, Jhenida 2·90, Magura 3·24, Narail 2·64, Bangaon 2·56. Weather cloudy with copious rainfall on two days. Harvesting of *aus* and jute nearly finished. Prospect of *aman* is good. Cattle-disease is reported from Sadar subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	13	0	per rupee.
Jhenida	13	0	
Magura	13	8	
Narail	13	0	
Bangaon	13	4	

Khulna.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·81, Bagerhat 2·20, Satkhira 1·13. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice continues and estimated at 92 per cent. on an average. Prospects favourable. Fodder and water sufficient. Very few cases of cattle-disease reported from Khulna and Dumuria. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	11	12	per rupee.
Bagerhat	14	0	
Satkhira	10	0	

Rajshahi.—Rainfall at Sadar 7·85, Nator 2·50, Naugaon report not received. Prospects of crop good. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute almost over. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling on an average at 13½ seers per rupee.

Dinajpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·56, Thakurgaon 7·05. Fall general, varying from 12·51 to 0·50. Weather seasonable. Standing crops good. Steeping of jute still in progress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Common rice sells at 14 seers at Sadar and 12 seers at Thakurgaon.

Jalpaiguri.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·06, Alipur Duars 7·00. Weather seasonable. Winter paddy growing well. Steeping and washing of jute going on. Common rice sells at 11½ seers a rupee. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.

Darjeeling.—Rainfall at Sadar 4·22. Weather seasonable. *Hills*—Maize, *chota* and *bara marua*, *bhadoi* paddy, winter rice and *phapar* doing well. *Terai*—Cutting of jute continues. Transplanting of winter rice very nearly completed. Prospects fair. Coarse rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Hills	9	0	per rupee.
Terai	11	0	

Maize sells at Darjeeling at 14 and at Kalimpong at 40 seers per rupee.

Rangpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 9·49, Gaibanda 5·15, Kurigram 7·10, Nilphamari 3·24. Weather cloudy and rainy. Condition of standing crops much improved. Steeping and washing of jute going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Gaibanda	12	0	
Kurigram	12	0	
Nilphamari	11	0	

Bogra.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·07. Fall general. Weather occasionally cloudy. Prospect fair. Harvesting of jute going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 15 seers per rupee.

Pabna.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·84, Sirajganj report not received. General rain throughout. Weather partially cloudy and rainy. Prospects of crops fair. Reaping of jute finished. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice (*aus*) sells at 15¾ seers per rupee.

Dacca.—Rainfall at Sadar 9·94. Fall general. Prospect of crops good. Weather seasonable. Fodder available. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells at 12½ seers a rupee.

Mymensingh.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·18, Jamalpur 3·83, Kishorganj 1·85, Netrokona 2·51, Tangail 2 39. Weather seasonable. Condition of crops good. Transplantation of winter rice and steeping of jute still continue. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	14	8	per rupee.
Jamalpur	14	8	
Kishorganj	13	0	
Netrokona	14	0	
Tangail	12	0	

Faridpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 3·06, Goalundo 3 95, Madaripur 0·95. Weather stormy and hot. State and prospects of crops good. No cattle-disease. Fodder available. Common rice sells at 13 seers the rupee.

Backergunge.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·30. Fall general. Weather unsettled. Sugarcane fair. Harvesting of autumn rice and jute continues. Prospects of winter rice good. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Aman	12	0	per rupee.
Aus	14	8	

Tippera.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·72, Brahmanbaria 2·06, Chandpur 3·92. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Transplantation of *aman* still going on. Harvesting of jute has nearly been completed Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	17	0	per rupee.
Brahmanbaria	16	0	
Chandpur	13	0	

Noakhali—Rainfall at Sadar 5·81, Feni 5 38. Weather rainy. Transplantation of *aman* nearly finished. Prospects good. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease in two thanas. Common rice sells at Sadar at 16 and at Feni at 17 seers per rupee.

Chittagong.—Rainfall at Sadar 5·69, Cox's Bazar 2 21. Transplantation of *aman* crop still going on. Cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 13 seers per rupee.

Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rainfall 4 17. Weather hot with occasional showers. Harvesting of late *poni* paddy nearly completed. Prospects of *til* and cotton fair. No cattle-disease. Rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Patna.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·80, Barh 0·07, Bihar 1·42, Dinapore 0 99, Hilsa 0·15, Bikram 2·27, Asthawan 1 36, Islampur 0·79. Weather cloudy and unsettled. *Bhadoi* being harvested; outturn variously stated at six annas in Bihar and ten annas in Barh. Fields being prepared for *rabi*. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	0	per rupee.
Barh	13	0	
Bihar	11	8	
Dinapore	13	8	

Gaya.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·34, Nawada 1·39, Jahanabad 0·23, Aurangabad 0·31, Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops continues Paddy doing well, but more rain wanted for the crop. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Average price of common rice is 12 seers per rupee.

Shahabad.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·81, Buxar 1·85, Bhabhua 0·45, Sasaram 0·24, Dehri 1·48. Prospects of paddy good. Lands being prepared for *rabi*. Sugarcane good. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at Sadar at 14 seers per rupee.

Saran—Rainfall at Sadar 2 54, Siwan ·65, Gopalganj 1·28. Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Standing crops doing well. Fields being prepared for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *bhadoi* going on. Rain wanted. Cattle-disease continues at Manjhi and Parsa. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 13¼ and maize at 24 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Champaran.—Rainfall at Sadar 1 59, Bettiah 3 40. Rain beneficial to winter rice. Prospects good. Harvesting of *bhadoi* and weeding of winter rice going on. Land being prepared for *rabi*. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 17 seers and maize at 26 seers per rupee.

Muzaffarpur Rainfall at Sadar 1·63, Hajipur 2 19, Sitamarhi 5 27. Weather cloudy and rainy occasionally. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops in progress Prospects fair. More rain wanted for the paddy in Sadar and Hajipur subdivisions. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 13 and maize at 24 seers a rupee.

Darbhanga.—Rainfall at Sadar 6·00, Samastipur 2 46, Madhubani 4·73. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of winter rice is good at Sadar and Madhubani. The rain did much good to standing crops at Samastipur. Rain still wanted at Samastipur. Lands are being prepared for *rabi*. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Mohiuddinnagar outpost. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	15	6	per rupee.
Samastipur	15	0	
Madhubani	14	0	

Monghyr.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·79, Begusarai 1·62, Jamui 1·47. Weather very hot and cloudy. Transplantation of paddy and harvesting of *makai*, *marua* and chilli going on everywhere In Jamui paddy much suffering for want of rain. Prospects of sugarcane good and rain badly wanted for *bhadoi* crops. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs.	ch.	
Sadar	12	4	per rupee.
Begusarai	13	0	
Jamui	11	0	

Bhagalpur.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·72, Banka 0·90, Madhipura 3·01, Supaul 2·42. Weather hot and cloudy. Rain is wanted in the southern portion of Supaul subdivision and some parts of Bangaon thana in Madhipura. Harvesting of *makai* and *marua* continues at

Banka and Madhipura. Prospect of winter rice favourable. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs ch.	
Sadar	13 14	per rupee.
Banka	11 4	
Madhipura	16 0	
Supaul	17 0	

Purnea.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·51, Araria 4·24, Kishanganj 5·45. More rain wanted in south. *Bhadoi* being harvested. Fodder and water ample. No cattle-disease. Common rice sells as follows:—

	Srs. ch.	
Sadar	11 0	per rupee.
Kishanganj	12 0	
Araria	12 0	

Malda.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·05, Chanchal 2·24, Gajol 2·85, Sibganj 3·14. Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *bhadoi* and steeping and washing of jute still going on in places. Prospects of winter rice fair, but more rain needed in the *barind* tract. Cattle-pox reported from Kharba thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers per rupee.

Sonthal Parganas.—Rainfall at Sadar 1·33, Deoghar 1·12, Godda 1·84, Jamtara 1·72, Pakaur 2·20, Rajmahal 3·82. Weather hot and cloudy. Winter rice greatly benefited by rainfall during the week, but more rain wanted at Godda, Jamtara, and Rajmahal. Harvesting of Indian-corn completed. Sugarcane thriving. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 11 seers per rupee at Sadar.

Cuttack.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·09. Weather cloudy. *Beali*, *mandua* and jute being harvested. *sarad* and other crops doing well Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 14 seers 7 chitaks per rupee at Sadar.

Balasore.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·45. *Beali* being harvested and ripening at places. Weeding of *sarad* and winter rice continues. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Rice sells at 15 and 14 seers the rupee at Sadar and Bhadrak respectively. Fodder and water sufficient.

Angul.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·69, Bissipara 2·84. Weather overcast and hot. Harvesting of *beali* and millets and sowing of *rabi* and oilseeds in progress. Prospects of standing crops good. Common rice sells at 18 and 15 seers per rupee at Sadar and Khondmals respectively. Cattle disease reported from the interior of Angul.

Puri.—Rainfall 0·22. Weather hot, cloudy, and rainy. Reweeding of winter rice continues. Miscellaneous crops doing well. *Beali* paddy and *mandua* are being harvested; outturn expected to be slightly below normal. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. Common rice sells at 18 seers 6 chitaks per rupee.

Hazaribagh.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·19, Giridih 1·62. Weather hot. There was rain in almost all parts of the district. Harvesting of *bhadoi* continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

Ranchi.—Rainfall 0·55. Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *gora* continues. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Silli and Chainpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at Sadar at 13 seers per rupee.

Palamau.—Rainfall at Sadar 0·37. Weather cloudy. Fall general and beneficial moderately heavy in Lotehar (3·98 inches) and Panki (2·05 inches). Harvesting of *bhado* crop continues. Standing crops doing well. *Rabi* fields being prepared Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at Sadar at 12 seers 6 chittaks and maize at 20¼ seers per rupee.

Manbhum.—Rainfall at Sadar 2·09, Gobindpur ·51. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops fair. Transplantation of tobacco estimated at 75 per cent. in Gobindpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Raghunathpur, Manbazar, Para, and Barabazar. Common rice sells at Sadar at 11 seers and at Gobindpur at 10 seers per rupee.

Singhbhum.—Rainfall 1·54. Recent rain has been favourable to winter rice crop. Fodder sufficient. Common rice sells at 12 seers per rupee.

General Summary.—Rainfall during the week was general and in places moderately heavy. More rain is needed in Gaya and Saran and also in parts of Burdwan, Midnapore, 24-Parganas, Nadia, Murshidabad, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea, Malda, and Sonthal Parganas. Transplantation of winter rice is almost over. Preparation of lands for *rabi* crops in progress. Harvesting of jute still going on; outturn estimated at 93·75 per cent. The *bhadoi* is estimated to be an 80 per cent. crop. Prospects on the whole fair. Cattle-disease reported from ten districts. Fodder and water generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in five districts, has fallen in 12, and is stationary in the rest.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. EARLE,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
The 29th September 1903.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 20th to 26th September 1903.

Month.	Date.	Max. mom in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction	Miles recorded.		
1903-		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.	°	%			Inci es.	
Sept.	20th	153·9	3·1	29·772	83·7	89·9	11·0	78·9	80·7	1·011	79·6	88	SSW and SW by W.	45	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, ≏, t.
,,	21st	150·1	6·4	·753	83·6	91·9	12 7	79·2	80·5	0·997	79·1	87	ESE and Calm ...	34	,,	Partially cloudy, o, d, t.
,,	22nd	147·7	2 6	·822	83·5	89·7	10·3	79·4	80·7	1·010	79·5	88	SW and Calm ...	38	0·02	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, t, p.
,,	23rd	148·1	7·3	·798	84·1	90·7	11·6	78·9	79·1	0·928	77·0	79	SW and WSW ...	94	0·33	Partially cloudy, ≏.
,,	24th	147·6	7·0	·763	85·2	90·6	10 7	79·9	80·1	·960	78·0	79	SW, SW by W and SW by S.	109	Nil	Partially cloudy, ≏.
,,	25th	146·6	3·8	·771	82·4	89·8	14·2	75 6	78·5	·923	76·8	83	W, S and Calm ...	76	0 06	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	26th	147·9	6·1	·729	83·9	90·4	13·3	77·1	79·1	·931	77·1	80	W by S and Calm	55	0·58	Partially cloudy, p.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·773
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·707
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		36·3
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		84·5
The mean temperature of the seven days		83·8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·0
The extreme variation of temperature		16·3
The maximum temperature		91·9
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		10
		%
The mean relative humidity		83
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		86
		Inches
The total fall of rain from 20th to 26th September 1903		0·99
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		2·36
The total fall from 1st January to 26th September 1903		42·73
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		57·92

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and Thermograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. Rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; t, thunder; p, passing temporary showers; ≏, dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 28th September 1903.

C. W. PEAKE,
for Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India and Director-General of Indian Observatories.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in staples carried during the four weeks three days ending 30th June 1903 as compared with the same period of 1902.

Staples.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accountrements, boots and shoes	4,384	4,305	6,840	6,403	2,456	2,098	.....	.....
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,08,54,306	15,75,303	96,55,611	12,05,601	.....	.....	11,98,695	3,67,702
Cotton—								
(1) Raw	89,917	51,274	40,764	24,154	.....	.....	49,153	27,120
(2) Manufactured—								
(*a*) Twist and Yarn, European	6,874	4,372	3,168	2,696	.....	.....	3,706	1,676
(*b*) Ditto, Indian	33,162	13,193	72,904	28,090	39,742	15,897	.....	.....
(*c*) Piece-goods, European	2,27,873	71,888	66,876	70,268	.....	.....	1,06,997	3,620
(*d*) Ditto, Indian	11,718	7,687	9,859	3,193	.....	.....	1,859	4,494
(*e*) Others	3,149	1,883	4,122	5,590	982	3,707	.....	.....
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	9,883	7,108	8,126	6,816	.....	.....	1,757	292
Drugs—								
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	275	443	306	508	31	66	.....	.....
2.—Non-intoxicating	11,249	5,112	12,816	15,347	1,567	10,235	.....	.....
Dyes and Tans—								
1.—Al (Morinda citrifolia)	225	11	172	38	.....	27	53	.....
2.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	672	791	662	244	.....	.....	10	547
3.—Cutch	5,560	2,895	4,501	1,985	.....	.....	1,059	910
4.—Indigo	1,343	6,196	2,204	10,282	861	4,086	.....	.....
5.—Myrabolams	21,097	10,660	8,926	2,055	.....	.....	12,171	8,614
6.—Tanning barks	17,971	2,211	15,625	1,969	.....	.....	2,346	242
7.—Turmeric	22,722	17,608	10,187	8,229	.....	.....	12,535	9,379
8.—Others	12,119	2,707	3,832	2,064	.....	.....	8,287	643
Fodder—								
1.—Oilcake	1,32,620	15,544	98,133	17,719	.....	2,175	34,487	.....
2.—Hay, straw and grass	11,198	2,611	34,859	3,714	23,661	1,103	.....	.....
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	61,091	32,814	48,200	24,800	.....	.....	12,891	8,014
Grain and Pulse—								
1.—Wheat	7,13,853	1,86,030	13,81,276	2,85,647	6,67,423	1,49,617	.....	.....
2.—Wheat flour	46,216	7,948	62,084	14,817	15,868	3,809	.....	.....
3.—Rice in the husk	87,252	11,868	58,472	5,658	.....	.....	28,780	6,210
4.—Rice not in the husk	4,00,359	1,23,312	2,74,258	25,834	.....	97,478	1,26,081	.....
5.—Jowar and bajra	47,901	1,482	13,195	6,196	.....	4,714	34,706	.....
6.—Gram and pulse	6,98,794	1,04,682	7,39,998	1,70,857	41,204	65,975	.....	.....
7.—Others	3,43,038	14,591	3,40,215	56,046	.....	41,455	2,823	.....
Hides and Skins—								
1.—Hides of cattle	64,359	25,731	46,676	18,638	.....	.....	17,683	7,093
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	12,500	14,838	18,299	10,150	5,739	.....	.....	4,688
Horns	3,381	1,484	2,105	543	.....	.....	1,276	941
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	47,802	18,115	52,564	14,898	4,062	.....	.....	3,217
Jute—								
1.—Raw	79,486	8,232	89,572	9,105	10,086	873	.....	.....
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	44,406	86,258	1,97,167	90,266	52,761	10,008	.....	.....
Lac	48,649	19,334	1,01,045	41,429	52,396	22,095	.....	.....
Leather—								
1.—Unwrought	1,491	1,136	2,095	4,233	604	3,097	.....	.....
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	1,466	689	985	256	.....	.....	481	433
Liquors—								
1.—Ale and Beer	11,661	5,767	11,139	4,975	.....	.....	522	792
2.—Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit	579	824	3,425	1,147	2,846	323	.....	.....
3.—Wines	2,188	1,703	3,278	4,364	1,085	2,661	.....	.....
4.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	349	76	176	51	.....	.....	173	25
Metals—								
1.—Brass, unwrought	175	20	125	19	.....	.....	50	1
2.— Do., wrought	7,754	5,490	10,534	5,886	2,780	387	.....	.....
3.—Copper, unwrought	269	120	160	112	.....	.....	109	8
4.— Do., wrought	3,020	3,164	1,962	1,669	.....	.....	1,058	1,495
5.—Iron and steel—								
(*a*) Cast	16,552	6,113	41,146	10,563	24,594	4,450	.....	.....
(*b*) Unwrought	88,933	3,521	24,688	1,266	.....	.....	63,345	2,255
(*c*) Wrought	1,24,479	47,649	1,14,660	45,020	.....	.....	9,819	2,629
(*d*) Manufactures of iron and steel	32,997	11,272	39,552	10,258	6,555	4,986	.....	.....
6.—Zinc and spelter	2,892	1,257	2,325	1,197	.....	.....	567	60
7.—Others	11,113	7,476	18,646	8,962	2,532	1,486	.....	.....
Oils—								
1.—Kerosine	2,22,432	54,022	2,13,609	1,13,966	.....	59,944	8,823	.....
2.—Castor	1,485	650	3,360	826	1,875	176	.....	.....
3.—Cocoanut	9,727	2,116	6,907	2,663	.....	547	2,820	.....
4.—Mustard and rape	9,122	4,724	15,071	5,532	5,949	808	.....	.....
5.—Others	6,475	3,969	2,648	3,502	.....	.....	3,827	467
Oilseeds—								
1.—Castor	44,486	12,606	82,667	21,655	38,181	9,640	.....	.....
2.—Earthnuts	13	10	48	29	35	19	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	6,35,868	1,91,513	13,39,888	3,00,063	7,04,020	1,08,550	.....	.....
4.—Poppy	2,00,527	47,560	1,53,540	43,707	.....	.....	46,787	3,853
5.—Rape and mustard	5,80,310	1,46,330	6,59,192	2,12,266	78,882	65,936	.....	.....
6.—Til or jinjili	41,536	2,237	6,240	4,789	.....	2,552	35,320	.....
7.—Others	2,76,966	54,966	83,462	13,626	.....	.....	1,93,633	41,340
Opium	6,666	3,200	17,530	17,126	10,864	13,926	.....	.....
Paper and pasteboard	31,944	18,296	25,462	11,184	.....	.....	6,542	7,112
Provisions—								
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	24,494	3,127	12,472	4,254	.....	1,127	12,022	.....
2.—Ghee	41,304	38,251	26,530	35,367	.....	.....	14,774	2,884
3.—Potatoes	1,02,206	43,590	1,18,436	35,236	16,230	.....	.....	8,354
4.—Others	1,08,811	34,248	82,539	22,753	.....	.....	26,272	11,495
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	13,077	6,156	19,406	1,633	5,729	.....	.....	4,523
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	3,403	625	27,424	8,975	23,961	8,347	.....	.....
3.—Materials—								
(*a*) Steel rails and fish-plates	25,565	13,073	11,258	4,398	.....	.....	12,307	8,675
(*b*) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	22,322	986	33,555	1,612	11,233	626	.....	.....
(*c*) Other sorts	2,96,785	40,755	2,77,796	32,629	.....	.....	18,989	8,126
Salt	8,05,020	1,37,990	5,40,921	1,15,298	.....	.....	2,64,099	22,692

Staples.	1902.		1903.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1.—Saltpetre	47,503	18,307	88,088	31,454	40,585	13,087	... ..	
2.—Other saline substances	45,451	12,188	75,06[illegible]	14,307	29,609	2,119	.....	..
Silk—								
1.—*Raw—*								
(*a*) Foreign								
(*b*) Indian	2,502	1,475	3,[illegible]25	1,462	723	.. ...	.....	 13
2.—*Piece-goods—*								
(*a*) Foreign								
(*b*) Indian	219	260	 97	761	.. ...	 501	 122	... .
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	25,144	20,615	30,491	11,864	14,347		.....	8,751
2.—Cardamoms	1,815	637	1,13[illegible]	859	.	222	684	...
3.—Chillies	10,811	10,510	7,[illegible]90	3,752	.....		2,912	6,758
4.—Ginger	1,912	605	1,[illegible]50	705	38	100	.....	..
5.—Pepper	1,805	1,725	1,[illegible]66	2,117	.....	392	439	... .
6.—Others	35,337	16,140	33,841	19,021	... ..	2,881	1,496	.. ...
Stone and lime	5,80,191	70,019	7,40,[illegible]17	97,571	1,60,[illegible]16	27,552	...	
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	24,332	7,657	35,[illegible]83	14,423	10,751	6,766		. .
2.—Unrefined—								
(*a*) Sugar	1,67,425	44,183	1,61,[illegible]27	26,005	.....	.....	5,198	18,178
(*b*) *Gur, rab*, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce	2,50,685	26,558	2,37,422	15,287	.....	. .	13,263	11,271
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.	.	.....	... ..	....	.
2.—Indian	5,783	2,008	7,[illegible]94	3,701	1,462	813	.....	.
Tobacco	75,809	37,833	1,64,[illegible]15	85,056	87,676	47,223	... ..	. ...
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	82,042	16,211	3,18,[illegible]01	23,749	2,36,867	7,538	.....	.....
2.—Manufactures	20,430	7,892	38,[illegible]39	12,270	17,[illegible]09	4,408	... ..	.....
Wool—								
1.—Raw	2,236	1,080	89	1,628	. ...	.....	2,147	361
2.—Manufactured—								
(*a*) Carpets and rugs	680	1,861	801	2,982	123	1,071	.	.... .
(*b*) Piece-goods, European	209	89	151	76	.....	.....	58	13
(*c*) Ditto, Indian	63	21	166	190	103	167	... ..	.....
(*d*) Other sorts of manufactures	1,492	911	1,[illegible]91	1,412	... ..	501	31	..
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Bones	45,258	12,576	98,[illegible]28	2,767	53,370	.....	.....	9,809
2.—Firewood	92,0[illegible]	7,362	84,22	6,[illegible]74	.....		8,816	788
3.—Indigo seed	13,182	8,6[illegible]4	9,[illegible]01	3,[illegible]59	.....	.....	3,978	5,995
4.—Paints and colours	4,665	1,[illegible]32	7,[illegible]58	3,[illegible]35	2,493	1,[illegible]09	.....	.....
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	3,511	1,076	7,[illegible]32	2,[illegible]02	4,421	1,[illegible]26	.....	.....
6.—Others	1,81,055	1,74,492	21,[illegible]14	40,[illegible]92	.....	.....	1,62,841	1,34,110
Total	1,98,36,011	38,71,376	1,97,09,931	37,41,000		.....	1,26,080	1,30,376
Military stores	13,162	21,261	33,210	41,929	20,048	20,668	.....	.....
Coal for railway	14,15,140	1,14,850	14,56,[illegible]44	1,22,769	41,[illegible]04	7,919	.....	.....
Railway materials	16,02,602	53,818	16,[illegible]12	65,110	1,20,[illegible]90	11,[illegible]92	.....	.....
Live-stock	.....	7,659	... ..	14,016	.....	6,357	.....	.....
Total	2,27,66,015	40,63,964	2,28,31,[illegible]97	39,54,824	64,[illegible]82	. ....		84,140

T. Jackson,

for *Chief Auditor.*

Traffic Audit Office, Goods Division, Calcutta, *the 25th September 1903.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 12th September 1903 on 1,936·05 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	303,361	3,73,960 0 0	47,74,187 0	8,53,934 0 0	26,457 0 0	12,54,351 0 0	114,613	161,210	282,823
Or per mile of railway ...	... ..	193 2 6	....	441 1 1	13 10 8	647 14 8	.....	.....	.. .
For previous 9½ weeks of half-year.	3,719,914*	34,81,914 0 0*	4,40,36,711 0†	72,40,238 0 0†	2,58,888 0 0‡	1,09,81,040 0 0	1,077,468§	1,811,7?5§	2,889,188
Total for 10½ weeks ...	4,113,275	38,55,874 0 0	4,88,10,898 0	80,94,172 0 0	2,85,345 0 0	1,22,35,391 0 0	1,192,076	1,670,935	2,672,011
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	339,339	3,07,831 10 8	45,34,010 10	7,57,052 4 0	19,130 2 10	10,84,014 1 6	106,393	280,777	387,170
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	160 14 3	.....	393 10 11	10 0 0	566 9 2	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 10½ weeks of previous year.	3,917,444	36,65,174 8 0	5,08,17,691 20	81,13,063 14 1	2,22,453 13 8	1,20,00,092 3 9	1,172,651	1,849,851	3,067,302

(a) The increase is chiefly due to the movement of pilgrims.
(b) Ditto ,, in food-grain traffic.
* Added No. of Passengers 10,501 and Rs. 12,281
† Do. Mds. 1,10,062 ,, ,, 19,739 } on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended
‡ Do. ,, 121 } 1st August 1903.
§ Audited figures up to 1st August 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*1,936·05	11 days of July ...	728,571	6,12,588	70,94,191	12,31,629	40,779	18,84,996	974	425,403	4 6 11
*1,936·05	Week ended 18th ,,	379,988	3,58,895	51,27,072	8,34,782	26,181	12,19,758	630	273,657	4 7 7
*1,936·05	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	370,829	3,75,641	51,59,129	8,17,474	26,143	12,33,278	631	275,134	4 8 1
*1,936·05	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	387,779	3,66,141	49,20,844	7,96,773	28,981	11,91,895	615	276,032	4 4 7
1,936·13	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	366,178	3,66,286	44,93,360	7,34,844	28,257	11,51,417	596	276,992	4 2 6
1,936·13	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	372,542	3,52,674	39,35,341	6,58,989	24,297	10,30,894	540	250,724	3 15 10
1,936·05	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	345,525	3,34,329	39,03,261	6,39,989	27,038	9,91,347	512	267,973	3 13 6
1,936·05	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	339,363	3,13,099	46,00,033	7,28,595	26,709	10,07,402	551	266,492	4 0 1
1,936·05	,, ,, 5th Sept. ...	396,167	3,88,331	48,04 780	7,97,258	26,484	12,13,073	626	276,773	4 6 4
1,936·05	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	398,361	3,73,960	47,74,187	8,53,934	26,457	12,54,351	648	282,823	4 7 0
	Totals up to date ...	4,113,275	38,55,874	4,88,10,898	80,94,172	2,85,345	1,22,35,391	598	2,372,011	14 4 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1,913·28	12 days of July ...	716,605	6,05,767	86,36,962	14,67,280	31,011	21,80,687	1,129	509,575	4 3 10
1,913·28	Week ended 19th ,, ...	441,138	3,78,481	47,43,891	8,02,446	16,685	11,97,612	626	288,530	4 2 5
1,913·28	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	370,287	3,75,806	45,66,617	7,07,453	16,816	11,00,075	575	279,023	3 15 1
1,913·28	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ..	345,725	3,31,083	40,31,101	7,36,933	28,778	10,96,789	566	288,468	3 12 11
1,913·28	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	353,308	3,26,966	46,08,029	7,25,710	27,530	10,81,198	565	277,598	3 14 4
1,913·28	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	361,638	3,38,319	47,81,171	7,35,191	22,467	10,95,977	573	273,199	4 0 3
1,913·28	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	358,929	3,17,094	41,55,743	6,66,506	18,780	10,02,380	524	270,291	3 11 6
1,913·28	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	317,170	3,29,526	44,37,206	7,34,809	20,825	10,84,860	567	288,839	3 13 2
1,913·28	,, ,, 6th Sept. .	313,307	3,04,278	54,00,999	7,32,675	20,847	11,07,800	579	297,794	3 11 6
1,913·28	,, ,, 13th ,,	339,339	3,07,832	45,34,910	7,57,052	19,130	10,84,014	567	287,170	3 13 5
	Totals up to date ..	3,917,443	36,65,174	5,08,17,691	81,13,064	2,22,454	1,20,00,092	583	3,067,302	3 14 8

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 12th September 1903 on 22·38 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	12,678	4,781 0 0	6,867 0	264 0 0	4 0 0	5,049 0 0	1,109	79	1,188
Per mile of railway	... ..	215 1 1	.....	11 14 0	0 2 11	227 3 0	.....	.....	..
For previous 9½ weeks of half-year	213,060*	80,710 0 0*	90,295 0†	3,433 0 0†	49 0 0	84,191 0 0	10,765§	316§	1,157
Total for 19½ weeks ..	225,858	85,491 0 0	97,162 0	3,696 0 0	53 0 0	89,240 0 0	11,865	393	12,758
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	20,364	4,818 13 9	2,040 20	372 0 0	2 14 3	4,713 12 0	1,097	91	1,188
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	... ..	194 4 6	.....	17 10 2	0 2 1	212 0 9	....	.....	...
Total for corresponding 19½ weeks of previous year	222,097	81,647 9 3	1,59,319 30	5,433 7 0	80 7 0	87,161 7 3	11,745	1,060‡	12,804

* Added No. of passengers 2,182 and Rs. 909 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended
† Do. Mds. 2,598 and ,, 55 } 1st August 1903.
‡ Deducted ,, 3 }
§ Audited figures up to 1st August 1903.

903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1903.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	11 days of July ..	55,094	13,534	18,186	657	7	13,198	594	1,960	6 10 8
*22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	21,725	4,664	10,239	410	7	4,981	224	1,188	4 3 1
*22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,336	4,768	14,421	443	5	5,220	235	1,180	4 6 2
*22·23	,, ,, 1st Aug. .	21,910	5,410	13,003	385	3	5,798	261	1,188	4 14 1
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	21,388	5,397	7,920	316	6	5,919	266	1,188	4 15 9
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,025	4,886	6,471	306	6	4,698	211	1,188	3 15 3
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	19,344	4,436	6,559	295	5	4,736	213	1,972	2 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	17,975	4,035	7,310	296	5	4,336	195	1,188	3 12 5
22·23	,, ,, 5th September	19,849	4,986	7,396	314	5	5,305	239	1,188	4 7 5
22·23	,, ,, 12th ,, ..	19,878	4,781	6,867	264	4	5,049	227	1,188	4 4 0
	Totals up to date ...	233,858	55,491	97,162	3,696	53	59,240	262	13,758	4 10 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	12 days of July ...	40,051	10,040	73,607	1,574	10	11,604	523	2,068	5 9 9
22·23	Week ended 19th ,, ...	21,057	6,689	10,697	403	10	7,342	330	1,252	5 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ..	22,545	5,357	12,058	504	6	5,867	264	1,188	4 15 8
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	16,896	3,720	8,581	334	11	4,105	185	1,188	3 7 3
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,493	4,746	7,068	299	5	5,050	228	1,188	4 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,417	4,987	5,726	241	13	5,141	231	1,188	4 5 3
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	18,209	4,080	8,903	373	7	4,460	201	1,188	3 13 1
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	15,615	3,695	8,519	371	9	4,035	173	1,188	3 3 8
22·23	,, ,, 6th September	17,119	4,093	8,486	382	6	4,483	203	1,188	3 13 5
22·23	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	20,346	4,819	9,041	392	3	4,714	212	1,188	3 16 6
	Totals up to date ...	232,697	51,948	1,69,280	5,433	80	57,161	240	13,804	4 7 5

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 12th September 1903 on 162·21 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	17,827	17,417 0 0	66,641 0	9,772 0 0	44 0 0	27,233 0 0	9,568	3,475	13,043
Or per mile of railway	.....	107 6 0	.....	60 3 10	0 4 4	167 14 2	.....	.....	...
For previous 9½ weeks of half-year	210,199*	1,76,346 0 0§	7,34,549 0†	90,589 0 0†	401 0 0‡	2,67,336 0 0	90,335§	34,783§	125,068
Total for 10½ weeks ...	228,026	1,93,763 0 0	8,01,190 0	1,00,361 0 0	445 0 0	2,94,569 0 0	99,903	38,208	1,38,111
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	19,996	20,330 4 4	2,66,823 30	12,758 7 0	40 14 3	33,129 9 7	8,301	4,997	13,186
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	125 5 0	.....	78 10 3	0 4 0	204 5 3	.....	.....	...
Total for corresponding 10½ weeks of previous year.	233,356	1,97,879 15 1	20,73,447 20	1,16,134 13 0	520 15 3	3,14,535 11 4	92,160	49,220	141,380

*Deducted No. of passengers 269 and Rs. 2,606
† Added Mds. 25,306 ,, ,, 901 } on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 1st August 1903.
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§ Audited figures up to 1st August 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·21	11 days of July ...	35,738	29,466	1,36,611	16,775	74	46,315	286	20,575	2 4 0
*162·21	Week ended 16th July ...	20,883	16,964	1,31,406	14,630	41	31,635	195	13,177	2 6 5
*162·21	,, ,, 23th ,, ...	20,679	15,114	77,607	9,020	53	24,187	149	13,796	1 14 3
*162·21	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	22,473	17,151	87,324	8,918	44	26,113	160	13,830	1 13 5
162·21	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	24,547	19,725	83,433	7,806	35	27,566	170	12,941	2 2 1
162·21	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	22,563	19,233	68,826	6,978	35	26,246	162	13,162	1 15 11
162·21	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	21,965	18,945	88,920	7,988	30	26,972	166	13,387	2 0 8
162·21	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	20,301	17,899	66,492	9,275	39	27,213	168	12,957	2 1 7
162·21	,, ,, 5th Sept. ...	21,046	21,859	62,989	9,199	41	31,099	192	13,183	2 5 9
162·21	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	17,827	17,417	66,641	9,772	44	27,233	168	13,043	2 1 5
	Totals up to date ...	228,026	1,93,763	8,01,190	1,00,361	445	2,94,569	172	138,111	2 2 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·24	18 days of July ...	40,898	32,090	1,46,494	19,647	94	51,831	319	22,765	2 4 5
162·24	Week ended 19th July ...	22,411	17,902	5,25,416	15,389	42	33,273	205	13,707	2 6 10
162·24	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	20,296	23,107	1,02,067	8,804	32	31,033	191	13,775	2 4 0
162·24	,, ,, 2nd Aug. ...	20,184	15,926	1,00,902	7,715	40	23,681	146	13,472	1 12 1
162·24	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	21,710	17,112	92,516	7,445	58	24,615	152	12,810	1 14 9
162·24	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,585	16,868	94,459	9,650	48	26,566	164	12,976	2 2 6
162·24	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,721	14,375	2,79,115	13,017	59	27,451	180	13,333	2 1 2
162·24	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	20,453	20,518	97,499	10,494	47	31,059	193	13,763	2 7 4
162·24	,, ,, 6th Sept. ...	20,187	20,392	3,32,068	11,346	60	31,798	195	13,871	2 4 5
162·24	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	19,996	20,330	2,66,824	12,759	41	33,130	204	13,188	2 5 2
	Totals up to date ...	233,356	1,97,880	20,73,449	1,16,135	521	3,14,536	181	141,980	2 5

* Audited figures.

SOUTH BEHAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 12th September 1903 on 78·76 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	14,996	8,443 0 0	24,400 0	1,742 0 0	25 0 0	10,210 0 0	1,785	680	2,474
Or per mile of railway	....	107 3 2	.. ...	22 1 11	0 5 1	129 10 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
For previous 9½ weeks of half-year	113,575*	57,914 0 0*	3,44,568 0†	23,577 0 0†	258 0 0‡	81,749 0 0	15,544§	8,108§	23,647
Total for 10½ weeks .	128,571	66,357 0 0	3,68,968 0	25,319 0 0	283 0 0	91,959 0 0	17,329	8,792	26,121
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	11,357	5,640 14 6	26,398 20	1,709 12 0	20 0 9	7,480 11 3	1,743	1,013	2,756
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	71 9 11	.....	22 7 6	0 4 1	94 5 6	... .	.. ...	.....
Total for corresponding 10½ weeks of previous year ..	119,312	60,660 8 7	4,07,784 30	25,252 14 0	148 14 3	86,061 10 10	19,910	11,439	31,349

* Added No. of passengers 1,028 and Rs 844
† Deducted Mds. 3,111 ,, 284
‡ Ditto ,, 12
} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 1st August 1903.
§ Audited figures up to 1st August 1903.

1903. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*78·76	11 days of July ..	22,940	11,197	57,329	4,214	41	15,442	196	3,936	3 14 9
*78·76	Week ended 18th ,, ...	11,472	5,831	34,105	2,071	27	8,519	108	2,519	3 6 1
*78·76	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	14,072	7,591	37,089	2,680	30	10,241	130	2,519	4 1 1
*78·76	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	12,807	6,346	34,804	2,412	19	8,777	111	2,363	3 11 5
78·76	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	11,778	6,135	37,388	2,868	30	9,033	115	2,618	3 7 2
78·76	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	9,594	4,743	35,116	2,147	30	6,920	88	2,245	3 1 4
78·76	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	10,368	5,180	40,968	2,976	27	7,205	92	2,296	3 2 8
78·76	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	9,248	4,673	40,318	2,938	27	7,288	93	2,552	2 13 8
78·76	,, ,, 5th Sept. .	11,001	6,238	31,556	1,990	27	8,264	105	2,699	3 2 10
78·76	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	14,996	8,443	24,400	1,742	25	10,210	130	2,474	4 2 0
	Totals up to date ...	128,571	66,357	3,68,968	25,319	283	91,959	110	26,121	3 8 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1903 in comparison with 1902—concluded. *1902.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
78·76	12 days of July ...	23,554	12,211	70,897	4,577	40	16,828	214	4,961	3 6 3
78·76	Week ended 19th ,, ..	12,510	6,581	33,421	2,135	8	8,724	111	2,678	3 4 1
78·76	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	11,735	5,894	41,404	2,648	9	8,551	105	2,535	3 14 7
78·76	,, ,, 2nd Aug.	12,264	6,001	33,575	2,209	11	8,221	117	2,836	2 4 9
78·76	,, ,, 9th ,,	10,079	5,318	28,578	1,009	18	7,339	93	2,914	2 8 4
78·76	,, ,, 16th ,, ..	9,868	4,830	33,627	2,382	10	7,228	92	2,598	2 12 6
78·76	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	9,454	4,705	31,774	2,343	7	7,055	90	2,605	2 11 4
78·76	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	9,080	4,648	30,795	2,586	15	7,199	91	2,387	2 2 0
78·76	,, ,, 6th Sept.	9,001	4,837	29,725	1,944	11	6,792	86	2,780	1 12 9
78·76	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	11,357	5,641	28,389	1,770	20	7,431	94	2,756	2 11 2
	Totals up to date ...	119,312	60,660	4,07,785	25,353	149	86,068	102	31,349	2 11 11

* Audited figures.

BENGAL CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 19th September 1903 on 139 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	31,077	12,664 0 0	3,33,618 0	31,517 0 0	121 0 0	44,302 0 0	4,942	7,017	11,959
Or per mile of railway	239	97 0 0†	1,479 0	227 0 0	1 0 0	325 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 10 weeks of half-year*	373,047	1,32,355 0 0	11,47,797 0	1,32,478 0 0	2,671 0 0	2,67,484 0 0	40,070	41,203	80,273
Total for 11 weeks ...	404,124	1,44,999 0 0	13,81,215 0	1,63,995 0 0	2,792 0 0	3,11,786 0 0	54,012	48,219	1,02,231
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	29,914	11,405 0 0	1,70,419 0	23,336 0 0	113 0 0	34,914 0 0	2,805	6,580	9,484
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	230	88 0 0†	1,127 0	168 0 0	1 0 0	257 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	380,835	1,41,203 0 0	10,14,404 0	1,09,654 0 0	3,470 0 0	2,54,327 0 0	35,281	40,144	75,385

* Audited up to week ending 25th July 1903.
† Coaching traffic calculated on 130 miles only.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 12th September 1903 on 622 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and additional 21 miles for goods and parcels traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	29,207	17,611 0 0	2,21,552 0	29,418 0 0	3,211 0 0	49,240 0 0	6,159	9,207	15,366
Or per mile of railway	46·96	28·31	344·56	44·20	4 99	77·50	9·90	14·32	24·22
For previous 10 weeks of half-year	976,814	1,70,466 0 0	10,79,226 0	1,63 898 0 0	25,403 0 0	3,59,767 0 0	64,470	59,232	123,702
Total for 11 weeks ...	306,021	1,88,077 0 0	13,01,078 0	1,93,316 0 0	28,614 0 0	4,09,007 0 0	70,629	68,439	139,068
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	25,637	15,153 0 0	1,88,715 0	14,713 0 0	956 0 0	30,808 0 0	6,542	8,044	15,186
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year .	45·94	27·13	320 40	24·98	1·62	53·73	11·72	14·68	26·40
Total to corresponding date of previous year	280,309	1,75,403 0 0	20,11,001 0	1,65,555 0 0	15,743 0 0	3,57,060 0 0	68,949	93,859	162,808

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for the week ended 12th September 1903.			Receipts for the week ended 13th September 1902.			Total receipts from 1st April 1903 to 12th September 1903.			Total receipts from 1st April 1902 to 13th September 1902.			Total increase in 1903.	Total decrease in 1903.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
643	49,240	77·50	589	30,808	53 73	643	9,22,194	...	589	8,34,151	...	87,973	... ...

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 19th September 1903 on 1,330 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,330 miles open	202,060	(a) 76,830	6,41,840	(a)73,090	(b) 17,890	(a)1,68,400	40,997	(c)25,645	66,642
Or per mile of railway	151 92	57·76	482·59	55 41	13 45	126 62	.....	.....	.....
For previous 10½ weeks of half-year (d)	2,366,980	9,41,446	73,16,789	8,60 623	1,87,318	19,90,389	422,926	336,645	759,571
Total for 11½ weeks	2,569,030	10,18,266	79 58,629	9, 34,215	2,05,208	21,87,789	463,923	362,290	826,213
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1 261 miles open	190,256	75,267	3,70,267	51 058	12 240	1,38,603	42,810	(c)28,708	71,518
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	150 88	59 69	293 63	40 49	9 71	109 92	..	....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2 178,702	8,46,863	68,37,915	6,83,010	1 93,970	17,33,942	497,747	353,092	853,747

(a) Increase under Local and Foreign outward Traffic
(b) Increase mainly under 'Steamboat' due to increased Foreign outward Goods Traffic
(c) Includes 5,513 miles of ballast trains
(d) Includes audited figures up to week ending 1st August 1903
(e) Includes 6,278 miles of ballast trains

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Worked by the B & N.-W. Railway.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 12th September 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train Miles Run.		
	Passengers carried	Receipts	Weight carried	Receipts			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs	Rs			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	... ...	...	...	...	...	...		.....	... ...
Or per mile of railway ...	...		...					.....	... ...
For previous 9½ weeks of half-year	8,286	1,233	77 34	1 471	91	2,794	2 433	868	3 301
Total for 10½ weeks ...	8 286	1 232	77,..34	1,471	91	2 794	2 433	868	3,301
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	2,108	156	9,1 2	4.0	1	580	494	150	644
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	116 94	8·07	521 78	.3 33	0·22	32 ..2	...	...	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	11,851	1 910	86,656	6 7	83	4,010	3 037	1 058	4,030

NOTE.—The line closed for all descriptions of traffic from 15th August to 18th (evening) inclusive.

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY

(Worked by the B. & N.-W. Railway.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 19th September 1903 on 18 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	1,156	155	21 713	375	10	540	249	183	432
Or per mile of railway	64 22	8 61	1,372 94	20 28	0 55	29 94	..	..	...
For previous 10½ weeks of half-year(a)	12 600	1,807	84 084	1,720	25	1 723	2,313	568	3 201
Total for 11½ weeks ...	13,756	2,062	1,05 797	2,095	105	4,263	2,562	1,051	3 613
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	180	176	10,161	510	9	695	53	23	76
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	26 67	9 78	564 17	28 33	0 50	38 61	..	..	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	20,331	2,1	97,117	2,138	90	5 345	3,690	1,076	4,766

NOTE.—Line reopened for all descriptions of traffic from 19th September 1903.
(a) Includes audited figures up to week ending 1st August 1903

SEGOWLIE-RAKSAUL BRANCH RAILWAY.

(WORKED BY THE B. AND N.-W. RAILWAY.)

Audited Return of Traffic for the week ending 1st August 1903 on 18 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Passengers carried.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
	No.	Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week on 18 miles open	2,351	344 7 4	12,618	271 11 0	10 0 0	626 2 4	354	150	504
Or per mile of railway ...	130·06	19 2 2	701·00	15 1 6	0 8 11	34 12 7	.....	.....	.....
For previous 43 weeks of half-year	7,904	1,240 3 11	35,154	920 10 0	47 4 0	2,208 1 11	1,361	419	1,800
Total for 44 weeks ..	10,245	1,584 11 3	47,772	1,192 5 0	57 4 0	2,834 4 3	1,735	569	2,304
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 18 miles open	1,630	167 0 0	7,415	169 0 0	5 7 0	341 7 0	419	85	504
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year ..	90·56	9 4 5	411·94	9 6 8	0 4 10	18 15 6	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	9,395	963 0 0	43,823	1,007 0 0	28 0 0	1,998 0 0	1,624	552	2,376

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

			Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 19th September 1903	Coaching ...	4,253	0	0				
	Goods ...	9,690	0	0	13,994	0	0
	Other earnings ...	51	0	0				
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1902 ...	Coaching ...	5,276	0	0				
	Goods ...	7,737	0	0	13,070	0	0
	Other earnings ...	57	0	0				
Increase ...					924	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 19th September 1903					274	6	3
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					256	4	5
Increase ...					18	1	10
Receipts from 1st July to 19th September 1903					1,69,509	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1902					1,71,605	0	0
Decrease ...					2,096	0	0

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